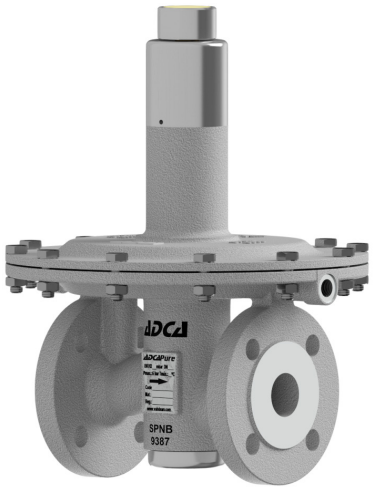
TANK BLANKETING REGULATORS
BKVI2

DESCRIPTION

Tank blanketing valves are commonly used in tank storage systems to prevent and protect against explosions (avoiding flammable liquids being vented from the vessel), to control product contamination against external air that may fill the vapour space, to reduce evaporation losses (consequently, production losses), to reduce internal corrosion (caused by air and moisture) and to prevent vacuum condition.
The blanketing process consists in covering the stored medium, usually a liquid, with a gas (normally N2).



MAIN FEATURES

Compact design.
Non-rising adjustment knob.
FDA / USP Class VI compliant seals.

STANDARD SURFACE FINISH

Internal movable parts and machined surfaces:
≤ 0,76 micron Ra – SF3.
Other surfaces: as casted.
Ultrasonic cleaning.

OPTIONS:	Leakage line connection 1/4”. Gauge connection on body. External pulse line. Dome-loaded version. Blanketing with vacuum. Top cap (adjustment screw with cover). ATEX Ex version.
USE:	Compressed air, nitrogen and other gases compatible with the construction.
AVAILABLE MODELS:	BKVI2 – low pressure venting valve.
SIZES:	DN 15 and DN 25.
REGULATING RANGES:	5 to 10 mbar; 10 to 50 mbar; 20 to 200 mbar; 50 to 500 mbar; 5 to 4000 mbar (dome-loaded).
CONNECTIONS:	Flanged EN 1092-1 PN 16.
INSTALLATION:	Vertical installation recommended, to allow drainage, or horizontal as close to the process as possible in order to prevent long pipe sections and flow restrictions. See IMI – Installation and maintenance instrucions.

CE MARKING – GROUP 2 (PED – European Directive)	
PN 16	**Category**
DN 15 to 25	SEP

CE MARKING – ATEX VERSION (ATEX – European Directive)	
PN 16	**Category**
DN 15 to 25	Ex h IIB T6...T3 Gb

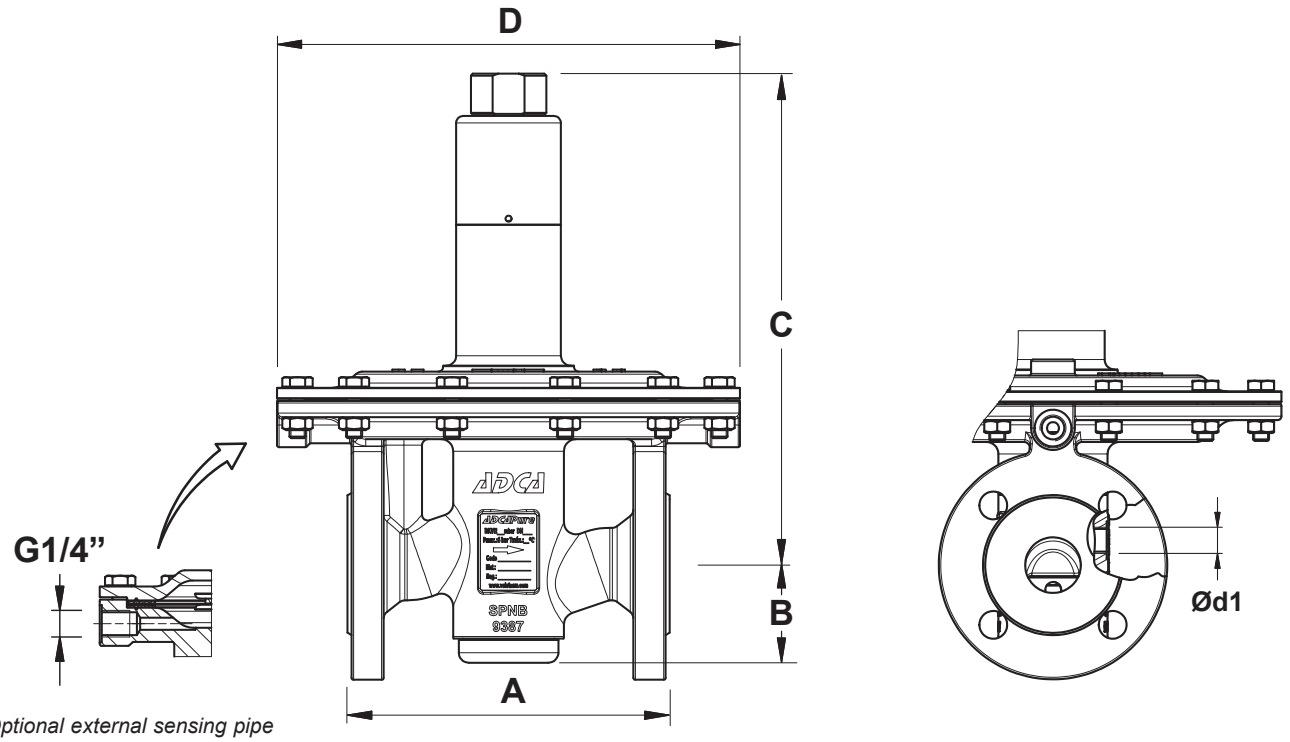
AIR CAPACITIES (Nm³/h) Seat Ø 21 mm							
SIZE	SET PRESSURE	INLET PRESSURE (mbar)					
		10	20	40	100	200	500
DN 15	25% Overpressure	4,5	10,5	16	27	45	95
	50% Overpressure	4,5	10,5	16	27	45	95
	75% Overpressure	4,5	10,5	16	27	45	95
	100% Overpressure	4,5	10,5	16	27	45	95
DN 25	25% Overpressure	5,3	11,8	18	31	52	105
	50% Overpressure	7,2	14,5	26	40	66	125
	75% Overpressure	8,3	17	30	47	82	136
	100% Overpressure	9,8	18	36	52	91	148

LIMITING CONDITIONS	
Valve model	**BKVI2**
Body design conditions	PN 16
Maximum operating pressure	6 bar
Maximum upstream pressure *	500 mbar
Minimum upstream pressure	5 mbar
Maximum design temperature **	130 ºC

* 4000 mbar with dome load;
** Others on request.

Warning: Blanketing valves are not substitute for safety valves or vacuum relief valves.

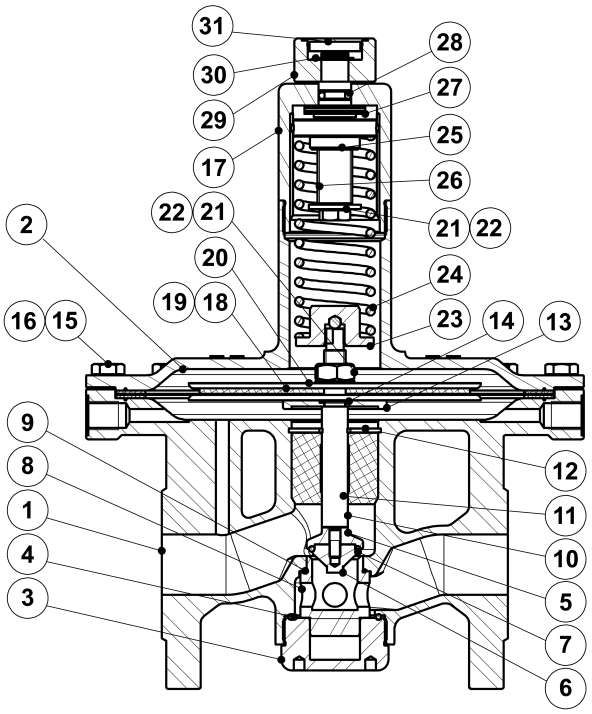
DIMENSIONS (mm)						
SIZE	A	B	C	D	d1	WEIGHT (kg)
DN 15	130	47,5	243,5	230	1/4"	9,7
DN 25	160	57,5	243,5	230	1/4"	10,8

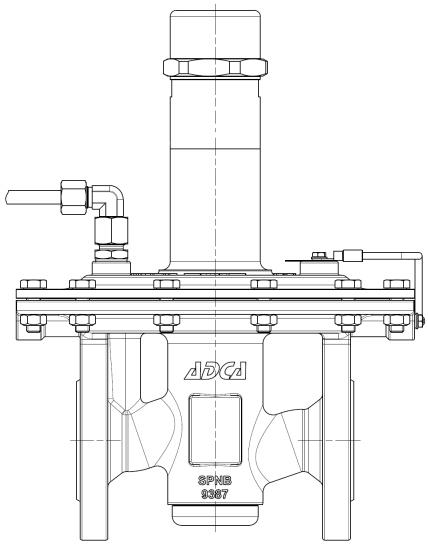


Optional external sensing pipe connection.

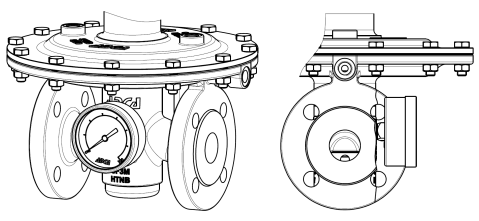
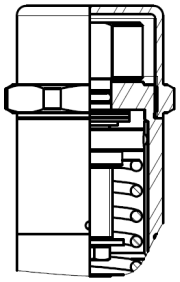
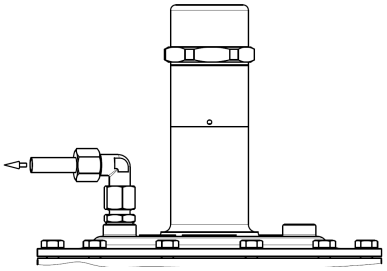
MATERIALS		
POS. N°	**DESIGNATION**	**MATERIAL**
1	Valve body	A351 CF3M / 1.4409
2	Diaphragm top cover	A351 CF3M / 1.4409
3	Seat cover	AISI 316L / 1.4404
4	* O-ring	EPDM
5	Plug disc	AISI 316L / 1.4404
6	* Valve head	AISI 316L / 1.4404
7	* O-ring	EPDM; FPM
8	Seat	AISI 316L / 1.4404
9	* O-ring	EPDM
10	Stem	AISI 316L / 1.4404
11	Stem guide	PTFE
12	Retaining ring	Stainless steel A2-70
13	Diaphragm plate	AISI 316L / 1.4404
14	* O-ring	EPDM
15	Bolts	Stainless steel A2-70
16	Nuts	Stainless steel A2-70
17	Spring cover	AISI 316L / 1.4404
18	* Lower diaphragm	PTFE (Gylon)
19	* Upper diaphragm	EPDM
20	Diaphragm plate	AISI 316L / 1.4404
21	Nut	Stainless steel A2-70
22	Washer	AISI 316 / 1.4401
23	Lower spring guide	AISI 316L / 1.4404
24	* Adjustment spring	AISI 302 / 1.4300
25	Top spring plate	AISI 316L / 1.4404
26	Adjustment screw	Brass
27	Bearing	Corrosion resistant steel
28	* O-ring	NBR
29	Adjustment nut	AISI 316L / 1.4404
30	Ext. bowed shaft ring	Stainless steel
31	Cover nut	Plastic

* Available spare parts;
FDA / USP Class VI seals certificate on request.
All valves have a serial number. In case of non standard valves, this number must be supplied if spare parts are ordered.

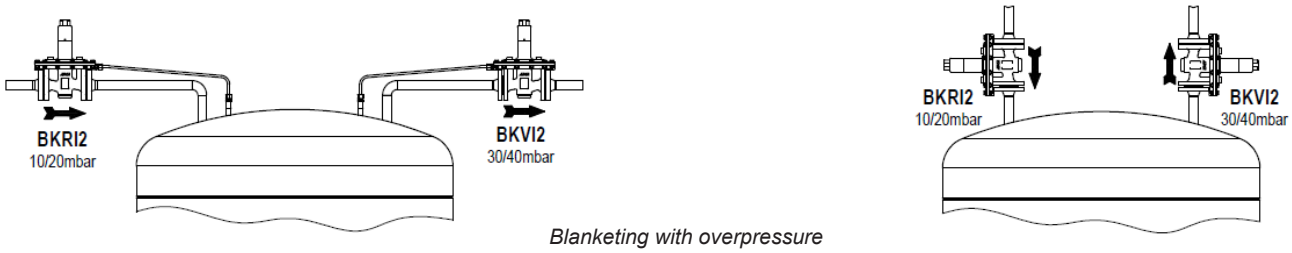




ATEX compliant version

OPTIONS		
PRESSURE GAUGE CONNECTION	**ADJUSTMENT SCREW WITH COVER**	**LEAKAGE LINE CONNECTION (1/4")**
		

TYPICAL INSTALLATION



Blanketing with overpressure

ORDERING CODES BKVI2

Valve model	BVI	A	2	T	E	I	X	X	X	0	L	15	E
BKVI2 – A351 CF3M / 1.4409 blanketing low pressure vent valve	**BVI**												
Regulating range													
5 to 10 mbar		**0**											
10 to 50 mbar		**1**											
20 to 200 mbar		**2**											
50 to 500 mbar		**3**											
5 to 4000 mbar (dome-loaded)		**A**											
Valve seat orifice													
Seat diameter 21 mm			**2**										
Diaphragm													
PTFE (Gylon)				**T**									
EPDM (non-standard)				**E**									
Valve head													
EPDM					**E**								
FPM / Viton (FDA approval only)					**V**								
Adjustment knob, top cap and leakage line connection													
Stainless steel adjustment knob						**I**							
Top cap (adjustment screw with cover)						**T**							
Stainless steel adjustment knob w/ diaphragm cover leakage connection in case of diaphragm failure						**L**							
Top cap (adjustment screw with cover) w/ diaphragm cover leakage connection in case of diaphragm failure **a)**						**U**							
Dome-loaded top **b)**						**X**							
Gauge port options													
Without gauge ports							**X**						
Threaded gauge port on the left side (rel. to the flow direction) – downstream pressure – ISO 7 Rp 1/4”							**4**						
Threaded gauge port on the right side (rel. to the flow direction) – downstream pressure – ISO 7 Rp 1/4”							**3**						
Threaded gauge port on both sides – downstream pressure – ISO 7 Rp 1/4”							**2**						
Threaded gauge port on the left side (rel. to the flow direction) – downstream pressure – 1/4” NPT							**W**						
Threaded gauge port on the right side (rel. to the flow direction) – downstream pressure – 1/4” NPT							**Y**						
Threaded gauge port on both sides – downstream pressure – 1/4” NPT							**Z**						
Surface finish c)													
Standard surface finish								**X**					
Mirror mechanical polished external surfaces (SF1)								**P**					
Electropolished internal wetted parts (SF5)								**E**					
Special features													
None									**X**				
External pulse line													
Internal pulse orifice (standard)										**0**			
External pulse line connection 1/4"										**1**			
Pipe connection													
Flanged EN 1092-1 PN 16											**L**		
Size													
DN 15												**15**	
DN 25												**25**	
Special valves / Extras													
ATEX compliant version													**EX**
Full description or additional codes have to be added in case of non-standard combination													**E**

a) This option must be chosen in case of ATEX compliant version; **b)** This option must be chosen in case of dome-loaded version; **c)** Consult IS PV20.00 for further details and other surface finish options.