RC200

RADIAL COAT VALVE

Version: 112-3616

Operation Manual



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Front Closing Radial Coat Valve

Thank you for purchasing the RC200 dispensing valve from PVA. Before attempting to operate the RC200, we recommend that you take a few minutes and read the following operation and setup manual. This will assist in familiarizing you with the product and ensure a successful installation.

As always, if any questions or problems arise, do not hesitate to contact PVA's Valve Service Department for support. This department can be reached at PVA headquarters via telephone or e-mail.

Again, thank you for your purchase, and we look forward to assisting you in the future as you continue to improve your dispensing processes.

Theory of Operation

The RC200 is designed to spray low viscosity fluids onto the inside walls of a cylinder at a 90' degree angle to where it was inserted. A front closing valve section controls the start and stop of fluid while an air motor spins the nozzle at high rates to spray the coating using centrifugal force onto the inside diameter of a cylinder.

The RC200 is comprised of two major sections. These include:

- 1) FC100-Module, Front closing valve section
- 2) Rotary Fluid Section with air motor

The FC100-Module section consists of an aluminum body with a simple piston/cylinder combination used to open and close the valve with a stroke adjustment to regulate flow. The fluid portion of this valve section includes a needle and seat combination to start and stop the flow of coating.

The rotary portion of the fluid section contains a custom piston that allows fluid to flow to the end where custom designed, interchangeable nozzles can be attached. The custom designed nozzles will be made to fit certain diameter cylinders and contain a specific nozzle orifice for determining coating thickness. As the valve opens to allow fluid flow, the air motor will trigger on and spin the nozzle which will use centrifugal force to apply coating to the inside diameter of the cylinder. Fluids typically include but are not limited to low viscosity lubricants, coatings, solvents, water, etc.

Wetted parts on the RC200 include:

- 303, 304 stainless steel
- Teflon
- Kalrez

Safety

Due to material contents being under pressure eye protection is required for operators. Refer to MSDS sheets on material being dispensed for other precautions.

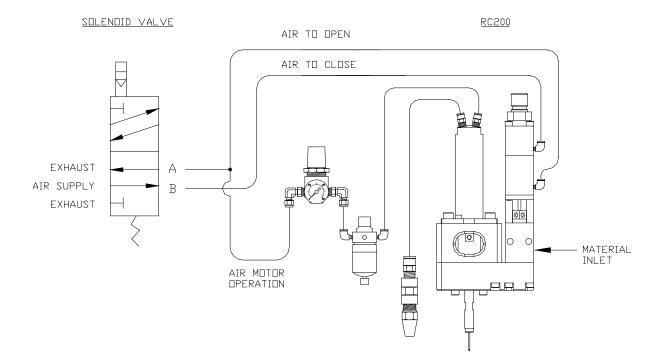
Setup

The RC200 requires a 2-position, 4-way air solenoid valve to actuate the air section to open and close the valve. A precision air regulator and oil lubricator will be connected in line to simultaneously activate the air motor. The valve should be operated with clean, dry air between 60-100psi. Two #10-32 threaded air ports are located on the air section of the FC100-Module and two 1/8"mnpt ports located on the air motor. The port located furthest from the midsection of the FC100-Module is air to close the valve. The port located closest to the mid-section of the FC100-Module is air to open the valve. The air motor is marked with a forward and reverse control port to determine the direction of rotation. Quick connect air fittings are typically supplied with the FC100 Module to fit 5/32" tubing while quick connect air fittings are supplied with the air motor to fit ½"od tubing. Note that the valve should be normally in the closed position.

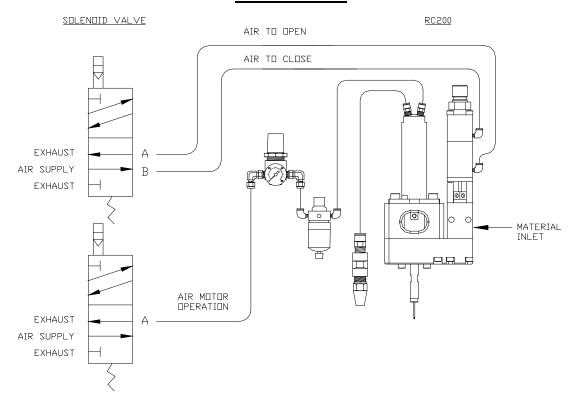
Fluid is supplied to the RC200 valve through the 1/8"npt port located on the stainless steel fluid section of the valve.

The muffler of the air motor should be run a distance several feet from the valve to reduce noise in the work area. A small amount of air motor lubricant will be exhausted from the muffler.

Single Solenoid



Dual Solenoid



Tool Kit

PVA offers standard tool kits for all dispensing valves. The tool kit for the RC200 is part number **B12-2866**, which includes all necessary tools and lubricating grease to perform maintenance on this dispense valve:

B12-2866 Includes:

Qty	Part Number	Description
1	0266244	8" Adjustable Wrench
1	26569	9/64" Allen Key
2	26563	3/32" Allen Key
1	26561	5/64" Allen Key
1	26559	1/16" Allen Key
2	0216173	M7 Wrench
1	5516A18	Tweezers
1	B62-0752	2.5cc Mineral Oil Lubrication Kit
1	B62-2048	2.5cc Silicone Lubricant
1	27001	Lubricant for Air Motor
1	9570K71	Hook and Pick Set
1	0266255	Pliers
2	53085A61	Soft Plastic Covers for Pliers
1	MM115	Removable Thread Locker

Operation

Refer to assembly drawings 112-2998 & 112-3616 for part reference numbers.

- 1) Plumb up the valve as outlined above in the **Setup** procedures.
- 2) Fill the air motor lubricator with oil (27001) provided with the valve.
- 3) Regulate the air pressure operating the FC100-Module portion of the valve between 60-100psi.
- 4) Making sure that the coating nozzle is inserted into a protective cylinder, cycle the valve several times. When the valve is cycling, the needle (1A) can be seen going up and down in the center and the air motor will be spinning the rotary shaft (3). If the air motor is not spinning, increase the air pressure until it begins to turn. The air motor typically requires a minimum of 20 psi in order to start spinning.
- 5) Again, cycle the valve several times to ensure the valve is opening and the air motor is spinning with each cycle.
 - Note: If the valve is not cycling properly, refer to the **Troubleshooting** section.
- 6) When the fluid delivery system is connected to the valve, pressurize the material to be dispensed. The suggested starting pressure range is less than 5 psi.
- 7) Again, insert the nozzle of the valve into a protective cylinder in order to contain the material that will be sprayed.
- 8) Once again, cycle the valve open to purge. Fluid should begin to spray in a 360' degree pattern from the output of the coating nozzle.
- 9) Check the fluid connection and packing nut (16A) for leaks. If the valve is leaking, refer to the **Troubleshooting** section.
- 10) Adjust the fluid pressure in order to control the rate of fluid flow to the spray
- 11) The stroke adjustment (12A) can also be used to fine tune the fluid flow. Turning the adjustment clockwise will decrease the material flow rate and counterclockwise will increase the material flow rate. If the stroke adjustment bolt is turned all the way down it will stop the flow of fluid entirely.
- 12) Once the stroke adjustment setting is determined, use the adjustable wrench to tighten the lock nut (11A) up against the upper air body (10A).

Note: Refer to **Troubleshooting** section for any problems.

Periodic Maintenance

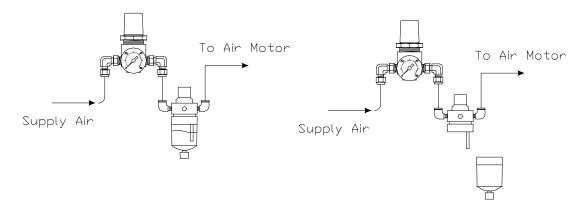
- 1) Visually check the see through chamber of the air motor lubricator daily and refill when it runs empty.
- 2) Lubricate the packing (15A) on the FC100-Module every 200 hrs by placing a few drops of mineral oil or other light oil inside the packing nut. *Note: PVA offers a 2.5cc mineral oil lubrication kit; Part#: B62-0752
- 3) The packing nut (16A) will require occasional tightening, as wear occurs in order to prevent leaks through the packing.

Air Motor Lubricator

The air motor must stay lubricated with a small amount of light oil in order to maintain a long usable life. An air motor lubricator and oil are supplied with the RC200 valve. The oil level can be seen through the clear chamber on the bottom section of the lubricator. When the oil runs out it will be necessary to refill the chamber. To do this simply unthread and remove the clear chamber to separate the sections. These parts should separate easily. Once removed, fill the clear chamber about half way with air motor oil and thread the chamber back onto the housing, hand tight.

*Note: PVA offers additional tubes of air motor oil; Part#: 27001

*Note: During this operation, be sure air pressure is removed from system.



Routine Cleaning and Disassembly

Cleaning and rebuilding the valve will be required from time to time. A spare parts kit, part # **RC2-SP** is available with all the normal wear parts included.

- 1) Begin disassembly by removing air and fluid pressure from the valve.
- 2) Remove all pneumatic tubing and fluid delivery fittings, hoses, etc. from the valve.
- 3) To remove the coating nozzle (2), place the M7 wrench on the flat of the rotary shaft (3) and use the pliers to grab the coating nozzle, turning counter-clockwise to remove.
- 4) Using the 3/32" Allen Key, unthread and remove the four machine screws (9) that connect the FC100-Module to the fluid section of the RC200.
- 5) On the FC100-Module use the 3/32" Allen key to loosen the packing nut (16A).
- 6) Using the same 3/32" Allen key, evenly remove the two machine screws (3A) that are located on the same corners as the standoffs (6A). Note during removal that there is a spring (5A) forcing the air section away from the fluid section.
- 7) Pull the air section (red anodized portion) away from the fluid section (stainless steel portion).
- 8) Clean off the tip of the stainless steel needle (1A).

- 9) From the stainless steel fluid section of the valve, unthread and remove the packing nut (16A), and the packing (15A).
- 10) Using the pliers pull the seat (13A) out of the fluid section (14A) and remove the 006 Kalrez o-ring (18A) from the seat. Note: If stuck, the seat can be pushed through from the opposite side of the fluid section.
- 11) Clean all of the wetted parts thoroughly with an appropriate solvent.
- 12) On the air section, use a standard 3/32" Allen Key to evenly remove the final two machine screws (2A) that thread into the end cap (7A). Note: During removal that the spring (5A) will force the air section apart.
- 13) Separate the upper air body (10A) from the lower air body (8A) to remove the spring (5A) then slide the end cap (A) off of the needle (1A).
- 14) Holding the lower air body (8A) in one hand, grab the needle (1A) and push the needle and piston (9A) assembly out of the lower air body.
- 15) Remove the 004 Buna o-ring (17A) from the lower air body (8A).
- 16) Hold the piston (9A) with an adjustable wrench then use a 5/64" Allen key to unthread and remove the set screw (4A) to remove the needle (1A) then remove the 014 Buna o-ring (20A) from the piston (9A).
- 17) Remove the 014 Buna o-ring (20A) from the upper air body (10A) and the 008 Buna o-ring from the stroke adjust bolt (12A).
- 18) Unthread the stroke adjust bolt (12A) from the upper air body (10A) and remove the 008 Buna o-ring (12A).
- 19) On the fluid body (4) of the RC200 remove the 010 Kalrez o-ring (12) that sealed against the FC100-Module.
- 20) Using the 3/32" Allen Key, remove the plug (11) from the fluid body (4).
- 21) Using the 1/16" Allen Key, loosen the set screw on the rotary shaft (3).
- 22) To remove the air motor (7) use the 9/64" Allen key to unthread and remove the two machine screws (10) then slide the air motor away from the motor mount (5).
- 23) The rotary shaft (3) can now be pushed through the valve and removed through the motor mount (5).
- 24) Using the 3/32" Allen Key, remove the two machine screws (9) that secure the motor mount (5) to the fluid body (4) and separate the two sections to remove the 010 Kalrez o-ring (12).
- 25) Using the same 3/32" Allen Key, remove the two machine screws (8) that secure the seal plate (6) to the fluid body (4) and separate the two sections to remove the final 010 Kalrez O-Ring (12).
 - Replace components with spares provided in the spare parts kit.

Assembly Instructions

General

- All o-rings must be lubricated with a small amount of silicone grease.
- A small amount of removable thread locker should be applied to the set screw (4A) and the male thread of the standoffs (6).
- Assemble the air section of the FC100-Module and fluid section separately prior to connecting the two assemblies.

Air Section

- 1) Assemble the stroke adjust (12A) and lock nut (11A) with the hex head toward the knurled end of the bolt.
- 2) Mount one 008 Buna o-ring (19A) on the inside groove of the stroke adjust (12A).
- 3) Thread the stroke adjustment assembly into the upper air body (10A).
- 4) Mount one 014 Buna o-ring (20A) on the end of the upper air body (10A) and the other 008 Buna o-ring (19A) on the end groove of the stroke adjust (12A). Back out the stroke adjust by turning it counter clockwise to the end of its travel.
- 5) Drop the needle (1A) into the piston (9A) and assemble with the set screw (4A) using an adjustable wrench and 5/64" Allen key to tighten.
- 6) Mount the 014 Buna o-ring (20A) onto the piston (9A).
- 7) Apply a small amount of silicone grease to the inside of the lower air body (8A) then drop in the piston and needle assembly.
- 8) Mount the 004 Buna o-ring (17A) on the end of the needle and slide it down into the groove in the end of the lower air body (8A).
- 9) Slide the end cap (7A) onto the needle up to the lower air body (8A), place the spring (5A) on top of the piston (9A), and assemble the two air bodies using two machine screws (2A) tightening with a 3/32" Allen key.
 - *Note: Be sure the air holes are lined up on the same face and will align with the fluid inlet on the fluid section (14A).

Fluid Section

- 1) Place a 010 Kalrez O-ring (12) into the bottom of the fluid body (4) and follow on top of it with the seal plate (6).
- 2) Secure the seal plate to the fluid body with two machine screws (8) using a 3/32" Allen Key to tighten.
- 3) Place the second 010 Kalrez O-ring (12) into the top groove of the fluid body (4) and follow on top of that with the motor mount (5).
- 4) Secure the motor mount to the fluid body with two machines screws (9) using a 3/32" Allen Key to tighten.
- 5) Insert the small diameter end of the rotary shaft (3) into the motor mount (5) cavity and push it though until it bottoms out and the smaller diameter end is protruding through the seal plate (6).
- 6) Place the air motor (7) onto the motor mount and assemble with two machine screws (10) using the 9/64" Allen Key to tighten.
- 7) Rotate the rotary shaft (3) until the set screw is positioned on the flat of the air motor shaft (7) then use the 1/16" Allen key to tighten in place.
- 8) Insert the plug (11) into the fluid body (4) and tighten using the 3/32" Allen key.
- 9) Drop the packing (15A) into the fluid section (14A), and screw in the packing nut (16A) but leave finger tight until assembled with the air section.
- 10) Mount the 006 Kalrez o-ring (18A) on the seat (13A) and push the seat into the bottom of the fluid section (14A). When inserting the seat, work the o-ring into the fluid body with finger to prevent shearing of the edge of the o-ring.
- 11) Place the final 010 Kalrez O-ring (12) into the groove of the fluid body (4) then place the fluid section (14A) assembly on top of that and secure the assembly with the four machine screws (9) using the 3/32" Allen Key to tighten.
 - *Note: Be sure the 1/8" npt fluid port is facing away from the air motor.

Assemble Sections

- 1) Back out the stroke adjust bolt (12A) by turning it counter clockwise until the end of its travel.
- 2) Apply a small amount of silicone grease to the end of the needle (1A) and insert it into the packing nut (16A) and slide the two sections together.
- 3) Align the air holes of the air section on the same face as the fluid inlet of the fluid section then connect the sections using the two machine screws (3A) tightening them down evenly using a 3/32" Allen key.
- 4) Using the tip of a 3/32" Allen key, tighten the packing nut (16A).

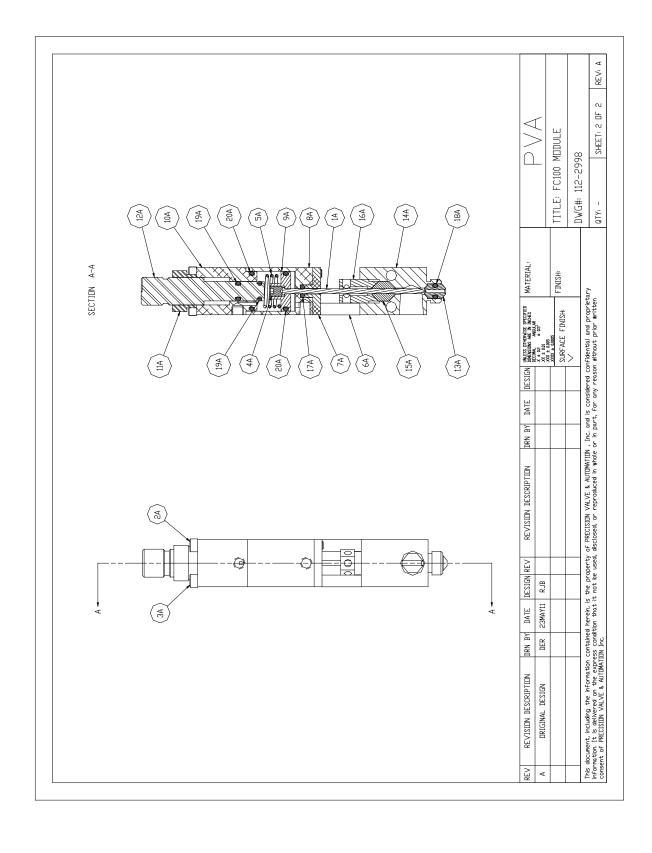
Spare Parts

PVA offers standard spare parts kits for all dispensing valves. These kits are stocked for immediate shipment and allow replacement of all wearable parts of the valve.

The spare parts kit for this valve, product number **RC2-SP**, includes the following components:

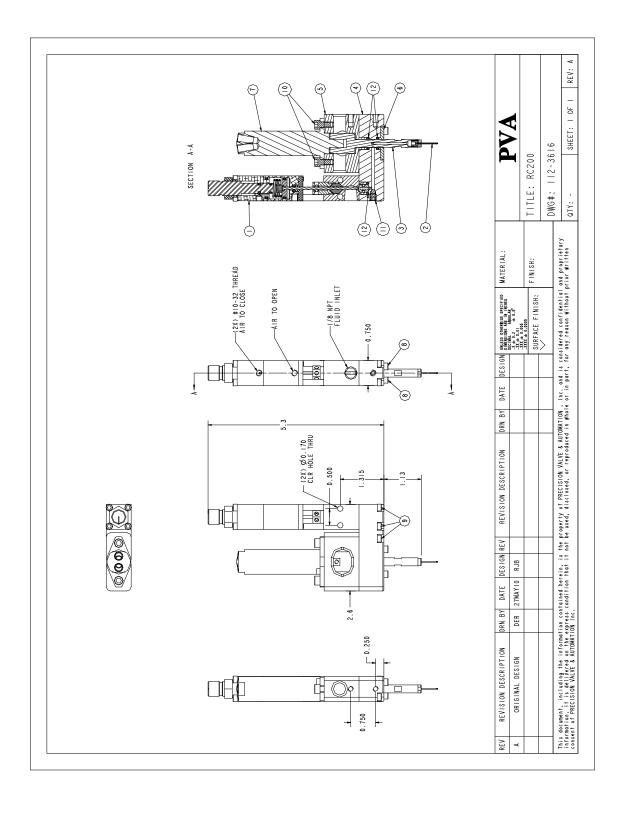
RC2-SP Includes:

Qty	Part Number	Description
1	V302	Seat
1	114-5247	Needle
1	V305	Packing, Teflon
2	VLV-014B	O-ring, Buna
2	VLV-008B	O-ring, Buna
1	VLV-006K	O-ring, Kalrez
1	VLV-004B	O-ring, Buna
3	VLV-010K	O-Ring, Kalrez



BILL OF MATERIALS FOR: FC100-MODULE (112-2998):

Item	Part Number	Description	Quantity
1A	114-5247	Needle	1
2A	SH5-40 x 2.0	Socket Head Cap Screw	2
3A	SH5-40 x 2.25	Socket Head Cap Screw	2
4A	V001	Set Screw	1
5A	V050	Spring	1
6A	V075	Standoff	2
7A	V200	End Cap	1
8A	V201	Lower Air Body	1
9A	V202	Piston	1
10A	V228	Upper Air Body	1
11A	V229	Lock Nut	1
12A	V230	Stroke Adjust	1
13A	V302	Seat	1
14A	V304PC	Fluid Section	1
15A	V305	Packing	1
16A	V306	Packing Nut	1
17A	VLV-004B	Buna O-Ring	1
18A	VLV-006K	Kalrez O-Ring	1
19A	VLV-008B	Buna O-Ring	2
20A	VLV-014B	Buna O-Ring	2



BILL OF MATERIALS FOR: RC200 (112-3616):

Item	Part Number	Description	Quantity
1	112-2998	FC100 Module	1
2	112-3295	Nozzle Assembly	1
3	214-0934	Rotary Shaft	1
4	214-0935	Fluid Body	1
5	214-0937	Motor Mount	1
6	214-0944	Seal Plate	1
7	MMR-0700	Air Motor	1
8	SH5-40x0.250	Socket Head Cap Screw	2
9	SH5-40x0.750	Socket Head Cap Screw	6
10	SH8-32x0.3125	Socket Head Cap Screw	2
11	V007	Plug	1
12	VLV-010K	O-Ring, Kalrez	3

Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Corrective Action
Valve does not	- Air pressure to air section too low	- Increase air pressure to 60-100 psi
cycle	- Packing nut is too tight	- Loosen packing nut until valve just
		begins to cycle, retighten
	- Stroke adjustment is bottomed out	- Back out stroke adjustment by turning
	-	it counter-clockwise
	- Material is cured in the valve	- Disassemble and clean valve
	- Valve was assembled w/o	- Disassemble valve, lubricate seals and
	lubricating the O-ring seals	re-assemble
Material leaks	- Packing nut is too tight	- Loosen packing nut
from valve tip	- Needle and/or seat are worn	- Replace parts as necessary
Valve leaks from	- Packing nut is loose	- Tighten packing nut until snug
packing	- Packing is worn	- Replace packing
Valve leaks from	- O-rings on rotary shaft are loose	- Replace O-rings
motor-mount		
Valve does not	- Fluid pressure is too low	- Increase fluid pressure
spray anything	- Material cured in fluid section or	- Disassemble valve and clean
	coating nozzle	
	- Stroke adjustment is set too low	- Back out stroke adjustment by turning
		it counter-clockwise
Spray rate too	- Stroke adjustment set out too far	- Turn stroke adjustment clockwise
fast	- Fluid pressure too high	- Decrease fluid pressure
	- Spray nozzle too large	- Contact PVA for smaller nozzle
Spray rate too	- Stroke adjustment set too low	- Turn stroke adjustment counter-
slow	-	clockwise
	- Fluid Pressure too high	- Increase fluid pressure
	- Spray nozzle too small	- Contact PVA for large nozzle
Air motor does	- Air pressure to motor set too low	- Increase air pressure to motor
not spin	- No lubrication on air motor	- Refill air motor lubricator chamber

PVA Warranty Policy

PVA warrants the enclosed product against defects in material or workmanship on all components for one year from the date of shipment.

The warranty does not extend to components damaged due to misuse, negligence, or installation and operation that is not in accordance with the recommended factory instructions. Unauthorized repair or modification of the enclosed product, and/or the use of spare parts not directly obtained from PVA (or from factory authorized dealers) will void all warranties.

All PVA warranties extend only to the original purchaser. Third party warranty claims will not be honored at any time.

Prior to returning a product for a warranty claim, a return authorization must be obtained from PVA's customer service department. Authorization will be issued either via the telephone, facsimile, or in writing upon your request.

To qualify as a valid warranty claim, the defective product must be returned to the factory during the warranty period. Upon return, PVA will repair (or replace) all components found to be defective in material or workmanship.

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