

Installation Instructions

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Fig. 568 ANTI-VACUUM VALVES

Anti-vacuum valves are normally fitted at the top of the vessel or pipeline being protected. Fig. 568 valves are screwed with a BSP taper thread and should be fitted to an appropriate connection. Care should be taken that jointing material does not contaminate the valve seating areas.

An anti-vacuum valve should be sized so that its capacity is equal to, or greater, than the rate of vacuum formation in the vessel being protected.

The operation of valves in service should be checked at least every 12 months by removing the dust cover and ensuring that the valve is free to lift off its seat.

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