

OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe

The OEM Motoric Valve Drive: 24 V Proportional Failsafe is an electromotive actuator for opening and closing valves for heating and cooling systems. The predominant area of application is the energy-efficient control of water-bearing valves in the area of building services and automation.

The OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe is controlled via a 0-10 VDC control signal output from a central DDC system or a room thermostat. The actuator is equipped with an LC display for displaying the current valve path, control voltage and operating modes (open/close) as well as possible error codes. The actuator is supplied with a pluggable connecting cable and has a manual valve adjustment which can be used, for example, for maintenance or installation.

The feedback signal provides the DDC system with information about the current valve position and any errors that may have occurred.

The actuator has been specially developed for the customer-specific use in OEM businesses. The modular structure offers diverse differentiation possibilities for customer-specific designs.



1.1 Features

- OEM design
- Operating voltage 24 V, suitable for AC and DC
- Internal energy storage for the failsafe function. Positioning in case of supply voltage failure
- Upon request: Failsafe park position adjustable in 10% steps, can be set in factory
- Equipped with NFC chip, configurable via app (IOS or Android) (see chapter App functionality)
- Various operating modes selectable: e.g. proportional, fixed valve paths (MPR), EQP, variable control voltage ranges, etc.
- Valve path 8.5 mm (2 mm to 8.5 mm fixed, adjustable, or variable by valve path recognition)
- Actuating force 100 N, 125 N, 150 N or 200 N
- Speeds: 15 s/mm, 30 s/mm
- Sensor system for automatic shutdown of the motor when reaching the valve end positions (valve path recognition)
- LC display for status indication
- Very fine resolution in valve positioning
- Very short response times
- Self-locking gear in all positions, de-energized
- Anti-theft function by removable locking latch
- Manual valve adjustment
- Very low power consumption
- Valve adapter system Simple plug-in installation without tools
- 100 % protection in case of leaky valves (IP 54)
- 360° installation position
- Plug-in connecting cable
- Low-noise and maintenance-free
- High functional safety and long expected service life
- Control input suitable for 0-10 V, pulse width modulation (PWM)
- Optional: preset, customer-specific variants
- Optional: customer-specific characteristic linearization

1.2 Variants

In its basic version, the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe is delivered without logo, with plugged connection cable and with valve adapter. The following variants are available in the basic version.

Type	Actuation force	Actuation time	Control voltage range	Scope of supply
MPOF 468x6-y0	x = 2: 125 N x = 0: 100 N x = 3: 150 N x = 4: 200 N	y = 3: 15 s/mm y = 2: 30 s/mm	0 – 10 V Active 0.5-10 V	• Motoric Valve Drive: MPxF in individual packaging • Valve adapter VA80 for all M30x1.5 valves • 1 m connection line (plug-in), white, PVC 4 x 0.22 mm² • Installation instruction in 12 languages
MPVF 468x6-y0 ⁽¹⁾				• 1 m connection line (plug-in), white, PVC 3 x 0.22 mm²
MPRF 468x6-y0 ⁽¹⁾				

Variation options: Preset variants and other valve adaptations on request

⁽¹⁾ No feedback due to 3-pole connection cable

1.3 Optional differentiations to the basic version

Differentiations	
Line lengths	2 m, 3 m, 5 m, 10 m, 15 m; PVC in white – 3 or 4 x 0.22 mm ² – special lengths <20 m, pluggable on request
Valve adapters	Available for almost all valves and distributors
Packaging	Packaging can be manufactured and printed individually according to requirements.
Imprint on casing	Imprint of the company logo and the individual type designation

Please contact us if you have further wishes.

1.4 Equipment

The OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe is supplied fully equipped as standard. The function of the actuator can be changed in factory or via the app. In this way, predecessor variants can be simulated. For this purpose, the product comes with a 4-pole cable. Customized preset versions are available, which differ functionally:

	MPOF 46846	MPRF 468x6 Simulation	MPVF 468x6 Simulation
LCD	✓	✓	✓
Background illumination	Switchable	Switchable	Switchable
Function display via LED	✓	✓	✓
Valve path recognition	✓	On / off switchable	✓
Feedback signal	✓	–	–
Manual setting	✓	✓	✓
4-pole connection cable	✓	–	–
3-pole connection cable, minimum version	Not available	✓ Feedback not usable	✓ Feedback not usable

1.5 Valve adaptation

The OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe is supplied with a VA80 valve adapter ring as standard.

The actuator can also be connected to other valves without any problems.

The adapters cover a valve path of 8 mm each, measured from the minimum closed component.

Valve adapters	Minimum locking dimension with OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe	Valve manufacturer
VA 80 – M30 x 1.5	8.5 mm	Danfoss ABQM, Flowcon, Frese, Herz, Honeywell, IVAR, JCI, Oventrop, Sauter, Siemens, TA, Watts
VA 33 – M28 x 1.5	8 mm	Herz, JCI
VA 64 – M28 x 1.5	15.8 mm	Pettinaroli
VA 67 – M30 x 1.5	11 mm	Controlli

2 Presets

The OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe can be delivered with a custom setting. The properties can be changed subsequently via app.

See chapter App functionality.

Function	Default	Optional
Mode	MPx	MPx M3P
Force Actuation force	125 N	100 N 125 N 150 N 200 N
Runtime Running time	15 s/mm	15 s/mm 30 s/mm
Valve path recognition Valve path recognition	ON	ON OFF (OFF= MPRF- Mode)
Failsafe position only for Failsafe variants	0 %	0 % ... 100%
Drive path Stroke	8.5 mm	2 mm ... 8.5 mm (steps of 0.1 mm)
Bypass minimum valve position	0 %	0 % ... 50 % (steps of 1 %)
Display illumination Display lighting	ON	ON OFF

Display valve path Valve path display	%	% mm
Valve curve Valve curve	Linear	Linear EQP
Feedback range Functionality	1-9 V	1-9 V 1-5 V 0-10 V
Control voltage – start Control voltage – start	0.5 V	0 V... 10 V (steps of 0.1 V)
Control voltage – end Control voltage – end	10 V	0 V... 10 V (steps of 0.1 V)

Example:

Control voltage – start: 10

Control voltage – end: 0 negates the path

3 App functionality

The OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe is equipped with an NFC chip (NFC: Near Field Communication).

App compatibility:

iOS 14.0 / Android 5.0

Language used in the app: English

Download:

iOS: <https://apps.apple.com/app/alpha-smart/id1658744553>Android: <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=de.moehlenhoff.AM3>

3.1 NFC operations

3.1.1 Preconditions for the use of NFC:

- Knowledge of the existence and position of the NFC interface in the mobile device: The position of the NFC interface varies depending on the model.
- Function **NFC** enabled
- Display lock deactivated



Remove protective covers before using NFC. Ensure a stable support in order to avoid disconnections. The distance required to establish an NFC connection depends on the mobile device used.

Further information on model-specific processes can be found in the instructions of the respective manufacturer.

3.1.2 Sequence

1. Establish connection between the app and the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe.
To do this, position the device on which the app is installed directly on the transparent lid of the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe. The NFC antenna is located in the manual adjustment area.
2. Allow the device on which the app is installed to stay until a positive response is received from the app.
Note: Operation is possible even without power supply of the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe.
3. Adjust the parameters within the specified limits.

Some functions require re-initialization of the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe. The app is self-explanatory. It is recommended to follow the instructions of the app.

3.2 App functions

Function	Description	Display
Device Operations		
Read		
Read from device	Reading out the settings of the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe	- Ready to scan: Hold your smartphone near to the NFC tag - Display: Data was read successfully or Error message → Repeat the process: The mobile device has been moved too early or must be aligned more precisely.
Read from file	Prerequisite for use: File stored on the mobile device. - Reading the settings from a file stored on the mobile device Ways to store a file on the mobile device: - Sending files as attachments via message or mail - Storage of file by Write to file command	Display of the file management of the mobile device
Write		
Write to device	Settings are written to the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe	- Ready to scan: Hold your smartphone near to the NFC tag - Display: Data was read successfully or Error message → Repeat the process: The mobile device has been moved too early or must be aligned more precisely.
Write to file	Scanned settings are stored as a file in the memory of the mobile device. The file can be used for - the dispatch by message or mail - the setup of further OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe devices	Display of the file management of the mobile device
Verify		
Verify device	Comparison of the settings displayed in the Settings menu and the settings in the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe	- Ready to scan: Hold your smartphone near to the NFC tag - Display: Data was read successfully or Error message → Repeat the process: The mobile device has been moved too early or must be aligned more precisely. The result: Validation successful: identical settings or Verification failed: different settings
Active operations		
Start initialization	Initialization of the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe The actuator travels along the actuator path and the valve path. The opening and closing point of the valve are stored.	Your device will now begin with the initialization process.
Go to position	Setting the actuator position	Sequence 1. Go to position 2. Confirm 3. Ready to scan: Hold your smartphone near to the NFC tag.

		4. Your Device will now go to the specified position. or Error message → Repeat the process: The mobile device has been moved too early or must be aligned more precisely.
Factory reset	Adjusts the parameters of the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional to the delivery state.	Sequence 1. Warning message Scan process
Settings		
Force	Setting the force in the levels: 100 N, 125 N, 150 N, 200 N	
Runtime	15 s/mm, 30 s/mm	
Valve path recognition (VPR)	ON OFF	
Display illumination	ON OFF	Turns the LCD backlight on or off.
Drive path	2-8.5 mm ²	Limitation of the actuator path when the VPR is switched off. Use as a "limiter".
Bypass	0 ... 50 %	Limitation of the actuator travel in the other direction. Application Ensure minimum flow to protect against frost. Note: Both the rubber diaphragm in the valve and the backlash in the adapter and the gear unit can influence the position. Please check the position!
Display valve path Valve path display	%	% mm
Failsafe position	0 %	0 ... 100%, steps of 10%
Valve curve Valve curve	Linear	Linear EQP
Feedback range Functionality	1-9 V	1-9 V 1-5 V 0-10 V
Control voltage – start Control voltage – start	0.5 V	0 V... 10 V (steps of 0.1 V)
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Note

All modifications must only be carried out with the appropriate expertise. Incorrect settings can lead to malfunctions of the actuator, malfunctions of the control system and consequential costs. The manufacturer does not accept any responsibility for incorrect settings and their consequences.

Changes are accepted after the actuator is switched on again.

4 Functions, operation and initialization

The OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe uses a stepper motor, a microcontroller and a self-locking gear unit.

4.1 Initialization

After switching on the power supply, the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe performs an initialization. In the initialization phase, the actuator determines the travel and displays "In" (for initialization). At the same time, the green LED1 flashes.

First, the valve pressure plate is completely retracted, determining the inner end stop of the actuator. Subsequently, the valve pressure plate extends and first determines, during the travel, the position of contact with the plunger and the second end stop when the end of the valve path is reached and the actuator has come to a standstill.

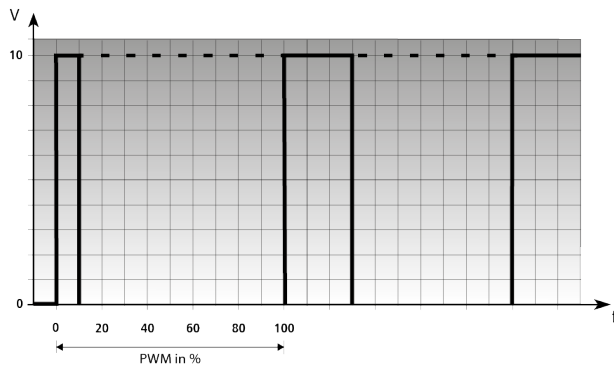
The end of initialization is indicated by the green LED1 going out, "In" going out in the display and the alternating display of the applied control voltage and the current position.

Note

For an initialization phase, the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe requires max. 7 min. During the initialization, the actuator does not respond to the control voltage applied.

4.2 Operation

The control of the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe is done via a 0 – 10 VDC control signal from a room thermostat or a building management system. The control signal allows a precise activation and positioning of the actuator. Alternatively, a PWM signal can be applied to the control voltage input, see diagram:



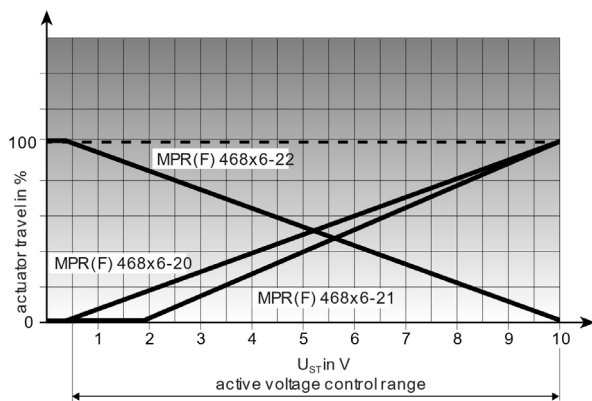
Pulse width frequency 100 Hz to 1000 Hz

After initialization, the applied control voltage is converted proportionally into a setting position. The actuator calculates the setting position to be approached from the control voltage, the set valve path or the measured travel (depending on the mode) and approaches it precisely.

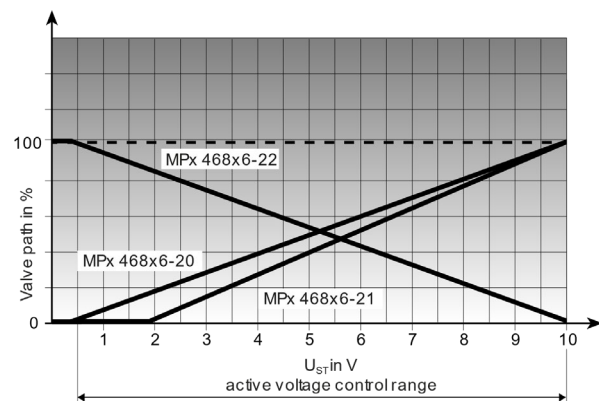
Note

1. For poppet valves with a soft rubber seal, the compression of the rubber seal is detected as the valve path.
2. The following diagrams only apply when the appropriate valve adapter ring is used:

Functional diagram Mode MPR,
without valve path recognition, fixed valve path



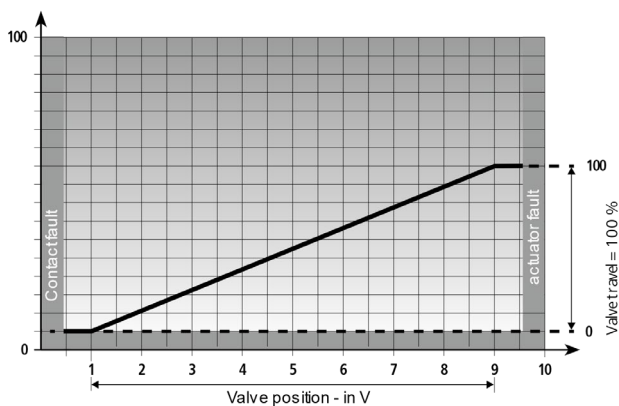
Functional diagram Mode MPV/MPO,
with valve path recognition



Note

The mechanical backlash between the actuator and the valve adapter, as well as backlash in the gear unit of the actuator, are detected as valve path. This has an effect on the position display and the control bandwidth is minimally reduced. Deviating from the actual valve lift, an approx. 1 mm higher valve path is shown in the display.

4.3 Feedback signal



The feedback signal of the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe provides direct feedback of the current operating status to the DDC system via a 0 to 10 V signal. Voltages from 1 to 9 V provide information about the drive position: Voltages <0.5 V and >9.5 V are a signal of errors that have occurred. The connection of the feedback signal is voltage resistant up to 24 V.

Note

The bandwidth of the output voltage can be changed to 0-10 V in the settings. This eliminates the need for error evaluation.

4.4 Failsafe function

The electronic system of the actuator continuously monitors the supply voltage. If this fails for ≥ 2 seconds, the valve spindle moves to the specified parking position and closes e. g. the valve. The actuator remains in this parking position until an operating voltage is applied again. In the event of a power failure during the initialization phase, the actuator stops the initialization and then moves to the parking position.

- The internal energy storage may only have a small residual charge after longer storage. Full failsafe functionality is available after 24 hours of operation (battery charging).
- The internal energy storage is designed for at least 4 power failures per day.
- The charging time for a completely empty energy storage is 16 hours.
- When the operating voltage is applied to the failsafe actuator again, start the initialization. See 4.1 Initialization and 4.2 Operation
- A short start-up can trigger the failsafe case. The valve pressure plate extends, and the actuator can no longer be mounted. In this case, retract the valve pressure plate manually. See section 2.7
- Perform the commissioning of the valve

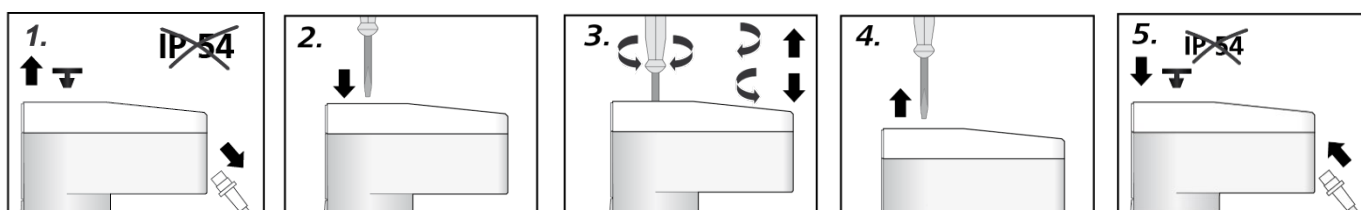
4.4.1 OEM: Factory setting

The failsafe parking position can be set at the factory in increments of 10 percent at the customer's request.

The following applies to actuators without customer-specific parameterization: In the event of a failure of the operating voltage, actuators in the approached position extend their valve pressure plate.

4.5 Manual valve adjustment

The manual valve setting allows to bring the valve pressure plate of the actuator in de-energised status to the desired position. This facilitates e. g. maintenance and installation. **Necessary tools: Slotted screwdriver 0.3 x 2 to 0.5 x 3**



1. Remove the protective plug and the connection line or switch off the voltage supply.

2. Insert the screwdriver into the manual valve adjustment.

3. When turning to the right, the valve pressure plate is retracted, turning to the left extracts it.

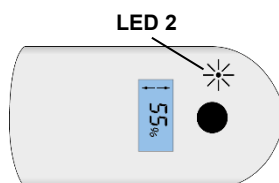
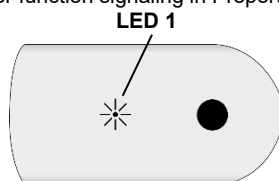
Note: Turn the screwdriver back by a quarter turn when the stop is reached.

4. Remove the screwdriver after reaching the desired position.

5. Install the protective plug and connect the connection line.

4.6 Function display via LED 2/3-point operation modes

For function signaling in Proportional Mode (MPx), the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe uses green and red as signal colors.

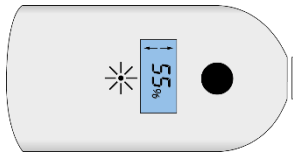


LED 1 - Signal	Meaning
Green flashing	Initialization
Red	Error ¹

LED 2	Description
Green (flashes)	Failsafe operation, parking position is approached
Green	Device ready
Orange	Ready for operation, battery is charging
Red	Error ¹

¹ In case of error: Disconnect from voltage, keep voltage free for 20 minutes and reconnect. If this occurs more than once, replace the device.

4.7 LC display



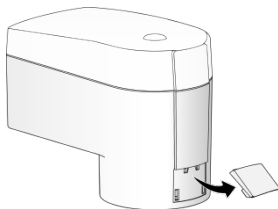
The LC display of the OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe alternately shows the setting position and the applied control voltage. In case of a control requirement, the current driving direction is shown in the LC display by means of an arrow. In case of an error, the corresponding error code is shown and the error is indicated by a steadily lighted LED.

4.8 Error codes

Errors are indicated by an error code. The subsequent table explains the different error codes and error corrections.

Error code	Description	Error correction
E7	Blockage during initialization run at non-permitted position	1. Disconnect actuator from voltage supply 2. Move the actuator shaft with the manual adjuster out of the end position 3. Re-initialization after switching on the voltage supply again In case of repeated occurrence of the fault, the customer service must be consulted.
E8	Motor current too low	1. Re-initialization by switching the actuator off and on again If the fault cannot be rectified automatically after a maximum of three attempts, contact the customer service.
E9	Driving too long in one direction	1. Re-initialization by switching the actuator off and on again If the fault cannot be rectified automatically after a maximum of three attempts, contact the customer service.

4.9 Anti-theft device



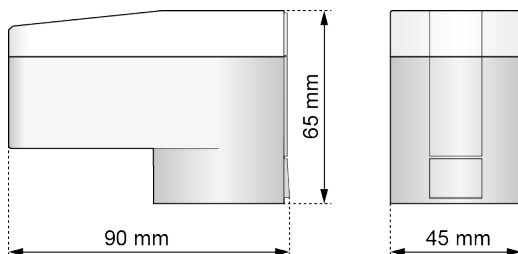
The OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe can be secured against disassembly by unauthorized persons by simply removing the locking button.

5 Technical data

Type		Mode MPRF/VF/OF 46846
Operating voltage		24 V a.c., -10 %... +20 %, 50 - 60 Hz 24 V d.c., -20 %... +20 %
Operating power		2.1 VA / 1.1 W
Max. current consumption (AC/DC)		120 mA / 50 mA
Power consumption standby (AC/DC)		< 35 mA / < 25 mA
Resistance of control voltage input		100 kΩ
Feedback Signal	Voltage range	0 V... 10 V
	Output current	1 mA
	Load impedance	10 – 1000 kΩ
	Resolution	0.1 V
Stroke	Standard	Max. 8.5 mm (default)
	adjustable	2 – 8.5 mm ²
Actuation force	Standard	125 N -20/+40% (default)
	depending on variant	100, 150, 200 N -20/+40%
Actuation time	Standard	15 s/mm (default)
	depending on variant	30 s/mm
LCD (H × W)		10 × 20 mm Background illumination blue, adjustable
LED		multicolor
Fluid temperature		0 °C ... +100 °C
Storage temperature		-20 °C – +70 °C
Ambient temperature		0 °C ... +50 °C
Degree of protection		IP 54 ¹⁾
Protection class		III
CE conformity according to		EN 60730
Casing	Material	Polyamide
	Color	Signal white (RAL 9003)
Casing cover	Material	(polycarbonate)
	Color	transparent
Cable	Type	4 x 0.22 mm ² PVC Optional: 3 x 0.22 mm ² PVC
	Color	white
	Length	1 m
Dimensions (H × W × D)		65 × 45 × 90 mm
Weight with connection cable (1 m)		155 g
Surge strength according to EN 60730-1		1 kV

1) in all installation positions

5.1 Dimensions



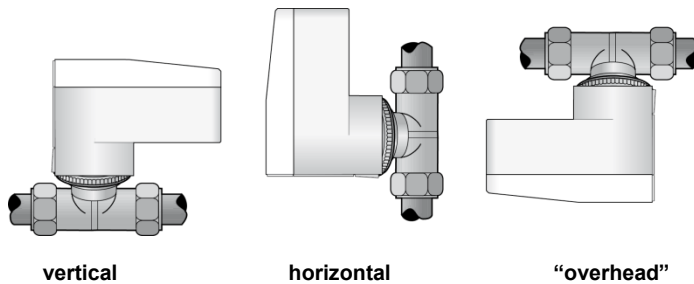
5.2 Certificates



The OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe is NRTL approved by TÜV Süd.

6 Installation notes

6.1 Installation position



The OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe can be operated in any mounting position.

6.2 Installation with valve adapter

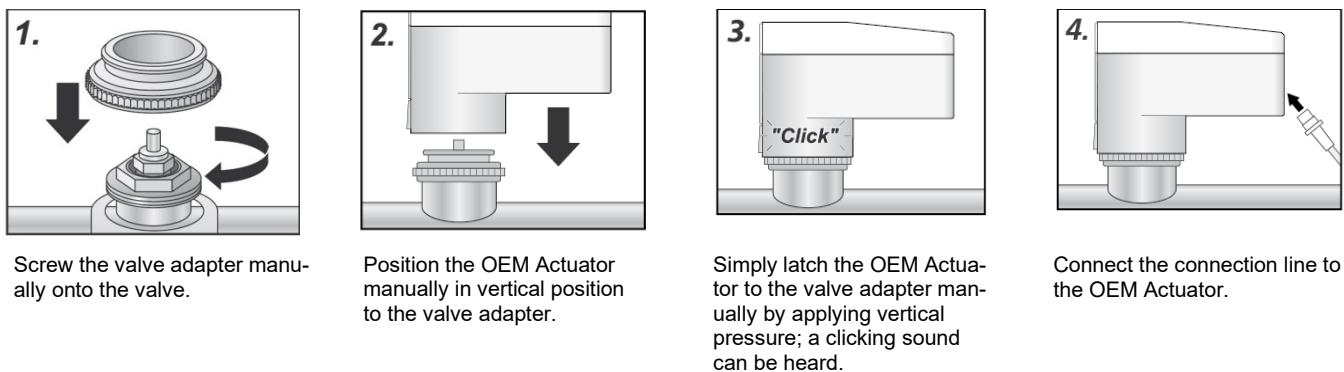
ATTENTION!

Mounting with the valve pressure plate extended will cause damage to the actuator.

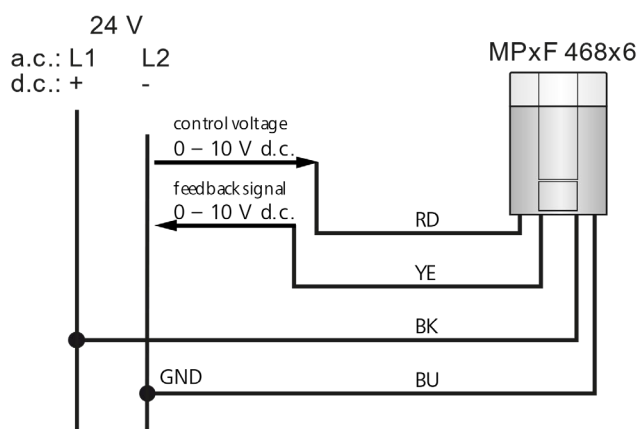
- Mount the actuator only with the valve pressure plate fully retracted
- Retract an extended valve pressure plate completely by manual valve adjustment or electrically.

The OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe must be mounted on the valve with a valve adapter. An extensive range of valve adapters ensures perfect mechanical adaptation of the actuator to almost all valves on the market.

The OEM Motoric Valve Drive 6: 24 V Proportional Failsafe is simply plugged onto the manually pre-installed valve adapter. The fact that the valve pressure plate is retracted in factory, allows for easy installation.



6.3 Electrical connection 24 V a.c./d.c. L1 (+) L2 (-)



Connection line

We recommend the following maximum cable lengths for installing a 24 V system:

Cable	Section	Length
Standard DDC line	0.22 mm ²	20 m
J-Y(ST)Y	0.8 mm ²	45 m
NYM / NYIF	1.5 mm ²	136 m

Transformer/power supply unit:

A safety isolating transformer according to EN 61558-2-6 or a switching power supply according to EN 61558-2-16 must always be used.

The dimensioning of the transformer or the switching power supply results from the maximum making capacity of the OEM Actuators.

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