

# User manual for Manual-Operated Directional Control Valve

### 1. Hydraulic oil

### Type

| Petroleum based hydraulic oil | The equivalent of ISO VG32 46 68 |
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| Synthetic hydraulic oil       | Phosphate ester polyol ester     |
| Flame retardant hydraulic oil | Water ethylene glycol            |

## · Viscosity and temperature

Viscosity:  $150 \sim 400 \text{cSt}$ Temperature:  $-15 \sim 70^{\circ}\text{C}$ 

### Cleanliness

In order to extend the service life of hydraulic components, the cleanliness of the oil should be kept within NAS 1638-12 level, and a pipeline oil filter with a filtration clarity of 25µm or more should be used.

### 2. Safety Information

• It should be avoided to connect T port of the valve to the pipelines that may have impact force, and the end of the return pipe must be immersed in oil.

#### 3. Maintenance

- Regular inspection: Visual inspection to check for oil leakage, abnormal noise etc. Check if there is any looseness
  in the valve body and connecting parts.
- Regular cleaning: After a period of use, dirt may accumulate inside and affect the sealing performance. According
  to usage, clean the outer and inner of valves regularly.
- Regular tightening: During the use of valves, the connection parts may become loose. Check and tighten them
  regularly.
  - Check the oil condition: Regularly check the use of oil and replace contaminated ones in a timely manner.

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