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LEAD FREE*

Maxim™ Series LFM500 (Maxim 500), LFM500N (Maxim 500N), LFM500Z (Maxim 500Z)

Reduced Pressure Detector

Assemblies

Sizes: 2½" – 10" (65 – 250mm)

The Maxim LFM500, LFM500N, LFM500Z Reduced Pressure Detector Assemblies provide protection to the potable water system from contamination in accordance with national plumbing codes. The Maxim LFM500, LFM500N, LFM500Z are normally used in health hazard applications to protect against backsiphonage, backpressure and the fouling of either check valve. The Maxim LFM500, LFM500N, LFM500Z are used to monitor unauthorized use of water from the fire protection system.

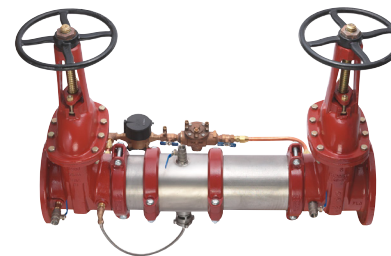
Features

- Extremely Compact Design
- 70% Lighter than Traditional Designs
- 304 (Schedule 40) Stainless Steel Housing & Sleeve
- Groove Fittings Allow Integral Pipeline Adjustment
- Patented Link Check Provides Lowest Pressure Loss
- Unmatched Ease of Serviceability
Available with Grooved Butterfly Valve Shutoffs
- Available for Horizontal or N Pattern Installations
- Replaceable Check Disc Rubber

⚠ WARNING

It is illegal to use this product in any plumbing system providing water for human consumption, such as drinking or dishwashing, in the United States. Before installing standard material product, consult your local water authority, building and plumbing codes.

LFM500N OSY
 (Maxim 500V GV)



LFM500 OSY
 (Maxim 500)

Specifications

The Lead Free* Reduced Pressure Detector Assemblies shall consist of two independent Link Check modules, a differential pressure relief valve located between and below the two modules, two drip tight shutoff valves, and required test cocks. Link Check modules and relief valve shall be contained within a sleeve accessible single housing constructed from 304 (Schedule 40) stainless steel pipe with groove end connections. Link Checks shall have reversible elastomer discs and in operation produce drip tight closure against the reverse flow of liquid caused by backpressure or backsiphonage. The bypass assembly consists of a meter registering either gallon or cubic feet measurements, a Reduced Pressure Zone Assembly and required test cocks. Assembly shall be Maxim LFM500, LFM500N, LFM500Z as manufactured by the Ames Company.

NOTICE

The information contained herein is not intended to replace the full product installation and safety information available or the experience of a trained product installer. You are required to thoroughly read all installation instructions and product safety information before beginning the installation of this product.

*The wetted surface of this product contacted by consumable water contains less than 0.25% of lead by weight.

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Configurations

- Horizontal
- “Z” pattern horizontal
- “N” pattern horizontal

Materials

- Housing & Sleeve: 304 (Schedule 40) Stainless Steel
- Elastomers: EPDM, Silicone and Buna ‘N’
- Link Checks: Noryl®, Stainless Steel
- Check Discs: Reversible Silicone or EPDMr
- Test Cocks: Lead Free* Cast Copper Silicon Alloy
- Pins & Fasteners: 300 Series Stainless Steel
- Springs: Stainless Steel

Available Models

OSY — UL/FM outside stem and yoke resilient seated gate valves

BFG — UL/FM grooved gear operated butterfly valves w/tamper switch

=OSY FxG — Flanged inlet gate connection and grooved outlet gate connection

=OSY GxF — Grooved inlet gate connection and flanged outlet gate connection

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Available with grooved NRS gate valves – consult factory*

Post indicator plate and operating nut available – consult factory*

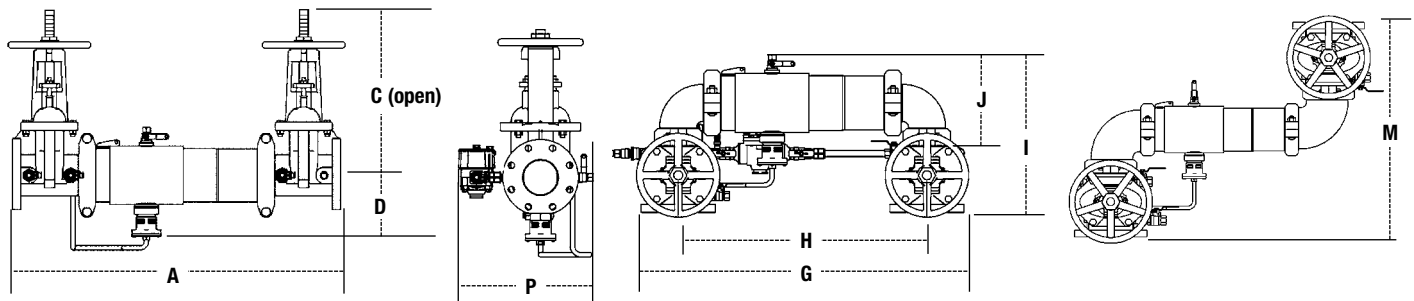
=Consult factory for dimensions

Pressure — Temperature

Temperature Range: 33°F – 110°F (5°C – 43°C)

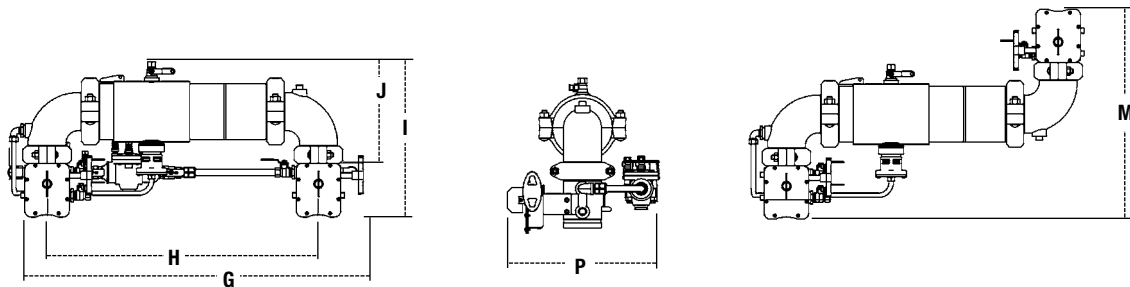
Maximum Working Pressure: 175 psi (12.06 bar)

Dimensions — Weights



LFM500, LFM500N, LFM500Z

SIZE		DIMENSIONS										WEIGHT			
in.	mm	A	C (OSY)	D	H	I	P	M	G	J	M500	M500N			
in.	mm	in.	mm	in.	mm	in.	mm	in.	mm	in.	mm	in.	mm	lbs.	kgs.
2 1/2	781	30 3/4	16 3/8	6 1/2	21 1/2	15 9/16	13 3/8	21 1/4	29 1/2	8 13/16	142	150	64	68	
3	806	31 3/4	18 7/8	6 11/16	22 1/4	16 1/4	14 11/16	23	30 1/2	9 3/16	162	175	73	79	
4	1029	40 1/2	22 3/4	8	30 1/4	19 11/16	15 5/16	26 1/4	39 3/4	11	236	259	107	117	
6	1213	47 3/4	30 1/8	9 1/2	37 1/2	23 3/16	19 1/2	34 1/4	49	14 3/16	407	447	185	203	
8	1391	54 3/4	37 3/4	10 1/2	45 1/8	27 3/16	21 5/8	36 7/8	59 1/8	16 3/4	581	657	264	298	
10	1467	57 3/4	45 3/4	11 3/16	49 1/2	32 1/2	24 5/16	44 1/2	66	17 5/16	798	968	362	439	



LFM500NBFG, LFM500ZBFG

SIZE	DIMENSIONS						WEIGHT							
in.	H	I	P	M	G	J								
in.	in.	mm	in.	mm	in.	mm	in.	mm	in.	mm	lbs.	kgs.		
2 1/2	23	584	15 11/16	398	11 13/16	300	19 3/4	502	31 15/16	811	9 1/2	242	81	37
3	24	610	16 5/16	415	12 1/8	308	21 1/4	540	33 5/16	846	10 1/16	255	84	38
4	30 1/4	768	18 5/16	466	13 15/16	454	23 1/2	597	42	1067	12	305	159	72.1
6	37 1/2	953	21 3/4	553	16 7/16	418	27 1/4	692	50 13/16	1291	15 3/16	386	268	121.5

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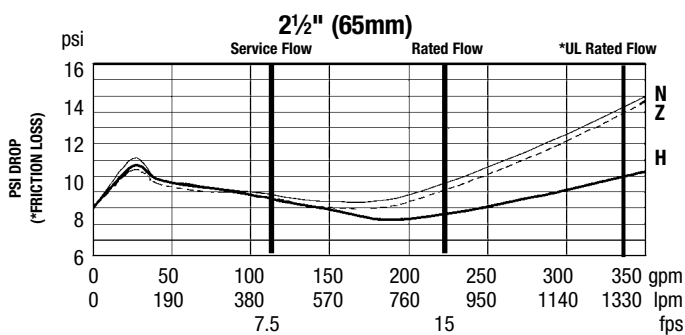
Approvals

- Approved by the Foundation for Cross-Connection Control and Hydraulic Research at The University of Southern California (FCCCHR-USC)
- AWWA C551-92



For additional approval information please contact the factory or visit our website at www.amesfirewater.com

— Horizontal — N-Pattern - - - - Z-Pattern



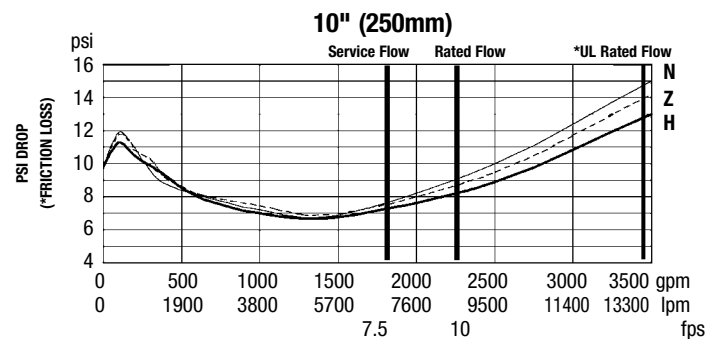
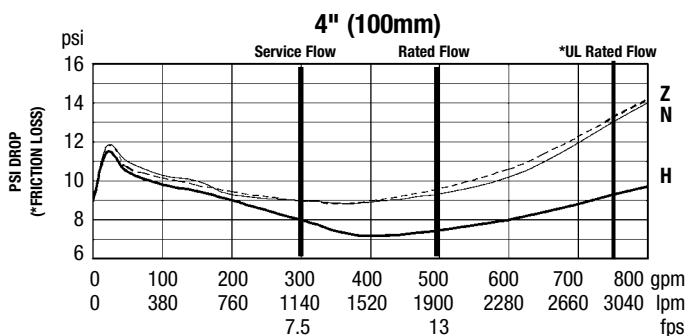
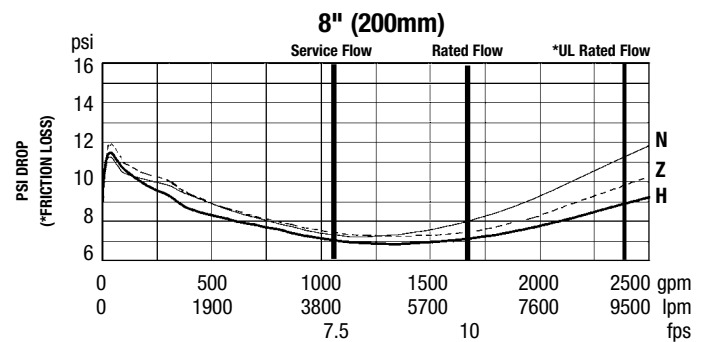
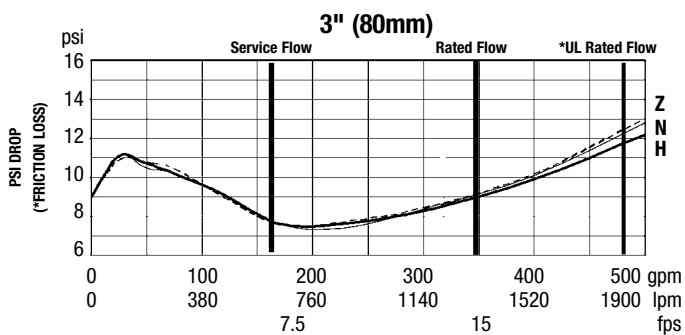
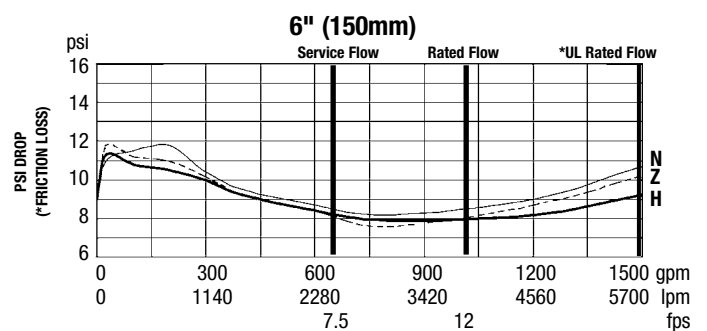
Capacity

UL/FM Certified Flow Characteristics

Flow characteristics collected using butterfly shutoff valves.

Flow capacity chart identifies valve performance based upon rated water velocity up to 25fps

- Service Flow is typically determined by a rated velocity of 7.5fps based upon schedule 40 pipe.
- Rated Flow identifies maximum continuous duty performance determined by AWWA.
- UL Flow Rate is 150% of Rated Flow and is not recommended for continuous duty.
- AWWA Manual M22 [Appendix C] recommends that the maximum water velocity in services be not more than 10fps.



NOTICE

Inquire with governing authorities for local installation requirements



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