# 3 Port Air Operated Valve

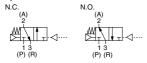
# VGA342 Series



# **How to Order**

VGA342-04 Port size Passage Thread type 04 1/2 Α Normally closed (N.C. Nil Rc 3/4 В Normally open (N.O.) F G N NPT

# Symbol



# **Precautions**

Be sure to read this before handling the products. Refer to back page 50 for Safety Instructions and pages 3 to 9 for 3/4/5 Port Solenoid Valve Precautions.

# △ Caution

## 1. Change of fluid passage

M4 x 0.7 8



N.C. Please note that the pressure in the valve should be exahusted when changing the fluid passage.

Loosen the hexagon socket head cap screw M4 x 0.7. Rotate the NC/NO switching plate NO/NC with the ◀ mark on the adapter plate. However, the X symbol is not applicable. For piping, refer to the table below. Screw tightening torque M4: 1.4 N·m

### Pipina

Fluid passage Port	Р	Α	R
N.C.	Inlet side	Outlet side	EXH side (2 port: Plug)
N.O.	EXH side (2 port: Plug)	Outlet side	Inlet side

Take sufficient precations and confirm safety when changing the flow path and restarting after the changes.

### 2. Other

M5 size hole at the left side of the adapter plate is a breathing port for spool valve. Do not plug or tighten it.

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Specifications			
Operating type	Air operated type		
Type of actuation	N.C./N.O. (Changeable)		
Return mechanism	Air + Spring		
Fluid	Air		
Operating pressure range	0.2 to 0.9 MPa		
Pilot pressure	Same as operating pressure		
Ambient temperature and operating fluid temperature	−10 to 50°C (No freezing)		
Lubrication	Not required (Use turbine oil Class 1 ISO VG32, if lubricated.)		
Impact/Vibration resistance Note)	150/50 m/s <sup>2</sup>		
Note) Impact resistance: No malfunction from test using drop impact tester, to axis and right angle directions			

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of main valve, each one time when pilot signal ON and OFF. (Value in the initial stage)

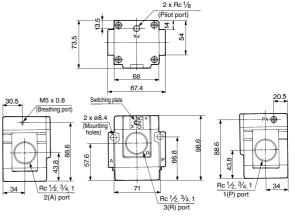
Vibration resistance: No malfunction occurs on the test with one sweep from 45 to 1000 Hz, to axis and right angle directions of main valve each time when pilot signal ON and OFF (Value in the initial stage)

### Flow Rate Characteristics

Port	Flow rate characteristics											
size	1→2(P→A)		2→3(A→R)		2→1(A→P)		3→2(R→A)					
Size	C[dm3/(s-bar)]	b	Cv	C[dm3/(s-bar)]	b	Cv	C[dm3/(s-bar)]	b	Cv	C[dm3/(s-bar)]	b	Cv
1/2	26	0.38	7.0	27	0.37	7.4	27	0.36	7.3	25	0.37	6.8
3/4	38	0.30	9.8	38	0.32	9.8	40	0.22	9.8	40	0.20	9.6

Port size	Effective area (mm²)				
	1→2(P→A)	2→3(A→R)			
1	210	235			

### **Dimensions**



SYA

SYJA

VZA

VFA

**VFRA** 

VPA4 SYJA

VZA VTA VGA

**VPA** 

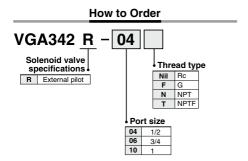
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# **Made to Order Specifications**

Please contact SMC for detailed dimensions, specifications and lead times.



# 1 External Pilot, Air Operated Valve



## **Specifications**

Valve type	External pilot, air operated valve		
Type of actuation	Universal porting type		
Fluid	Air		
Operating	Main pressure	-101.2 kPa to 0.9 MPa	
pressure range	Pilot pressure	Equivalent to main pressure (Min. 0.2 MPa or more)	
	External pilot	Equivalent to pilot pressure	
Ambient and fluid temperature	-10 to 50°C (No freezing.)		
Weight	1.2 kg		



## **Dimensions**

