

- A = Mounting point at distributor (for viewing indicator and electrical functionality check)
- B = Mounting point for viewing indicator at distributor (if point A is occupied)
- H = Input line
- K = Proportioning volume distinctive colours (see technical data)
- S = Note to proportioning volume distinctive colours
- X = Outlet screwing for pipe outer diameters 4 or 6, connection hole in distributor for double-cone ring 6 DIN 3862 and ALL6 male fitting DIN 3871 with thread M10x1

Number of outlets	Length "a"	Weight kg VPB-B   VPB-H		
6	73	0,39	0,97	
8	90	0,49	1,19	
10	107	0,59	1,41	
12	124	0,69	1,63	
14	141	0,79	1,83	
16	158	0,89	2,04	
18	175	0,99	2,26	
20	192	1,09	2,47	

# Progressive distributor

**VPB** 



### Use:

In progressive mode based central lubrication systems.

The main features of **WOERNER** progressive distributors are as follows:

- Accurate proportioning volumes
- 3 different proportioning volumes selectable in accordance with the lubricant volume required
- Extremely long service life due to refined sliding surfaces
- Easy combination of opposing outlets
- Various options for monitoring

### Technical data:

Proportioning volume per cycle

Distinctive colour green: 0,09 cm³
Distinctive colour yellow: 0,14 cm³
Distinctive colour red: 0,20 cm³
on request: 0,05 cm³

Lubrication point connections at max. 20
Operating pressure: at max. 150 bar

Throughput volume

Oil: at max. 700 cm³/min Grease: at max. 70 cm³/min

Delivery medium

Oil-viscosity: >6 cP Grease up to: NLGI category 2

Material

Outer body:

VPB-B: Aluminium anodised VPB-H: Bronze

seawater-resistant Internal parts: Steel

Temperature range: -20 ... +80 °C

Lubricant: The intended lubricant must be suitable for use with centralized lubrication equipment.

Mounting position: usually as needed

Note: In case of heavy vibration or shock load, install the distributor such that piston axes are situated vertically to the main direction of shock impact.

The distributer must not be distorted while being mounted!

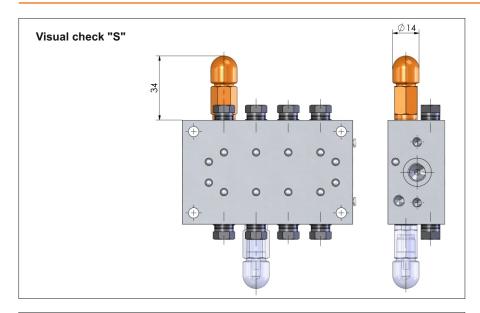
Make sure that the flatness error of the mounting surface does not get larger than 0,2 mm related to the supporting surface of the distributor, when fixing the distributor on its supporting surface.

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A or B





### Functional checks:

### Visual check "S":

In a translucent polyamide receptacle, a red pin being fixed to the piston shows the piston's movement.

Receptacle material: Polvamide. translucent Ambient temperature: -10 ... +80 °C Weight: 0,035 kg Mounting point at distributor:

### Electrical check with proximity switch:

A pin being connected with the piston attenuates a proximity switch once per cycle.

### Material

Holder:

VPB-B: Aluminium VPB-H: **Bronze** 

Indicator pin: 1.4521

1) On the functional checking device "M", the metering volume at the last point (opposite the proximity switch side) decreases by 25% for design-related reasons.

### Version proximity switch "M1" with cable:

Operating voltage: 8 ... 30 VDC ≤10% Residual ripple: Output: NO contact, plus switching PNP Load current: at max. 400 mA DIN EN 60529 IP67 Protection system: Connection: Cable 2 m

Connection diagram:

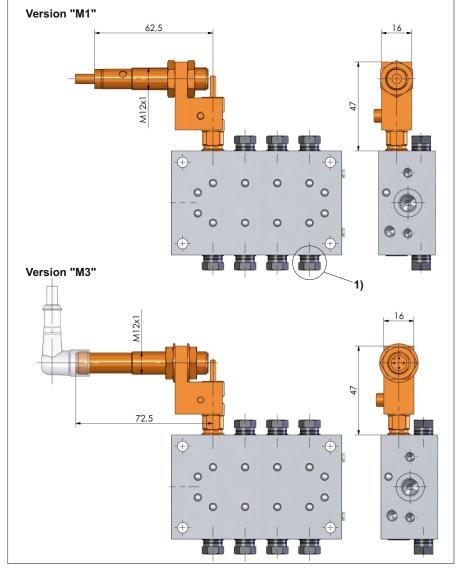
### Version proximity switch "M3" with unit plug 4-pin (M12x1):

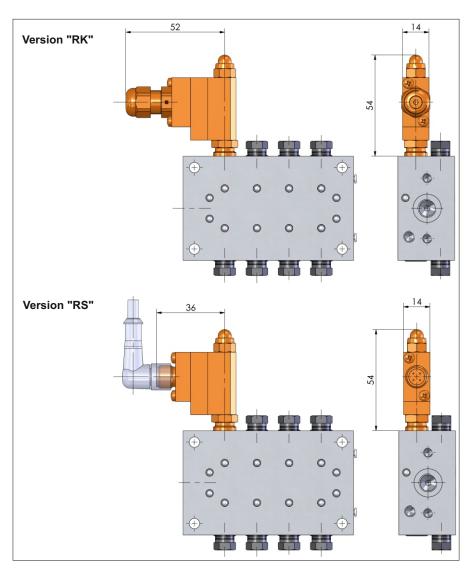
(for matching cable jack see auxiliaries)

8 ... 30 VDC Operating voltage: Residual ripple: ≤10% Output: NO contact, plus switching PNP Load current at max.: 400 mA **DIN EN 60529 IP65** Protection system: Connection: Unit plug

Connection diagram:







### **Electrical check** with reed contact:

A magnet connected with the piston switches a reed contact once per cycle.

10 ... 36 VUC Switching voltage: Switching current: at max. 25 mA Switching power: at max. 0,9 VA Ambient temperature: -5 ... +80 °C

### Version "RK" with cable:

Material (receptacle): PA or 1.4305 System of protection: DIN EN 60529 IP65

Cable

Length: 10 m Cross section: 2x0,75 mm<sup>2</sup> Material: Oilflex

 $100 \Omega$ Connection diagram:

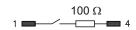
## Version "RS"

with unit plug 4-pin (M12x1):

(for matching cable jack see auxiliaries)

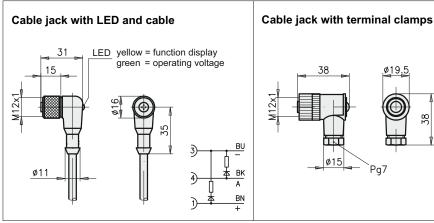
Material (receptacle): PA or 1.4305

Connection diagram:



### Auxiliaries:

Cable jack for functional check "RS" and proximity switch "M3" (state order no., please)



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### Cable jack with LED and cable:

913.404-19 Order no.: 10 ... 30 VDC Operating voltage:

Cable

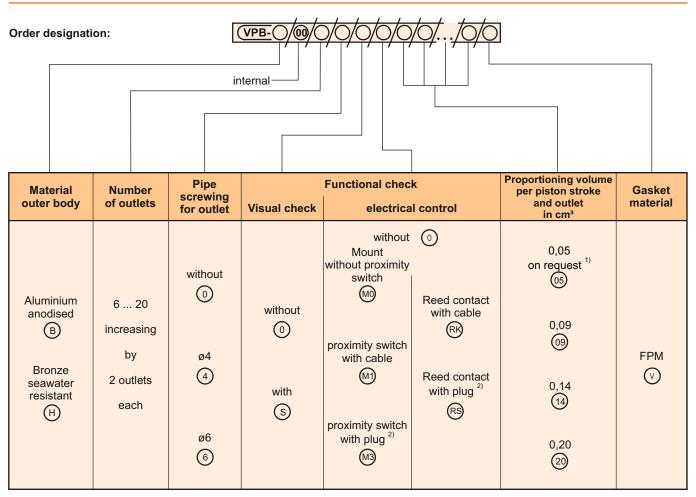
Cross section: 3x0,34 mm<sup>2</sup> Length: 5 m System of protection: DIN EN 60529 IP68

### Cable jack with terminal clamps: (without LED)

Order no.: 913.404-24 Connection type: Screws Connection cross section: at max. 0,75 mm<sup>2</sup>

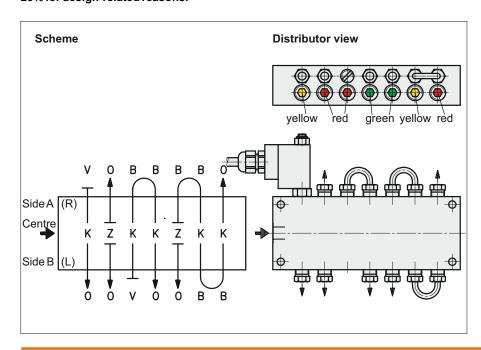
4 ... 6 mm Cable diameter: System of protection: DIN EN 60529 IP67





### Note:

When a functionality checking device is to be mounted, the proportioning volume must be 0,20 cm³ at the last point! On the functional checking device "M", the metering volume at the last point (opposite the proximity switch side) decreases by 25% for design-related reasons.



### 1) ATTENTION!

The proportioning volume 0,05 cm³ is not possible at the last point! Informations regard data sheet S0378!

without cable jack (see auxiliaries)

### Order example:

(for the distributor shown)

Progressive distributor VPB, outer body anodised, 14 outlets, for pipe outer diameter 6, without visual check, with reed contact (cable), proportioning volume 14, 20, 20, 09, 09, 14, 20, gasket material FPM.

### Order designation:

VPB-B/00/14/6/0/RK/14/20/20/09/

09/14/20/V

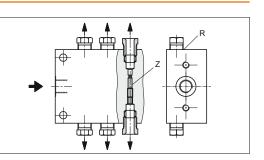
 $\begin{array}{lll} Side\,A\,(R) & : V/O/B/B/B/B/B/O \\ Centre & : K/Z/K/K/Z/K/K \\ Side\,B\,(L) & : O/O/V/O/O/B/B \end{array}$ 



# Combinaton of outlets, doubling the proportioning volume at an outlet:

Connect opposing outlets by removing the "Z" screw. Close any of the outlets by means of a locking screw. Without "Z" screw removal, no outlet must be locked.

Assembly of the screw "Z" from the output side "A" with Allen® wrench, size 2.



### Auxiliaries:

Progressive distributor	Bridge	Locking screw
VPB-B	205.507-65	<b>205.505-47</b> (Torx 30)
VPB-H	205.507-61	<b>205.505-41</b> (Torx 30)

### Plug screw connections 1)

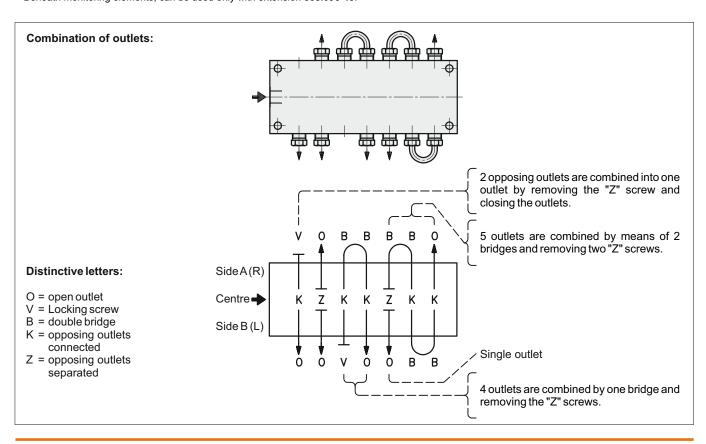
Material	Pipe AD	straight screw-in union	swivel equal-elbow-fitting
Brass	4	943.600-60	
nickel plated	6	943.600-56	943.600-57

Further informations: Data sheet P0354 Fastening torque max. 12 Nm To be used with flexible pipes only.

### Check valves 1)

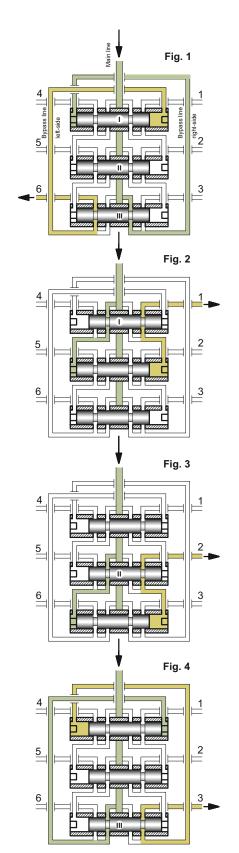
Material	Pipe AD	Outlet	Order-no.	Further informations
	4	Cutting ring union	501.078-65	Data sheet P0319
Steel galvanized	6		501.077-65	Data sneet P0319
	6	ALL	501.085-65	Data sheet P0370

<sup>1)</sup> Beneath monitoring elements, can be used only with extension **505.096-45!** 



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### Functional process fig. 1 ... 4:

The lubricant flows from the main line through the right-side ring groove of piston III as well as the bypass line (right) and to the left side of piston I and moves it into its home position. The lubricant displaced by piston I is ejected via the left bypass line through outlet no. 6.

After shifting of piston I, lubricant flows to the left side of piston II and pushes it into its right-side home position. The displaced lubricant is ejected via outlet no. 1.

the left side of piston III and pushes it into its right-side home position. The displaced lubricant is ejected via outlet no. 2.

After shifting of piston II, lubricant flows to

After shifting of piston III, lubricant flows to the right side of piston I and pushes it into its left-side home position. The displaced lubricant is ejected via outlet no. 3. The continuation of that process is evidenced in the scheme described.

# Monitoring of progressive distributors:

As for instance due to soiling, the flow through a lubricant point line may be prevented. This will cause a piston to get blocked. By virtue of the forced control as depicted in figures 1 up to 4, the other pistons will be stopped as well.

Due to this configuration, the proportioning at all outlets of the distributor can be monitored by means of a sensor at one piston only.

### Setting of the proximity switch:

- 1. Switching on the pump (distributor circulates).
- Screwing the proximity switch in as far as a permanent occurs, then turning back the proximity switch as far as an alternating signal occurs.
- 3. Turning back the proximity switch until no signal is released.
- Setting the proximity switch between the limit values "2 (alternating)" and "3 (no signal)".
- Secure the proximity switch with a counter nut.

### Mounting note:

The pistons are provided with an extremely small fitting clearance. Therefore, the pistons, after the dismantling of a distributor, must never be interchanged.

# Formula for calculating the lubricant available per lubrication point:

A progressive distributor allocates the delivered lubricant to the individual lubrication points in forced order. Due to the functional process as described herein, a safe proportioning is ensured.

The lubricant  $\boldsymbol{q}_i$  delivered to a lubrication point i can be calculated as follows

$$q_i = \frac{K_i}{2*(K_1+K_2+K_3...)}*Q$$

Q = Lubricant delivered to the distributor,

K<sub>i</sub> = Distinctive number of the outlet i



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