



Discharge Capacities for Stainless Steel Safety Relief Valves

SATURATED STEAM in KILOGRAMS PER HOUR

Set Pressure (Bar Gauge)	with 10% Accumulation					Set Pressure (Bar Gauge)	with 10% Accumulation				
	DN15	DN20	DN25	DN40	DN50		DN15	DN20	DN25	DN40	DN50
1	13	29	52	118	210	11	75	168	302	680	1212
2	19	43	76	172	304	12	81	182	326	733	1306
3	24	55	98	227	394	13	86	195	350	786	1400
4	31	69	123	283	494	14	92	209	374	873	1554
5	38	86	152	344	611	15	100	225	401	904	1611
6	44	100	178	400	714	16	107	241	429	966	1723
7	50	112	201	453	807	17	115	257	456	1029	1836
8	56	126	227	510	910	18	121	270	481	1084	1940
9	63	140	253	568	1013	19	126	284	505	1136	2040
10	70	155	278	625	1116	20	132	297	529	1190	2141

HOT WATER in KILOWATTS

Set Pressure (Bar Gauge)	with 10% Accumulation					Set Pressure (Bar Gauge)	with 10% Accumulation				
	DN15	DN20	DN25	DN40	DN50		DN15	DN20	DN25	DN40	DN50
1	8	18	33	74	132	11	47	105	189	426	760
2	12	27	48	108	191	12	51	114	204	459	818
3	15	34	61	142	247	13	54	122	219	493	877
4	19	43	77	177	310	14	58	131	234	547	974
5	24	54	95	216	383	15	63	141	251	567	1010
6	28	63	112	251	447	16	67	151	269	605	1080
7	31	70	126	284	506	17	72	161	286	645	1151
8	35	79	142	320	570	18	76	169	301	679	1216
9	39	88	159	356	635	19	79	178	316	712	1278
10	44	97	174	392	699	20	83	186	332	746	1342

WATER in LITRES PER MINUTE

Set Pressure (Bar Gauge)	with 10% Accumulation					Set Pressure (Bar Gauge)	with 10% Accumulation				
	DN15	DN20	DN25	DN40	DN50		DN15	DN20	DN25	DN40	DN50
1	6	15	26	60	109	11	20	47	84	190	332
2	8	20	35	81	145	12	21	49	88	199	334
3	10	23	42	96	172	13	22	51	92	208	336
4	12	27	49	111	201	14	23	53	96	217	344
5	14	31	56	128	230	15	24	55	100	225	374
6	15	34	61	140	253	16	25	57	103	233	404
7	16	37	66	151	273	17	26	59	106	241	434
8	17	40	71	161	291	18	26	61	110	248	449
9	18	42	75	171	308	19	27	63	113	255	461
10	19	44	80	180	326	20	28	65	116	262	473

FREE AIR in LITRES PER SECOND AT 20°C

Set Pressure (Bar Gauge)	with 10% Accumulation					Set Pressure (Bar Gauge)	with 10% Accumulation				
	DN15	DN20	DN25	DN40	DN50		DN15	DN20	DN25	DN40	DN50
1	5	11	18	43	78	11	28	63	111	254	452
2	7	16	27	62	113	12	31	68	121	274	486
3	9	21	36	75	146	13	33	73	130	294	520
4	12	26	45	102	183	14	36	78	138	315	556
5	15	32	55	126	225	15	38	84	149	338	598
6	17	36	65	149	267	16	40	90	160	360	640
7	18	42	73	168	302	17	43	95	170	384	682
8	21	47	83	190	340	18	45	100	178	404	718
9	23	53	92	212	378	19	48	105	187	424	753
10	26	58	102	234	417	20	50	110	196	443	788

Pressure Relief Valves

CONVERSION FIGURES

Steam.....	lbs/h	x	0.4535	=	kg/h
Hot Water...	Btu/h	x	0.0003	=	kW
Air	m ³ /h	x	16.667	=	L/min
	ft ³ /min	x	28.32	=	L/min
Water	m ³ /h	x	16.667	=	L/min
	gpm	x	4.546	=	L/min
Pressure	psi	x	0.069	=	bar. g.
	kg/cm ²	x	0.98	=	bar. g.
	in. Water	x	0.0025	=	bar. g.

Gresswell Valves have over 65 years experience in the manufacture of Safety and Relief Valves, supplying all industries worldwide and are approved to BS EN ISO 9001:2000 quality standards. (Certificate No. 0910407.)

The ranges include versions in both Bronze (leaflet Ref: G55 & G90) and Stainless Steel as well as a choice of seating arrangements to suit even the most demanding applications.

Designed to protect systems against overpressure, the G36 range has proven to be the ideal safety device for thousands of users.

- Only 4 Springs are needed to cover the range's working pressure of 0.5 to 20.7 Bar g.

- Screwed/Flanged connections or a combination of both available as standard.

- A variety of Seating arrangements are available - allows the best selection for the products being handled.

- All valves are supplied pre-set.

- Clear operating and maintenance instructions are supplied.

VALVE OPERATION

All our pressure relief valves are designed to function automatically. They are fitted to systems to prevent a safe pressure being exceeded. As protective devices they will perform reliably and will require the minimum of maintenance.

As 'proportional lift' type valves, the lift, and therefore the flow-rate, is determined by the amount of 'overpressure' within the system. The accepted point to measure this flow is when the predetermined pressure (the set pressure) is exceeded by 10% - the maximum pressure including 10% accumulation is shown on the flow-rate charts overleaf.

INSTALLATION

- 1) It is recommended that the G36 valve be sited with their spindles upwards at a point where pressure surging or pulsation does not occur.
- 2) If thread sealing is required, **DO NOT** use PTFE tape as small pieces can easily foul the valve seat and cause 'weeping'. Always use a liquid sealer instead.
- 3) Discharge pipes should not be smaller than the valves outlet port and **must** be self draining. If the installation forms part of a sealed system, any possible 'back pressure must be considered in the setting of the relief valve. Gresswell engineers are able to advise on this.
- 4) Valves should be positioned where there is no possible risk to personnel during the normal course of operation. Gresswell should be consulted if there is any doubt regarding the valves SAFE operation.

GRESSWELL VALVES strive to provide the best possible service and welcome any suggestions which would advance this process. Therefore we reserve the right to change specifications without prior notice. The company's engineering staff are able to assist in offering advice on further matters regarding the SAFE OPERATION of Safety and Relief valves. Information on sizing and selection can be obtained by contacting the GRESSWELL sales desk.

To place an order we request that you provide the following information regarding the intended service installation: OPERATING PRESSURE, OPERATING TEMPERATURE & INTENDED MEDIUM. Products selected and quoted for are based on the information provided and we reserve the right to amend / withdraw in part or in full should further information regarding the operating media and conditions (eg flow rates / viscosity etc) indicate that the products quoted may not be entirely suitable for the purpose(s) intended. Where a PED category is stated by Gresswell Valves, the product can only be used for the stated category.