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**ESBE VTA Series Lead-Free Thermostatic Mixing Valves Datasheet** 

## Keep water temperatures safe in point of source applications with thermostatic mixing valves.



Low maintenance, easy-to-install thermostatic mixing valves (TMV) are designed to protect against accidental scalding, & increase amounts of available hot water.





#### **Applications:**



The compact ESBE VTA series are lead-free (LF) thermostatic mixing valves (TMV) designed for point of source in domestic hot water distribution systems and/or regulation of supply in hydronic heating systems. The series of LF valves meet the NSF/ANSI 372 standards for 'lead free' requirements.

The VTA series of valve replaces the legacy 20 Series and 30MR Series of valves. The VTA Series are available in four temperature ranges:

- 85 to 120°F (30 to 49°C) (Domestic/ Hydronic)
- 95 to 140°F (35 to 60°C) (Domestic/ Hydronic)
- 70 to 110°F (20 to 45°C) (Hydronic)
- 85 to 160°F (30 to 70°C) (Hydronic)

As a point of source for domestic hot water application, the thermostatic control within the VTA valve accommodates increased water

temperature at the source while maintaining appropriate water temperatures out to the fixtures. With a higher temperature at the source, the installation benefits of the VTA series include:

- Additional volume of domestic hot water to the fixtures at an appropriate regulated temperature
- Preventative measures to reduce growth of Legionella by maintaining a high temperature within the source & safeguarding against scalding down stream

In the event there is a cold-water supply failure, the hot water supply closes automatically.

The angle flow pattern of the ESBE VTA series tmvs combine high quality performance with remarkable ease of installation and servicing.

#### **Specifications:**

- Conforms to ASSE-1017\*
   \* Ranges 85°-120°F & 95°-140°F only
- Anti-scald function
- Designed for mixing purposes
- Long life and easy maintenance
- Quiet operation
- Compact design and lightweight snapon cover for dirt protection and to prevent unauthorized adjustment or tampering
- Cover label for recording setting information including recorded outlet temperature and date installed
- Available connections:
  - Threaded body (FNPT)
  - Solder (Union connection)
  - CPVC (Union connection)
- Maximum working pressure:

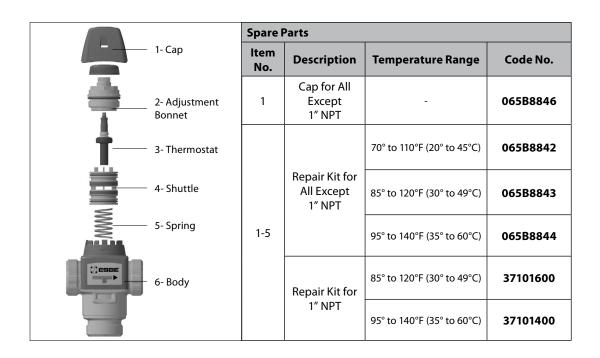
150 psi (10 bar) / CPVC: 80 psi (5.5 bar)

- Maximum differential pressure between hot and cold ports:
  - 44 psi (3 bar)
- Maximum system differential pressure between outlet and inlet ports:
  - 72 psi (5 bar)
- Maximum hot water inlet temperature: 194°F (90°C)
- Minimum required flow for proper temperature regulation:
  - All valves except 1" NPT: 0.9 GPM
  - 1" NPT valve size: 2.0 GPM
- Up to a 50% glycol mixture for closed loop hydronic system



## Ordering Information:

Valve Connection Type	Valve Size	Temperature Range	Cv	Code No.
	3/4"	70° to 110°F (20° to 45°C)	1.9	065B8868LF
Female NPT	3/4"	85° to 120°F (30° to 49°C)	1.9	065B8869LF
	3/4"	95° to 140°F (35° to 60°C)	1.9	065B8870LF
	3/4"	85° to 160°F (30° to 70°C)	1.9	065B8871LF
	1"	85° to 120°F (30° to 49°C)	4.1	31622111LF
	1"	95° to 140°F (35° to 60°C)	4.1	31622011LF
Union Solder & CPVC (Requires tailpiece kits, sold seperately. See below.)		85° to 120°F (30° to 49°C)	1.9	065B8877LF
	-	95° to 140°F (35° to 60°C)	1.9	065B8878LF
		85° to 160°F (30° to 70°C)	1.9	065B8872LF
Accessories	Size	Description		Code No.
Tailpiece Kits (for Solder & CPVC)	1/2"	solder tailpieces	065B8901	
	3/4"	solder tailpieces	065B8892	
	3/4"	CPVC (follow pipe manufacturers in	065B8898	



## Temperature Setting:

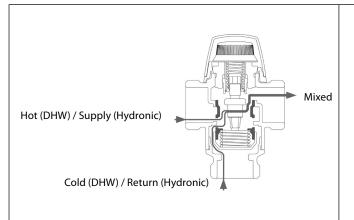
VTA series of tmvs will provide a mixed water temperature according to the following table. The outlet temp. stated are approximate, based on the given hot water supply temp. & a cold water supply of  $50^{\circ}F$  ( $10^{\circ}C$ ). For other cold water temp. correct the outlet temp. by  $1^{\circ}F$  for every  $10^{\circ}F$  (or  $1^{\circ}C$  for every  $10^{\circ}C$ ) deviation from  $50^{\circ}F$  ( $10^{\circ}C$ ), up or down.

Hot Water	70° - 110°F (20° to 45°C)					85°- 120°F (30°- 49°C)				95°- 140°F (35° - 60°C)								
Temp.	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	6
120°F (49°C)	67(19)	74(23)	81(27)	87(31)	94(34)	109(43)	80(27)	90(32)	97(36)	102(39)	107(42)	115(46)	95(35)	106(41)	115(46)	119(48)	120(49)	120(49)
140°F (60°C)	68(20)	75(24)	82(28)	90(32)	97(36)	113(45)	81(27)	91(33)	99(37)	104(40)	109(43)	117(47)	97(36)	108(42)	117(47)	126(52)	133(56)	140(60)
160°F (70°C)	69(21)	76(24)	84(29)	92(33)	100(38)	118(48)	82(28)	93(34)	100(38)	106(41)	112(44)	118(48)	99(37)	109(43)	118(48)	127(53)	135(57)	145(63)
180°F (82°C)	70(21)	77(25)	86(30)	95(35)	102(39)	122(50)	82(28)	95(35)	102(39)	108(42)	114(46)	120(49)	100(38)	111(44)	120(49)	129(54)	136(58)	149(65)

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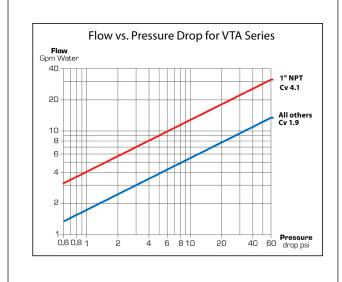


## Flow Pattern & Capacity:



#### Pattern:

The VTA series provides a mixing flow pattern for both a domestic hot water (DHW) application and for hydronic heating systems. If a diverting flow pattern is required refer to the VTA572 datasheet located on heating.danfoss.us (Code No.31700200).



## **Capacity:**

The flow rate through the VTA series valve at any given pressure drop can be determined from the capacity diagram.



## Domestic Hot Water Sizing:

For domestic hot water systems the VTA series can be sized based on the number of fixture units the valve will supply.

#### Valve selection process:

- 1. Determine the type and number of fixtures to be supplied by the mixing valve.
- 2. Assign fixture units from Table 1 for each fixture type.
- 3. Add the total number of fixture units.
- 4. Confirm the mixing valve has sufficient capacity from Table 2.

#### **Example:**

A residential home with 2-1/2 baths (3 bathroom sinks and 2 baths or **7 fixture units**), kitchen (1 kitchen sink and a dish washer or **3 fixture units**), and a clothes washer (**2 fixture units**). Hot water supply from the water heater is <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>". The total is **12 fixture units**.

Table 1. Fixture Units						
Bathroom sink	1					
Kitchen Sink	2					
Bath	2					
Shower	2					
Clothes Washer	2					
Dish Washer	1					

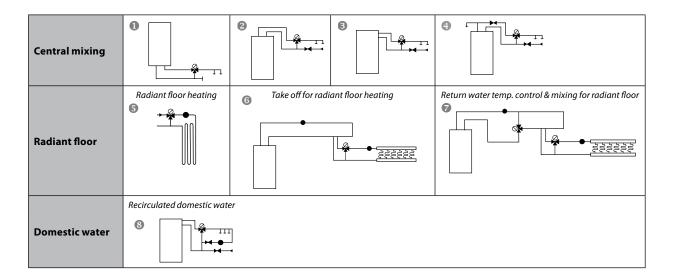
Table 2. VTA Series Capacity					
Valve Size	Max. Fixture Units				
All except 1" NPT	16				
1" NPT	30				

**Note:** Certain fixtures such as hot tubs, roman tubs or spa showers may require a high volume of hot water. The VTA series may not be capable of providing sufficient hot water to these fixtures.

## **Typical Piping:**

VTA series of tmvs can be used to safely supply domestic hot water in residential, commercial, institutional, and industrial installations.

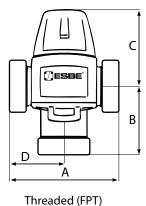
The VTA series are also well suited for use in hydronic heating systems requiring a reduced hot water temperature such as in radiant heating systems, heat pumps, and solar heating systems.

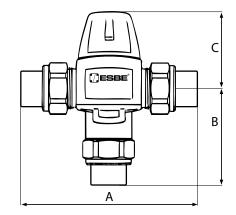


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## **Dimensions & Weights:**





Union Solder & Union CPVC

Description		Weight			
Description	Α	В	С	D	lbs (kg)
union valve w/ ½" solder tailpcs	4.1" (104)	2.3" (59)	2.1" (53)	2.0" (52)	1.7 (0.8)
union valve w/ ¾" solder tailpcs	4.8" (122)	2.7" (69)	2.1" (53)	2.4" (61)	1.7 (0.8)
union valve w/ ¾" CPVC	4.7" (119)	2.6" (66)	2.1" (53)	2.4" (83)	1.5 (0.7)
3/4" valve female NPT connections	2.8" (71)	1.7" (43)	2.1" (53)	1.4" (36)	1.1 (0.5)
1" valve female NPT connections	3.75" (95)	2.5" (63)	2.4" (61)	1.9" (48)	2 (0.95)

## **Typical Specification:**

A Thermostatic Mixing Valve shall be installed on the outlet of the water heater for the distribution of tempered water to the fixtures. The thermostatic mixing valve shall have an internal self regulating element housed within a brass lead free constructed valve body. The valve shall have a protective plastic body cover and snap-on cap to prevent unauthorized tampering. The valve shall be an ESBE VTA thermostatic mixing valve series.

A Thermostatic Mixing Valve for hydronic heating applications shall be installed prior to the circulator for the system or zone. The thermostatic mixing valve shall have an internal self regulating element housed within a brass lead free constructed valve body. The valve shall have a protective plastic body cover and snap-on cap to prevent unauthorized tampering. The valve shall be an ESBE VTA series thermostatic mixing valve series.

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## **VTA Series Features:**



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