Danfoss shut-off ball valves, type GBCT for R744 (CO2) high pressure are manually operated shut-off valves for transcritical CO2 refrigeration systems, in order to open and to shut off inner flow path by operating the valve spindle.

The valve structure and materials are designed and tested specifically for use with CO2 refrigerant. The valves are approved for use in transcritical CO2 refrigeration systems.

**Features**

- Designed for transcritical CO2 systems
- Maximum working pressure (PS): 140 bar / 2031 psig
- Temperature range (TS): -40 °C – 149 °C / -40 °F – 300 °F
- UL/cUL Listed, complies with Pressure Equipment Directive 2014/68/ EU
- Full port construction to match line size
- Rupture proof, internally-loaded spindle design ensures safe operation under extreme pressures
- Specially-selected sealing material for CO2 refrigerant
- Reinforced copper-iron tube extensions permit trouble-free valve installation with traditional torch-brazing methods
- Bleed hole design avoids liquid entrapment when valve is closed
CAUTION - RISK OF HIGH PRESSURE
Do not close with CO2 liquid temperature below ambient. This component shall be installed along with a pressure relief valve set to discharge at no higher than the rated pressure of this component. This component is intended for systems in which the critical pressure of the refrigerant will be exceeded. The relief valve shall comply with the requirements of ASME Section VIII, be marked “UV” and sized based on the refrigeration system capacity.

Danfoss recommends that valves are installed so that the HP side is oriented towards the highest pressure side of the system when the valve is in the closed position.

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Notes: For the application use with R744 as part of a secondary loop or cascade:
1. The design pressure of the refrigerant containing component is not less than the design pressure of the associated components.
2. The component is not provided with any pressure relief or pressure regulating relief valve and that a sufficient number of valves having capacity deemed adequate shall be field-installed on the refrigeration system.
3. When the refrigeration system is de-energized, venting of R744 may occur through the pressure regulating relief valves, and may need to be recharged, but the valve should not be defeated or bypassed.
4. A sufficient number of pressure relief and pressure regulating valves may need to be provided based upon system capacity and located such that no stop valve is provided between the relief valve and the parts or section of the system being protected.

Technical data

Refrigerants
R 744 (CO₂)
Oils:
POE, PAG
Continuous operating temperature (COT)
-40 °C – 149 °C / -40 °F – 300 °F
Design Pressure (DP)/Maximum abnormal pressure (MAP)
140 bar / 2031 psig
Flow direction
bi-flow

Data sheet
Shut-off ball valve for high pressure, type GBCT for transcritical R744 / CO₂ (140 bar / 2031 psi)

Approvals
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GBCT without access port

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**Design / Function**
1. Copper-Iron extension tubes
2. Valve body
3. Ball seat (PTFE)
4. Valve tail
5. Stainless steel ball
6. Double O-ring seal in spindle
7. Cap seal (PTFE)
8. Seal cap
9. Spindle
10. Pin
11. Guide ring
12. Valve core
13. Bleed hole

**Dimensions and weights**

**SI units**

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### Dimensions and weights

**GBCT 6s**
- Connection: 1/8
- Access: No
- Port: 2.2
- H1: 0.6
- L: 5.0
- L1_MIN: 0.25
- L3: 2.8
- M: 0.9
- Weight: 0.5 lb
- Code no.: 009L6581

**GBCT 10s**
- Connection: 3/16
- Access: Yes
- Port: 2.2
- H1: 0.6
- L: 5.2
- L1_MIN: 0.31
- L3: 2.8
- M: 0.9
- Weight: 0.5 lb
- Code no.: 009L6582

**GBCT 12s**
- Connection: 1/8
- Access: Yes
- Port: 2.2
- H1: 0.6
- L: 5.5
- L1_MIN: 0.38
- L3: 3.0
- M: 0.9
- Weight: 0.5 lb
- Code no.: 009L6583

**GBCT 16s**
- Connection: 1/8
- Access: Yes
- Port: 2.2
- H1: 0.6
- L: 5.8
- L1_MIN: 0.50
- L3: 3.1
- M: 0.9
- Weight: 0.5 lb
- Code no.: 009L6584

**GBCT 18s**
- Connection: 1/8
- Access: Yes
- Port: 3.4
- H1: 1.3
- L: 7.3
- L1_MIN: 0.62
- L3: 3.1
- M: 0.9
- Weight: 0.6 lb
- Code no.: 009L6585

**GBCT 22s**
- Connection: 1/4
- Access: Yes
- Port: 3.4
- H1: 1.3
- L: 7.3
- L1_MIN: 0.75
- L3: 3.8
- M: 1.6
- Weight: 0.7 lb
- Code no.: 009L6586

**GBCT 28s**
- Connection: 1/4
- Access: Yes
- Port: 4.0
- H1: 1.5
- L: 7.3
- L1_MIN: 0.91
- L3: 3.8
- M: 1.6
- Weight: 0.7 lb
- Code no.: 009L6587

**GBCT 35s**
- Connection: 1/2
- Access: Yes
- Port: 4.1
- H1: 1.4
- L: 8.1
- L1_MIN: 0.97
- L3: 4.1
- M: N/A
- Weight: 1.0 lb
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**GBCT 42s**
- Connection: 1/2
- Access: Yes
- Port: 4.4
- H1: 1.6
- L: 9.4
- L1_MIN: 1.09
- L3: 4.7
- M: N/A
- Weight: 1.5 lb
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**GBCT 54s**
- Connection: 1 1/8
- Access: Yes
- Port: 4.7
- H1: 2.0
- L: 10.8
- L1_MIN: 1.34
- L3: 5.4
- M: N/A
- Weight: 2.0 lb
- Code no.: 009L6590

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