

# **Main Steam Vents**

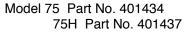
## **How to Select Steam Vents**

Model Number	Radiator (Angle Type)	Convector (Bottom Inlet)	Unit Heater	Mains	Thermostatlic Vent (only)	Remarks
1A	Х					Adjustable Orifice
40	X					Fixed Orifice
41		X				Fixed Orifice
43		X				Fixed Orifice
45		X				Fixed Orifice
508		X				Moisture Type
4A				Х		Small Systems
75				Х		Low Pressure
75H				Х		High Pressure
76				Х		Vacuum Systems
74			Х	·		Unit Heaters
4					Х	Small Systems
8C					Х	High Pressure

Model 4A Part No. 401413

# Air Valve (non-vacuum)

- · Float-type thermostatic vent
- For residential or small one-pipe or two-pipe systems
- · Single non-adjustable port
- ½" NPT female and ¾" NPT male straight shank
- Install 6-10" (150-250mm) above horizontal return and 18" (450mm) above the boiler water line
- Maximum operating pressure 2 psig (0.13 bar)\*
- Maximum pressure 10 psig (0.7 bar)

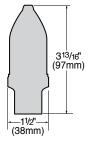


## Air Valve (non-vacuum)

- · Float-type thermostatic vent
- · For medium and large systems
- Single non-adjustable port
- ½" NPT female and ¾" NPT male straight shank
- Maximum operating pressure\*
  - Model 75 3 psig (0.2 bar)
- Model 75H 10 psig (0.7 bar)
- Maximum pressure 15 psig (1.0 bar)

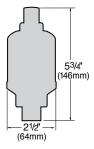


Air Valve Model 4A





Air Valve Model 75 & 75H



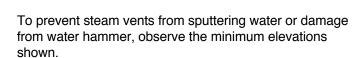
<sup>\*</sup>Drop away pressure (maximum pressure against which the vent can open).



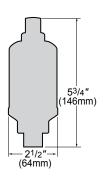
#### Model 76 Part No. 401432

#### **Vacuum Valve**

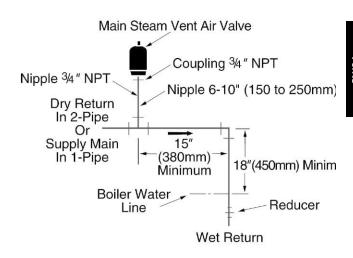
- · Float-type themostatic vent
- · For medium and large one-pipe vacuum systems
- · Single non-adjustable port
- ½" NPT female and ¾" NPT male straight shank
- Install 6-10" (150-250mm) above horizontal return and 8" (450mm) above the boiler water line
- Maximum operating pressure 3 psig (0.2 bar)
- Maximum pressure 15 psig (1.0 bar)







## Installation





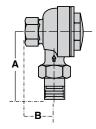
# **High Pressure Steam Vent**

Model 8C Angle Part No. 402002 High Pressure Balanced Pressure Air Valve

- Thermostatic vent (no float)
- Install at the high point in piping or on equipment to quickly vent air from the steam space.
- Discharge may be piped to a safe area or into vented return line.
- 1/4" (6mm) orifice
- Inlet 1/2" NPT male union connection
- Outlet 1/2" NPT female
- · Bronze body and cap
- · Stainless steel element
- Maximum operating pressure 125 psig (8.6 bar)





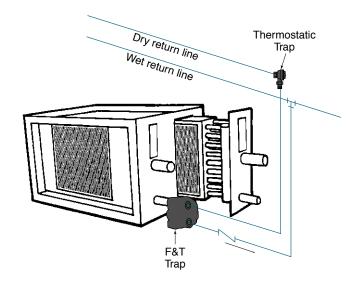


# Dimensions, in. (mm)

Model	Pattern	NPT Size	Α	В
8C-2	Angle	1/2	2 <sup>27</sup> / <sub>32</sub> (72)	11/4 (32)

# Air make up coil with F&T Float & Thermostatic trap draining into a wet return line

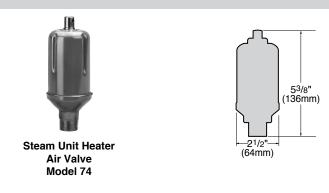
Note: A separate thermostatic trap is added to vent air into the dry return line.



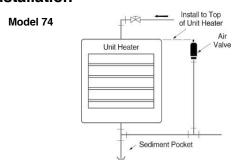


# Model 74 Part No. 401429 Steam Unit Heater Air Valve

- · Float-type thermostatic vent
- · Single non-adjustable port
- ½" NPT female and ¾" NPT male straight shank
- Install 6-10" (150-250mm) above horizontal return and 18" (450mm) above the boiler water line
- Maximum operating pressure 35 psig (2.4 bar)\*
- · Maximum pressure 35 psig (2.4 bar)



# Installation

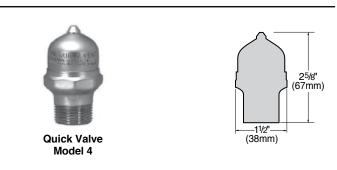




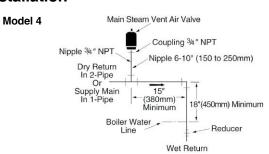
- · Thermostatic air vent
- · For steam systems and process equipment
- Operates on temperature change only; does not close against water
- Must be installed 6-10" (150-250mm) above horizontal return and 18" (450mm) above the boiler water line
- $\frac{1}{2}$ " NPT female and  $\frac{3}{4}$ " NPT male straight shank
- Maximum operating pressure 25 psig (1.7 bar)\*
- Maximum pressure 25 psig (1.7 bar)

To prevent steam vents from sputtering water or damage from water hammer, observe the minumum elevations shown.

\*Drop away pressure (maximum pressure against which the vent can open).



#### Installation



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# **Radiator Steam Vents**

Model 1A Part No. 401422

# Air Valve (non-vacuum)

- · Float-type vent
- Adjustable port for true proportional venting –
   6 port settings from slow (1) to fast (6)
- 1/8" NPT angle connection
- Maximum operating pressure 1½ psig (0.1 bar)\*
- Maximum pressure 10 psig (0.7 bar)



Air Valve Model 1A

# Model 40 Part No. 401440 Air Valve (non-vacuum)

- Float-type vent
- For ordinary one-pipe system that doesn't require proportional venting
- · Single non-adjustable port
- 1/8" NPT angle connection
- Maximum operating pressure 6 psig (0.4 bar)\*
- Maximum pressure 10 psig (0.7 bar)



Air Valve Model 40

# **Typical Installation**

# One-Pipe Radiator System Radiator Steam Vent Air Valve Pitch Piping Down From Here Supply Main

<sup>\*</sup>Drop away pressure (maximum pressure against which the vent can open).



# **Convector Steam Vents**

**Model 41** Part No. 401455 **43** Part No. 401458

**45** Part No. 401461

# Air Valve (non-vacuum)

- Single non-adjustable port
- For small steam systems
- · Telescopic siphon tube with angle cut assures drainage
- 1/8" NPT straight shank (41) 1/4" NPT straight shank (43)
  - $\frac{1}{2}$ " NPT female and  $\frac{3}{4}$ " NPT male straight shank (45)
- Maximum operating pressure 6 psig (0.4 bar)\*
- Maximum pressure 10 psig (0.7 bar)



Air Valve Model 41, 43, 45

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# **Water Vents**

# **How to Select Water Vents**

Hoffman Specialty® Vents

Model Number	Radiator	Convector	Mains	Built-in Vacuum Check	Maximum Operating Pressure psig (bar)	Remarks
77	Х	Х			50 (3.5)	Small Systems
78			Х	Х	150 (10.3)	High Pressure
79			Х	Х	75 (5.2)	Low Pressure
792			Х		250 (17.3)	Cast Iron Body
550		Χ			100 (6.9)	Air Chamber
508	Х	Х			50 (3.5)	Moisture Type

## Model 77 Part No. 401497

#### **Water Vent Valve**

- For efficient releasing of air in hydronic heating systems, such as baseboard radiators, convector radiators and small heating units
- 1/8" NPT straight shank
- Maximum operating pressure 50 psig (3.5 bar)\*
- Maximum temperature 240°F (116°C)

# **Model 78** Part No. 401485

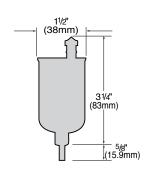
#### **Water Main Vent Valve**

- For use on high pressure hot or cold water or glycol mains and process applications with specific gravity greater than 0.7
- · Cast brass body
- Tapped at top for ½" NPT safety drain connection for discharging moisture
- · Body unscrews for easy cleaning
- · Built-in Check Valve
- ¾" NPT straight shank
- Maximum operating pressure 150 psig (10.3 bar)\*
- · Maximum hydrostatic pressure 450 psig (31.1 bar)
- Maximum temperature 250°F (121°C)

# Model 79 Part No. 401488 Water Main Vent Valve

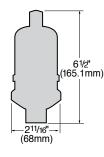
- For use on hot or cold or glycol water mains and process applications with specific gravity greater than 0.7
- Tapped at top for ½" NPT safety drain connection for discharging moisture
- Removable top
- · Built-in Check Valve
- ½" NPT female and ¾" NPT male straight shank
- Maximum operating pressure 75 psig (5.2 bar)\*
- · Maximum hydrostatic pressure 200 psig (13.8 bar)
- Maximum temperature 250°F (121°C)





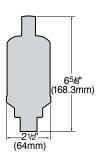


Water Main Vent Valve Model 78





Water Main Vent Valve Model 79



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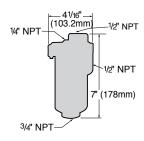
# Model 792 Part No. 401494

# **High Pressure Water Vent Valve**

- For releasing air from hot or cold water or glycol mains, hydronic heating and chilling systems, storage and processing tank filters, centrifugal pumps with specific gravity greater than 0.7
- · Cast iron body and cover, stainless steel interior
- Maximum operating pressure 250 psig (17.3 bar)\*
- Maximum hydrostatic pressure 350 psig (24.2 bar)
- Maximum temperature 300°F (149°C)







Model 792 Capacity				
Water Pressure psig (bar)	Air Discharge to Atmosphere cu. ft./min. (cu. m/min.)			
100 (6.9)	10 (.28)			
150 (10.3)	15 (.42)			
200 (13.8)	20 (.57)			
250 (17.3)	25 (.70)			

<sup>\*</sup>Maximum pressure against which the vent can open.

# **Hoffman Specialty® Vents**

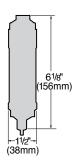


# Model 550 Part No. 401476

#### Air Chamber

- For use on convectors which are not provided with built-in air chambers or air collection fittings
- · Brass construction.
- ¼" NPT straight shank connection tapped at the top for ½" NPT connection
- 6 cubic inch (98.3cm) volume
- Maximum water pressure 100 psig (6.9 bar)
- Maximum steam pressure 25 psig (1.7 bar)





# Model 508 Part No. 401475

#### **Water Vent Valve**

- For automatic or manual venting systems
- · Ideal for use with Model 550 Air Chamber
- · Disc-type vent
- · Built-in check valve
- Cartridge with discs can be replaced without draining the system
- 1/8" NPT straight shank
- Maximum water pressure 50 psig (3.5 bar)
- Maximum pressure 50 psig (3.5 bar)



Water Vent Valve Model 508