

# SERIES AK M80 CROSSOVER MANIFOLD ASSURES CONTINUOUS GAS SUPPLY

- Automatically switches from one cylinder to another when the primary cylinder empties
- Allows changing of cylinders during operation
- Simple, worry free, pressure based system
- Vacuum to 3,500 psig (241 bar) inlet,
   250 psig (17 bar) outlet
- Flow capacity\* to 50 slpm (1.8 scfm)
- Stainless Steel or Brass construction
- Diffusion resistant 316 SS diaphragm
- Cleaned for O2 service
- Mounting bracket standard
- Two inlet and one outlet gauges standard
- Installation and operating instructions available at <u>www.aptech-online.com</u> in the Tech Briefs section



### **ENGINEERING DATA**

# **Operating Parameters**

Source pressure Vacuum to 3,500 psig (241 bar)
Delivery pressure

M80 02 1 to 30 psig (0.07 to 2 bar)
M80 10 10 to 100 psig (0.7 to 7 bar)
M80 15 15 to 150 psig (1 to 10 bar)
M80 25 25 to 250 psig (1.7 to 17 bar)
Proof pressure 150% of operating pressures
Burst pressure 300% of operating pressures

# **Other Parameters**

Inlet /outlet ports 1/4" NPT Flow coefficient, Cv<sup>‡</sup> 0.05

Operating temperature -40° to +160°F (-40° to +71°C)\*\*

Leak rate 1 x 10<sup>-9</sup> sccs

Supply pressure effect 0.05 psig per 100 psig source

pressure change

Weight 9.1 lb

### **M**ATERIALS OF CONSTRUCTION

**AK M80 B** AK M80 S AK M80 SH Body SS 316L SS 316L brass Poppet and diaphragm SS 316 Ni-Cr-Mo alloy / UNS N06022 SS 316 PCTFE\*\*\* PCTFE\*\*\* PCTFE\*\*\* Seat SS 303 Ronnet SS 303 SS 303

<sup>\*</sup>Flow rating based upon N2 @ 200 psig inlet, varying gas type and, or inlet/outlet pressures may effect rating.

<sup>\*\*</sup>VS option 14° to 194°F (-10° to + 90°C).

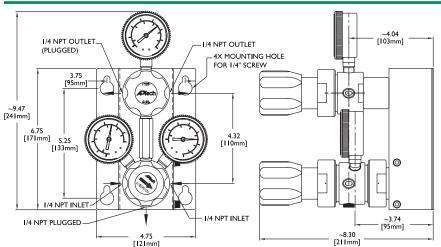
<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Optional seat materials available, Polyimide and PEEK.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>‡</sup>A pressure regulator Cv is a nominal value which indicates the point of choked flow. Please refer to a flow curve or a recommendation guide for usable flow range. All specifications subject to change without notice.

# **Operations Overview**

The M80 crossover manifold system is comprised of three pressure regulators – two separate first stage regulators housed in a common body and a second stage regulator. The two first stage regulators are each attached to separate source cylinders. The second stage is attached to a common outlet of the two first stage regulators. One of the first stage regulators has an adjustment knob that rotates 270 degrees to enable source side selection. The other first stage is preset to an appropriate setting for the system outlet range. The source selection knob adjusts the intermediate outlet pressure to be either 15 psig above or below the preset side. An arrow on the selection knob points to the cylinder side delivering gas and away from the standby cylinder. The intermediate outlet pressure of the first stage delivery side is approximately 15 psig (1 bar) higher than the standby side. Rotating the knob to point to the standby side, changes the pressure differential such that the standby side now becomes the delivery side. The process delivery pressure outlet is adjusted with the knob of the second stage regulator.

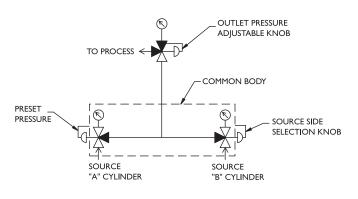
As the delivery side cylinder becomes empty and the pressure drops below the pressure of the standby side, gas begins to flow from the standby side. The source selection knob is then turned to what was the standby side and the empty cylinder may now be replaced without interrupting process flow.

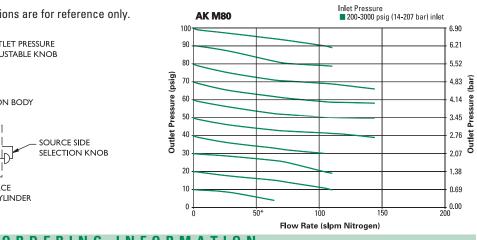


CAUTION: Product selection is the sole responsibility of the user, regardless of any recommendations or suggestions made by the factory. The user shall make selections based upon their own analysis and testing with regard to function, material compatibility and product ratings. Proper installation, operation and maintenance are also required to assure safe, trouble free performance.

\*Exceeding 50 slpm N2 may cause gas to be drawn from both A & B sides at the same time.

All dimensions in inches [mm]. Metric dimensions are for reference only.





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Series AK M80 10	S	40	<b>VS</b>
	Material	Inlet Gauges	Options
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AP Tech has product options and variations which are not documented in data sheets. If you have a model number that is not defined by the ordering information, please consult the factory or your local representative.

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