

P-SERIES Pressure Switches

Switches for Vacuum through 6000 psig with Adjustable Set Points and Fixed or Adjustable Deadband

Features:

- Set point repeatability, $\pm 1\%$ of operating range.
- All wiring terminals, adjustments and visual scales are accessible from the front of the switch.
- Choice of open frame type, general purpose or watertight enclosure.
- Choice of fixed, limited-adjustable or full-range adjustable deadband.
- Choice of single or two-stage units.
- Compact size.
- Mounts in any position.
- Rugged and vibration resistant; e.g., for compressors.
- Visual adjustment scales in psig and bars.
- Wide selection of transducer wetted materials suitable for air, water, oil or corrosive fluids.
- Mix and match switch and transducer components for increased stock flexibility or to change pressure ranges in field.

General Description:

ASCO P-Series pressure switches consist of an open frame or enclosure protected switch unit and a transducer unit. They can be ordered separately for customer stocking and/or field assembly or as a complete factory-assembled unit.

Switch

P-Series pressure switch units incorporate the unique ASCO TRI-POINT alternating fulcrum balance plate to control the operation of one or more electrical snap-action switches. The electrical snap-action switch together with the adjusting mechanism is a fully-tested, self-contained subassembly.

Transducer

Transducer unit incorporates a diaphragm/piston type pressure sensor, and is also a fully-tested, self-contained subassembly.

Operation

When pressure is applied to the transducer it is converted into movement of the piston. This piston movement is then used to control the operation of the electrical snap-action switch in the switch unit.

Options (See pages 34-35)



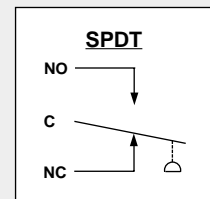
Standard Electrical Ratings

PA, PB, PC ① Series

- 15 Amp Res., 125 VAC
- 10 Amp Res., 250 VAC
- 1/8 HP, 125 VAC
- 1/4 HP, 250 VAC
- 1/2 Amp Res., 125 VDC
- 1/4 Amp Res., 250 VDC

PG Series

- 15 Amp Res., 125 VAC
- 10 Amp Res., 250 VAC
- 1/8 HP, 125 VAC
- 1/4 HP, 250 VAC



- ① PC Series, UL recognized component, rated 10 Amp Res., 125/250 VAC; 1/3 HP 125/250 VAC.
- ② Open frame construction, UL recognized component.
- ③ FM listed for air flow interlocking service.

Standard Temperature Ratings

- Ambient:** -4°F (-20°C) to 122°F (50°C)
- Fluid:**
 - For Buna "N" or Neoprene Diaphragm: -4°F (-20°C) to 180°F (82°C)
 - For Viton Diaphragm: -4°F (-20°C) to 250°F (121°C)
 - For 316 SS Diaphragm: -50°F (-45°C) to 300°F (149°C)
 - For Nylon Transducers: -4°F (-20°C) to 180°F (82°C)

Enclosures

ASCO TRI-POINT switches are available in either a general purpose or watertight enclosure, in addition to open frame construction. These enclosed units are made in accordance with NEMA and UL standards. These standards define the protection level an enclosure gives and the tests it must pass to meet a particular design.

General Purpose – Type 1. These enclosures are designed for indoor use to protect personnel from accidental contact with the equipment. P-Series general purpose enclosures are painted, zinc-coated

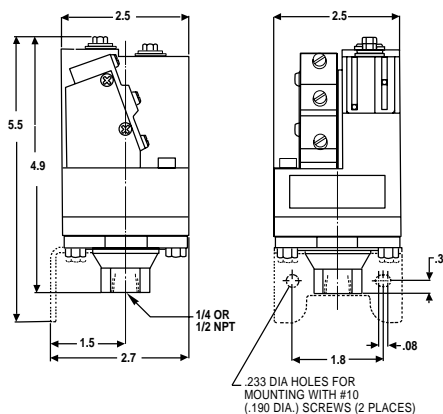
steel and have a 7/8" diameter hole at the top for electrical entry.

Watertight – Type 4. Watertight and dust-tight enclosures are intended for use indoors and outdoors to protect the enclosed equipment against splashing or falling water, windblown dust and water, hose directed water, and severe external condensation. P-Series watertight switch enclosures are epoxy-painted, zinc-coated steel with a 1/2" conduit hub in the side of the lower housing for electrical entry. (For optional 316 SS watertight enclosure see page 13.)

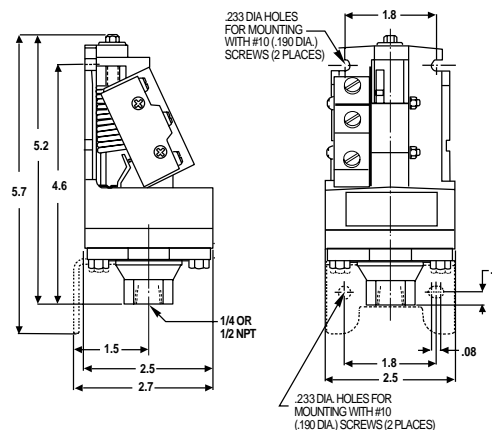
Dimensions (inches)

P-Series Pressure (Mounting brackets optional)

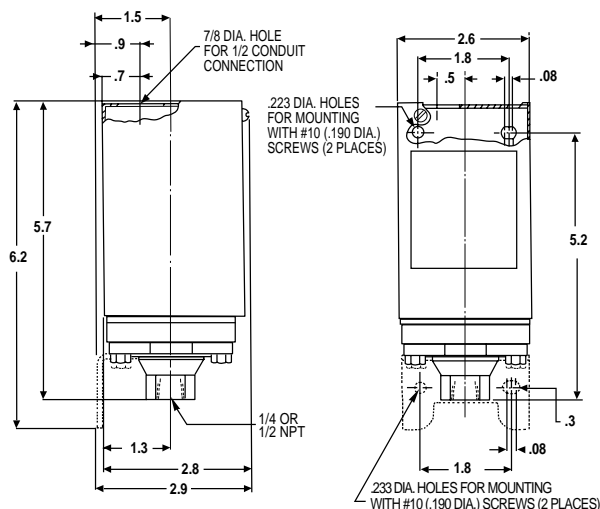
Open Frame PA and PC Switch Units with Transducer Unit



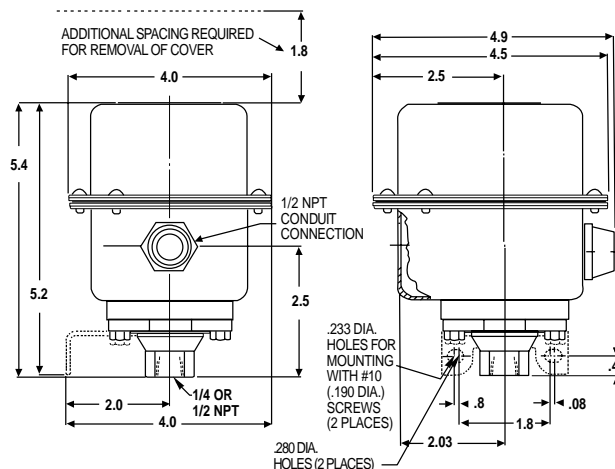
Open Frame PB and PG Switch Units with Transducer Unit



Type 1 General Purpose Switch Unit with Transducer Unit



Type 4 Watertight Switch Unit with Transducer Unit





General Purpose Enclosure



Watertight Enclosure

How to Select and Order

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How to Select

1. Select the adjustable operating range based on desired actuation pressure.
2. Check that proof pressure is sufficient.
3. Read across and select the desired P-Series switch unit with the proper enclosure.
4. Continue across and select a matching transducer unit compatible with the fluid.

How to Order

Factory assembled – Simply order the switch and transducer unit by catalog number joined by a slash (/), e.g., PA36A/RD30A11.

Field assembled – Simply order the switch and transducer units separately by individual catalog number, e.g., one PA36A and one RD30A11.

Options – Add appropriate suffix for desired option or accessory (see pages 34-35).

Important Note: The third digit of each of the catalog numbers must be identical, e.g., PA 3]6A and RD 3]0A11.

Select transducer unit below






Standard connection is 1/4" NPT
(optional 1/2" NPT add suffix "B" to catalog number)

Transducer Unit

These **gauge pressure type transducers** provide for one pressure connection in the bottom of the transducer. They are diaphragm/piston type transducers using an elastomer in contact with the fluid, backed by a piston cylinder. This allows high sensitivity for low pressures and strength for high pressures.

PA, PB, or PC unit below

| PA Switch Unit | PB Switch Unit | PC Switch Unit |
|---|---|---|
| <p>Single-Stage Adjustable Deadband units allow independent adjustment of the set and reset points over the full operating range of the switch. The minimum difference between set and reset points is the deadband listed below; the maximum difference is the full range of the switch.</p>  <p>Open Frame</p> | <p>Single-Stage Fixed Deadband units have an adjustable set point and a non-adjustable automatic reset point.</p>  <p>Open Frame</p> | <p>Two-Stage Fixed Deadband units consist of two separate snap-action switches, each with an independently adjustable set point and non-adjustable reset point. The difference between the set and reset points of each switch is the deadband listed below; the minimum difference between the set points of the two switches is the separation.</p>  <p>Open Frame</p> |

| Specifications | | Adjustable Deadband | | | | Fixed Deadband | | | | Two-Stage Fixed Deadband | | | | | Transducer Units | | | | | | |
|---|-----------------------|--|-------------------------------|------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|------------|-----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------|------------------|----------------------|--------------|-----------------|------------------------|------------------|-------------|
| Adjustable Operating Range (psig) | Proof Pressure (psig) | Adjustable Deadband Maximum Full Scale | Minimum At Mid-Range (psig) ① | Open Frame | General Purpose | Watertight Enclosure | Fixed Deadband At Mid-Range (psig) ① | Open Frame | General Purpose | Watertight Enclosure | Fixed Deadband At Mid-Range (psig) ① | Separation Maximum Full Scale | Minimum At Mid-Range (psig) ① | Open Frame | General Purpose | Watertight Enclosure | Air or Gas ② | Air, Oil or Gas | Water, Air, Oil or Gas | Corrosive Fluids | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Catalog No. | Catalog No. |
| Vacuum 0 - 30" Hg | 50 | 4" Hg | --- | PA36A | PA30A | PA31B | 1" Hg | PB36A | PB30A | PB31B | 2.7" Hg | 3" Hg | --- | PC36A | PC30A | PC31B | --- | RV34A11 | RV34A21 | --- | RV34A32 |
| Compound Pressure 30"Hg - 14 psig | 50 | 6" Hg | --- | PA26A | PA20A | PA21B | 1" Hg | PB26A | PB20A | PB21B | 4.3" Hg | 6" Hg | --- | PC26A | PC20A | PC21B | --- | RV24A11 | RV24A21 | --- | RV24A32 |
| 0 - 4 | 60 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 0.05 | PB46A | PB40A | PB41B | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | RD40A71 | RD40A11 | RD40A21 | --- | RD40A42 |
| 0 - 9 | 60 | 1.2 | --- | PA36A | PA30A | PA31B | 0.4 | PB36A | PB30A | PB31B | 0.6 | 1.0 | --- | PC36A | PC30A | PC31B | RD30A71 | RD30A11 | RD30A21 | --- | RD30A42 |
| 2 - 18 | 60 | 1.8 | --- | PA26A | PA20A | PA21B | 0.4 | PB26A | PB20A | PB21B | 0.8 | 1.8 | --- | PC26A | PC20A | PC21B | RD20A71 | RD20A11 | RD20A21 | --- | RD20A42 |
| 2 - 18 | 100 | 2.5 | --- | PA36A | PA30A | PA31B | 0.6 | PB36A | PB30A | PB31B | 1.2 | 1.8 | --- | PC36A | PC30A | PC31B | --- | --- | --- | RE30A44 | --- |
| 4 - 36 | 150 | 4.0 | --- | PA26A | PA20A | PA21B | 0.7 | PB26A | PB20A | PB21B | 2.0 | 3.6 | --- | PC26A | PC20A | PC21B | RE20A71 | RE20A11 | RE20A21 | RE20A44 | RE20A42 |
| 6 - 60 | 150 | 5.4 | --- | PA16A | PA10A | PA11B | 0.9 | PB16A | PB10A | PB11B | 2.4 | 6.0 | --- | PC16A | PC10A | PC11B | RE10A71 | RE10A11 | RE10A21 | RE10A44 | RE10A42 |
| 10 - 100 | 200 | 9 | --- | PA16A | PA10A | PA11B | 1.5 | PB16A | PB10A | PB11B | 4 | 10 | --- | PC16A | PC10A | PC11B | RF10A71 | RF10A11 | RF10A21 | RF10A44 | RF10A42 |
| 20 - 200 | 400 | 18 | --- | PA16A | PA10A | PA11B | 3.0 | PB16A | PB10A | PB11B | 8 | 20 | --- | PC16A | PC10A | PC11B | RG10A71 | RG10A11 | RG10A21 | RG10A44 | RG10A42 |
| 30 - 300 | 450 | 27 | --- | PA16A | PA10A | PA11B | 5.0 | PB16A | PB10A | PB11B | 12 | 30 | --- | PC16A | PC10A | PC11B | --- | RH10A11 | RH10A21 | RH10A44 | RH10A42 |
| 40 - 400 | 500 | 36 | --- | PA16A | PA10A | PA11B | 6 | PB16A | PB10A | PB11B | 16 | 40 | --- | PC16A | PC10A | PC11B | --- | RJ10A11 | RJ10A21 | RJ10A44 | RJ10A42 |
| 60 - 600 | 2000 | 54 | --- | PA26A | PA20A | PA21B | 12 | PB26A | PB20A | PB21B | 30 | 60 | --- | PC26A | PC20A | PC21B | --- | --- | RL20A21 | --- | RL20A42 |
| 100 - 1000 | 2000 | 90 | --- | PA16A | PA10A | PA11B | 15 | PB16A | PB10A | PB11B | 40 | 100 | --- | PC16A | PC10A | PC11B | --- | --- | RL10A21 | --- | RL10A42 |
| 160 - 1650 | 5000 | 250 | --- | PA26A | PA20A | PA21B | 100 | PB26A | PB20A | PB21B | 200 | 300 | --- | PC26A | PC20A | PC21B | --- | --- | RN20B21 | --- | RN20B42 |
| 270 - 2700 | 5000 | 300 | --- | PA16A | PA10A | PA11B | 125 | PB16A | PB10A | PB11B | 250 | 400 | --- | PC16A | PC10A | PC11B | --- | --- | RN10B21 | --- | RN10B42 |
| 600 - 6000 | 9000 | 650 | --- | PA16A | PA10A | PA11B | 200 | PB16A | PB10A | PB11B | 400 | 600 | --- | PC16A | PC10A | PC11B | --- | --- | --- | --- | RQ10B42 |

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③ 316 SS transducer deadbands are approx. 50% greater than listed. ④ Transducers ending in 32 have 303 SS process connections, not 316 SS.

P-SERIES Pressure Switches

How to Select and Order



ASCO P-Series switches consist of two components, the switch unit and the transducer unit.

How to Select

1. Select the adjustable operating range based on desired actuation pressure.
2. Check that rated proof pressure is sufficient.
3. Read across and select the desired P-Series switch unit with the proper enclosure.
4. Continue across and select a matching transducer unit compatible with the fluid.

How to Order

Factory assembled – Simply order the switch and transducer unit by catalog number joined by a slash (/), e.g., PG36A/RV34A11.
Field assembled – Simply order the switch and transducer units separately by individual catalog number, e.g., one PG36A and one RV34A11.
Options – Add appropriate suffix for desired option (see pages 34-35).
Important Note: The third digit of each of the catalog numbers must be identical, e.g., PG 36A and RV 34A11.

| Select P-Series switch unit and transducer unit below | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------|---|---|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| PG Switch Unit | | | Transducer Unit | | | | | | | |
| <p>Limited Adjustable Deadband units have an adjustable set point and use a special snap-action switch that varies the deadband within the limits listed below.</p>  <p>Open Frame</p> | | | <p>These gauge pressure type transducers are diaphragm/piston type transducers using an elastomer in contact with the fluid, backed by a piston cylinder. This allows high sensitivity for low pressures and strength for high pressures.</p>  <p>Standard port connection is 1/4" NPT (optional 1/2" NPT add suffix "B" to catalog number)</p> | | | | | | | |
| Specifications | | Limited Adjustable Deadband | | | | Transducer Units | | | | |
| Adjustable Operating Range (psig) | Proof Pressure (psig) | Adjustable Deadband At Mid-Range (psig) ① From/To | Open Frame Catalog No. | General Purpose Catalog No. | Watertight Enclosure Catalog No. | Air or Gas ② | Air, Oil or Gas | Water, Air, Oil or Gas | Corrosive Fluids | |
| | | | | | | Nylon & Buna "N" | Aluminum & Buna "N" | Brass & Buna "N" | All 316 SS ③ | 316 SS & Viton ④ |
| | | | | | | Catalog No. | Catalog No. | Catalog No. | Catalog No. | Catalog No. |
| Vacuum 0 - 30" Hg | 50 | 1.8 - 5.0 | PG36A | PG30A | PG31B | --- | RV34A11 | RV34A21 | --- | RV34A32 |
| Compound 30"Hg-14 psig Pressure | 50 | 2.8 - 6.0 | PG26A | PG20A | PG21B | --- | RV24A11 | RV24A21 | --- | RV24A32 |
| 0 - 9 | 60 | 0.7 - 1.3 | PG36A | PG30A | PG31B | RD30A71 | RD30A11 | RD30A21 | --- | RD30A42 |
| 2 - 18 | 60 | 0.8 - 2.1 | PG26A | PG20A | PG21B | RD20A71 | RD20A11 | RD20A21 | --- | RD20A42 |
| 2 - 18 | 100 | 1.8 - 3.1 | PG36A | PG30A | PG31B | --- | --- | --- | RE30A44 | --- |
| 4 - 36 | 150 | 2.0 - 4.0 | PG26A | PG20A | PG21B | RE20A71 | RE20A11 | RE20A21 | RE20A44 | RE20A42 |
| 6 - 60 | 150 | 2.1 - 4.6 | PG16A | PG10A | PG11B | RE10A71 | RE10A11 | RE10A21 | RE10A44 | RE10A42 |
| 10 - 100 | 200 | 4 - 8 | PG16A | PG10A | PG11B | RF10A71 | RF10A11 | RF10A21 | RF10A44 | RF10A42 |
| 20 - 200 | 400 | 8 - 17 | PG16A | PG10A | PG11B | RG10A71 | RG10A11 | RG10A21 | RG10A44 | RG10A42 |
| 30 - 300 | 450 | 15 - 25 | PG16A | PG10A | PG11B | --- | RH10A11 | RH10A21 | RH10A44 | RH10A42 |
| 40 - 400 | 500 | 22 - 45 | PG16A | PG10A | PG11B | --- | RJ10A11 | RJ10A21 | RJ10A44 | RJ10A42 |
| 60 - 600 | 2000 | 35 - 75 | PG26A | PG20A | PG21B | --- | --- | RL20A21 | --- | RL20A42 |
| 100 - 1000 | 2000 | 65 - 110 | PG16A | PG10A | PG11B | --- | --- | RL10A21 | --- | RL10A42 |
| 160 - 1650 | 5000 | 190 - 290 | PG26A | PG20A | PG21B | --- | --- | RN20B21 | --- | RN10B42 |
| 270 - 2700 | 5000 | 200 - 300 | PG16A | PG10A | PG11B | --- | --- | RN10B21 | --- | RN10B42 |
| 600 - 6000 | 9000 | 300 - 500 | PG16A | PG10A | PG11B | --- | --- | --- | --- | RQ10B42 |

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Switches with Optional 316 Stainless Steel Enclosure

Every ASCO P-Series pressure switch is available in a corrosion-resistant, stainless steel enclosure. Typical applications include:

- Offshore platforms
- Hydrocarbon processing plants
- Oil & gas fields
- Oil & gas transmission lines
- Chemical plants
- Breweries
- Paper pulp mills
- Salt spray locations

Stainless Steel Enclosure

ASCO Type 4X watertight enclosure is designed to provide protection against windblown dust, rain, sleet or external ice formation. The switch and transducer unit are available only as factory-assembled units, and include a UL-approved 1/2" NPT conduit hub.



How to Select and Order

ASCO P-Series switches with 316 SS enclosure consist of two factory-assembled components, the switch unit and the transducer unit.

How to Select (use tables on pages 10-12)

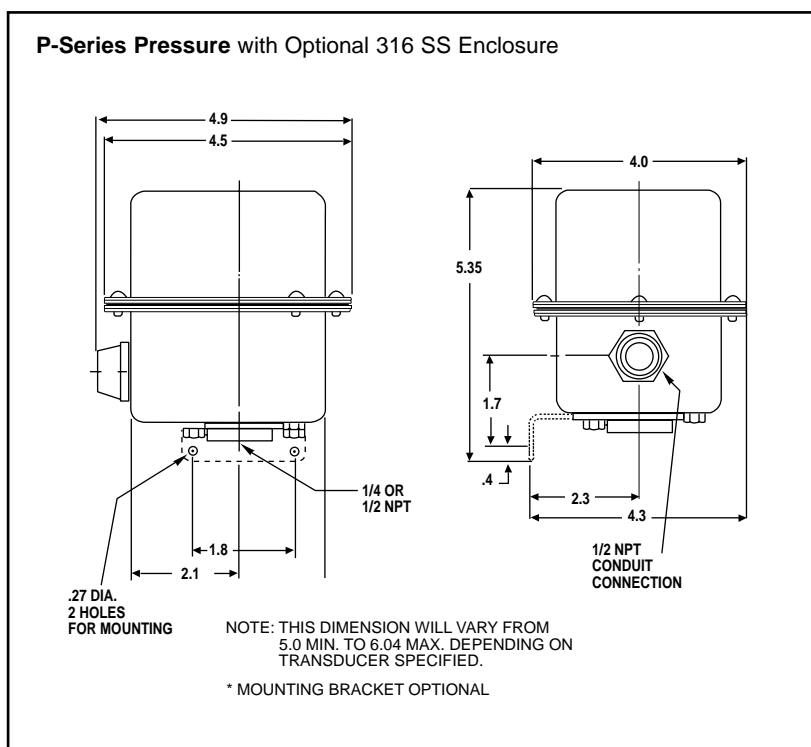
1. Select the adjustable operating range based on desired actuation pressure.
2. Check that rated proof pressure is sufficient.
3. Read across and select the desired P-Series switch unit with open frame construction.
4. To add a 316 SS enclosure, change the fourth digit of the open frame catalog number from "6" to "4", e.g., PG3 [6] A becomes PG3 [4] A.
5. Continue across and select a matching transducer unit compatible with the fluid.

How to Order

Factory assembled only – Simply order the switch and transducer unit by catalog number joined by a slash (/), e.g., PG34A/RV34A32.

Options – Add appropriate suffix for desired option (see pages 34-35).

Dimensions (inches)



OPTIONS Pressure/Temperature Switches

H-Series, P-Series and S-Series Snap-Action Switch Options

Optional snap-action switches to meet specific electrical loads or application conditions are available on most ASCO TRI-POINT switch units. Generally, the construction of a switch unit with optional snap-action switches contains other specific parts and may be ordered only as a factory-built unit. To specify a particular optional construction, add the appropriate suffix to the switch unit catalog number, e.g., SA10D with optional gold contact snap-action switch (suffix "P") would become SA10D[P].

P-Series Switch Options

Panel Mount – Open frame P-Series compact switch units are available for panel mounting with the switch unit inside and the transducer outside. The panel separates the fluid sensing portion from the electromechanical portion. Five holes for bolts and operating stem must be drilled or punched through the panel. Three constructions are available: add the suffix listed below to the switch unit catalog number for the desired thickness.

| Description | Electrical Rating | Catalog Suffix | Deadband Variation From Listing |
|--|---|----------------|--|
| DC Rating 1 Amp Double Break | 5 Amp, 125, 250 VAC 1/4 HP, 125 VAC 1/2 HP, 250 VAC 1 Amp, 125 VDC 1/2 Amp, 250 VDC | G | SA: +50% SB, SC, PA: +100% H: +200% PB: +400% |
| DC Rating 10 Amps, SPDT | 10 Amp, 125 VAC, VDC 1/8 HP, 125 VAC, VDC | M | SA: +50% SB, SC, PA: +100% H: +120% PB: +400% |
| Double-pole Double-throw (Two SPDT Switches with Common Lever) Gold Contact Dry Circuit SPDT | 5 Amp, 125, 250 VAC 1/8 HP, 125 VAC 1/4 HP, 250 VAC 1/2 Amp, 125 VDC 1/4 Amp, 250 VDC 1 Amp, 28 VAC 1 Amp, 28 VDC | K P | SA, SB, SD, SE, PB: +50% SA, SB, SC, PA: +25% H: +50% PB, PC: +100% |
| Hermetically Sealed SPDT | 25 Amp Res, 28 VDC 10 Amp Ind, 28 VDC 5 Amp Motor, 28 VDC 3 Amp Lamp, 28 VDC 1 Amp, 125 VAC | H | SA, PA: +100% H: +200% PB: +600% |
| High Ambient 250°F SPDT | 5 Amp, 125, 250 VAC 1/8 HP, 125 VAC 1/4 HP, 250 VAC 1/2 Amp, 125 VDC 1/4 Amp, 250 VDC | F | SA, SB, SC: +25% |
| High Power 1 HP SPDT | 20 Amp, 125, 250 VAC 1 HP, 125 VAC 2 HP, 250 VAC 1/2 Amp, 125 VDC 1/4 Amp, 250 VDC | W | SA: +50% SB, SC: +100% PB: +400% |
| Moisture Resistant Sealed Switch SPDT | 5 Amp, 125, 250 VAC 1/8 HP, 125 VAC 1/4 HP, 250 VAC 1/2 Amp, 125 VDC 1/4 Amp, 250 VDC | J | SA: None SB, SC, PA: +25% PB, H: +50% |
| Tight Fixed Deadband SPDT | 5 Amp, 125, 250 VAC 1/8 HP, 125 VAC 1/4 HP, 250 VAC 1/2 Amp, 125 VDC | T | SB, SC: -50% |

| Panel Thickness | Suffix |
|-------------------|--------|
| 10 Ga (.135±.005) | 10 |
| 14 Ga (.075±.005) | 11 |
| 16 Ga (.060±.005) | 12 |

S-Series Switch Options

Industrial Adjusting Nut Covers – Available in clear plastic or metal to prevent tampering with set point adjusting nuts.

Clear plastic cover: To order, add suffix "1" to the switch unit catalog number, or order separately as SP01.
Metal cover: To order, add suffix "2" to the switch unit catalog number, or order separately as SP02.

JIC Construction – A switch unit having the electrical and adjusting nut covers attached to the switch body by a chain. Also designed to Type 13 specifications. To order, add suffix "3" to the switch unit catalog number, or order separately as SP03.

Terminal Block – Applicable to switch units with one single-pole double-throw switch. The terminal strip is prewired to the snap-action switch. To order, add suffix "4" to the switch unit catalog number, or order separately as SP04.

Factory Sealed – Explosion-proof units may be ordered with a factory seal separating the electrical chamber from the conduit hubs and 24" long #14 AWG 105°C. rated lead wires. To order, change the fourth digit of the switch unit catalog number from "2" to "3", e.g., SA1[2]D becomes SA1[3]D.

Pressure Transducer Options

Special Wetted Materials – The following diaphragms may be substituted on transducer body materials of aluminum, brass, polyester and stainless steel. To order, substitute the material code below in the seventh digit of the transducer catalog number, e.g., a TF10A1 [1] with optional viton diaphragm becomes a TF10A1 [2].

| Diaphragm | Material Code | Temperature Range |
|--------------------|---------------|--------------------------------|
| Buna "N" | 1 | -4°F (-20°C) to 180°F (82°C) |
| Ethylene Propylene | 6 | -4°F (-20°C) to 250°F (121°C) |
| Neoprene | 3 | -4°F (-20°C) to 180°F (82°C) |
| Fluorosilicone | 7 | -40°F (-40°C) to 250°F (121°C) |
| Viton | 2 | -4°F (-20°C) to 250°F (121°C) |

Oxygen Cleaning – Pressure transducers for oxygen service should be specially cleaned. They are degreased and blacklight inspected, then assembled in a clean area and tested with oil-free air or nitrogen. Use metal body transducer with viton or neoprene diaphragm and add suffix "H" to transducer catalog number, e.g., TA40A13 becomes TA40A13 [H].

Pressure Snubbers – A pressure snubber (1/4" NPTF by 1/4" NPTM) installed in the transducer pressure connection will dampen the pressure spikes to a value which will not cause damage. It consists of a body with a porous metal disc of stainless steel through which the fluid passes. To order, select a snubber compatible with the fluid. Available by separate catalog number only (see table below).

| Fluid | Brass Catalog No. | 303 SS Catalog No. |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Air, Non-Hazardous Gases | TP04G2 | TP04G3 |
| Water, Light Oil (under 225 SSU) | TP04E2 | TP04E3 |
| Oil (Heavy, over 225 SSU) | TP04D2 | TP04D3 |
| Pressure Rating (psig) | 2000 | 5000 |

Process Connection – A female process connection (1/4" NPT) is standard on all pressure transducers. A 1/2" NPT is available as an option on gauge pressure transducers. To order, add suffix "B" to transducer catalog number, e.g., RF10A21 becomes RF10A21 [B].

Note: Not available on nylon transducers.

P-Series and S-Series Temperature Transducer Options

Armored Capillaries – Double braided copper armor is standard for copper capillary units. Stainless steel spiral interlocked armor is available for stainless steel capillary units. Add suffix "C" to transducer catalog number.

Thermal Well



Thermal Well ① – Use with direct or remote sensors for protecting sensing bulb. This allows removal of bulb while maintaining a pressure-tight vessel. Available in 1/2" NPT or 3/4" NPT process connection in brass or 316 SS. Dimensions are in accordance with SAMA Std. RC17-9. Standard "U" dimension (insertion length) is 2-1/2" for direct mount and 6' capillary units and is 4-1/2" for 12' capillary units.

| Material | Pressure Rating (psig) | "U" Dimensions (Inches) | Process Connection | |
|----------|------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| | | | 1/2" NPT Catalog No. | 3/4" NPT Catalog No. |
| Brass | 1000 | 2-1/2 | QP03 | QP04 |
| | | 4-1/2 | QP13 | QP14 |
| | | 7-1/2 | QP23 | QP24 |
| | | 10-1/2 | QP33 | QP34 |
| 316 SS | 6000 | 2-1/2 | QP07 | QP08 |
| | | 4-1/2 | QP17 | QP18 |
| | | 7-1/2 | QP27 | QP28 |
| | | 10-1/2 | QP37 | QP38 |

Longer Capillaries – Standard copper and stainless steel capillary units can be furnished in 12' lengths. To order, add suffix "D" to transducer catalog number.

Consult ASCO for longer length capillaries.

| Capillary Length (Feet) | Transducer Suffix | Bulb Length (Inches) | "U" Dimension Required (Inches) |
|-------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|
| 6 | --- | 3-1/2 | 2-1/2 |
| 12 | D | 5-1/2 | 4-1/2 |
| 13 - 20 | E | 5-1/2 | 4-1/2 |
| 21 - 50 | F | 8-1/2 | 7-1/2 |
| 51 - 80 | G | 11-1/2 | 10-1/2 |

Union Connector – For use with remote units for mounting of bulb in fluid being controlled. Available in 1/2" NPT and 3/4" NPT process connections in brass or 316 SS.



| Material | Pressure Rating (psig) | Process Connection | |
|----------|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| | | 1/2" NPT Catalog No. | 3/4" NPT Catalog No. |
| Brass | 500 | QP01 | QP02 |
| 316 SS | 1500 | QP05 | --- |

① Jam nuts provided with thermal wells.

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Definitions

Accuracy – The maximum deviation from the set point under specified operating condition (ambient temperature, barometric pressure, etc.).

Adjustable Deadband – Refers to the capability of a pressure or temperature switch to allow the deadband to be adjusted over a given range. Certain ASCO TRI-POINT switches have an adjustable deadband which can be adjusted over the total operating range of the switch.

Adjustable Operating Range – The pressure or temperature range of the switch within which the set point may be adjusted.

Differential Pressure – The difference between two pressures. A differential pressure switch senses two pressure sources and can be adjusted to actuate on a desired difference between them.

Gauge Pressure – The actual reading of a typical pressure gauge and is the difference between the pressure within a vessel and the atmospheric pressure surrounding it. It is normally measured in pounds per square inch (psig).

Manual Reset – The switch is a semi-automatic device which operates automatically with a signal change in one direction but must be manually reset once the signal returns to its original position.

Proof Pressure – A pressure which a device can be subjected to for extended periods of time without changes in its operating characteristics.

Rated Overrange Temperature – A temperature which a device can be subjected to for extended periods of time without changes in its operating characteristics.

Repeatability – The closeness of agreement among a number of consecutive measurements of the output for the same value of input under the same operating conditions approaching from the same direction. Repeatability is normally specified as a percentage of the upper limit of the operating range.

Example: Operating range 5-100 psig with $\pm 1\%$ repeatability; equals $\pm 1\%$ of 100 psig or ± 1 psig.

Reset Point – After a pressure or temperature switch has reached its set point and operated the electrical switch, it must return to a point called the reset point before the electrical switch can return to its original position.

Set Point – The pressure reading at which the electrical switch element changes contact position (it can be specified either increasing or decreasing).

Switch Unit – ASCO uses the term “switch unit” to describe the electromechanical portion of a pressure or temperature switch. This is used in conjunction with a transducer unit to form a complete pressure or temperature switch.

Transducer Unit – ASCO uses the term “transducer unit” to describe that portion of a pressure or temperature switch to which a pressure or temperature is applied which converts the input signal to another form of energy to operate the switch unit.

Two-Stage (Dual) – ASCO uses the term “two stage” to describe a pressure or temperature switch which is equivalent to two pressure or temperature switches which are independently adjustable. This switch is equivalent to two fixed deadband switches.

Deadbands – The deadband is the difference between the set point and reset point readings. Deadbands are listed in the specification tables at nominal values. They are representative of the deadbands of the units at the middle of the range.

The deadband values for the full range adjustable deadband switches and limited adjustable deadband switches indicate the values through which the deadband may be adjusted.

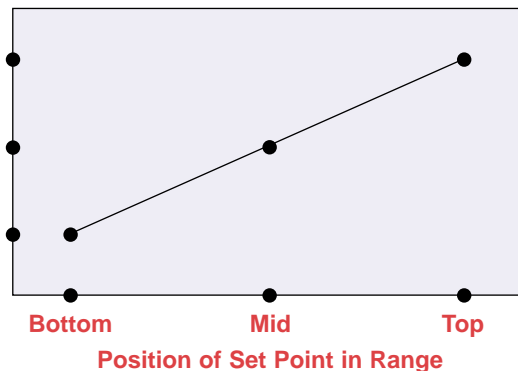
Generally, as the set point is adjusted through the operating range, the deadband will vary. Normally, it will become narrower as the set point is towards the bottom of the range, and will become wider when the set point is towards the top of the range. The graph shown below indicates representative trends of this type of deadband variation.

Deadbands

1.5 x Catalog Value

Catalog Value

Half Catalog Value



Temperature switch deadbands are a result of the characteristics of the vapor pressure curve as well as other factors. Normally, this results in a deadband which is narrower in the top third of the range than in the bottom third of the range. The values published are nominal and representative of mid-range set points.

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These recommendations are to be used as a guide only, as service life of material is dependent on temperature, concentrations, or catalysts that may be added and other conditions which are beyond our control.

Consult ASCO for specific service applications.

Note: Items in black circles are standard catalog units.
All others available on factory order.

P - Indicates preferred construction. **S** - Indicates satisfactory construction.

Transducer Material Code of Two Digits represents process connection material and diaphragm material, respectively; these are the sixth and seventh positions of the pressure transducer catalog number.

Process Connection: 6th Position Diaphragm: 7th Position

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|------------|---------------|------------|----------------------|
| 1 Aluminum | 4 316 S.S. | 1 Buna "N" | 4 316 S.S. |
| 2 Brass | 7 Nylon/Brass | 2 Viton | 6 Ethylene Propylene |
| 3 303 S.S. | | 3 Neoprene | 7 Fluorosilicone |

| Material Code | 11 | 12 | 13 | 16 | 17 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 26 | 27 | 31 | 32 | 33 | 36 | 37 | 42 | 44 | 71 | |
|--|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|-----|----|
| | Vacuum | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | No |
| | Inches of Water | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | No | No | No | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | No |
| P.S.I.G. ⑤ to | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 3500 | 3500 | 3500 | 3500 | 3500 | 8000 | 8000 | 8000 | 8000 | 8000 | 8000 | 400 | 200 | |
| Acetic Acid | | | | | | | | | | | | | S | S | | | | | P |
| Acetylene | P | S | | S | | | | | | | S | S | | S | | S | S | | |
| Air | P | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | P |
| Ammonia | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | P |
| Argon-Welding ① | P | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | P |
| Benzene-Benzol | | P | | | | | S | | | | | S | | | | S | S | | |
| Butane | P | S | | | | S | S | | | | S | S | | | | S | S | | |
| Carbon Tetrachloride | | | | | | | | | | | | P | | | | P | S | | |
| Cellulube | | P | | S | | | S | | S | | | S | | S | | S | S | | |
| Coke Oven Gas | | | | | | | | | | | | P | | | | P | S | | |
| Ethyl Alcohol (denatured) | P | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | |
| Ethylene Glycol | P | S | S | S | | S | S | S | S | | S | S | S | S | | S | S | | |
| Freon Refrigerants | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | P |
| Freon Solvents ("MF", "TF", "BF") | | | | | | P | S | | | | S | S | | | | S | S | | |
| Fuel Oils and Diesel ④ | P | S | | | | S | S | | | | S | S | | | | S | S | | |
| Gasoline | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | P |
| Gas, Inert | P | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | P |
| Gas (natural and manufactured) ④ | P | S | S | | S | S | S | S | | S | S | S | S | | S | S | S | | |
| Helium | P | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | P |
| Hydrogen | P | S | S | S | | S | S | S | S | | S | S | S | S | | S | S | | |
| Jet Fuel (JP1 to JP6) | | P | | | S | | S | | | S | | S | | | S | S | S | | |
| Kerosene | P | S | | | | S | S | | | | S | S | | | | | | | |
| Methyl Alcohol (Methanol) | P | | S | S | S | S | | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | | |
| Naphtha | P | S | | | | S | S | | | | S | S | | | | S | S | | |
| Nitrogen | P | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | P |
| Oils (coolant, hydraulic, lubricating and motor) | P | S | | | | S | S | | | | S | S | | | | S | S | | P |
| Oxygen, Gaseous ② | | S | P | | S | | S | S | | S | | S | S | | S | S | S | | |
| Potassium Sulfate | P | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | | |
| Propane Gas and Liquid | P | S | S | | | S | S | S | | | S | S | S | | | S | S | | |
| "Pydraul" ("Monsanto") | | P | | | S | | S | | | S | | S | | | S | S | S | | |
| Steam ③ | | | | | | P | S | | S | S | S | S | | S | S | S | S | | |
| Steam Condensate | | | | | | P | S | | S | S | S | S | | S | S | S | S | | P |
| Stoddard Solvent | P | S | | | | S | S | | | | S | S | | | | S | S | | |
| Toluene (Tolulo) | | P | | | | | S | | | | | S | | | | S | S | | |
| Vacuum | P | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | | |
| Vegetable Oil | P | S | S | | S | | | | | | S | S | S | | S | S | S | | |
| Vinegar | | | | | | | | | | | | S | | S | S | S | P | | |
| Water, Fresh, Boiler Feed | | | | | | P | S | | S | S | S | S | | S | S | S | S | | P |
| Water (Distilled, Deionized, Demineralized) | | | | | | | | | | | P | S | S | S | S | S | S | | |
| Water, Sea | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | S |

Notes: ① For high purity applications use stainless steel transducers. ② Oxygen service requires special cleaning, specify suffix "H". ③ For steam service a condensate loop (pigtail) is required. ④ For pressure transducers for combustion service see pages 20-23. ⑤ Material availability refers to standard gauge pressure constructions only.