

# Models

# Pneumatic Regulators

# 22980PR, 22981PR & 22982PR

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## Construction Characteristics

- Compact Size
- Body made with Special Brass
- Interchangeable Valve Seats
- Constant Pressure with multi-spray gun operating
- Connections for Pressure Gauge

# Performance Chart

Model	Operating Pressure		Min. Flow Rate		Max. Flow Rate		Water Temperature	
	PSI	Bar	GPM	L/min	GPM	L/min	°F	°C
22981PR	0-2200	0-150	2.1	8.0	79.3	300	150	70
22982PR	0-3000	0-180	2.1	8.0	79.3	300	150	70
22980PR	0-7250	0-500	2.1	8.0	26.4	100	150	70

## IMPORTANT!

- **Observe the direction of the flow. NEVER close or fit the bypass with a shut-off device.**
- **Continual bypass operation without releasing the water can cause the liquid to heat up, damaging the unit and endangering people.** To prevent this from happening, limit the bypass duration (note the max. temperature), and calculate the duration in conjunction with the operating conditions. Use fittings (e.g. thermal valve on water inlet) to avoid heat increase.

## OPERATION

- The entire flow must pass through the valve. Compressed air is admitted into the regulator cylinder via a pneumatic governor.
- The water pressure reacts proportionally to the adjusted air pressure. Therefore, the regulator is optimally suited for keeping pressure at a constant level when one pump is connected to several discharge points (spray guns).
- When terminals (spray guns) are shut off, the valve switches to pressure free bypass operation.

## PERFORMANCE

The bypass line must be laid in a flow-favorable way.

The cross-section of the bypass line must at least correspond to the outlet cross-section of the valve.

Outlet (BSP+NPT)	1/4	1/2	3/4	1
Min. ø (mm)	8	8	15	17

## SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

**IMPORTANT!** Observe the direction of flow. The bypass must under no circumstances be closed off or fitted with a shut-off device. The diameter of the bypass discharge port should not be reduced any further but increased instead (1" BSP or bigger). As the full amount of 79.3 GPM (300 L) causes very high flow speed, a large dimensioned and sturdy high pressure hose must be tightly fitted to the bypass (to avoid whip effect) – preferably in a straight down position. Elbow fittings after the bypass outlet are to be avoided. The line after the bypass should be constructed to allow for good flow without much resistance. The stagnation pressure between the pump and Regulator depends directly on the flow resistance present in the bypass line.

Continuous bypass operation without releasing the water can cause the liquid to heat up which in turn could damage the unit and endanger persons.

Possible preventive measures:

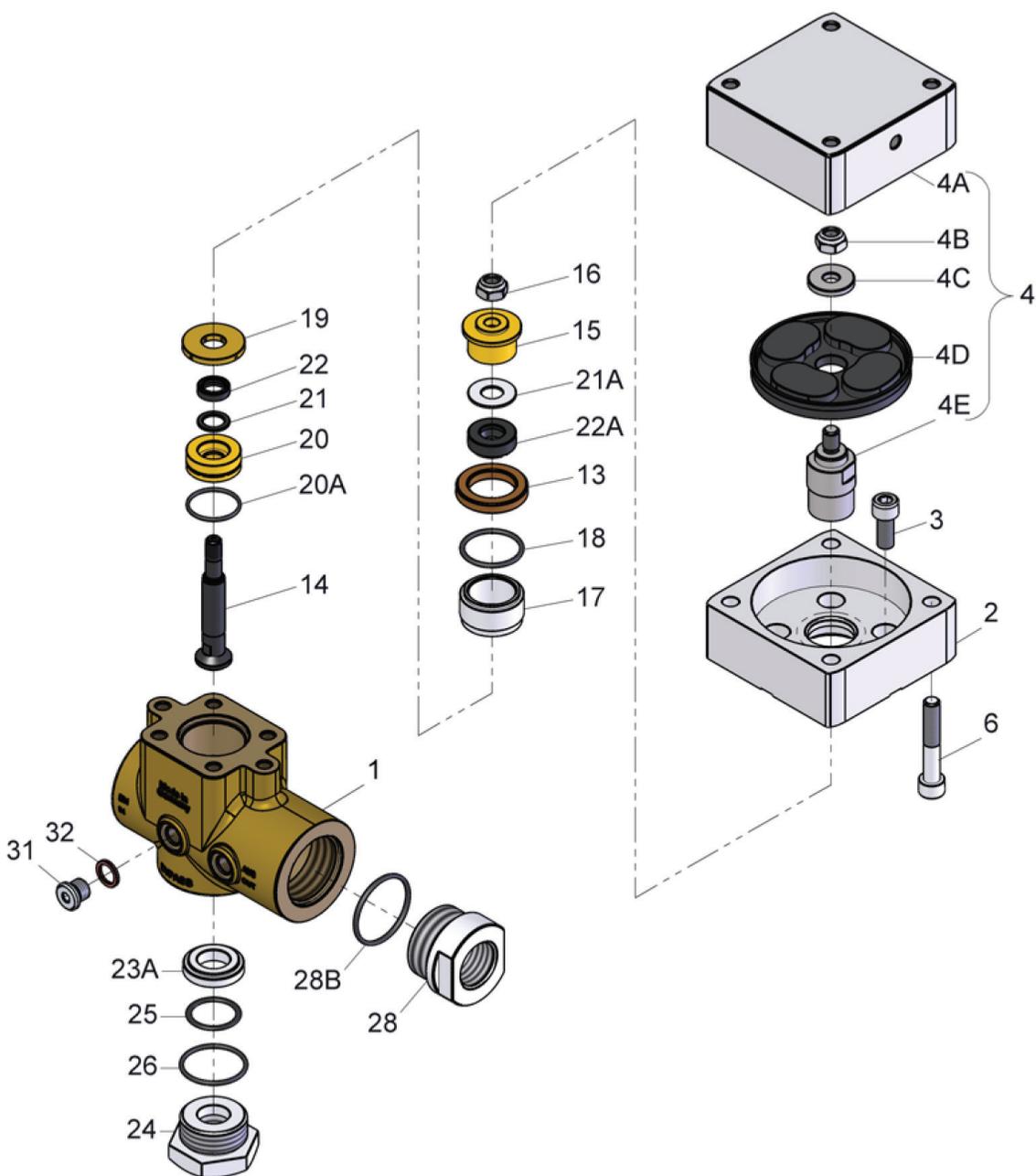
- 1.) Limit the bypass duration (maximum temperature 150 °F [70°C]); the duration is to be calculated by the operator in conjunction with the operating conditions.
- 2.) Use fittings to avoid heat increase (e.g. thermo valve on water inlet side).



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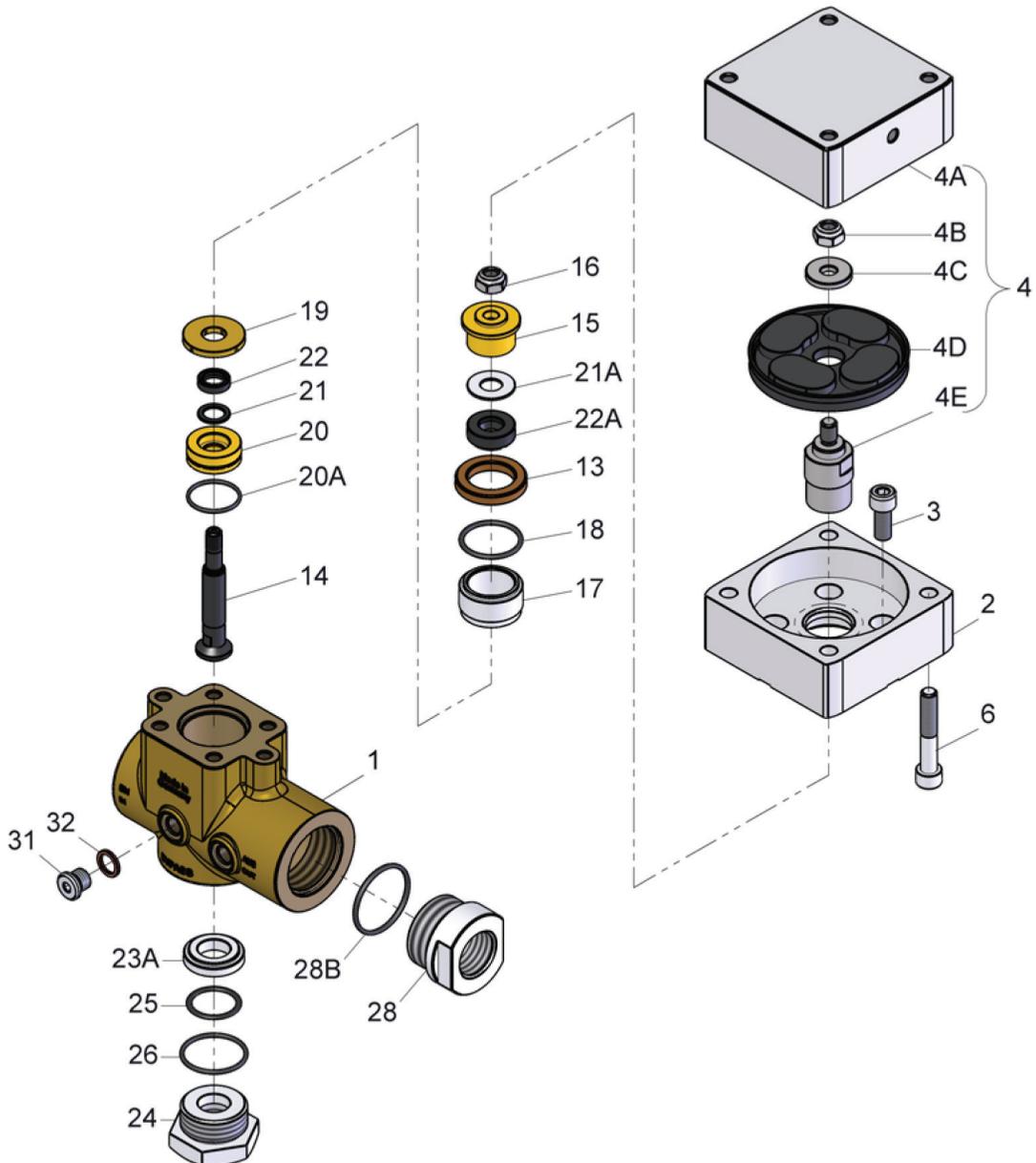
<u>Item</u>	<u>Part #</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Qty.</u>	<u>Item</u>	<u>Part #</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Qty.</u>
1	05512	Casing	1	19	05709	Spacer Ring	1
2	03053	Cylinder Adapter	1	20	05643	Guide Ring	1
3	07008	Inner Hexagon Screw	4	20A+	07281	O-Ring	1
4	03578	Cylinder Assembly	1	21+	07840	Support Ring	1
4A	03579	Cylinder	1	21A+	13253	Support Ring	1
4B	04036	Hexagon Nut	1	22+	13254	Seal Packing	1
4C	03580	Washer	1	22A+	13255	Seal Packing	1
4D	04635	Sleeve	1	23A+	13256	Valve Seat	1
4E	03581	Pressure Pin	1	24	05724	Bypass Valve Plug	1
6	04035	Inner Hexagon Screw	4	25+	12057	O-Ring	1
13	05625	Centering Disc	1	26+	12055	O-Ring	1
14+	13247	Piston	1	28	05725	Kick-Back Valve Plug	1
15+	13248	Seal Support	1	28B+	07653	O-Ring	1
16	04036	Hexagon Nut	1	31	07423-0100	Plug	4
17	05628	Cylinder	1	32	06934	Copper Gasket	4
18+	13012	O-Ring	1				

+09704R Repair Kit



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<u>Item</u>	<u>Part #</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Qty.</u>	<u>Item</u>	<u>Part #</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Qty.</u>
1	05512	Casing	1	20	05643	Guide Ring	1
2	03053	Cylinder Adapter	1	20A+	07281	O-Ring	1
3	07008	Inner Hexagon Screw	4	21+	07840	Support Ring	1
4	03578	Short Stroke Cylinder	1	21A+	07904	Support Ring	1
4A	03579	Cylinder	1	22+	13254	Seal Packing	1
4B	04036	Hexagon Nut	1	22A+	08087	Seal Packing	1
4C	03580	Washer	1	23A+	03054	Valve Seat	1
4D	04635	Sleeve	1	24	05724	Bypass Valve Plug	1
4E	03581	Pressure Pin	1	25+	12057	O-Ring	1
6	07773	Inner Hexagon Screw	4	26+	12055	O-Ring	1
13	05703	Centering Disc	1	28	05725	Kick-Back Valve Plug	1
14+	13247	Piston	1	28B+	07653	O-Ring	1
15+	05704	Seal Support	1	31	07423-0100	Plug	4
16	04036	Hexagon Nut	1	32	06934	Copper Gasket	4
17	05705	Cylinder	1				
18+	13012	O-Ring	1	+09705		Repair Kit	
19	05709	Spacer Ring	1				



## INSTALLATION AND ADJUSTMENT OF PRESSURE

The valve is installed in the discharge line and should be close to the discharge outlet of the high pressure pump. If there is considerable flow rate or plunger displacement, we recommend fitting a pressure accumulator between the high pressure pump and the regulator valve to dampen pump pulsation.

**Version 1:** The compressed air is adjusted to the desired pump pressure via a pneumatic governor without a kick-back valve.

An air pressure of 87 PSI (6 Bar) corresponds to approximately 7612 PSI (525 Bar) of water pressure on the 22980PR, and 1450 PSI (100 Bar) of water pressure on the 22981PR and 22982PR. Slight difference in these values can arise due to pulsation (see chart below).

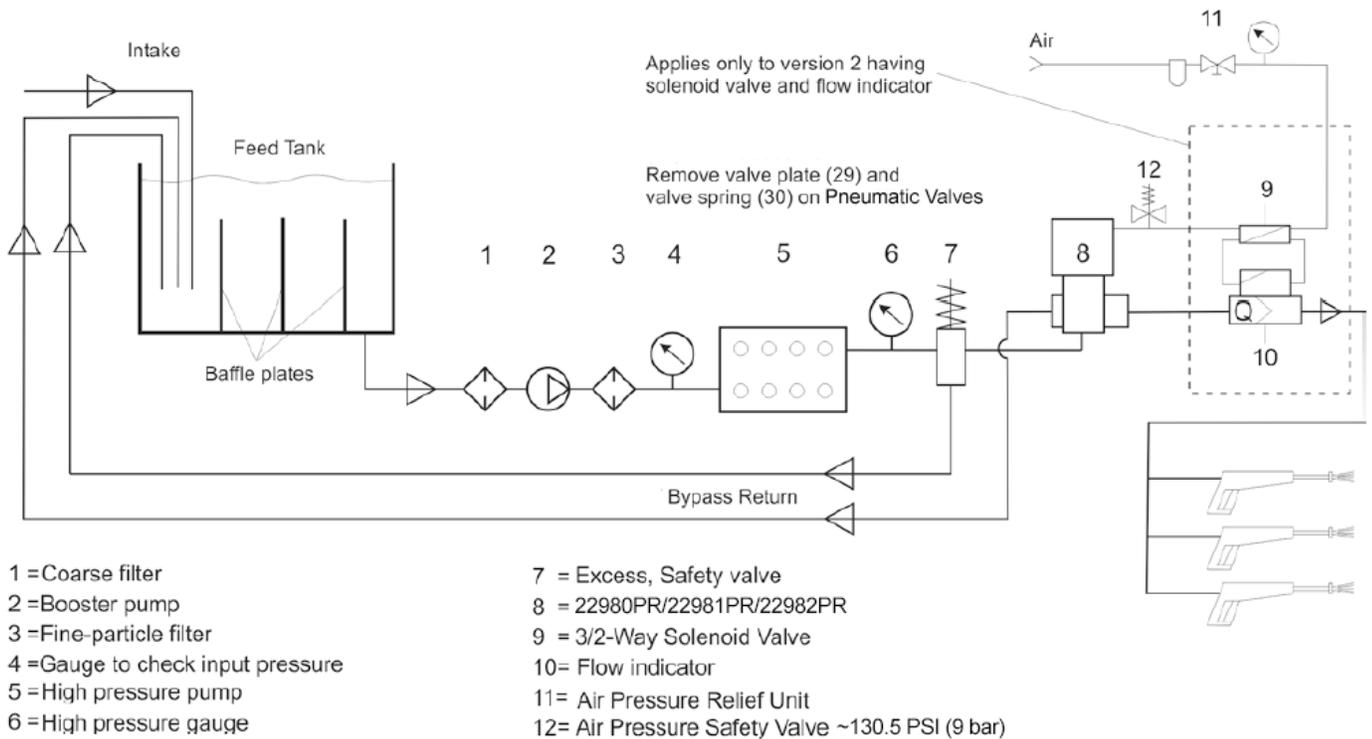
22980PR, 22981PR & 22982PR Air Pressure Chart							
		22980PR		22981PR		22982PR	
Air Pressure		Liquid Pressure		Liquid Pressure		Liquid Pressure	
PSI	Bar	PSI	Bar	PSI	Bar	PSI	Bar
14.5	1	1100	75			362.5	25
29	2	2175	150	290	20	725	50
43.5	3	3262	225	580	40	1087	75
58	4	4350	300	864	60	1450	100
72.5	5	5438	375	1160	80	1812	125
87	6	6525	450	1450	100	2175	150
101.5	7	7612	525	1740	120	2538	175
116	8			2030	140		
130.5	9			2320	160		

**IMPORTANT!** To prevent pump overload, install and adjust the safety valve to the maximum operating pressure. Additionally, install an adjusted safety valve in the compressed air line to ensure that the admissible operating pressure of the regulator valve cannot be exceeded in the case of incorrect adjustment of the air pressure relief unit.

When several spray guns are being used, the preset air pressure ensures that the discharge pressure on the spray guns always remains consistent and even. The regulator switches to pressure-free bypass operating when the last gun is closed. The discharge pressure between the regulator and guns remains (see configuration sketch on next page)

**Version 2** An addition to version 1 is installing a flow indicator in the discharge line after the regulator. Install a 3/2 way solenoid valve (e.g., Festo 7803 MFH-3-1/8, min. air pressure of 43.5 PSI or (3 bar) in the compressed air line.

At zero flow (all guns closed), the flow indicator will switch the solenoid valve so the piston unit in the regulator becomes pressure-free. When the regulator switches to pressure-free bypass, the pressure lines between the regulator and guns are also become pressure-free. This puts less strain on the pump and unit parts, reducing wear. Pressure on the guns will build gradually (see configuration sketch).



## SERVICE AND ADJUSTMENT

These procedures are only to be carried out by qualified personnel.

### To RENEW PISTON SEALS

Unscrew the inner hexagon screw (6) and remove short-stroke cylinder (4). After unscrewing inner hexagon screw (3), remove cylinder retainer (2) from casing (1).

Push out complete piston assembly (13-22A) upwards. Hold piston (14) with size 12 spanner wrench and remove hexagon nut (16). Remove cylinder (17), seal support (15), spacer ring (19) and seal retainer (20)-22981PR/22982PR or guide ring (20)-22980PR together with seals from the piston (14). Take note of the sequence for reassembling. Check inner cylinder surface (17) and piston surface (14). Check seals and replace as necessary. Dirt or damage will cause seals to wear out quickly. Grease all parts lightly with silicone before reinstalling. Tighten hexagon nut (16) to 177 in.-lbs. (20NM)

Center bypass valve seat (23 or 23A) within casing and tighten to 110 ft.-lbs. (150 NM) with valve plug (24). Next, insert complete piston unit from the top. Fit cylinder adapter (2) on to the casing (1) with inner hexagon screws (3) to 33 ft.-lbs. (45 NM).

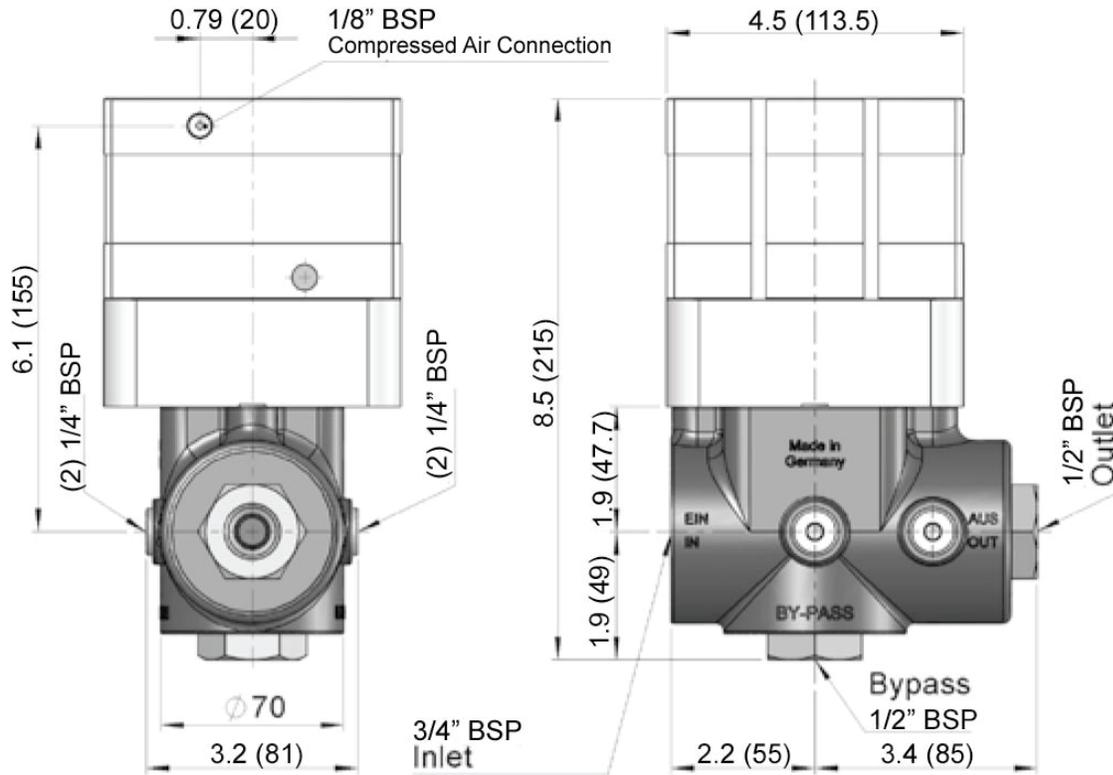
Mount short-stroke cylinder (4) with screwed-in compression cap (5) onto cylinder adaptor (2). Tighten inner hexagon screws (6) to 33 ft.-lbs. (45 NM).

### To CHECK AND REPLACE VALVES

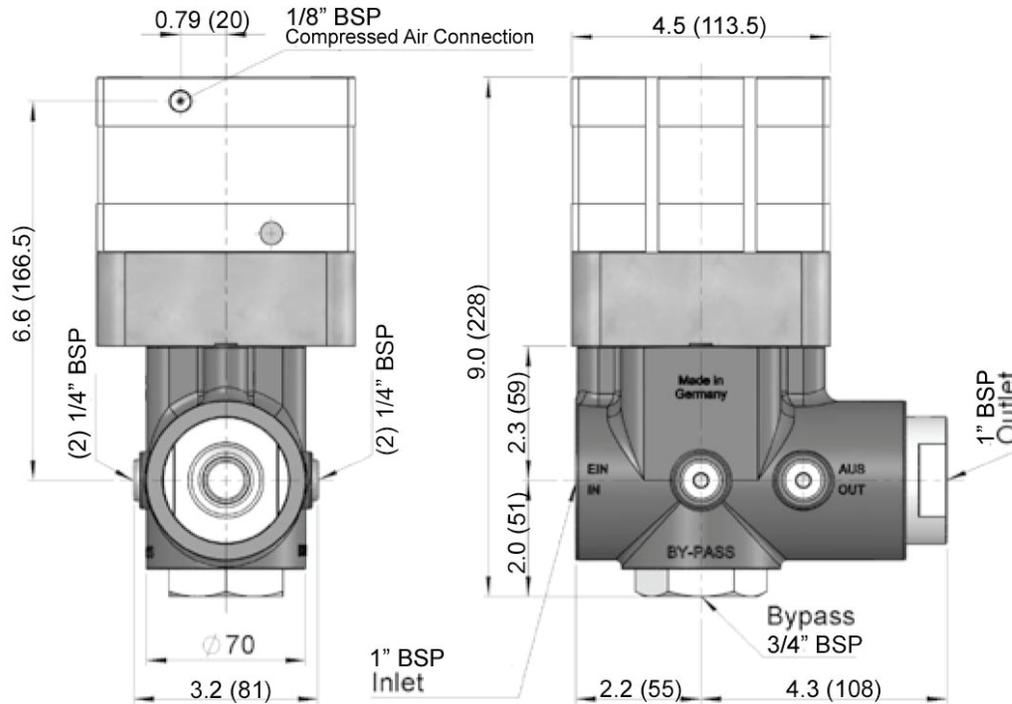
Remove the valve seats (23 or 23A) and check the surfaces and O-rings (25/26) for wear and/or damage. Replace as necessary.

Troubleshooting Guide		
Defect	Cause	Remedy
Valve switches repeatedly when gun is closed	Leaky Gun	Renew gun
	Leaky Pressure Pipe	Seal pressure pipe
	Leaky seal (22)	Renew seal
	Worn out non-return valve	Check and renew as necessary valve plate, O-ring and seat
	Leaky seal (18)	Renew Seal
Gauge shows high pressure peaks when shutting off gun	Air pressure is too high	Reduce air pressure
	Dirty Valve	Clean valve (removing deposits, etc.). Grease parts before reinstalling

## 22980PR Dimensions - Inches (mm)



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