

# BULLETIN 600

## APCO ARV CLEAN WATER AIR RELEASE VALVES BODY STYLES 50A AND 200A/200/205/206/207



Body Style 50A 0.5-1" (15-25mm)



Body Style 200A 1-2" (25-50mm)



Body Style 200 2-3" (50-80mm)



Body Style 207 6" (150mm)



Body Styles 205 & 206 High Pressure 2" (50mm)

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## Why Use Air Release Valves?

An Air Release Valve has a small venting orifice and is used whenever air is entrained in water under pressure. These pockets of air increase the resistance of water flow. In critical installations, air can reduce the capacity of a line down to zero. More common is an increased resistance of 10-15%. The increased resistance must be overcome by the pump using more power than necessary to move the required amount of water. Such a loss can continue unnoticed for years creating excessive power consumption costs. This is a major reason why all points where air can collect should be equipped with an APCO Air Release Valve.

The Air Release Valves have much smaller orifices than Air/Vacuum Valves. Their function is to release small pockets of air which gather at the high points of a system after it is filled and under pressure. The Air Release Valve has the ability to open against internal pressure because it has a small orifice and a leverage mechanism which multiplies the force of the float. This force must be greater than the internal pressure across the orifice in order to open it when a pocket of air needs to be vented. This explains why, as the internal pressure increases, the orifice decreases in size to facilitate the valve opening.

### Where to Install

Typical pipeline and position of necessary APCO air valves

## **Design & Construction**

The Air Release Valve consists of a body, cover, needle, seat and stainless steel float.

The following body styles are available:

- **ARV Air Release Valve Body Style 50A** The APCO Air Release Valves in Body Style 50A, in sizes .5-1" (15-25mm), are available in ductile iron bodies with a threaded NPT inlet and outlet as standard and FM Approved.
- ARV Air Release Valve Body Styles 200A/200/205/206/207

The APCO Air Release Valves in Body Styles 200A/200/205/206/207 in sizes 1-6" (25-150mm), with ASME 125/150 or 250/300 flanged inlets and a NPT outlet or threaded inlet and outlet as standard. Threaded or flanged outlets are available for valves used inside a pump house.

Refer to APCO Air Valve Selection & Sizing Guide, Bulletin 610, for Air/Vacuum Valve sizing data and formulas.



- APCO Air/Vacuum Valve on pump discharge before check valve (not necessary for pumps with positive suction head)

## **Options & Accessories**

## Mushroom Cap (MRC)

Mushroom Caps are available as an option on .5-3" (15-75mm) valves. They are installed in the threaded outlet for discharge protection.

## Air Out - No Air In External Check (AEC)

External check valves are available as an option on .5-6" (15-150mm) valves. They are installed in the threaded outlet for inflow protection.

## **Materials of Construction**

### Body Style 50A

Item	Description	Material
R01	Dealer	Ductile Iron, ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-12
RUI	Body	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351
R02	Cover	Ductile Iron, ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-12
RU2	Cover	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351
R03	Cover Gasket	Interface CS-301
R04	Cover Bolts	Carbon Steel, ASTM A449, Grade 5, SAE J429
K04	Cover Boils	316 Stainless Steel
R05	Lever Frame	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276
R06	Seat	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276
		Acrylonitrile-Butadiene
R07	Needle	Ethylene, Propylene, & Diene Terpolymer
		Fluoro Rubber
R08	Lever Pin	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276
R09	Float Lever	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276
R10	Float	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276
R11	Pin Retainer	632 Stainless Steel, ASTM A564/A693
KII	Piri Relainer	316 Stainless Steel
R12	Washer	Carbon Steel, Zinc Plated
R IZ	vvasitei	316 Stainless Steel





## **Materials of Construction**

## Body Style 200A

Item	Description	on Material	
		Ductile Iron, ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-12	
R01	Body	Bronze, ASTM B505/B427	
		Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
		Ductile Iron, ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-12	
R02	Cover	Bronze, ASTM B505/B427	
		Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
R03	Cover Gasket	Interface CS-301	
		Carbon Steel, Zinc Plated	
R04	Cover Bolts	Brass	
		316 Stainless Steel	
R05	Leverage Frame	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A743	
R06	Seat	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
		Acrylonitrile-Butadiene	
R07	Needle	Ethylene, Propylene, & Diene Terpolymer	
		Fluoro Rubber	
R09	Needle Lever	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A743	
R10	Lever Pin	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A240/A276	
R11	Pin Retainer	632 Stainless Steel, ASTM A564/A693	
KII .	FILLINELAILIEL	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R12	Connecting Link	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R13	Float Lever	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A743	
R14	Float	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A240/A276	
		Steel, SAE J502	
R15	Pipe Plug	Bronze, ASTM B61	
		316 Stainless Steel	
R16	Washer	Carbon Steel, Zinc Plated	
	Washer	316 Stainless Steel	
R38	Float Spud	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	



## Body Style 200

Item	Description	Material	
		Ductile Iron, ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-12	
R01	Body	Bronze, ASTM B505/B427	
		Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
		Ductile Iron, ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-12	
R02	Cover	Bronze, ASTM B505/B427	
		Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
R03	Cover Gasket	Interface CS-301	
		Carbon Steel, ASTM A449, Grade 5	
R04	Cover Bolts	Brass	
		316 Stainless Steel	
R05	Leverage Frame	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
R06	Seat	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
		Acrylonitrile-Butadiene	
R07	Needle	Ethylene, Propylene, & Diene Terpolymer	
		Fluoro Rubber	
R09	Needle Lever	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
R10	Lever Pin	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R11	Detaining Ding	632 Stainless Steel, ASTM A564/A693	
RII	Retaining Ring	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R12	Connecting Link	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R13	Float Lever	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
R14	Float 316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A240/A27		
R15	Leverage Frame Gasket Cellulose Cork Fiber		
R16	Leverage Frame Screw	316 Stainless Steel	
R17	Leverage Frame Washer	316 Stainless Steel	
		Steel Alloy, SAE J502	
R18	Drain Pipe Plug	Bronze, ASTM B61	
		316 Stainless Steel	
		Iron, ASTM A197	
R19	Pipe Plug	Bronze, ASTM B61	
		316 Stainless Steel	
<b>D</b> 20	Flat Washer	Carbon Steel, Zinc Plated	
R20	riat Washer	316 Stainless Steel	
R97	Data Plate	316 Stainless Steel	
R98	Drive Screws	18-8 Stainless Steel	



## **Materials of Construction**

## Body Style 200

Item Description Material		
	Ductile Iron, ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-12	
Body	Bronze, ASTM B505/B427	
-	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
	Ductile Iron, ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-12	
Cover	Bronze, ASTM B505/B427	
	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
Cover Gasket	Interface CS-301	
	Carbon Steel, ASTM A449, Grade 5	
Cover Bolts	Brass	
	316 Stainless Steel	
Leverage Frame	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
Seat	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
	Acrylonitrile-Butadiene	
Needle	Ethylene, Propylene, & Diene Terpolymer	
	Fluoro Rubber	
Needle Lever	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
Lever Pin	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R11 Retaining Ring	632 Stainless Steel, ASTM A564/A693	
Retaining Ring	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
Connecting Link	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276 Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
Float Lever		
Float	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A240/A276	
Leverage Frame Gasket	Cellulose Cork Fiber	
Leverage Frame Screw	316 Stainless Steel	
Leverage Frame Washer	316 Stainless Steel	
	Steel Alloy, SAE J502	
Drain Pipe Plug	Bronze, ASTM B61	
	316 Stainless Steel	
	Iron, ASTM A197	
Pipe Plug	Bronze, ASTM B61	
	316 Stainless Steel	
	Carbon Steel, Zinc Plated	
rial washer	316 Stainless Steel	
Data Plate	316 Stainless Steel	
Drive Screws	18-8 Stainless Steel	
	Cover         Cover Gasket         Cover Bolts         Leverage Frame         Seat         Needle         Needle Lever         Lever Pin         Retaining Ring         Connecting Link         Float Lever         Leverage Frame Gasket         Leverage Frame Gasket         Leverage Frame Washer         Drain Pipe Plug         Pipe Plug         Flat Washer         Data Plate	



### Body Style 205

Item Description Material			
		Ductile Iron, ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-12	
R01	Body	Carbon Steel, ASTM A216	
		Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
		Ductile Iron, ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-12	
R02	Cover	Carbon Steel, ASTM A216	
		Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
R03	Cover Gasket	Fiber with elastomer binder	
<b>D</b> 04	O	Carbon Steel, Zinc Plated	
R04	Cover Bolts	316 Stainless Steel	
R05	Leverage Frame	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
R06	Seat	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R07	Needle	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R09	Needle Lever	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
R10	Lever Pin	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R11	Retaining Ring	g Ring 316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R12	Connecting Link	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R13	Float Lever	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
R14	Float	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A240/A276	
R15	Frame Seal	Acrylonitrile-Butadiene	
R16	Bolt	316 Stainless Steel	
R17	Washer	316 Stainless Steel	
Doc	Durin Dhun	Steel Alloy, SAE J502	
R25	Drain Plug	316 Stainless Steel	
Baa	D: D	Steel Alloy, SAE J502	
R26	Pipe Plug	316 Stainless Steel	
<b>D</b> 07	March an	Carbon Steel, Zinc Plated	
R27	Washer	316 Stainless Steel	
R97	Data Plate	316 Stainless Steel	
R98	R98 Drive Screws 18-8 Stainless Steel		



## **Materials of Construction**

## Body Style 206

Item	Description	on Material	
		Ductile Iron, ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-12	
R01	Body	Carbon Steel, ASTM A216	
		Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
		Ductile Iron, ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-12	
R02	Cover	Carbon Steel, ASTM A216	
		Stainless Steel, ASTM A743	
R03	Cover Gasket	Fiber with elastomer binder	
R04	Cover Bolts	Steel, ASTM A449, Grade 5	
K04	Cover Boils	316 Stainless Steel	
R05	Leverage Frame	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
R06	Seat	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R07	Needle	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R09	Needle Lever	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
R10	Lever Pin	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R11 Retaining Ring	632 Stainless Steel, ASTM A564/A693		
		316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R12	Connecting Link	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R13	Float Lever	Stainless Steel, CF-8M, ASTM A351	
R14	Float	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A240/A276	
R15	Frame Seal	Acrylonitrile-Butadiene	
R16	Bolt	316 Stainless Steel	
R17	Washer	316 Stainless Steel	
R25	Dine Dlug	Steel Alloy, SAE J502	
RZ0	Pipe Plug	316 Stainless Steel	
R26	Washer	Carbon Steel, Zinc Plated	
1520	VVASILEI	316 Stainless Steel	
R97	Data Plate	316 Stainless Steel	
R98	Drive Screws	18-8 Stainless Steel	



### Body Style 207

Item	Description	Material	
R01	Body	Ductile Iron, ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-12	
R02	Cover Ductile Iron, ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-1		
R03	Cover Gasket	Cellulose Cork Fiber	
		Carbon Steel, Zinc Plated	
R04	Cover Bolts	316 Stainless Steel	
R05	Bracket (Short)	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R06	Seat	Acrylonitrile-Butadiene	
R07	Screw	316 Stainless Steel	
R08	Seat Retainer	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R09	Needle Pin	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R10	Needle Lever	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R11	Link	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R12	Bracket (Long)	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R13	Lever Pin	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R14	Pin Retainer	632 Stainless Steel, ASTM A564/A693	
R15	Float Lever	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R16	Bumper Acrylonitrile-Butadiene		
R17	Bumper Screw	316 Stainless Steel	
R18	Bumper Washer	316 Stainless Steel	
R19	Float	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R20	Needle	316 Stainless Steel, ASTM A276	
R21	Pipe Plug	Steel Alloy, SAE J502	
R22	Washer	Carbon Steel, Zinc Plated	
RZZ	vvasner	316 Stainless Steel	
R97	Data Plate	316 Stainless Steel	
R98	Drive Screws	18-8 Stainless Steel	



## **Valve Selection**

### **Applicable Standards**

APCO AVV Air/Vacuum Valves are designed and/or tested to meet the following standards			
AWWA C-512	Air-Release, Air/Vacuum, and Combination Air Valves for Waterworks Service		
ASME B16.5	ASME B16.5 F1/ASME Class 150 & F2/ASME Class 300 style flanged valves made from carbon steel or stainless steel.		
ASME B16.42 F1/ASME Class 150 & F2/ASME Class 300 style flanged valves made from ductile iron.			

### **Valve Sizing**

Refer to the APCO Valve Selection & Sizing Guide, Bulletin 610, for Air/Vacuum and Air Relieve Valve orifice sizing and formulas.

Refer to Bulletin 613 for details on APCO Surge Check Valves for Slow Closing.

## Ordering

Orders should specify quantity and order code identification, in proper sequence, as shown.

#### **Valve Style**

Give valve style code as follows:

ARV Air Release Valves(1)(2)

#### Valve Size

Give	va	lve si	ze code a	s follows:			
.5	=	.5"	(15mm)	2	=	2"	(50mm)
.75	=	.75"	(20mm)	3	=	3"	(80mm)
1	=	1"	(25mm)	6	=	6"	(150 mm)

#### **Body Style**

L'	Give body style code as follows:				
	50A <sup>(3)</sup> =		Series 50A (FM Approved or UL Listed with DI Body Material		
			Only) 1" NPT Inlet, (Adaptable to 0.5 & 0.75" inlet with		
			included bushings) 0.5" NPT Outlet		
	200A	=	Series 200A 1 or 2" NPT Inlet 0.5" NPT Outlet		
	200	=	Series 200 2 or 3" NPT Inlet, 1" NPT Outlet		
	205	=	Series 205 2" NPT Inlet, 1" NPT Outlet		
	206	=	Series 206 2" NPT Inlet, 1" NPT Outlet (Pressure to 1500 PSI)		
	207	=	Series 207 6" Inlet, 3/4" or 1" NPT Outlet		
			(Determined by orifice size)		

#### End Connection Give inlet connection code as follows:

T1	=	Threaded Inlet NPT (0.5-3" all Body Styles except 207)
EAN	_	Flammed Inlat ACME 105/150 Ninnla & Flamme

- F1N Flanged Inlet, ASME 125/150, Nipple & Flange (1,2&3" Styles 200A, 200 & 205) F1 = Flanged Inlet, ASME 125/150 (6" Style 207) Cast Flanged Inlet, ASME 250/300, Nipple & Flange (2&3" Body Styles 200 & 205 ) Flanged Inlet, ASME 250/300 (6" Body Style 207) Cast F2N = F2 F4N Flanged Inlet, ASME 400, Nipple & Flange (2" Body Styles 205 & 206)
- Flanged Inlet, ASME 600, Nipple & Flange F6N = (2" Body Styles 205 & 206)

#### **Body Material**

#### Give body material code as follows:

- BRZ = Bronze (Body Styles 200A & 200)
- Ductile Iron (except Body Style 206) DI CS =
- Carbon Steel (Body Styles 205 & 206) S2 316 Stainless Steel (except Body Style 207) =

#### Notes:

- Maximum operating temperature is a function of the materials used in 1. the valve. All valves are rated to a maximum temperature of at least 180° F (82° C). Contact Application Engineering if the valve is required to operate above this temperature.
- 2. For Seawater and Corrosive service, contact Application Engineering.
- 3. See table for limited order code selections for style 50A.
- 4. Body Style 50A with R116 orifice size is FM Approved, with R332 UL Listed and FM Approved.
- S2 Body Material has SB16 bolting as standard. Available with 200A, 5. 200, 205, 206 & 207. Not available with 50A.

#### Trim Combination Orifice Size Give orifice size code as follows: Body Style 50A<sup>(4)</sup> R332 = 3/32" 8-175 psi (Standard) 1/16" 11-300 psi Body Style 200A 5/16" 3-15 psi L516 R516 = 5/16" 11-50 psi R14 = 1/4" 11-75 psi R316 3/16" 11-150 psi (Standard) = 5/32" 11-300 psi R532 = M332 = 3/32" 11-600 psi (DI, CS or S2 Body materials) Body Style 200 L12 1/2" 3-15 psi 1/2" 11-75 psi 3/8" 51-150 psi (Standard) R12 = R38 = M732 \_ 7/32" 51-300 psi Body Style 205 1/2" 50-100 psi H12 3/8" 50-150 psi H38 = H732 7/32" 50-500 psi (Standard) = H18 \_ 1/8" 50-800 psi Body Style 206 3/32" 50-1500 psi H332 Body Style 207 1" 3-15 psi 1" 11-150 psi (Standard) L1 R1 = 3/4" 11-300 psi R75 Note: Limiting factor for working pressure is lowest pressure rating of end connection or orifice size **Needle Material** Give needle material code as follows: Body Styles 50A

- NBR Acrylonitrile-Butadiene EPDM Terpolymer of Ethylene Propylene & A Diene, Body Material S2 only Fluoro Rubber. For use only with S2 Body FKM Material. (On Application) Body Styles 200A & 200 NBR Acrylonitrile-Butadiene EPDM Terpolymer of Ethylene Propylene & A Diene
- FKM Fluoro Rubber (On Application) 
   Body Styles
   205, 206, 207

   S2
   =
   316 Stainless Steel
- Seat Material

#### Give seat material code as follows:

- NBR Acrylonitrile-Butadiene (Body Style 207) 316 Stainless Steel (Except Body Style 207) S2
- Float Material
- Give float material code as follows:
- S2 316 Stainless Steel

## Float Lever/Leverage Frame Give material code as follows:

- 316 Stainless Steel S2

#### Options Give option code as follows if required:

- DTR DeZURIK Standard Certified Production Hydrostatic Shell & Seat Test Report
- SB16 316 Stainless Steel Bolting(5)
- Special Coatings, Contact DeZURIK

#### Accessories

#### Give accessory code as follows if required:

- AEC Air Out - No In External Check
- MRC Mushroom Cap (All Body Styles except 207)

#### **Ordering Example:**

ARV,1,200A,T1,DI,R316-NBR-S2-S2-S2\*MRC

## Dimensions

## **Body Style 50A**

Valve Size	A	В	
<u>0.5"</u>	<u>3.63</u>	<u>5.81</u>	
15mm	92	148	
<u>0.75"</u>	<u>3.63</u>	<u>5.81</u>	
20mm	92	148	
<u>1"</u>	<u>3.63</u>	<u>5.81</u>	
25mm	92	148	



## **Body Style 200A**

Valve Size	A	В	С	D
<u>1"</u>	<u>6.88</u>	<u>10.88</u>	<u>0.5</u>	<u>4.25</u>
25mm	175	276	15	108
<u>2"</u>	<u>6.88</u>	<u>11.63</u>	<u>0.69</u>	<u>6.00</u>
50mm	175	295	18	150



## Body Style 200 F1N End Connection

Valve Size	А	В	С	D
<u>2"</u>	<u>9.50</u>	<u>14.38</u>	<u>0.69</u> 18	<u>6.00</u> 152
50mm	241	365	18	152
<u>3"</u>	<u>9.50</u>	<u>15.75</u>	<u>0.88</u> 22	<u>7.50</u> 191
80mm	241	400	22	191

## **F2N End Connection**

Valve Size	А	В	С	D
<u>2"</u>	<u>9.50</u>	<u>14.51</u>	<u>0.81</u>	<u>6.50</u>
50mm	241	396	21	165
<u>3"</u>	<u>9.50</u>	<u>15.94</u>	<u>1.06</u>	<u>8.25</u>
80mm	241	405	27	210



## **Dimensions**

## Body Style 205 F1N End Connection

Valve Size	A	В	С	D
<u>2"</u>	<u>11.88</u>	<u>14.54</u>	<u>0.69</u>	<u>6.00</u>
50mm	302	369	18	150

## **F2N End Connection**

Valve Size	A	В	С	D
<u>2"</u>	<u>11.88</u>	<u>14.85</u>	<u>0.81</u>	<u>6.50</u>
50mm	302	377	21	165

## F4N & F6N End Connections

Valve Size	Α	В	С	D
<u>2"</u>	<u>11.88</u>	<u>15.04</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>6.50</u>
50mm	302	382	25	165



### Body Style 206 F4N & F6N End Connections

Valve Size	A	В	С	D
<u>2"</u>	<u>11.88</u>	<u>15.47</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>6.50</u>
50mm	302	393	25	165



## **Dimensions**

## Body Style 207 F1 End Connection

Valve Size	A	В	С	D
<u>6"</u>	<u>18.38</u>	<u>20.81</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>11.00</u>
150mm	467	529	25	279

## F2 End Connection

Valve Size	Α	В	С	D
<u>6"</u>	<u>18.38</u>	<u>20.81</u>	<u>1.44</u>	<u>12.50</u>
150mm	467	529	37	318



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