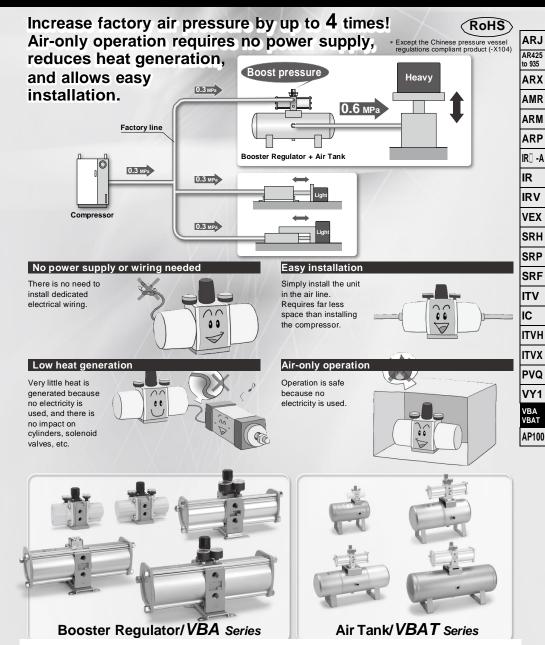
Booster Regulator/Air Tank

VBA/VBAT Series



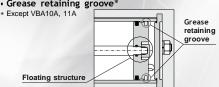
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Booster Regulator VBA Series

Improved Doubled

service life that of the current model

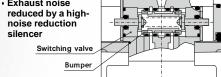
- · Floating piston structure
- Grease retaining groove*



Reduced by 13 dB (A) Reduced noise

compared with the current model · Metal noise reduced by a bumper on the impact part

of the switch valve Exhaust noise



Improved reliability

Built-in mesh filter at IN port

· Prevents operation failure due to foreign matter.



Anti-condensation

Integrated air-feeding tube with the main tube

· Mitigates condensation Tie-rod guide caused by cooling during exhaust expansion. Air-feeding tube

VBA40A

Elbow silencer added* (Option)

Space saving when installed has been realized.

Elbow silencer * Except VBA2 A, 4 A

1/8" gauge ports

- · Allows use of standard fittings for remote
- pressure monitoring, etc.

Gauge ports changed from 1/16" to 1/8" (VBA1□A, 2□A)







Max. operating pressure 1.6 MPa



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ARJ AR425 to 935 ARX AMR ARM **ARP** IR -A IR **IRV** VEX SRH SRP SRF ITV IC ITVH ITVX PVQ VY1

Pressure increase ratio		2 to 4 times		
Operation	Knob-oper (Direct o	rated type peration)	Air-operated type (Remote operation)	Knob-operated type (Direct operation)
Set pressure range	0.2 to 1.0 MPa	0.2 to 1.6 MPa (2.0 MPa)	0.2 to 1.0 MPa	0.4 to 2.0 MPa
1/4"	_	VBA10A-02 (0.2 to 2.0 MPa)	_	VBA11A-02
	VBA20A-03		VBA22A-03	
3/8"				
	VBA40A-04	VBA43A-04 (0.2 to 1.6 MPa)	VBA42A-04	
1/2"		(32.0 10 mm a)		

Air Tank VBAT Series

P-1022

VBA VBAT

AP100

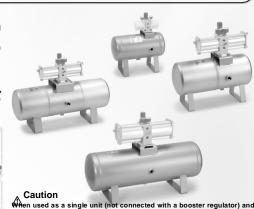
Perfect fit with a booster regulator

This is an air tank to which a booster regulator can be connected compactly. It can be used alone as a tank. The pressure vessel law is different from country to country, so as an air tank suitable to a country needs to be confirmed.

Extensive product lineup

To meet a variety of usage environment and pressure specifications, models are available in two materials, stainless steel 304 and carbon steel (SS400), and in four sizes ranging from 5 liters to 38 liters.

Model	VBAT05A	VBAT10A	VBAT20A	VBAT38A			
Tank capacity (L)	5	10	20	38			
Max. operating pressure (MPa)	2	.0	1.0				
Material	Carbon steel						
Model	VBAT05S	VBAT10S	VBAT20S	VBAT38S			
Tank capacity (L)	5	10	20	38			
Max. operating pressure (MPa)	5	10 2.		38			
	5		.0	38			



when used as a single unit (not connected with a booster regulator) and pressurized at over 1 MPa at normal temperatures, the air tank falls under the scope of the "High Pressure Gas Safety Act" in Japan.

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Booster Regulator

VBA Series



How to Order

Thread type Note) Symbol Thread type Nil

Note) Thread types apply to the IN, OUT, and EXH ports of the VBA1□A and to the IN, OUT, EXH, and gauge ports of the VBA2□A and VBA4□A The gauge ports of the VBA1 □A are Rc thread type regardless of the

thread type indication.

02

03

04

1/4

3/8

1/2

G NPT



VBA 40A 04 Semi-standard

		Body Size				
	1/4", Knob-operated type					
20A	3/8", Knob-operated type					
40A	1/2", Knob-operated type	Pressure increase ratio: Twice				
	3/8", Air-operated type					
42A	1/2", Air-operated type					
43A	1/2", Max. operating pressure 1.6 MPa					
11A Note)	1/4", Knob-operated type	Pressure increase ratio: 2 to 4 times				

Note) Set the pressure increase ratio to 2 or more.

Symbol







VBA22A-03



VΒ	A4	LOA	1-04



Symbol	Semi-standard
Nil	Standard product
Z Note)	Pressure unit on the product name label: psi Pressure unit on the pressure gauge: MPa and psi

Note) Thread type: NPT, NPTF

Under the new measurement law, the pressure unit of "psi" on the pressure gauges cannot be used in Japan.

Option

Symbol	Option
Nil	None
G	Pressure gauge
N	Silencer
S	High-noise reduction silencer Note)
GN	Pressure gauge, Silencer
GS	Pressure gauge, High-noise reduction silencer Note)
LN	Elbow silencer Note)
LS	Elbow high-noise reduction silencer Note)
GLN	Pressure gauge, Elbow silencer Note)
GLS	Pressure gauge, Elbow high-noise reduction silencer Note)

Note) Refer to "Combination of Thread Type and Options."

Port size Symb I Port size Applicable series VBA1☐ A VBA2 A VBA4□ A







Combination of Thread Type and Options

Body size	Thread	Option							Semi-standard				
Body Size	type	Nil	G	N	S	GN	GS	LN	LS	GLN	GLS	Nil	-Z
	Nil				Ш					П	Ш	П	_
10A	F									Ш	Ш	Ш	-
11A	N				_		-		-		_		
	Т				_		-		-	П	_	П	U
	Nil				Ш								_
20A	F									/		Ш	-
22A	N								/			Ш	Ш
	Т				Ш							П	Ш
404	Nil				Ш							U	_
40A 42A	F									/			1
42A 43A	N		Ш		Ш				/	_		U	U
43A	T												

Air Tank Compatibility Chart

Air tank	VBA10A/11A	VBA20A/22A	VBA40A/42A	VBA43A
VBAT05A(1) VBAT05S(1)		_	_	_
VBAT10A(1) VBAT10S(1)	Ш	0	_	=
VBAT20A(1) VBAT20S(1)	_			
VBAT38A(1) VBAT38S(1)		D		_

VBA42A-04

Standard Specifications

Model	VBA10A-02	VBA20A-03	VBA40A-04	VBA22A-03	VBA42A-04	VBA43A-04	VBA11A-02		
Fluid		Compressed air							
Pressure increase ratio			Tw	rice			2 to 4 times Note 4)		
Pressure adjustment mechanism	Knob-operate	erated with relief mechanism Note 2) Air-operated			Knob-operated with relief mechanism Note 2)				
Max. flow rate Note 3) (L/min (ANR))	230	1000	1900	1000	1900	1600	70		
Set pressure range (MPa)	0.2 to 2.0	0.2 t	o 1.0	0.2 t	o 1.0	0.2 to 1.6	0.4 to 2.0		
Supply pressure range (MPa)				0.1 to 1.0					
Proof pressure (MPa)	3		1	.5		2.4	3		
Port size (Rc) (IN/OUT/EXH: 3 locations)	1/4	3/8	1/2	3/8	1.	/2	1/4		
Pressure gauge port size (Rc) (IN/OUT: 2 locations)				1/8					
Tank connection port (with plug) Note 5)	1/4	3/8	1/2	3/8	1/	2	1/4		
Ambient and fluid temperature (°C)			2	to 50 (No freezin	g)				
Installation		Horizontal							
Lubrication		Grease (Non-lube)							
Weight (kg)	0.84	3.9	8.6	3.9	8.6	8.6	0.89		

Note 1) Be sure to secure an air supply capacity of the minimum operating pressure (0.1 MPa) or more.

Note 2) If the OUT pressure is higher than the set pressure by the knob, excess pressure is exhausted from the back of the knob.

Note 3) Flow rate at IN= OUT= 0.5 MPa. The pressure varies depending on the operating conditions. Refer to "Flow Rate Characteristics" on pages 1012 and 1013.

Note 4) Set the pressure increase ratio to 2 or more.

Note 5) The tank connection port cannot be used for applications other than the connection with VBAT.

Options/Part No.

Pressure Gauge, Silencer (When thread type is Rc or G.)

Mo Description	del	VBA10A-02 VBA10A-F02	VBA20A-03 VBA20A-F03	VBA40A-04 VBA40A-F04	VBA22A-03 VBA22A-F03	VBA42A-04 VBA42A-F04	VBA43A-04 VBA43A-F04	VBA11A-02 VBA11A-F02
Pressure gauge	G	G27-20-01	G36-	10-01	KT-VBA22A-7	G36-10-01	G27-20-01	G27-20-01
Silencer	Ν	AN20-02	AN30-03	AN40-04	AN30-03	AN40-04	AN40-04	AN20-02
High-noise reduction silencer	S	ANA1-02	ANA1-03	ANA1-04	ANA1-03	ANA1-04	ANA1-04	ANA1-02
Elbow for silencer	L	KT-VBA10A-18	_		_	_	_	KT-VBA10A-18

Note 1) In the case of options GN, two pressure gauges and one silencer are included in the same container as accessories.

Note 2) KT-VBA22A-7 is a pressure gauge with fitting. (Please order two units when using with IN and OUT.)

Pressure Gauge, Silencer (When thread type is NPT or NPTF.)

Model VBA10A-N02* VBA10A-T02*						VBA42A-N04* VBA42A-T04*		VBA11A-N02* VBA11A-T02*
Description	_	*: when " -Z "					*: when " -Z "	*: when " -Z "
Pressure gauge *: when Nil		G27-20-01	G36-1	G36-10-N01		G36-10-N01	G27-20-N01	G27-20-01
Pressure gauge *: when *-Z" Note 4)	G	G27-P20-01-X30	G36-P10	-N01-X30	KT-VBA22A-8N	G36-P10-N01-X30	G27-P20-N01-X30	G27-P20-01-X30
Silencer	Ν	AN20-N02	AN30-N03	AN40-N04	AN30-N03	AN40-N04	AN40-N04	AN20-N02
High-noise reduction silencer	S	_	ANA1-N03	ANA1-N04	ANA1-N03	ANA1-N04	ANA1-N04	_
Elbow for silencer	L	KT-VBA10A-18N	_	_	_	_	_	KT-VBA10A-18N

Note 1) In the case of options GN, two pressure gauges and one silencer are included in the same container as accessorie

Note 2) KT-VBA22A-7N, KT-VBA22A-8N are pressure gauges with fittings. (Please order two units when using with IN and OUT.) Note 3) Under the new measurement law, the pressure unit of "psi" on the pressure gauges cannot be used in Japan.

Note 4) Pressure unit on the pressure gauge: MPa and psi

Related Products/Part No.

Mist Separator, Exhaust Cleaner

mot coparator, Extractor croams.										
Model Description	For VBA10A-02 For VBA11A-02	For VBA20A-03	For VBA40A-04 For VBA42A-04 For VBA43A-04							
Mist separator	AM250C-02	AM450C-04, 06	AM550C-06, 10							
Exhaust cleaner	AMC310-03	AMC510-06	AMC610-10							

Note) Refer to page 1022 for air tanks, page 223 for mist separators and Best

Pneumatics No.7 for exhaust cleaners

Refer to the separate operation manual for the connection method.

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ARJ AR425 to 935 ARX

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ARP IR -A

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VEX SRH

> SRP SRF

ITV IC

ITVH

ITVX

PVQ VY1

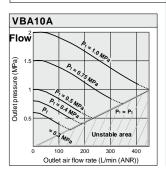
Solid line: Operating range

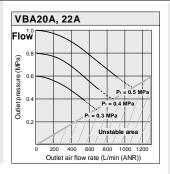
Operate so that the flow rate follows the solid line even when the outlet side air has been consumed.

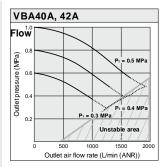
Ex.) For the VBA10A: When the inlet pressure is 0.5 MPa and the set pressure is 1.0 MPa, operate at an outlet air flow rate of 180 L/min (ANR) or less.

Dotted line: Outside of the set pressure range

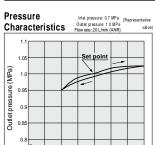
P1: Inlet pressure P2: Outlet pressure

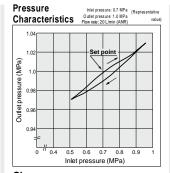


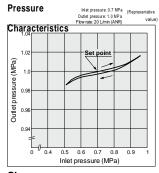


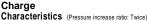


When operated at a flow rate that falls within the unstable area ($P_2 < P_1$ conditions) as shown in the graphs above, the booster regulator may not operate normally and may therefore fail to increase the pressure.

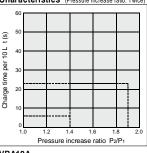




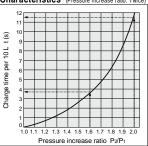




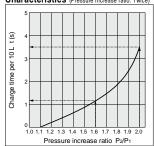
Inlet pressure (MPa)



Charge Characteristics (Pressure increase ratio: Twice)



Charge Characteristics (Pressure increase ratio: Twice)



VBA10A

0 " 0.4 0.5 0.6 0.7 0.8 0.9

 The time required to charge pressure in the tank from 0.7 MPa to 0.95 MPa at 0.5 MPa supply pressure:

$$\begin{array}{l} \underline{P_2} = \underline{0.7} = 1.4 & \underline{P_2} = \underline{0.95} = 1.9 \\ \text{With the pressure increase ratio from 1.4 to 1.9, the charge time of $23-6=17$ sec. (t) is given by the graph. Then, the charge time (T) for a 10 L tank:$$

 $T = t \times \frac{V}{10} = 17 \times \frac{10}{10} = 17 \text{ (s)}.$

VBA20A, 22A

 The time required to charge pressure in the tank from 0.8 MPa to 1.0 MPa at 0.5 MPa supply pressure:

$$\begin{array}{l} \frac{P_2}{P_1} = \underbrace{0.8}_{0.5} = 1.6 & \frac{P_2}{P_1} = \underbrace{1.0}_{0.5} = 2.0 \\ \text{With the pressure increaser ratio from 1.6 to 2.0, the charge time of 11.5 - 3.8 = 7.7 sec. (t) is given by the graph. Then, the charge time (T) for a 100 L tank:
$$T = t x \underbrace{V}_{0.5} = 7.7 \ x \underbrace{100}_{0.5} = 77 \ (s). \end{array}$$$$

VBA40A, 42A

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 The time required to charge pressure in the tank from 0.8 MPa to 1.0 MPa at 0.5 MPa supply pressure:

$$\frac{\mathbf{P_2}}{\mathbf{P_1}} = \frac{0.8}{0.5} = 1.6$$
 $\frac{\mathbf{P_2}}{\mathbf{P_1}} = \frac{1.0}{0.5} = 2.0$

With the pressure increase ratio from 1.6 to 2.0, the charge time of 3.5 – 1.1 = 2.4 sec. (t) is given by the graph. Then, the charge time (T) for a 100 L tank: $T = t \times \frac{V}{T} = 2.4 \times \frac{100}{T} = 24 \text{ (s)}.$

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Solid line: Operating range

Operate so that the flow rate follows the solid line even when the outlet side air has been consumed.

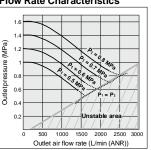
Ex.) For the VBA10A: When the inlet pressure is 0.5 MPa and the set pressure is 1.0 MPa, operate at an outlet air flow rate of 180 L/min (ANR) or less.

Dotted line: Outside of the set pressure range

P1: Inlet pressure P2: Outlet pressure

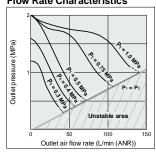
VBA43A

Flow Rate Characteristics



VBA11A

Flow Rate Characteristics



Pulsation/Pulsation is decreased with a tank.

If the outlet capacity is undersized, pulsation may occur.

ARJ

AR425 to 935 ARX

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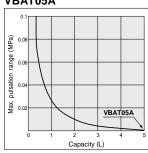
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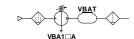
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VY1 VBAT

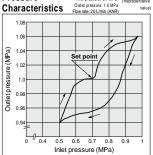
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VBAT05A





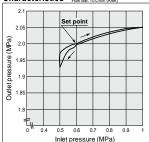
as shown in the graphs above, the booster regulator may not operate normally and may therefore fail to increase the pressure. Pressure Inlet pressure: 0.7 MPa





When operated at a flow rate that falls within the unstable area (P2 < P1 conditions)





Characteristics (Pressure increase ratio: Twice)

VBAT10A, 20A, 38A





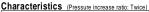


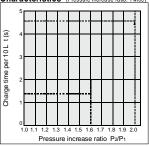


· Performance of air tank

- Alleviates the pulsation generated on the outlet side.
- · When air consumption exceeds air supply during intermittent operation, required air will be accumulated in the tank for use. This does not apply for continuous
- · Operation at a flow rate that falls within the unstable area under temporary $P_1 \ge P_2$ conditions can be prevented when the outlet side air has been consumed.

Charge





The time required to charge pressure in the tank from 0.8 MPa to 1.0 MPa at 0.5 MPa supply pressure:

$$\frac{\mathbf{P_2}}{\mathbf{P_1}} = \frac{0.8}{0.5} = 1.6$$

$$\frac{\mathbf{P_2}}{\mathbf{P_1}} = \frac{1.0}{0.5} = 2$$

With the pressure increase ratio from 1.6 to 2.0, the charge time of 4.5 – 1.3 = 3.2 sec. (t) is given by the graph. Then, the charge time (T) for a 100 L tank: $T = t \times \frac{V}{} = 3.2 \times \frac{100}{} = 32 \text{ (s)}.$

Charge

400

200

100

per 10 L

Charge time

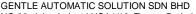
The time required to charge pressure in the tank from 1.0 MPa to 1.5 MPa at 0.5 MPa supply pressure:

$$\frac{P_2}{P_1} = \frac{1.0}{0.5} = 2$$

$$\frac{P_2}{P_1} = \frac{1.5}{0.5} = 3$$

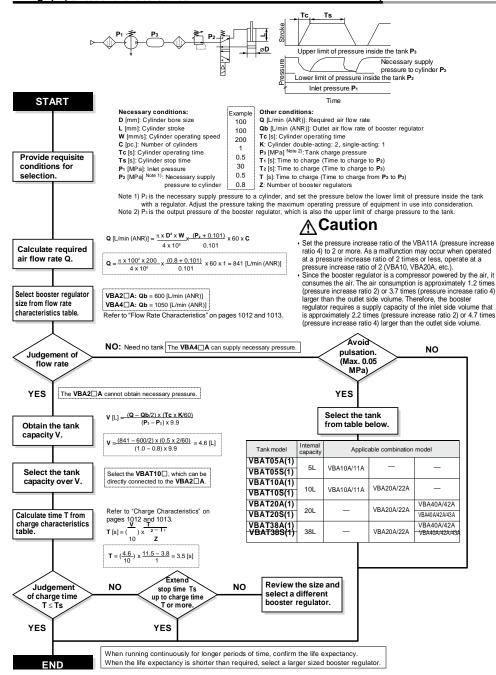
Pressure increase ratio P2/P1

With the pressure increase ratio from 2.0 to 3.0, the charge time of 147 – 58 = 89 sec. (t) is given by the graph. Then, the charge time (T) for a 10 L tank: $T = t \times \frac{V}{} = 89 \times \frac{10}{} = 89 \text{ (s)}.$



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Sizing (Please use the Booster Regulator Model Selection Software on the SMC website, http://mssc.smcworld.com/brmss/

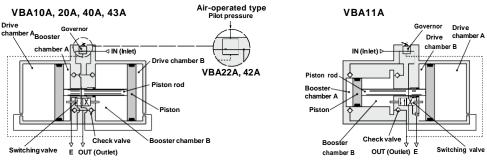


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Working Principle

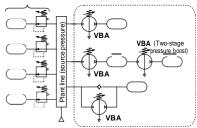
The IN air passes through the check valve to booster chambers A and B. Meanwhile, air is supplied to drive chamber B via the governor and the switching valve. Then, the air pressure from drive chamber B and booster chamber A are applied to the piston, boosting the air in booster chamber B. As the piston travels, the boosted air is pushed via the check valve to the OUT side. When the piston reaches to the end, the piston causes the switching valve to switch, so that drive chamber B is in the exhaust state and drive chamber A is in the supply state respectively. Then, the piston reverses its movement, this time, the pressures from booster chamber B and drive chamber A boosts the air in booster chamber A and sends it to the OUT side. The process described above is repeated to continuously supply highly pressurized air from the IN to the OUT side. The governor establishes the outlet pressure by knob operation and pressure adjustment in the drive chamber by feeding back the outlet pressure.



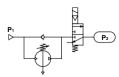
Circuit Example

 When only some of the machines in the plant require high-pressure air, booster regulators can be installed for only the equipment that requires it. This allows the overall system to use low-pressure air while accommodating machines requiring high-pressure air.

General line (low pressure) Locations requiring high pressure

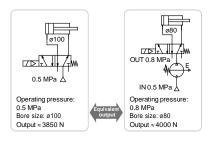


- When using two booster regulators for 2-stage pressure boost, be sure to supply sufficient flow to each booster regulator in order to stabilize the booster regulator inlet pressure. Refer to Selection 2. on page 1016 for the inlet side supply amount.
- When charging a tank or the like from a source at atmospheric pressure, a circuit with a check valve can be used to reduce the charge time by allowing air to pass through the check valve up to the inlet pressure.

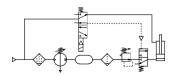


Initially, inlet pressure (P1) passes through the check valve, fills P2, and results in P1 = P2.

- When the actuator output is insufficient but space limitations prohibit switching to a larger cylinder diameter, a booster regulator can be used to increase the pressure. This makes it possible to boost the output without replacing the actuator.
- When a certain level of output is required but the cylinder size must be kept small so that the driver remains compact.



 When only one side of the cylinder is used for work, booster regulators can be installed only on the lines that require them to reduce the overall air consumption volume.



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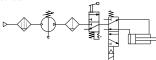
⚠Warning

1. Warning concerning abnormal outlet pressure

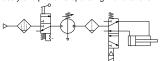
- If there is a likelihood of causing an outlet pressure drop due to unforeseen circumstances such as equipment malfunction, thus leading to a major problem, take safety measures on the system side.
- Because the outlet pressure could exceed its set range if there is a large fluctuation in the inlet pressure, leading to unexpected accidents, take safety measures against abnormal pressures. If operation at a flow rate that falls within the unstable area (P₁ ≥ P₂) occurs due to outlet pressure consumption, install an air tank, etc. (Refer to page 1013.)
- Operate the equipment within its maximum operating pressure and set pressure range.

2. Residual pressure measures

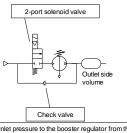
 Connect a 3-port valve to the OUT side of the booster regulator if the residual pressure must be released quickly from the outlet pressure side for maintenance, etc. (Refer to the diagram below.) The residual outlet pressure side cannot be released even if the 3-port valve is connected to the IN side because the check valve in the booster regulator will activate.



 After operation is finished, release the supply pressure at the inlet. This stops the booster regulator from moving needlessly and prevents operating malfunctions.



- If operated so that the inlet pressure and outlet pressure are exhausted every operational cycle, the flow rate will occasionally fall within the unstable area shown in the Flow Rate Characteristics graphs on pages 1012 and 1013, resulting in the switching valve stopping halfway and failing to increase the pressure. (The restart method is shown on page 1017-1.)
- When exhausting inlet pressure or outlet pressure (residual pressure), supply inlet pressure to the booster regulator after supplying the inlet pressure to the outlet side volume.



Supply inlet pressure to the booster regulator from the 2-port solenoid valve after the inlet pressure has accumulated in the outlet side volume.

Recommended air circuit

Design

∧Caution

1. System configuration

- Be sure to secure an air supply capacity of the minimum operating pressure (0.1 MPa) or more. If the internal operating pressure becomes the minimum operating pressure or less, the switching valve may remain in the intermediate position, which may cause a restart failure.
- The IN port of the booster regulator has metallic mesh to prevent dust from entering the booster regulator. However, it cannot remove dust continuously or separate drainage. Make sure to install a mist separator (AM series) on the inlet side of the booster regulator.
- The booster regulator has a sliding part inside, and it generates dust. Also, install an air purification device such as an air filter or a mist separator on the outlet side as necessary.
- Connect a lubricator to the outlet side, because the accumulated oil in the booster regulator may result in a malfunction.

2. Exhaust air measures

 Provide a dedicated pipe to release the exhaust air from each booster regulator. If centralized piping is used for the exhaust air, the switching valve may stop halfway and fail to increase the pressure due to the influence of other exhaust.

In the same manner, if a silencer or exhaust cleaner other than those designated by SMC is used, back pressure will be generated due to the clogging of the silencer, which may result in the switching valve stopping halfway and failing to increase the pressure.

 Depending on the necessity, install a silencer or an exhaust cleaner on the exhaust port of the booster regulator to reduce the exhaust noise.

3. Maintenance space

· Allow the sufficient space for maintenance and inspection.

Selection

⚠Caution

1. Check the specifications.

 Consider the operating conditions and operate this product within the specification range that is described in this catalog.

2. Selection

- Based on the conditions (such as pressure, flow rate and cycle time) required for the outlet side of the booster regulator, check the selection procedures described in this catalog or model selection software for size selection of the booster regulator. Model selection can be done using the selection software on the SMC website. Go to Documents/Downloads → Model Selection Software → Booster Regulators
- Since the booster regulator is a compressor powered by the air, it
 consumes the air. The air consumption is approximately 1.2 times
 (pressure increase ratio 2) or 3.7 times (pressure increase ratio 4) larger
 than the outlet side volume. Therefore, the booster regulator requires a
 supply capacity of the inlet side volume that is approximately 2.2 times
 (pressure increase ratio 2) or 4.7 times (pressure increase ratio 4) larger
 than the outlet side volume.
- Set the pressure of the VBA10A, VBA20A, VBA22A, VBA40A, VBA42A or VBA43A (pressure increase ratio 2) to a level that is at least 0.1 MPa higher than the inlet pressure. If the pressure differential is 0.1 MPa or less, the internal operating pressure becomes the minimum operating pressure or less and the switching valve may remain at the intermediate position, causing a restart failure.
- Set the pressure increase ratio of the VBA11A (pressure increase ratio 4) to 2 or more. When the VBA11A is used at a pressure increase ratio of 2 or less, the internal operating pressure becomes the minimum operating pressure or less and the switching valve may remain at the intermediate position, causing a restart failure.
- When operating the booster regulator continuously for longer periods of time, particularly confirm its service life.
- The service life of the booster regulator depends on not the operation hours but the operating cycles (piston sliding distance). The operating cycles (piston sliding distance) depend on the outlet flow of the booster regulator. Thus, when more outlet flow of the booster regulator is used, its service life becomes shorter. Selecting a booster regulator of a larger size will result in reduced operation frequency, thus increasing the service life of the product.
- When using two booster regulators for 2-stage pressure boost, be sure to provide a stable supply of pressure to the downstream booster regulator, and install a pressure vessel such as an air tank, etc., between the booster regulators. (Refer to the circuit diagram shown on page 1015.)

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Mounting

^Caution

1. Transporting

 When transporting this product, hold it lengthwise with both hands. Never hold it by the black knob that protrudes from the center because the knob could become detached from the body, causing the body to fall and leading to injury.

2. Installation

- Install this product so that the silver-colored tie-rods and cover are placed horizontally. If mounted vertically, it may result in a malfunction.
- Because the piston cycle vibration is transferred, use the following mounting bolts (VBA1: M5; VBA2, 4: M10) and tighten them with the specified torque (VBA1: 3 N·m; VBA2, 4: 24 N·m).
- If the transmission of vibration is not preferred, insert an isolating rubber material before installation.
- Mount the pressure gauge with a torque of 7 to 9 N·m.

Piping

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1. Flushing

 Use an air blower to flush the piping to thoroughly remove any cutting chips, cutting oil, or debris from the piping inside, before connecting them. If they enter the inside of the booster regulator, they could cause the booster regulator to malfunction or its durability could be affected.

2. Piping size

• To bring the booster regulator's ability into full play, make sure to match the piping size to the port size.

Air Supply

1. Quality of air source

- Connect a mist separator to the inlet side near the booster regulator. If the quality of the compressed air is not thoroughly controlled, the booster regulator could malfunction (without being able to boost) or its durability could be affected.
- If dry air (atmospheric pressure dew point: -23°C or less) is used, the life expectancy may be shortened because dry air will accelerate evaporation of grease inside.

2. Pressure fluctuation

Provide a stable supply of pressure for the inlet pressure.
 If the inlet pressure supply is unstable, operation also becomes unstable, which may result in the switching valve stopping halfway and failing to increase the pressure.

Operating Environment

∧Caution

1. Installation location

- Do not install this product in an area that is exposed to rainwater or direct sunlight.
- Do not install in locations influenced by vibrations. If it must be used in such an area due to unavoidable circumstances, please contact SMC beforehand.

Handling

∧Caution

1. Setting the pressure on the knob-operated type

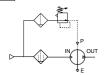
- If air is supplied to the product in the shipped state, the air will be released.
- Set the pressure by quickly pulling up on the governor knob, releasing the lock, and rotating the knob in the direction of the arrow (+).
- There is an upper and lower limit for the knob rotation. If over-rotating the knob even after reaching to the limit, the internal parts may be damaged. If the knob suddenly feels heavy while being turned, stop turning the knob.
- Once the setting is completed, push the knob down and lock if
- To decrease the outlet pressure, after the pressure has been set, rotate the knob in the direction of the arrow (–).
 The residual air will be released from the area of the knob, due to the relief construction of the governor.
- To reset the pressure, first reduce the pressure so that it is lower than the desired pressure; then, set it to the desired pressure.



Setting the pressure on the air-operated type (VBA22A, 42A)

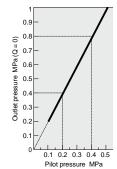
- Connect the outlet pipe of the pilot regulator for the remote control to the pilot port (P). (Refer to the diagram below.)
- Refer to the graph below for the relationship between the pilot pressure and outlet pressure.
- The AR20 and AW20 are recommended for the pilot regulator.

Pilot regulator



- · The outlet pressure is twice the pilot pressure.
- · When the inlet pressure is 0.4 MPa:

Pilot pressure 0.2 MPa to 0.4 MPa Outlet pressure 0.4 MPa to 0.8 MPa



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Handling

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3. Draining

 If this product is used with a large amount of drainage accumulated in the filter, mist separator or tank, the drainage could flow out, leading to equipment malfunction. Therefore, drain the system once a day. If it is equipped with an auto drain, check its operation once a day.

4. Exhaust

If the air on the OUT side is not consumed for a long period
of time when the pressure increase ratio is set to 2 or less,
there may be delays in the left and right switching operation
of the piston, which may result in air leakage from the
exhaust port. This phenomenon is not considered abnormal. The leak will stop once the air on the OUT side is
consumed.

5. Maintenance

Booster regulator

- Life expectancy varies depending on the quality of air and the operating conditions. Signs that the unit is reaching the end of its service life include the following:
- · Constant bleed from under the knob.
- Air exhaust noise can be heard from the booster regulator at 10 to 20 second intervals even when there is no air consumption on the outlet side.
- Conduct maintenance earlier than scheduled in such cases.
- When maintenance is required, confirm the model and lot number of the booster regulator, and please contact SMC for maintenance kit.
- Conduct maintenance according to the specified maintenance procedure by individuals possessing enough knowledge and experiences in maintaining pneumatic equipment.
- The list of replacement parts and kit number are shown on page 1018, and the figure shows the position of the parts.

Silencer

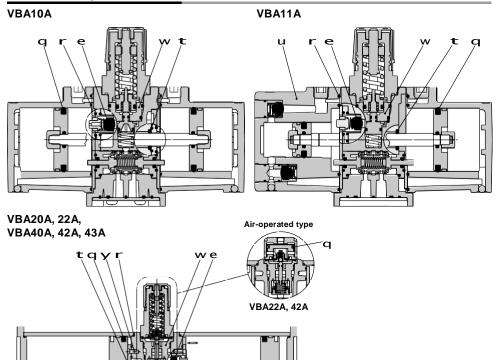
It is normal for the silencer to change in color due to the turbine oil, grease, and drain contained in the exhaust, the surrounding atmosphere, etc. Back pressure will be generated if the silencer is clogged, which may result in the switching valve stopping halfway and failing to increase the pressure; therefore, be sure to perform regular maintenance on the product.

6. Restart method when the pressure will not increase

- With the inlet side in a pressurized state, use your finger, a finger valve, etc., to block the exhaust port, let the exhaust pressure rise, and then quickly release it.
- Release inlet and outlet pressure air and, after confirming the safety of the downstream devices, resupply the air.



Construction/Replacement Parts



Replacement Parts/Kit No.

Place an order with the following applicable kit number.

Model	VBA10A	VBA20A	VBA40A	VBA22A	VBA42A	VBA43A	VBA11A
Kit no.	KT-VBA10A-1	KT-VBA20A-1	KT-VBA40A-1	KT-VBA22A-1	KT-VBA42A-1	KT-VBA43A-1	KT-VBA11A-20

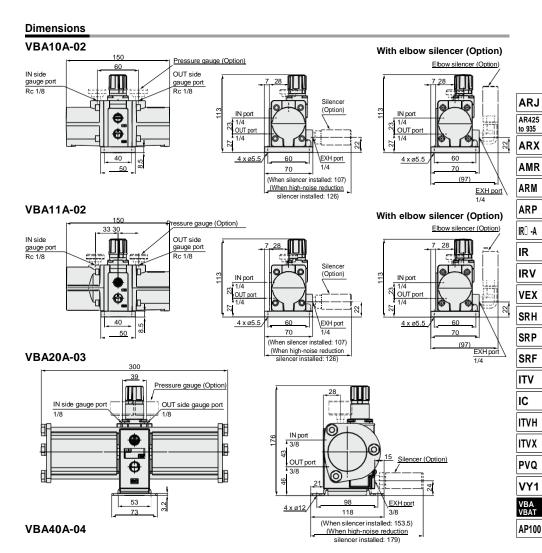
The kit includes the parts from q to u and a grease pack.

No.	Model	VBA10A	VBA20A	VBA40A	VBA22A	VBA42A	VBA43A	VBA11A
NO.	Description				Quantity			
1	Piston seal		2		2 large	1 small	2	1 each large and small
2	Governor assembly		1					
3	Check valve				4			2
4	Gasket				2			
5	Rod seal				1			
6	Mounting screw	_	8	12	8	1:	2	_
7	Cover C assembly			-	_			1
=	Grease pack	1		2	1	2	2	1

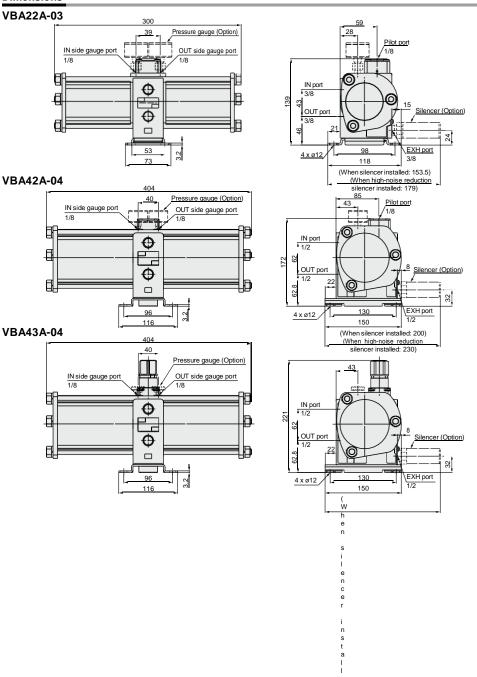
- * The grease pack has 10 g of grease.
- * Make sure to refer to the procedure for maintenance.
- \ast For details on the replacement parts kit, refer to the procedure for maintenance.
- * Refer to page 1011 for pressure gauges.

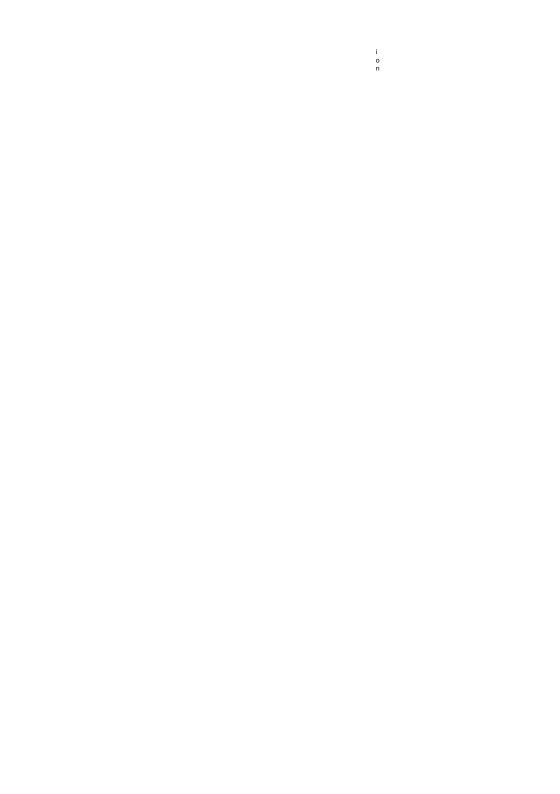
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Air Tank **VBAT** Series



* Except the Chinese pressure vessel regulations compliant product (-X104)



How to Order

- Compact connections are possible with booster regulators.
- regulators.

 It can be used alone as a tank.
- Also partially compatible with overseas standards



Standard Product (For Japanese Market)

Note) The thread type for each port is Rc.

VBAT 10 A 1 - S

Tank internal capacity

Symbol	Internal capacity
05	5 L
10	10 L
20	20 L
38	38 L

Material

Symbol	Material
Α	Carbon steel (SS400)
S	Stainless steel 304

Option

Symbol	Option	
Nil	None	
V	Drain valve	

Option

Symbol	Option	Applicable model
Nil	None Note)	All models
R	Safety valve (Set pressure: 1 MPa)	VBAT05A1, VBAT10A1 VBAT20A1, VBAT38A1
ø	Safety valve (Set pressure: 2 MPa)	VBAT05A1 VBAT10A1

Note) A safety valve port is provided only when option R or S is selected.

CE Certified Product

VBAT 10 A F-SV-Q

Tank internal capacity

Symbol	Internal capacity
05	5 L
10	10 L
20	20 L
38	38 L

Material

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ymbol	Material
Α	Carbon steel (SS400)

CE certified product (Self-declaration document attached)

Accessories

	Symbol	Accessories	Applicable model
	RV	Safety valve (Set pressure: 1 MPa) Drain valve	VBAT20A VBAT38A
	sv	Safety valve (Set pressure: 2 MPa) Drain valve	VBAT05A VBAT10A

Thread type

Till eau type			
Symbol	Thread type		
Nil	Rc		
F	G		

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When used as a single unit (not connected with a booster regulator) and pressurized at over 1 MPa at normal temperatures, the air tank falls under the scope of the "High Pressure Gas Safety Act" in Japan.



Symbol

Α1

Material

Material

Carbon steel

Stainless steel

◆ Chinese pressure vessel regulations compliant product
• Safety valve/Pressure gauge set Note)

Symbol	Applicable model
ט	VBAT05A1, VBAT10A1 VBAT05S1, VBAT10S1
T	VBAT20A1, VBAT38A1 VBAT20S1, VBAT38S1

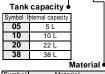
Note) When a drain valve is required, please order it separately.

Drain valve part no.: VBAT-V1

Note) The safety valve/pressure gauge set is not RoHS compliant.

ASME Standards Compliant Product

VBAT 05 A N 1-E-X105



Symbol Material

A Carbon steel (SA-414)

S Stainless steel (SA-240 316)

Thread type

Symbol Thread type

Nil Rc

N NPT

ASME standards compliant product
Note! The labels indicating compliance with ASME
standards are not based on the lateral and
system of Units. Therefore, these products cannot
be used in Japan under the new Measurement Act.
 Accessory

Symbol
Accessory

E Salety valve/Set pressure: 2.0 MPa (Included)

EV Salety valve/Set pressure: 2.0 MPa (Included)

+ Drain valve

A safety valve is required according to

 A safety valve is required according to ASME Standards.
 The drain valve is sold separately.
 Please order it separately.

(Packaged and shipped separately)				
Part no.	Thread type			
VBAT-V1	Rc			
VBAT-V1N	NPT			

to the ASME Standard

VBAT 05 A N 1-SV-X11

Tank internal capacity

Symbol Internal capacity

05 5 L

10 10 L

Symbol Material

A Carbon steel (SS400)

Thread type •						
Symbol	Thread type					
Nil	Rc					
N	NPT Note)	1				

Product not applicable

Note 1) Customers are responsible for preparing a safety valve.

Note 2) Safety valve does not meet ASME specifications.

Note) This product is for overseas use only according to the new Measurement Law. (The SI unit type is provided for use in Japan.)

This product is not ASME Standards-compliant.
 As this product does not require compliance with ASME Standards, it can still be used in the U.S.

List of Air Tank for Overseas

Country/Region	Law	Exportable models	Details	Option (Order it separately.)
South Korea	Industrial Safety and Health Act KCs Certification High-Pressure Gas Safety Control Act	VBAT05A1-X101 Note 2) VBAT10A1-X101 VBAT20A1-X101 VBAT20A1-X101 VBAT38A1-X101 VBAT05S1-X101 VBAT10S1-X101 VBAT20S1-X101 VBAT38S1-X101	KCs Certification compliant product (Certificate included) A safety valve must be mounted. High-pressure Gas Act not applicable (Not applicable when maximum operating pressure: 0.97 MPa)	VBAT-K Note 1) (Safety valve) VBAT-V1 (Drain valve)
Thailand, Taiwan	No applicable standard	Standard product		

Note 1) VBAT-K is not RoHS compliant.

Note 2) This is exempt from the revision of Korean pressure vessel act (enforced in March, 2010). (Exception conditions: The inside diameter of the body

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Standard Product (For Japanese Market)

Specifications

Mode	I	VBAT05□ 1	VBAT10 ☐ 1	VBAT20□ 1	VBAT38□ 1		
Fluid		Compressed air					
Tank capacity (L)		5	10	20	38		
Max. operating	VBAT∟A1	2	.0	1	.0		
pressure (MPa)	VBAT⊔S1		2	2.0			
IN port size		3/	/8	1	/2		
OUT port size		3/8	1/2	1/2	3/4		
	VBAT∟A1	3.3		1.6			
Proof pressure (MPa)	VBAT⊔S1	3.3		3.3			
Ambient and fluid te	mperature (°C)	0 to 75					
Installation		Horizontal (Floor mounting)					
Mainht (lon)	VBAT∟A1	6.6	10	14	21		
Weight (kg)	VBAT⊔S1	3.2	4.9	12	19		
11-1-1-1	VBAT∟A1	Carbon steel (\$\$400)					
Material	VBAT⊔S1	Stainless steel 304					
Deint	VBAT∟A1	Outside: Silver paint, Inside: Rustproof paint					
Paint	VBAT⊔S1	None					

Note 1) The accessories and options are included in the same container.

Note 2) Since neither copper nor fluorine parts are used for the tank, the standard model can be used as a copper-free product when drain valve is not necessary.

Note 3) Scratches, scrapes, blotches, and uneven color may be present on the surface, but they do not affect the function or performance of the product.

Options/Accessories/Part No.

<For VBAT A1 (Carbon Steel)>

Model	VBAT05A1-□	VBAT10A1-□	VBAT20A1-□	VBAT38A1-□
Accessory kit	VBAT5A-Y-3	VBAT10A-Y-3	VBAT2	0A-Y-3
Safety valve (When selecting an option) Note 1) 2)	VBAT-R (Set pressure: 1 MPa),	VBAT-S (Set pressure: 2 MPa)	VBAT-R (Set pr	essure: 1 MPa)
Drain valve (When selecting an option)	VBAT-V1			

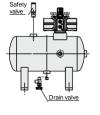
Note 1) The set pressure of the safety valve cannot be changed.

Note 2) The safety valve is a safety measure that protects the tank from excess pressure. The valve opens automatically when the specified pressure is reached, releasing excess pressure inside the tank. The valve closes again when the pressure drops below a designated value. Select a pressure valve appropriate for the maximum operating pressure specification of the tank.

<For VBAT□S1 (Stainless Steel)>

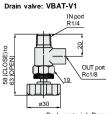
Model	VBAT05S1-□	VBAT10S1-□	VBAT20S1-□	VBAT38S1-□
Accessory kit	VBAT5S-Y-4	VBAT10S-Y-4	VBAT20S-Y-4	
Drain valve (When selecting an option)	VBAT-V1			

The Accessory Kit is a Set of Nos. CI to Ir. No VBAT5S-Y-4 VBAT10S-Y-4 VBAT20S-Y-4 Quantity Description 1 (VBA1[] A) O-ring q 1 (VBA2 A) Hexagon socket head taper 1 1 screwed plug (for drain port) Hexagon socket 4 (VBA1[A) 4 4 4 (VBA2 A) head cap screw Anchor bolt/nut



Safety valve: VBAT-R, VBAT-S

(Width across flats 19)



Safety valve mounting diagram

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Fitting

Tank OUT port Safety valve

Union tee (3/8),

when there is no safety valve port

When the tank OUT port is 3/8,

3/8 fittings. When the size of the tank

OUT port is other than 3/8, change the

Body material: Brass

Made to Order



20 — VBAT|10||A|1 — V

For detailed dimensions, specifications and lead times, please contact SMC

Copper-free/Fluorine-free

VBAT-V2 (A set of stainless steel needle valve and fittings) is included with the standard product.

Made to Order • Tank internal Copper-free/Fluorine-free capacity (

Symbol	Internal capacity
05	5 L
10	10 L
20	20 L
38	38 L

4	Drain valve/ VBAT-V2						
/lateria	Material						
mbol	Material						

Symbol	Material					
Α	Carbon steel (SS400)					
S	Stainless steel					

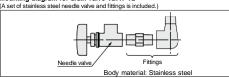
Note 1) The thread type for each port is Rc.

Note 2) Stainless steel fittings and a needle valve are included in the same container as accessories. (For lead times and detailed dimensions, please contact SMC.) It can be ordered separately

Note 3) Since neither copper nor fluorine parts are used for the tank, the standard model can be used as a copper-free product when drain valve is not necessary. Note 4) The material of the safety valve is brass only.

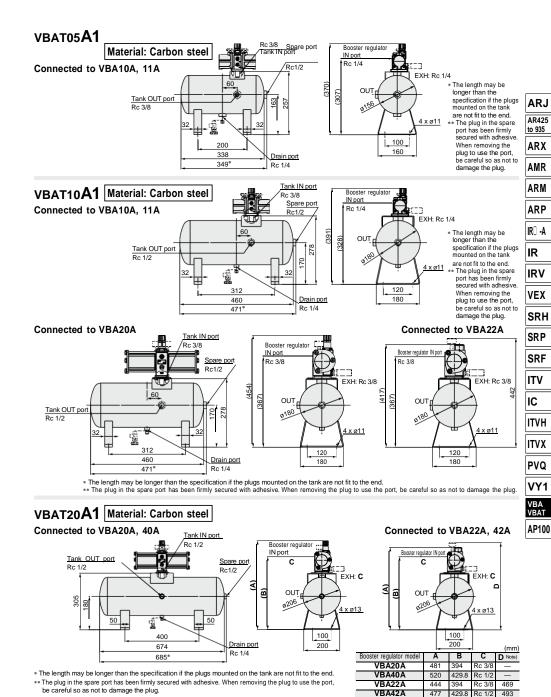
Mounting diagram for drain valve VBAT-V2

Body material: Brass



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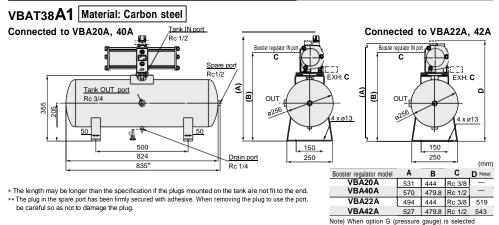


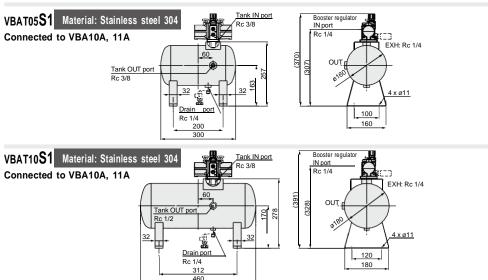
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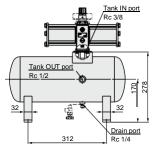
Note) When option G (pressure gauge) is selected

Dimensions: Standard Product (For Japanese Market)





Connected to VBA20A



Booster regulator IN port Booster regulator IN po Rc 3/8 Rc 3/8 EXH: Rc 3/8 EXH: Rc 3/8 (454)(417) OUT OUT 0180 ø180 4 x ø11 x ø11 120 120 180 180

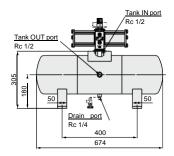
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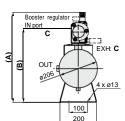
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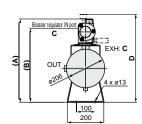
VBAT20S1 Material: Stainless steel 304

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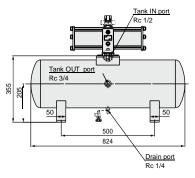
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Booster regulator model	Α	В	С	D Note)	
VBA20A	481	394	Rc 3/8	_	
VBA40A	520	429.8	Rc 1/2	_	
VBA22A	444	394	Rc 3/8	469	
VBA42A	477		Rc 1/2	493	
VBA43A	526	429.8	Rc 1/2		

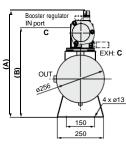
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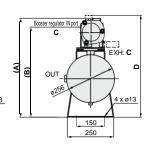
Connected to VBA22A, 42A

VBAT38**S1** Material: Stainless steel 304

Connected to VBA20A, 40A, 43A

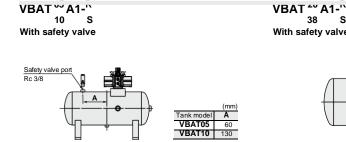






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Booster regulator model	Α	В	С	D Note)
VBA20A	531	444	Rc 3/8	_
VBA40A	570	479.8	Rc 1/2	_
VBA22A	494	444	Rc 3/8	519
VBA42A	527		Rc 1/2	
VBA43A	576	479.8	Rc 1/2	-

Note) When option G (pressure gauge) is selected



With safety valve

Safety valve port
Rc 3/8

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Dimensions: Standard Product (For Japanese Market)

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Specifications

Model	VBAT05A□ -SV-Q	VBAT10A□ -SV-Q	VBAT20A□ -RV-Q	VBAT38A□ -RV-Q	
Fluid	Compressed air				
Tank capacity (L)	5	10	20	38	
Max. operating pressure (MPa)	2	.0	1.	.0	
IN port size	3/8	1/2	3/4		
OUT port size	3/8	1/2	1/2	3/4	
Proof pressure (MPa)	3	.3	1.6		
Ambient and fluid temperature (°C)		0 to	75		
Installation		Horizontal (Fl	oor mounting)		
Weight (kg)	6.6	10	14	21	
Material	Carbon steel (SS400)				
Paint	Outside: Silver paint, Inside: Rustproof paint				

Note 1) Accessories are included in the same container.

Note 2) Scratches, scrapes, blotches, and uneven color may be present on the surface, but they do not affect the function or performance of the product.

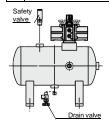
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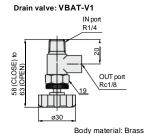
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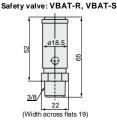
Model	VBAT05A□ -SV-Q	VBAT10A□ -SV-Q	VBAT20A□ -RV-Q	VBAT38A□ -RV-Q
Accessory kit	VBAT5A-Y-2	VBAT10A-Y-2	VBAT20A-Y-2	
Safety valve	VBAT-S (Set pressure: 2 MPa)		VBAT-R (Set pressure: 1 MPa)	
Drain valve	VBAT-V1			

The Accessory Kit is a Set of Nos. q to t.

No.	Model	VBAT5A-Y-2	VBAT10A-Y-2	VBAT20A-Y-2
	Description		Quantity	
q	Bushing assembly (with O-ring)	1	1	1
w	Hexagon socket head taper screwed plug (for drain port)	1	1	1
e	Hexagon socket head cap screw	4	4 (VBA1□A) 4 (VBA2□A)	4
r	Anchor bolt/nut	_	-	4
t	Hexagon socket head taper screwed plug (for safety valve port)	1	1	1





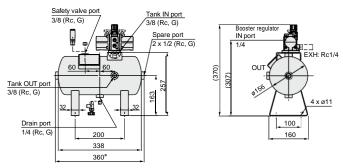


Body material: Brass

Dimensions: CE Marking-Conformity Products

VBAT05A-Q Material: Carbon steel

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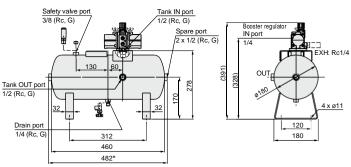


- * The length may be longer than the specification if the plugs mounted on the tank are not fit to the end.
- ** The plug in the spare port has been firmly secured with adhesive. When removing the plug to use the port, be careful so as not to damage the plug.

VBAT10A-Q Material: Carbon steel

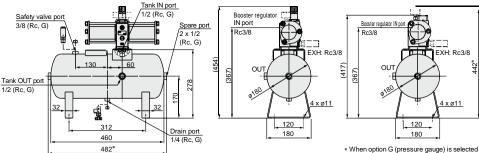
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Connected to VBA20A



- * The length may be longer than the specification if the plugs mounted on the tank are not fit to the end.
- ** The plug in the spare port has been firmly secured with adhesive. When removing the plug to use the port, be careful so as not to damage the plug.

1/2 (Rc, G) Booster regulato Safety valve port IN port Booster regulator IN p 3/8 (Rc, G) Spare port Rc3/8 2 x 1/2 Rc3/8 (Rc, G) EXH: Rc3/8 130 60 OUT OU.



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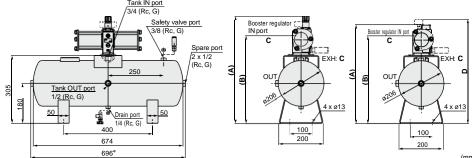
Connected to VBA22A

Dimensions: CE Marking-Conformity Products

VBAT20A-Q Material: Carbon steel

Connected to VBA20A, 40A

Connected to VBA22A, 42A



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- ** The plug in the spare port has been firmly secured with adhesive. When removing the plug to use the port, be careful so as not to damage the plug.

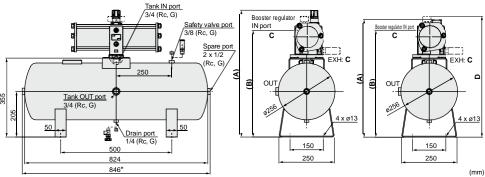
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Booster regulator model	Α	В	С	D Note)
VBA20A	481	394	Rc3/8	_
VBA40A	520	429.8	Rc1/2	_
VBA22A	444	394	Rc3/8	469
VRA42A	477	420 B	Pc1/2	403

Note) When option G (pressure gauge) is selected

VBAT38A-Q Material: Carbon steel

Connected to VBA20A, 40A

Connected to VBA22A, 42A



- * The length may be longer than the specification if the plugs mounted on the tank are not fit to the end.
- ** The plug in the spare port has been firmly secured with adhesive. When removing the plug to use the port, be careful so as not to damage the plug.

Booster regulator model	Α	В	С	D Note)		
VBA20A	531	444	Rc3/8	_		
VBA40A	570	479.8	Rc1/2	_		
VBA22A	494	444	Rc3/8	519		
VBA42A	527	479.8	Rc1/2	543		
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Note) When option G (pressure gauge) is selected



ASME Standards Compliant Product

Specifications

Model		VBAT05□□1-X105	VBAT10□□1-X105	VBAT20□□1-X105	VBAT38□□1-X105	
Fluid			Compre	ssed air		
Tank capacity	[L]	5	10	22	38	
Max. operating	pressure [MPa]		2	.0		
IN port size		3.	/8	1.	/2	
OUT port size		3/8	1/2	1/2	3/4	
Proof pressure	[MPa]	2.2				
Ambient and fluid	d temperature [°C]	0 to 75				
Mounting		Horizontal (Cannot be mounted to walls or ceilings.)				
Weight [kg]		4.5/3.2	9.1/8.2	15.0/13.2	20.9/20.4	
Material	VBAT□A□1	Carbon steel SA-414 (Plug for inspection port is made of carbon steel.)				
wateriai	VBAT□S□1	Stainless steel SA-240 316 (Plug for inspection port is made of stainless steel.)				
Paint	VBAT□A□1	Outside: Silver gray, Inside: Phosphate coated treatment				
Surface treatment	VBAT□S□1	Outside: Acid cleaning Note)				
Documents included		Manufacturer's certificate of compliance Operation manual				
Included parts		Safety valve Accessory kit				

Note) Scratches, scrapes, blotches, and uneven color may be present on the surface, but they do not affect the function or performance of the product.

Options/Accessory Numbers

VBAT □ □ A □ 1-X105 (Carbon steel)

Model	VBAT05AN1-X105	VBAT10AN1-X105	VBAT20AN1-X105	VBAT38AN1-X1	5 VBAT05A1-X1	05 VBAT10A1	-X105	VBAT20A1-X105	VBAT38A1-X105
Thread type		NPT			Rc				
Accessory kit	VBAT5A-Y-3N	VBAT10A-Y-3N	VBAT20	A-Y-3N	VBAT5A-Y-	3 VBAT10A	-Y-3	VBAT2	0A-Y-3
Safety valve		VBAT-E1N			VBAT-E1				

VBAT ☐ ☐ S ☐ 1-X105 (Stainless steel)

Model	VBAT05SN1-X105	VBAT10SN1-X105	VBAT20SN1-X105 VBA	T38SN1-X105	VBAT05S1-X105	VBAT10S1-X105	VBAT20S1-X105	VBAT38S1-X105
Thread type	NPT			Rc				
Accessory kit	VBAT5S-Y-4N	VBAT10S-Y-4N	VBAT20S-Y	-4N	VBAT5S-Y-4	VBAT10S-Y-4	VBAT2	0S-Y-4
Safety valve	VBAT-E1N		VBAT-E1					

The accessory kit is a set of nos. a to r.

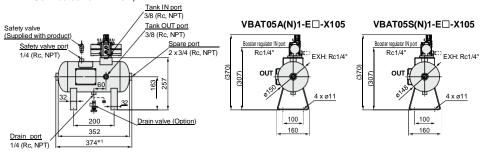
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	Model	VBAT5S-Y-4N	VBAT10S-Y-4N	VBAT20S-Y-4N	
No.		VBAT5A-Y-3	VBAT10A-Y-3	VBAT20A-Y-3	
		VBAT5S-Y-4	VBAT10S-Y-4	VBAT20S-Y-4	
	Description	Quantity			
	O-ring	1	1 (VBA1 A)	1	
q	O-ring	' T	1 (VBA2 A)	'	
w	Hexagon socket head taper screwed plug (For drain port)	1	1	1	
	Hexagon socket head cap screw	4	4 (VBA1 ☐ A)	4	
e	Hexagon socket head cap screw	4	4 (VBA2 A)	4	
r	Anchor bolt/nut		_	4	

Keep the manufacturer's certificate of compliance in a safe place.

Dimensions

VBAT05AN1-E□-X105/VBAT05A1-E□-X105 VBAT05SN1-E□-X105/VBAT05S1-E□-X105

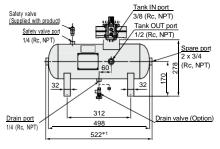
Connected to VBA10A, 11A

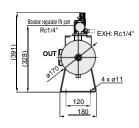


- * Order the booster regulator VBA separately.
- * The plug in the spare port has been firmly secured with adhesive. When removing the plug to use the port, be careful so as not to damage the plug.
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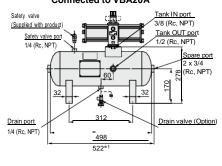
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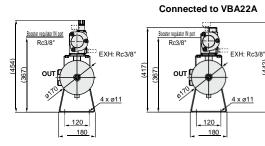
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Connected to VBA20A





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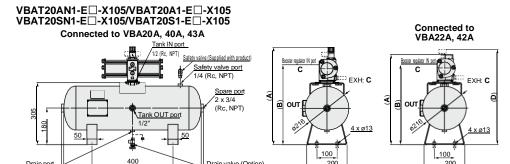
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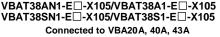


Drain valve (Option)

- * Order the booster regulator VBA separately.
- The plug in the spare port has been firmly secured with adhesive. When removing the plug to use the port, be careful so as not to damage the plug.
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*1 When option G (pressure gauge) is selected

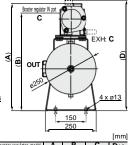


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Tank IN port Spare 1/2 (Rc, NPT) 2 x 3/4 (Rc, NPT) Safety valve (Supplied with product Safety valve port 1/4 (Rc, NPT) EXH: C 8 Tank OUT port 3/4" OUT 205 025C 150 1/4 (Rc, NPT) 500 873*1 Drain valve (Option)

Connected to VBA22A, 42A



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Booster regulator model	Α	В	С	D *1
VBA20A	531	444	Rc3/8	\equiv
VBA40A	570	479.8	Rc1/2	
VBA22A	494	444	Rc3/8	519
VBA42A	527	479.8	Rc1/2	543
VBA43A	576	479 8	Rc1/2	

*1 When option G (pressure gauge) is selected

* Order the booster regulator VBA separately.

* The plug in the spare port has been firmly secured with adhesive. When removing the plug to use the port, be careful so as not to damage the plug

*1 The length may be longer than the specification if the plugs mounted on the tank are not tightly fitted to the ends.

The booster regulator is not subject to ASME standards.

Product Not Applicable to the ASME Standard

Specifications

Model	VBAT05A1-□ -X11	VBAT10A1-□ -X11		
Fluid	Compressed air			
Tank capacity (L)	5	10		
Max. operating pressure (MPa)	2	.0		
IN port size	3.	/8		
OUT port size	3/8	1/2		
Proof pressure (MPa)	3.3	3.3		
Ambient and fluid temperature (°C)	0 to	75		
Installation	Horizontal (Fl	oor mounting)		
Weight (kg)	6.6			
Material	Carbon steel (SS400)			
Paint	Outside: Silver paint, I	nside: Rustproof paint		

Note 1) The accessories and options are included in the same container.

Note 2) Since neither copper nor fluorine parts are used for the tank, the standard model can be used as a copper-free product when drain valve is not necessary. Note 3) Scratches, scrapes, blotches, and uneven color may be present on the surface, but they do not affect the function or performance of the product.

Options/Accessories/Part No.

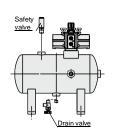
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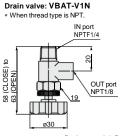
Model	VBAT05A1-□ -X11	VBAT10A1-[] -X11	VBAT05AN1-□ -X11	VBAT10AN1-□ -X11	
Thread type	Rc		NPT		
Accessory kit	VBAT5A-Y-3	VBAT10A-Y-3	VBAT5A-Y-3-X11	VBAT10A-Y-3-X11	
Safety valve (When selecting an option)	VBAT-S (Set pressure: 2 MPa)		VBAT-SN (Set pressure: 2 MPa)		
Drain valve (When selecting an option)	VBAT-V1		VBAT-V1N		

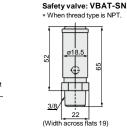
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	Model	VBAT5A-Y-3	VBAT10A-Y-3						
No.		VBAT5A-Y-3-X11	VBAT10A-Y-3-X11						
	Description	Qua	,						
٦	O-ring	1	1 (VBA1 A)						
q	ű	•	1 (VBA2 A)						
w	Hexagon socket head taper screwed plug Note) (for drain port)	1	1						
**	screwed plug ^{Note)} (for drain port)								
e	Hexagon socket head cap screw	4	4 (VBA1□ A)						
_			4 (VBA2□ A)						

Note) The thread type for VBAT5A-Y-3-X11 and VBAT10A-Y-3-X11 is NPTF.







Body material: Brass

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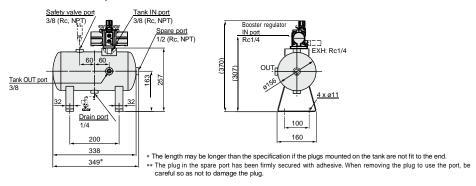
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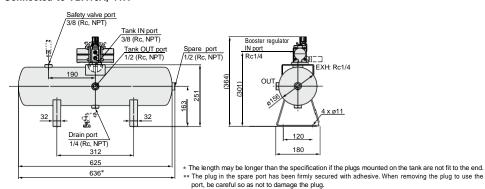
VBAT05A1-X11 Material: Carbon steel

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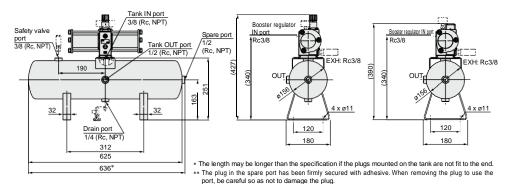
VBAT10A1-X11 Material: Carbon steel

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Specifications

Model		VBAT05m1-U-X104	VBAT10m1-U-X104	VBAT20m1-T-X104	VBAT38m1-T-X104		
Fluid		Compressed air					
Tank canacity (1	VBATmA1-m-X104	5	10	22			
Tank capacity (L	VBATmS1-m-X104	5	10	22	38		
Max. operating p	ressure (MPa)	1	1.5	1	.0		
IN port size		3	3/8	1	/2		
OUT port size		3/8	1/2	1/2	3/4		
Proof pressure	VBATmA1-m-X104	2	.39	2.	.05		
(MPa)	VBATmS1-m-X104	2	.40	1.	58		
Ambient and flui	d temperature (°C)		0 to	75			
Installation		Horizontal (Floor mounting)					
Weight (kg)	VBATmA1-m-X104	6.6	11.5	14	26		
weight (kg)	VBATmS1-m-X104	4.6	8.5	13.9	19.6		
Material	VBATmA1-m-X104	Carbon steel (Equivalent to SS400)					
Material	VBATmS1-m-X104	Stainless steel (Equivalent to stainless steel 304)					
Paint	VBATmA1-m-X104	Outside: Silver gray, Inside: Phosphate coated treatment					
railit	VBATmS1-m-X104	=					
Surface	VBATmA1-m-X104	_					
treatment	VBATmS1-m-X104	Outside: Acid cleaning, Sandblasting Insid: Acid cleaning					
Included parts		i Safety valve/Pressure gauge set: Safety valve, Pressure gauge, Piping for tank connections i Accessories: O-ring, Drain port plug, VBA connection screw (4 pcs.), Anchor bolt/nut (4 pcs.: only 22 L/38 L) i Product certificates: Product certificate, Product safety performance supervision test certificate, Product weight certificate, Manufacture license, Product manual, Completion drawing 1 Operation manual					

Note) Scratches, scrapes, blotches, and uneven color may be present on the surface, but they do not affect the function or performance of the product.



The product certificates are required when exporting to and using the product in China. Keep them in a safe place.

Accessories/Part No.

<For VBATmA1-m-X104(Carbon Steel)>

Model	VBAT05A1-U-X104 VBAT10A1-U-X104 VBAT20A1-T-X104 VBAT38A1-T-X104					
Accessory kit	VBAT5A-Y-3	VBAT10A-Y-3	VBAT20A-Y-3			
Drain valve (Order it separately.)	VBAT-V1					

<For VBATmS1-m-X104(Stainless Steel)>

Model	VBAT05S1-U-X104	VBAT10S1-U-X104	VBAT20S1-T-X104	VBAT38S1-T-X104
Accessory kit	VBAT5S-Y-4	VBAT10S-Y-4	VBAT20S-Y-4	
Drain valve (Order it separately.)	VBAT-V1			

The Accessory Kit is a Set of Nos. q to r.

	Model	VBAT5A-Y-3	VBAT10A-Y-3	VBAT20A-Y-3		
No.		VBAT5S-Y-4	VBAT10S-Y-4	VBAT20S-Y-4		
	Description	Quantity				
	O-ring	4	1 (VBA1mA)	4		
q	O-IIIIg	'	1 (VBA2mA)	ı		
w	Hexagon socket head taper screwed plug (for drain port)	1	1	1		
	Hexagon socket head cap screw	4	4 (VBA1mA)	4		
e	nexagon socket nead cap screw		4 (VBA2mA)	4		
r	Anchor bolt/nut	_	4	4		

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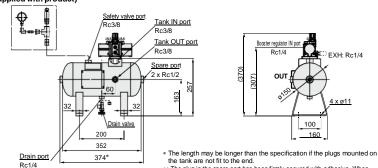
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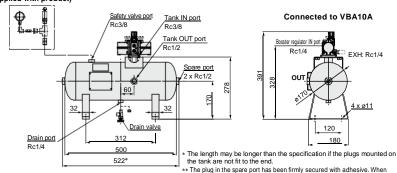
Safety valve/Pressure gauge set (Supplied with product)



- ** The plug in the spare port has been firmly secured with adhesive. When
- removing the plug to use the port, be careful so as not to damage the plug.

VBAT10A1-U-X104 | Material: Carbon steel

Safety valve/Pressure gauge set (Supplied with product)



Safety valve/ Pressure gauge set (Supplied with product)

Tank IN port Rc3/8 Tank OUT port Rc1/2 Spare port 2 x Rc1/2 60 20 Drain port Drain valve Rc1/4 312 500 522

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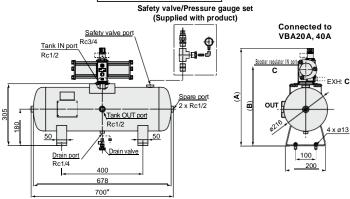
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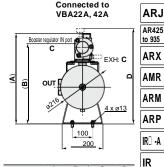
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VBAT-X104

Dimensions

VBAT20A1-T-X104 Material: Carbon steel





Booster regulator model	Α	В	С	D
VBA20A	481	394	Rc3/8	_
VBA40A	520	429.8	Rc1/2	_
VBA22A	444	394	Rc3/8	469
VBA42A	477	429.8	Rc1/2	493

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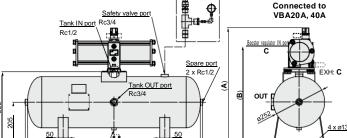
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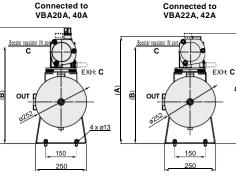
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- * The length may be longer than the specification if the plugs mounted on the tank are not fit to the end.
- ** The plug in the spare port has been firmly secured with adhesive. When removing the plug to use the port, be careful so as not to damage the plug.

Safety valve/Pressure gauge set (Supplied with product)

VBAT38A1-T-X104 Material: Carbon steel





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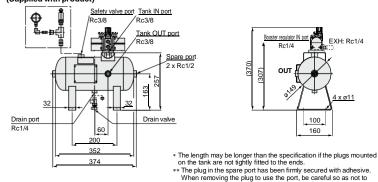
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Dimensions

VBAT05S1-U-X104 Material: Stainless steel

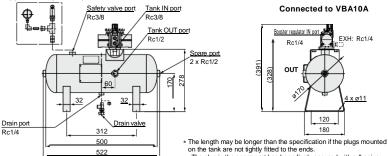
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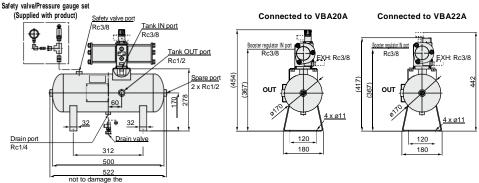
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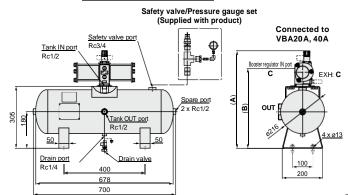
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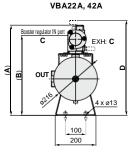
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Dimensions

VBAT20S1-T-X104 Material: Stainless steel

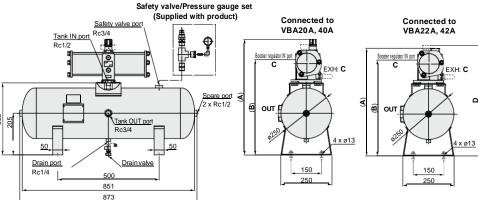




Connected to

- С D Booster regulator model В VBA20A 481 Rc3/8 394 VBA40A 520 429.8 Rc1/2 VBA22A 444 394 Rc3/8 469 VBA42A 477 429.8 Rc1/2 493
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VBAT38S1-T-X104 Material: Stainless steel



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VBAT Series Specific Product Precautions VBAT-X104

Be sure to read this before handling the products. Refer to back page 50 for Safety Instructions.

Design

1. Operating pressure

Toperate this product below the maximum operating pressure. If it is necessary, take appropriate safety measures to ensure that the maximum operating pressure is not exceeded.

When the tank alone is used

Use a pressure switch or a safety valve to ensure that the maximum operating pressure is not exceeded.

2. Connection

- Connect a filter or a mist separator to the OUT side of the tank.

 Because the inner surface of the tank is untreated, there is a possibility of dust flowing out to the outlet side.
- A VBA booster regulator can be connected directly with the tank accessories as indicated combinations below.

Air Tank Compatibility Chart

Air tank	VBA10A/11A	VBA20A/22A	VBA40A/42A	VBA43A
VBAT05A(1) VBAT05S(1)	0	_	_	_
VBAT10A(1) VBAT10S(1)	0	0	-	-
VBAT20A(1) VBAT20S(1)	-	0	0	0
VBAT38A(1) VBAT38S(1)	=	0	0	-*

^{*} Excludes the Chinese pressure vessel regulations compliant product (X104)

Selection

∧ Caution

- **i** Consider the operating conditions and operate this product within the specification range.
- When using the air tank with a booster regulator, refer to "Sizing" on page 1014 or SMC Pneumatic System Energy Saving Program.

Mounting

⚠ Caution

1. Accessories

- Refer to the operation manual regarding combining booster regulators with older model air tanks.
- The accessories are secured by bands to the feet of the air tank. Once removed, make sure not to lose them.

2. Installation

- Install the tank away from people. It is dangerous if the accumulated air inside the tank were to seep out.
- To not mount the air tank on a moving part or a place with vibration. If it must be used in such an area due to unavoidable circumstances, please contact SMC beforehand.
- i When connecting a booster regulator with the tank, refer to the operation manual first, which is provided with the air tank before assembling.
- To mount the air tank on a floor surface, use the four holes to secure the tank with bolts or anchor bolts.
- Put measures into place to prevent load and vibrations from the piping from being applied to the air tank.

Maintenance

1. Inspection

i The use of pressure vessels could lead to an unexpected accident due to external damage or internal corrosion caused by drainage. Therefore, make sure to check periodically for external damage, or the extent of internal corrosion through the port hole. An ultrasonic thickness indicator may also be used to check for any reduction in material thickness.

2. Draining

i If this product is used with a large amount of drainage, the drainage could flow out, leading to equipment malfunction or corrosion inside the tank. Therefore, drain the system once a day.