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RAM SOLUTIONS, LLC

INTELLIGENT VACUUM PUMPS



ADVANCED VACUUM SOLUTIONS



VACUUM MANAGERS

Welcome to the new COVAL catalog!

At COVAL, we set out to provide our clients and users with **vacuum handling** solutions that meet their goals in terms of profitability, productivity, quality, safety, and environmental conservation.

To achieve this, COVAL is rallying its efforts to predict, plan, innovate, and manufacture with one aim in mind: offering the right products and services at the right time. In practical terms, this is what it takes:

- Impeccable knowledge of various industrial sectors.
- Being attentive and available to our clients' teams and users.
- The ability to adapt quickly to evolving needs.
- A rigorous approach to all of COVAL's efforts and endeavors.

To meet our commitments every day, at COVAL we have been developing an organization and a culture geared towards constant innovation, quality, and service for more than 35 years:

- Teams specialized by industry: food processing, aeronautics, robotics, plastic processing, packaging, and more.
- Strong in-house capacity for research and innovation complemented with external resources through public and private partnerships.
- Strong presence thanks to our sales team, foreign subsidiaries, and authorized dealers.

COVAL is the Vacuum Manager for each and every one of its clients.

We bring together all the skills and know-how to manage the vacuum handling of their parts, products, or packaging.

This catalog presents our range of intelligent vacuum pumps, illustrating COVAL's vision of innovation, with a focus on energy savings, communication, and ease of use, as well as compactness.

It is an introduction to discussions with our sales and technical teams about your projects.

The COVAL team

COVAL is a member of the **French Fab**, sharing with it the values of innovation, French manufacturing, digital transformation, and international development.





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COVAL SERVICES

COVAL combines its products with efficient services to assist in defining your needs, selecting your solution, integrating your products, and optimizing your equipment.

► ALL COVAL PRODUCTS ONLINE

Just click to access our entire product range, which is regularly updated, and download any of our catalogs.

► 3D ONLINE LIBRARY

You have free access to 3D files of all our products in formats compatible with leading CAD software from our website at www.coval.com



**3D
COVAL Data**

You can use this fast, new, reliable service to make it easier to integrate our components directly into your designs.

► TECHNICAL PHONE SUPPORT

COVAL provides you technical support to answer all your questions regarding its products, solutions, and services: find a product or spare part, get advice on recommended use, request technical documentation, ask for technical information (how to avoid pressure losses, reduce noise level, save energy, etc.).

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► MOBILE APPLICATION

The **COVAL e-catalog** application gives you access to all our products from anywhere, allowing you to perform the following actions for each product:

- Download 3D models.
- View the latest up-to-date technical data.
- Download and share technical data sheets.



► COVAL SOLUTIONS SERVICES

To adapt our products to your specific applications, both the COVAL engineering and design department and its development team are dedicated to providing solutions that meet your specifications.

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ENERGY SAVING APP

Measure the savings online that you can make with a COVAL vacuum handling solution.

The **ENERGY SAVING APP** allows you to measure the savings you can generate with LEMAX, LEMAX+, LEMAX IO, LEMCOM or GVMAX HD vacuum pumps featuring the ASC technology compared with conventional vacuum pumps.

This unique app in the world of vacuum technology is very intuitive to use. Once you've entered the equipment's main characteristics (gripping cycle time, number of cycles, run time, volume to be evacuated), the savings are displayed automatically in euros, air volume, and savings percentage. In most cases, it is quite significant since it peaks at 97% of energy saved, for example with the LEMAX.

It is, therefore, easy to realize that investing in a COVAL pump featuring ASC pays for itself, on average, after less than a year of use.

This COVAL exclusive strengthens our calling as your company's Vacuum Manager and our desire to contribute to improving the energy and production performance of your equipment.

You can access this software from the COVAL website:
<https://www.coval-international.com/company/our-technologies/>

Products concerned: ■ LEMAX ■ LEMAX+ ■ LEMAX IO ■ LEMCOM ■ GVMAX HD...



ENERGY SAVING APP

- 1 - Existing Vacuum Installation ✓
- 2 - Existing vacuum generator ✓
- 3 - ASC vacuum generator ✓
- 4 - Compressed air cost ✓
- 5 - RESULTS ✓

Based on the data provided, you will find below a summary of the air consumption and costs for the existing solution along with estimation of the energy and monetary savings by using a COVAL ASC technology vacuum generator.

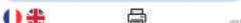
savings **97%** for 2 generators

Air saving (in volume): **20394.8** m³/year

Energy saving: **98** %

Annual money saving: **5624** €

EXISTING GENERATOR	GENERATOR ASC
Air consumption: 20394.8 m ³ /year	Air consumption: 194.0 m ³ /year
Annual cost: 5624 €/year	Annual cost: 0.8 €/year



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COVAL's Family of Intelligent Vacuum Pumps

Vacuum pumps are used in a wide variety of automated systems, primarily to generate and control vacuum in suction cups to ensure the gripping of objects. They must be easily integrated into a process and communicate the information necessary to ensure proper production.

To meet the expectations of manufacturers and the demands of automated applications, COVAL offers a complete range of vacuum pumps to meet different needs: vacuum levels, suction rates, control types, communication technologies, and energy savings.

Communication needs vary depending on the industry and application, but more and more, an efficient and real time communication system allows for increased flexibility of the machine.

In addition, the simplification of wiring and configuration is a benefit for integrators, while expanding the possibilities of diagnosis and optimization.

Key points of intelligent vacuum pumps



Functions	Model	LEMP	LEM	LEMAX	LEMAX IO	LEMCOM	LEM+	LEMAX+	GVMAX HD	CMS HD
Recommended for porous products		■	■			■	■			■
Recommended for airtight products				■	■	■		■	■	
Suction flow rate from 29 to 92 NI/min		■	■	■	■	■				
Suction flow rate from 125 to 275 NI/min							■	■	■	
Suction flow rate from 700 to 1600 NI/min										■
Maximum vacuum level: 60%		■	■			■	■			
Maximum vacuum level: 80 or 85%		■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Vacuum control			■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Blow-off control			■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)		■	■	■	■	■	■	■		
Powerful blow-off							□	□	□	
Electronic vacuum switch with display		□	□	■			□	■	■	□
Electronic vacuum switch					■	■				
Pressure sensor									■	□
Vacuum check-valve				■	■	■		■	■	
Automatic vacuum regulation (ASC)				■	■	■		■	■	
M8 connections		□	■	■	■	■				
M12 connections							■	■	■	■
Island Assembly Available		■	■	■	■	■			■	
SMART SWAP Quick-mounting system									■	
Field bus EtherNet/IP™ / PROFINET						■				
IO-Link					■				■	□
NFC									■	□

■: Standard or integrated □: Option

Energy Savings

COVAL is committed to making your vacuum handling system energy-efficient. Our goal is to optimize the overall performance of your equipment by operating on the following three principles:

- Analyzing the system to identify the potential for savings.
- Selecting the most appropriate solution.
- Including COVAL energy-saving technologies, such as ASR and ASC, in our products.



ASR (Air Saving Regulator)

A "venturi pressure regulator" that guarantees optimized operation at 3.5 bar.

Ideal for gripping of porous products or rough surfaces.

Advantage: Up to 40 % energy savings.



ASC (Air Saving Control)

A vacuum regulation system that auto-adjusts to the product being handled.

Ideal for gripping airtight products.

Advantage: Up to 90 % energy savings.

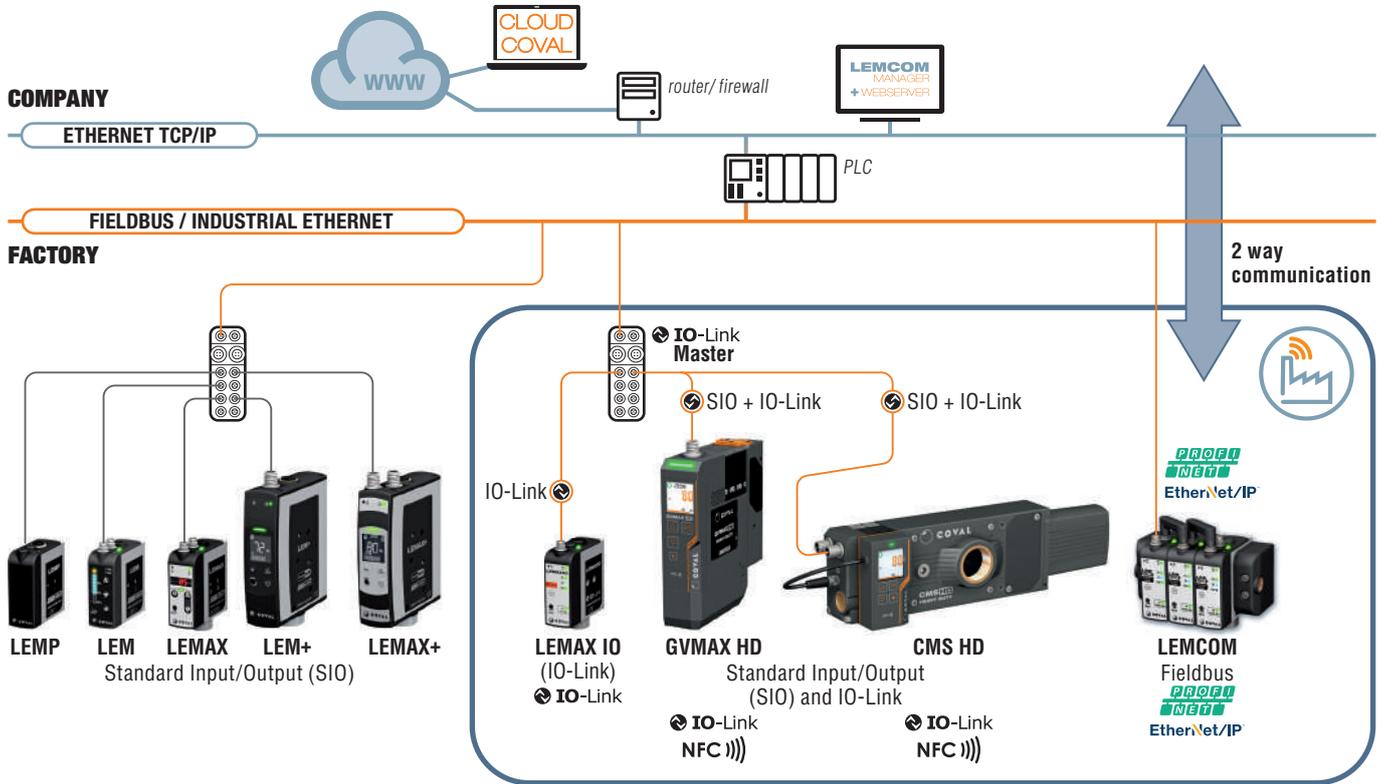


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A vast ecosystem of vacuum pumps to meet all needs.

From simple control to communication technologies designed for the industry of the future...



Key points of communication technology



Communication interface with the machine

Industrial Ethernet

- Supported buses: PROFINET, EtherNet/IP™.
- Direct connection to the machine's ethernet network.
- 2 cables for power and control of 1 to 16 vacuum pumps.



IO-Link

- Compatible with all fieldbus and industrial ethernet networks (via IO-Link master).
- 3-wire connection.
- Easy maintenance thanks to the storage of parameters in the IO-Link master.



User communication interface

LECOM Manager

- PC control software, configuration, and diagnostic software for the LEMCOM series, dedicated to "vacuum applications".



Vacuum Manager App (NFC)

- Available on iOS and Android.
- Configuration and diagnosis of the GVMAX HD and CMS HD series.
- Uploading of operating data to the COVAL cloud.



WEB Server

- Embedded on the master modules of the LEMCOM series.
- Integrated into the commercial IO-Link master for the LEMAX IO/ GVMAX HD.
- Direct access to control, configuration, and diagnostic functions.

High resolution display

- LCD color display on GVMAX HD and CMS HD series.

Intelligent Vacuum Pumps

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LEMP



Mini Vacuum Pumps without control with ASR (Air Saving Regulator)

- Nozzle Ø: 1; 1.2; 1.4 mm
- 2 vacuum levels: 60% and 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 92 NI/min
- Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)
- With or without vacuum switch
- M8 connections
- Stand-alone or island module
- For airtight and porous objects
- Ultra compact and lightweight
- Control panel for monitoring and adjustment
- Energy savings in all networks > 4 bar
- Reduced wiring
- Reduced installation time
- Adaptable to all industries

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LEM



Integrated Mini Vacuum Pumps with ASR (Air Saving regulator)

- Nozzle Ø: 1; 1.2; 1.4 mm
- 2 vacuum levels: 60% and 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 92 NI/min
- Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)
- All required functions integrated internally
- M8 connections
- Stand-alone or island module
- For airtight and porous objects
- Ultra compact and lightweight
- Control panel for monitoring and adjustment
- Energy savings in all networks > 4 bar
- Reduced wiring
- Reduced installation time
- Adaptable to all industries

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LEMAX



Integrated Mini Vacuum Pumps with ASC (Air Saving Control)

- Nozzle Ø: 1; 1.2; 1.4 mm
- Vacuum level: 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 70 NI/min
- Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)
- Integrated vacuum regulation (ASC)
- All required functions integrated internally
- M8 connections
- Stand-alone or island module
- For sealed or slightly porous parts
- Ultra compact and lightweight
- Control panel for monitoring and adjustment
- ASC = 75% to 90% energy savings
- Reduced wiring
- Reduced installation time
- Adaptable to all industries

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LEMAX IO



Mini Vacuum Pumps Communicating via Industrial Field Bus

- Nozzle Ø: 1; 1.2; 1.4 mm
- Vacuum level: 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 70 NI/min
- Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)
- Integrated vacuum regulation (ASC)
- IO-Link
- M8 connections
- Stand-alone or island module
- For sealed or slightly porous parts
- Ultra compact and lightweight
- Settings and diagnosis by remote monitoring.
- ASC = 75% to 90% energy savings
- Easy installation and operation thanks to the IO-Link communication interface
- Adaptable to all industries

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LEMCOM



Mini Vacuum Pumps Communicating via Industrial Field Bus

- Nozzle Ø: 1; 1.2; 1.4 mm
- 2 vacuum levels: 60% and 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 92 NI/min
- Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)
- Integrated vacuum regulation (ASC)
- Field bus: PROFINET, EtherNet/IP™
- M8 connections
- Stand-alone or island module
- For sealed or slightly porous parts
- Ultra compact and lightweight
- Settings and diagnosis by remote monitoring.
- ASC = 75% to 90% energy savings
- Reduced wiring
- Reduced installation time
- Adaptable to all industries

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LEM+



Compact High Flow Vacuum Pumps with ASR (Air Saving Regulator)

- Nozzle Ø: 2 ; 2.5 mm
- 2 vacuum levels: 60% and 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 275 NI/min
- Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)
- All required functions integrated internally
- M12 connections
- For airtight and porous objects
- Compact and lightweight
- Control panel for monitoring and adjustment
- Energy savings in all networks > 4 bars
- Reduced wiring
- Reduced installation time
- Adaptable to all industries

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LEMAX+



Compact High Flow Vacuum Pumps with ASC (Air Saving Control)

- Nozzle Ø: 2 ; 2.5 mm
- Vacuum level: 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 200 NI/min
- Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)
- Integrated vacuum regulation (ASC)
- All required functions integrated internally
- M12 connections
- For sealed or slightly porous parts
- Compact and lightweight
- Control panel for monitoring and adjustment
- ASC = 75% to 90% energy savings
- Reduced wiring
- Reduced installation time
- Adaptable to all industries

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GVMAX HD



Heavy Duty Communicating Vacuum Pumps

NFC))) IO-Link AIR Saving Control

- Nozzle Ø: 2.5 ; 3 mm
- Vacuum level: 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 230 NI/min
- Integrated vacuum regulation (ASC)
- Standard In/Out (SIO) and IO-Link
- NFC
- M12 connections
- Standalone vacuum pumps or in island assemblies
- For sealed or slightly porous parts
- High visibility color display with clear multi-lingual messages and straightforward settings menu
- ASC = 75% to 90% energy savings
- Easy installation and operation thanks to the IO-Link communication interface
- Easy set up made possible by NFC technology and COVAL Vacuum Manager mobile application
- Adaptable to all industries

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CMS HD



Heavy Duty Communicating Vacuum Pumps

NFC))) IO-Link

- 3 powerful suction flow rates from 700 NI/min to 1600 NI/min
- Vacuum level: 80%
- With or without vacuum and blow-off control
- M12 connections
- Digital inputs/outputs mode (SIO) / IO-Link
- NFC
- 3 exhaust configurations
- For airtight and porous objects
- High visibility color display with clear multi-lingual messages and straightforward settings menu
- Easy installation and operation thanks to the IO-Link communication interface
- Easy set up made possible by NFC technology and COVAL Vacuum Manager mobile application
- Adaptable to all industries

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series **LEMP**

Mini Vacuum Pumps without control
with "ASR"

- Nozzle Ø: 1; 1.2; 1.4 mm
- 2 vacuum levels: 60% and 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 92 NI/min
- Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)
- With or without vacuum switch
- M8 connections
- Stand-alone or island module



AIR Saving
Regulator

LEMP

Mini Vacuum Pumps without control with ASR (Air Saving Regulator)



Industry-specific applications



For all objects, porous or airtight

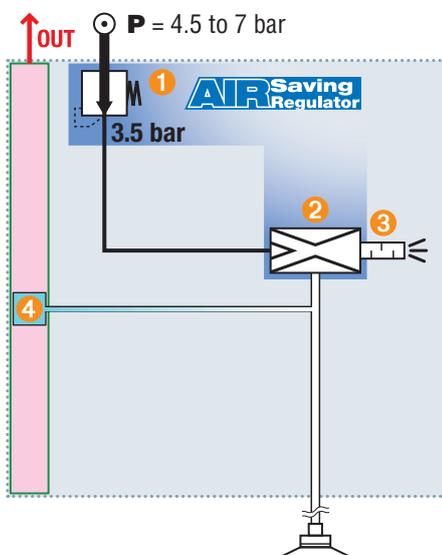
Advantages

- Simplified installation and use thanks to the Plug & Play system
- Unmatched compactness: Installation close to suction cups
→ short response times and energy savings.
- No clogging, thanks to the through-type silencer.
- A LEMP for every need: optional vacuum switch.
- Installation: standalone or island assembly.

Compact Integration

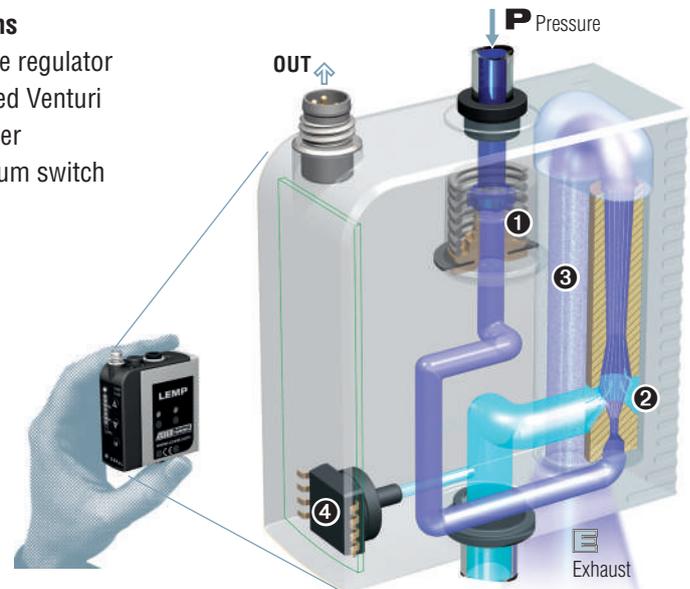
The illustrations below demonstrate the functions integrated in the mini-module, and their respective roles in operation. The result of this COVAL innovation is:

- **A mini module** (≈ 110 g) that is easy to install close to the suction cups, reducing the volume to be evacuated → increased speed and energy savings.
- **A complete module** (including integrated pressure regulator and clog-free silencer), therefore not requiring any additional function or connection.



Integrated functions

- 1 3.5 bar Pressure regulator
- 2 3.5 bar optimized Venturi
- 3 Clog-free silencer
- 4 Electronic vacuum switch



Combined "venturi regulator" ASR: pressure regulator 1 feeds venturi 2 with 3.5 bar, the optimized pressure for its operation.

→ **No more unnecessary consumption of compressed air.**



40% Energy savings

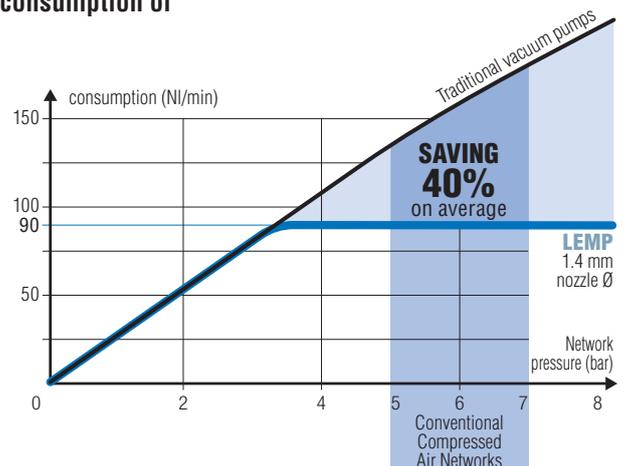
AIR Saving Regulator (ASR): Air Saving Regulator

The LEMP vacuum pumps, which integrate an ASR "venturi regulator" combination, maintain ideals that COVAL values greatly: reducing both compressed air consumption and noise generation.

Regardless of pressure supplied by the compressed air network, the integrated regulator feeds the venturi at **3.5 bar** pressure, optimal for its operation.

- No more unnecessary energy consumption.
- No external regulator required and thus the risk of inadvertent misadjustment is eliminated.

Compared to pressures found in most compressed air networks (5-7 bar), the graph opposite demonstrates an achieved economy of 40% on average.

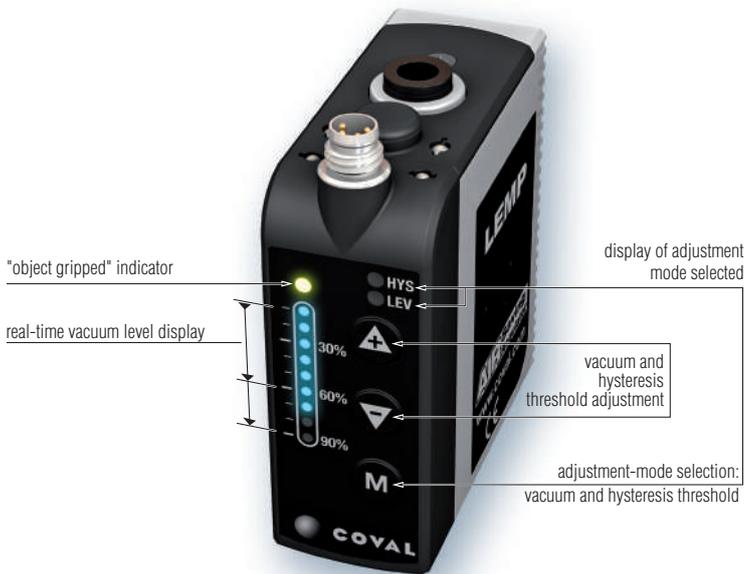




Version with Integrated Vacuum Switch

The front dialogue panel shown below displays the real-time vacuum level and lets the operator set the threshold level which triggers the "object gripped" signal allowing operations to continue.

This communications panel is particularly visual and intuitive. It makes it easy to monitor production.



Stand-alone or Island Modules?

Stand-alone modules are suitable for the most common applications; one module controls one or more suction cups which all operate according to the same sequence.

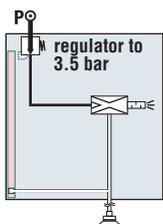
When several suction cups are operating according to different sequences, multiple modules are required, which can be:

- several stand-alone modules,
- an island of these modules with an internal common pressure unit.

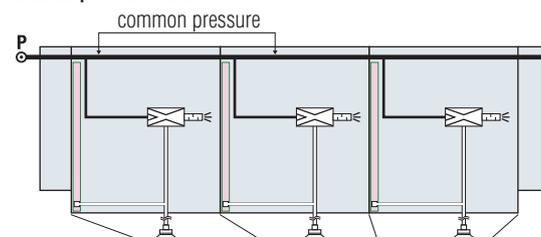
The diagrams below help in the selection:

- Stand-alone modules are complete, with the integrated pressure regulator
- in an island, the integrated regulator is absent: to maintain the advantage of economical and silent operation, it is recommended to reduce the pressure of the island's common pressure unit to 4 bar.

4.5 to 7 bar network pressure



network pressure 4 bar



P optimal = 4 bar
(operation at 4-7 bar)



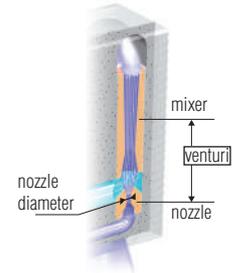


Select Vacuum Level and Nozzle Diameter

■ Airtight products handling: glass, plastic, coated wood, sheet metal...

Because vacuum leaks are limited, the vacuum level to be used may be high: between 50% to 80%, to be generated by a 85% max. vacuum level venturi.

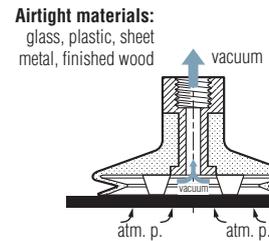
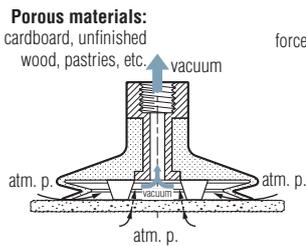
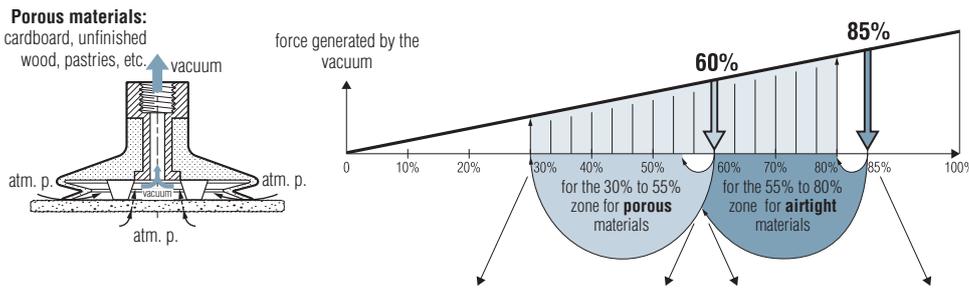
Taking into account the volume to be emptied and the response time to do so, the chart below is a guide towards the most economical nozzle and gives the air suction flow.



■ Porous products handling: cardboard, raw wood, pastries...

Significant porosity and/or surface vacuum leaks are to be expected. For handling, a vacuum level between 30% to 55% is the best compromise, to be generated by a 60% max. vacuum level venturi.

The chart below is a first indication towards the most economical nozzle ID, to be completed by a product leak flow measurement.



■ Porous Objects ▶ Maximum Vacuum Level: 60%

Time to create vacuum (seconds) for a volume of 1 liter

vacuum achieved ø nozzle	vacuum achieved						Air consumed (NI/min)	Air drawn in (NI/min)
	30%	35%	40%	45%	50%	55%		
1.0 mm	0.66	0.83	1.04	1.31	1.70	2.35	44	38
1.2 mm	0.41	0.52	0.66	0.83	1.07	1.49	65	72
1.4 mm	0.27	0.34	0.43	0.54	0.70	0.97	90	92

■ Airtight Objects ▶ Maximum Vacuum Level: 85%

Time to create vacuum (seconds) for a volume of 1 liter

vacuum achieved ø nozzle	vacuum achieved						Air consumed (NI/min)	Air drawn in (NI/min)
	55%	60%	65%	70%	75%	80%		
1.0 mm	1.76	2.04	2.38	2.80	3.33	4.09	44	29
1.2 mm	1.13	1.31	1.53	1.80	2.15	2.64	65	45
1.4 mm	0.73	0.85	0.99	1.16	1.38	1.70	90	70

Select with or without Vacuum Switch

For common applications, the vacuum switch is needed, with the dialogue face for digital display and adjustment.

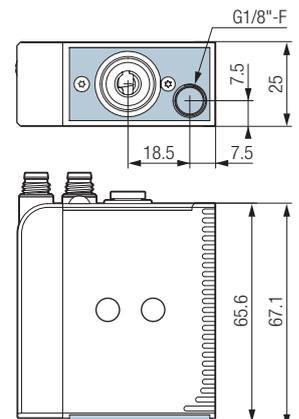
However, some applications may just require a simple operation, without an "object gripped" return signal. The simplified version may then be chosen, with no vacuum switch, display, or adjustment.

Exhaust manifold: option E

The LEMP mini vacuum pumps can be equipped with the "exhaust manifold" option, which provides a G1/8"-F connection to the exhaust in order to add a silencer, transfer the exhaust outside the work area or to avoid air discharge near the workpiece (LEMP__E version).

This option must be specified at time of ordering as it cannot be added later.

Note: The design of the exhaust manifold and vacuum pumps do not guarantee the complete sealing of the exhaust and therefore cannot be used in a "clean room" environment.





Part numbers for an island assembly or components in an island

Part numbers for stand-alone units

LEMP 60 X 12 VA - B3

VACUUM LEVEL	
60% max. vacuum → porous objects	60
85% max. vacuum → airtight objects	90

NOZZLE DIAMETER	
Ø 1 mm nozzle	10
Ø 1.2 mm nozzle	12
Ø 1.4 mm nozzle	14

VACUUM SWITCH	
VA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Electronic vacuum switch with digital display and adjustment
VO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No vacuum switch and no adjustment

EXHAUST	
Open (integrated silencer)	-
Exhaust manifold (G1/8"-F)	E

ISLAND ASSEMBLIES

B2		LEMP_X... B2 island assembly with 2 identical modules.
B3		LEMP_X... B3 island assembly with 3 identical modules.
B4	...	

If the planned island contains different module types, it must be ordered as separate components in order to then be assembled on site according to the arrangement suitable to the application.

COMPONENTS FOR THE ISLAND TO BE ASSEMBLED

B		LEMP_X... B Module that can be grouped (complete with integrated grouping screw).
		Set of ends for a complete group, with grouping screw and common pressure unit plug.
PART NO.: LEMSETA		

EXAMPLE COMPOSITE PART NUMBER FOR AN ISLAND ASSEMBLY:

■ LEMP60X14VAB3

LEMP island assembly, containing 3 x 60% max. vacuum modules, Ø1.4 mm nozzle and vacuum switch.

ORDER EXAMPLE FOR AN ISLAND TO BE ASSEMBLED:

■ LEMP60X10VAB

■ LEMP90X12VAB

■ LEMP60X14VAB

■ LEMSETA

3 LEMP modules for a group, of different types.

Set of ends for island.

REFERENCE EXAMPLE COMPOSED OF A STAND-ALONE MODULE:

■ LEMP60X12VA

Stand-alone LEMP Module, 60% max. vacuum, Ø1.2 mm nozzle and vacuum switch.

Accessory

Protection for standalone mini vacuum pumps LEMP_VA (with one M8 connector), Part No.: **80004409**

The COVER is made of silicone and serves as a protective sleeve for vacuum pumps, protecting them against splashing water, in particular during cleaning cycles.

- High level of protection against splashing water.
- Easy to mount and clean.



LEMP

Mini Vacuum Pumps without control with ASR

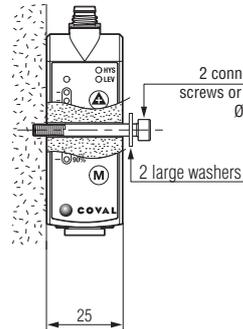
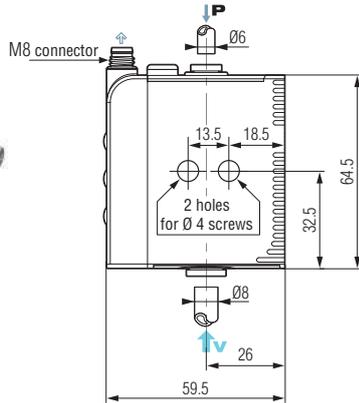
Dimensions / Mounting options



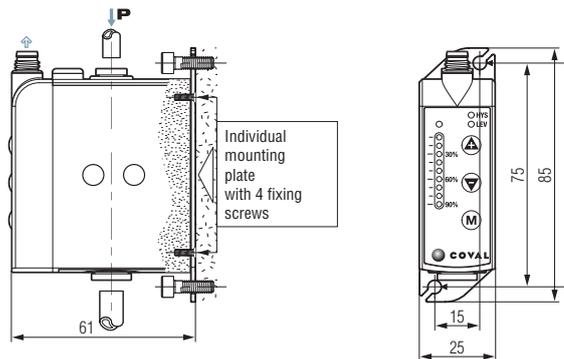
Stand-alone Modules



Side mounting



Front mounting



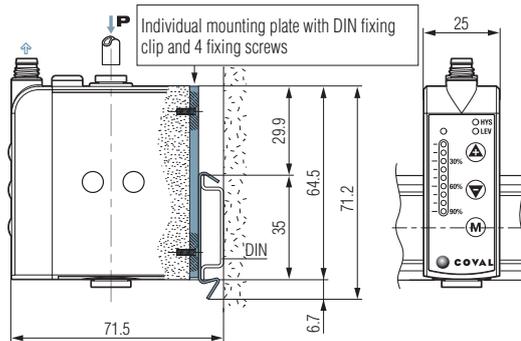
For front mounting, order the necessary kit, in addition to the module:

Front mounting kit:
1 plate + 4 screws

Part No.: LEMFIXA



Mounting on DIN rail

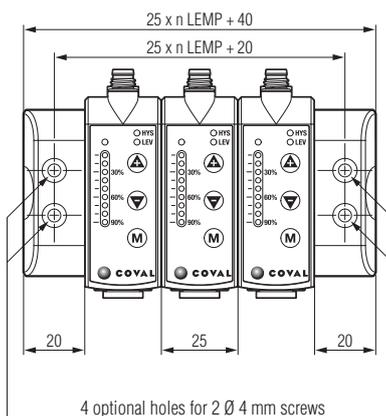


A module can be clipped onto a DIN rail. For this purpose, the module must first be equipped with an individual DIN installation plate, ordered separately:

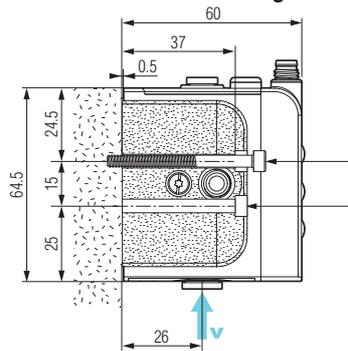
DIN rail mounting kit:
1 plate/clip + 4 screws

Part No.: LEMFIXB

Islands

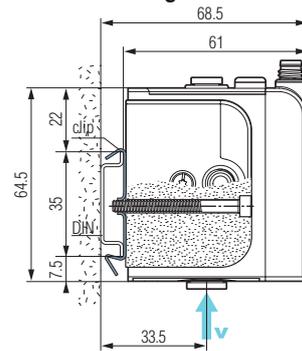


Front mounting



2 optional holes for 1 Ø4 mm connecting screw, at each end of the island

Mounting on DIN rail



DIN rail mounting kit:
2 clips + 2 screws

Part No.: LEMFIXC



Overall Characteristics

- Supply: non-lubricated air filtered to 5 microns according to standard ISO 8573-1:2010 [4:5:4].
- Operating pressure: 4.5 to 7 bar.
- Mini dynamic pressure:
 - stand-alone module: P = 4.5 bar.
 - island modules: P = 4 bar.
- Maximum vacuum: 60% or 85% depending on model.
- Suction rate: 29 to 92 NI/min depending on model.
- Air consumption: 44 to 90 NI/min depending on model.
- Electrical protection level: IP 65.
- Weight: 90 to 110 g, depending on model.
- Operating temperature: 0 to 50 °C.
- Materials: PA 6-6 15 %FV, brass, aluminum, NBR.

Integrated Vacuum Switch Characteristics

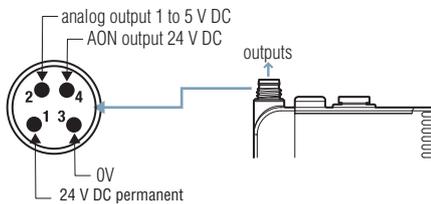
- Measuring range: -1 to 0 bar.
- Precision: $\pm 1.5\%$ of the range.
- Hysteresis: adjustable from 0% to 100%.
- Output threshold: 1 x T.O.R. in NO.
- Analog output: 1 V DC to 5 V DC on the measuring range.
- Switching power: 125 mA, PNP.
- Threshold status display: 1 green LED.
- Supply voltage 24V DC (regulated $\pm 10\%$).
- Current draw: < 20 mA.
- Protection: against polarity inversions.

Integrated Silencer Characteristics

- Noise level: approximately 68 dBA.
- Clog-free silencer.

Electrical Connections

MODULES WITH VACUUM SWITCH FUNCTION



Accessories



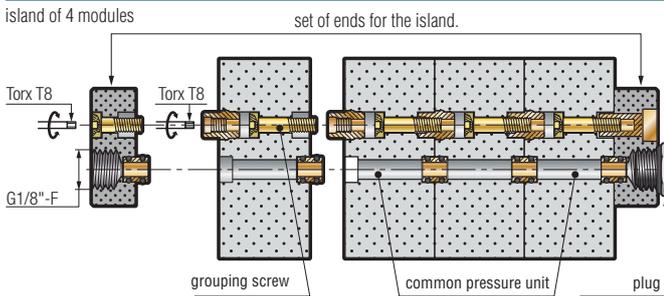
Power supply cable M8, straight, female, 4-pin – open end:

- **CDM8**: length. 2 m.
- **CDM8N**: length. 0.5 m.

Power supply cable M8, elbow, female, 4-pin – open end:

- **CCM8**: length. 2 m.

Characteristics and Connecting an Island



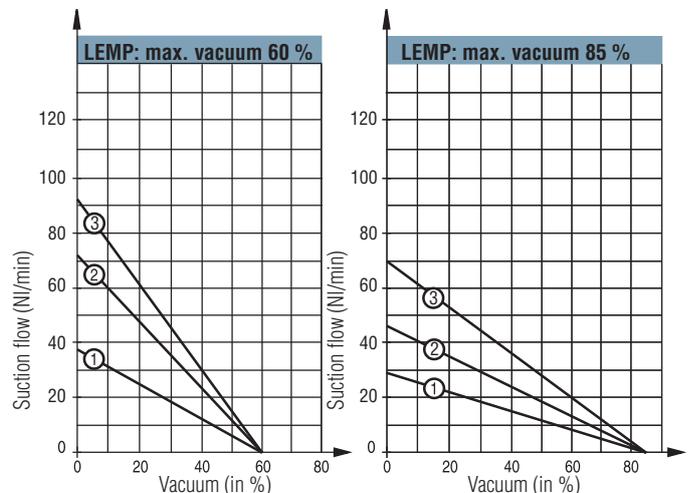
island of 3 modules



Maximum number of modules in an island:

- \varnothing 1.4 mm nozzle \rightarrow 5 modules
- \varnothing 1.2 mm nozzle \rightarrow 7 modules
- \varnothing 1 mm nozzle \rightarrow 9 modules

Suction Flow Rate / Vacuum Curves



- 1 - LEMP60X10
- 2 - LEMP60X12
- 3 - LEMP60X14

- 1 - LEMP90X10
- 2 - LEMP90X12
- 3 - LEMP90X14





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LEM

Integrated Mini Vacuum Pumps with "ASR"

- Nozzle Ø: 1; 1.2; 1.4 mm
- 2 vacuum levels: 60% and 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 92 NI/min
- Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)
- M8 connections
- Stand-alone or island module



ASR Saving
Regulator

Integrated Mini Vacuum Pumps with ASR (Air Saving Regulator)



Industry-specific applications



For all objects, porous or airtight

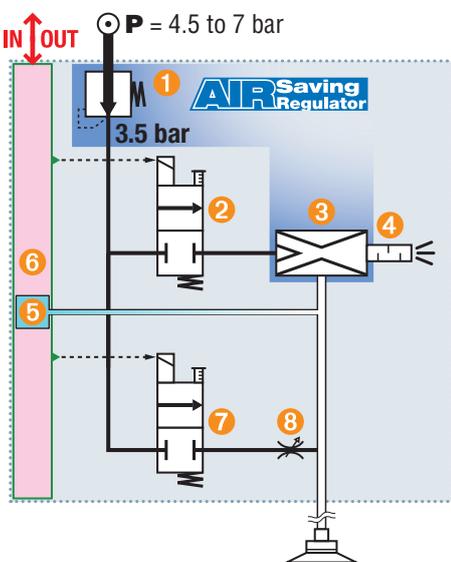
Advantages

- "All-in-one" solution, no more peripherals to be added.
- Simplified installation and use thanks to the Plug & Play system
- Unmatched compactness: Installation close to suction cups → short response times and energy savings.
- No clogging, thanks to the through-type silencer.
- A LEM for every need: a wide range, with many options.
- Smart dialogue → user friendly at all stages: initial settings, operation, maintenance.

Compact Integration

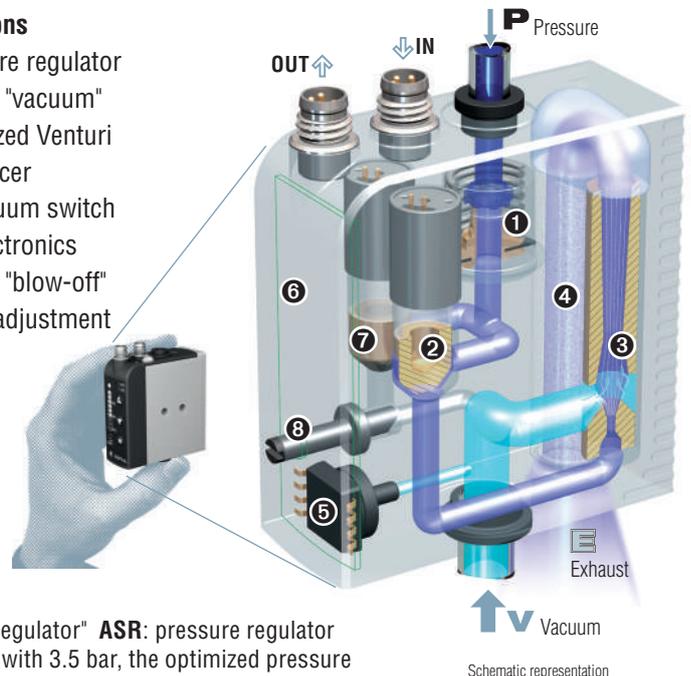
The illustrations below demonstrate the 8 functions integrated in the mini-module, and their respective roles in operation. The result of this COVAL innovation is:

- **A mini module** (≅ 120 g) that is easy to install close to the suction cups, reducing the volume to be evacuated → increased speed and energy savings.
- **A complete module** (including integrated pressure regulator and clog-free silencer), therefore not requiring any additional function or connection.



Integrated functions

- 1 3.5 bar pressure regulator
- 2 Solenoid valve "vacuum"
- 3 3.5 bar optimized Venturi
- 4 Clog-free silencer
- 5 Electronic vacuum switch
- 6 Integrated electronics
- 7 Solenoid valve "blow-off"
- 8 Blow-off flow adjustment



Schematic representation

Combined "venturi regulator" **ASR**: pressure regulator 1 feeds venturi 3 with 3.5 bar, the optimized pressure for its operation.

→ **No more unnecessary consumption of compressed air.**



40% Energy savings

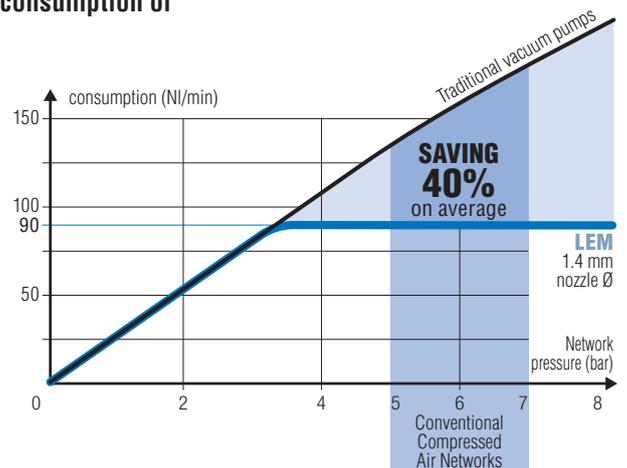
AIR Saving Regulator (ASR): Air Saving Regulator

The LEM vacuum pumps, which integrate an **ASR** "venturi regulator" combination, maintain ideals that COVAL values greatly: reducing both compressed air consumption and noise generation.

Regardless of pressure supplied by the compressed air network, the integrated regulator feeds the venturi at **3.5 bar** pressure, optimal for its operation.

- No more unnecessary energy consumption.
- No external regulator required and thus the risk of inadvertent misadjustment is eliminated.

Compared to pressures found in most compressed air networks (5-7 bar), the graph opposite demonstrates an achieved economy of 40% on average.





A Complete Line

- 4 basic configurations, see adjacent illustrations →
- 2 levels : 60% and 85% vacuum.
- 3 standard nozzle diameters: 1, 1.2 and 1.4 mm.
- Air suction flow : up to 92 NI/min.
- Other options on request.

with vacuum switch, display and setting

without vacuum switch



with blow-off
(LEM__X__SVA)

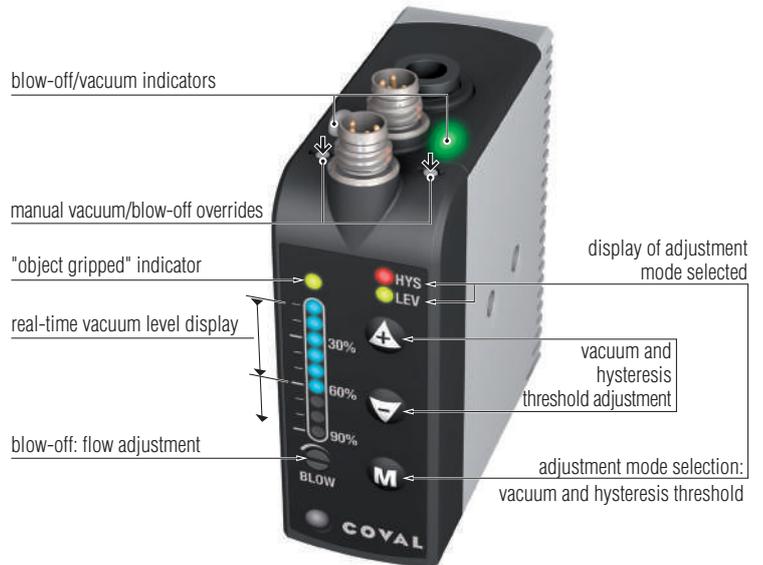
without blow-off
(LEM__X__RVA)

with blow-off
(LEM__X__SVO)

without blow-off
(LEM__X__RVO)

Smart Dialogue

The front dialogue panel shown here displays the real-time vacuum level and lets the operator set the threshold level which triggers the "object gripped" signal allowing operations to continue. This communications panel is particularly visual and intuitive. It makes it easy to monitor production by viewing each of the phases of the cycle: vacuum, blow-off, and rest.



Mounting Options

Individual mountings, close to vacuum cups or compact island assembly.

side mounting



front mounting



over a DIN rail



island mounting





Stand-alone or Island Modules?

Stand-alone modules are suitable for the most common applications; one module controls one or more suction cups which all operate according to the same sequence.

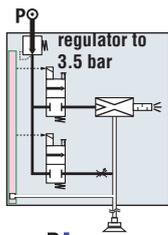
When several suction cups are operating according to different sequences, multiple modules are required, which can be:

- several stand-alone modules,
- an island of these modules with an internal common pressure unit.

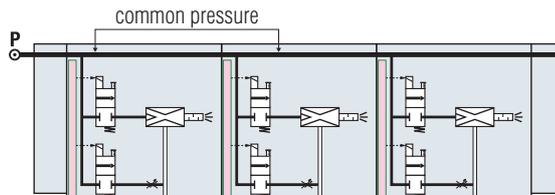
The diagrams help in the selection:

- stand-alone modules are complete, with the integrated pressure regulator (**ASR**)
- in an island, the integrated regulator is absent: to maintain the advantage of economical and silent operation, it is recommended to reduce the pressure of the island's common pressure unit to 4 bar.

4.5 to 7 bar network pressure



network pressure 4 bar



P optimal = 4 bar
(operation at 4-7 bar)



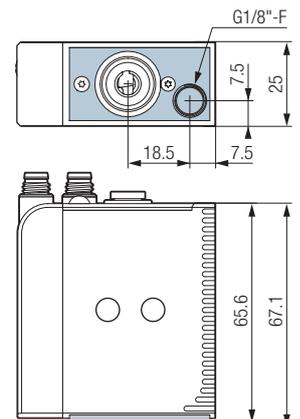
island of 3 modules supplying suction cups according to different sequences

Exhaust manifold: option E

The LEM mini vacuum pumps can be equipped with the "exhaust manifold" option, which provides a G1/8"-F connection to the exhaust in order to add a silencer, transfer the exhaust outside the work area or to avoid air discharge near the workpiece (LEM___E version).

This option must be specified at time of ordering as it cannot be added later.

Note: The design of the exhaust manifold and vacuum pumps do not guarantee the complete sealing of the exhaust and therefore cannot be used in a "clean room" environment.

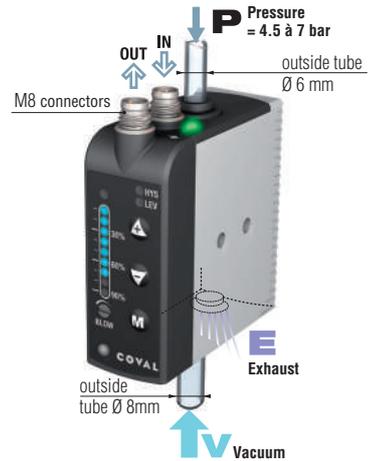
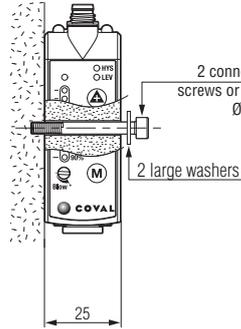
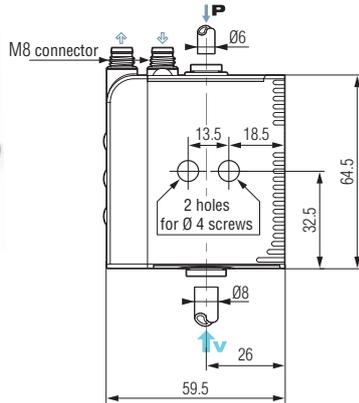




Stand-alone Modules



Side mounting



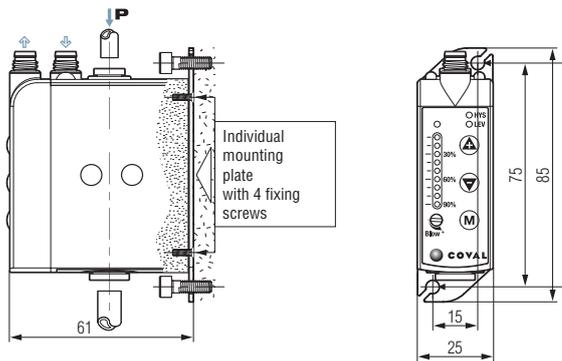
For front mounting, order the necessary kit, in addition to the module:

Front mounting kit:
1 plate + 4 screws

Part No.: LEMFIXA



Front mounting



2 Ø 4 fixing screws

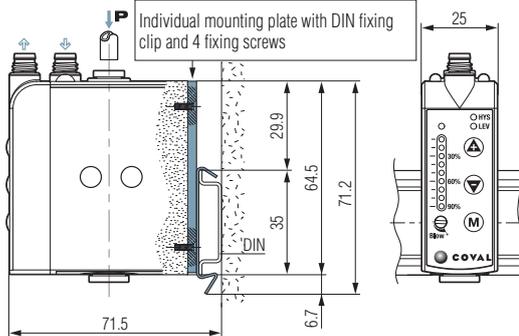
A module can be clipped onto a DIN rail. For this purpose, the module must first be equipped with an individual DIN installation plate, ordered separately:

DIN rail mounting kit:
1 plate/clip + 4 screws

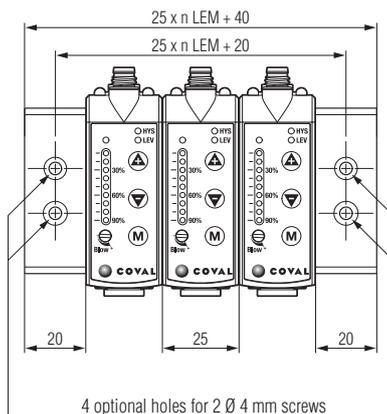
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Mounting on DIN rail

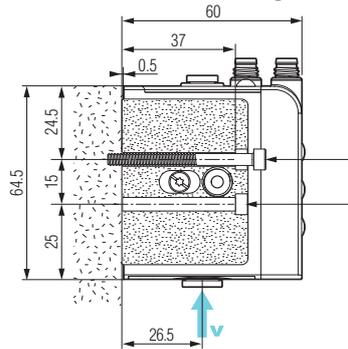


Islands



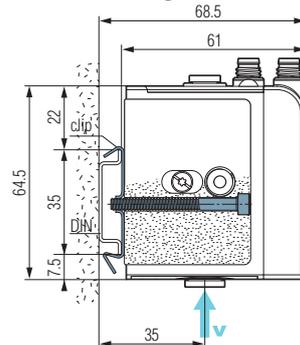
4 optional holes for 2 Ø 4 mm screws

Front mounting



2 optional holes for 1 Ø 4 mm connecting screw, at each end of the island

Mounting on DIN rail



DIN rail mounting kit:
2 clips + 2 screws

Part No.: LEMFIXC



LEM: Versatile Series for all Applications

The opposite page demonstrates the versatility of this series. In addition to a very wide range of complete, stand-alone, or island vacuum pumps, there are the options of no blow-off and/or no vacuum switch, and for specific applications.

Select Vacuum Level and Nozzle Diameter

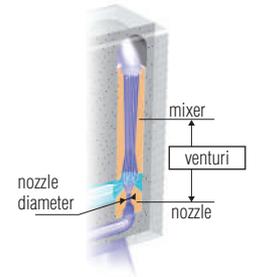
The introductory guide in this catalog shows that for porous objects, a 30-55% vacuum is economical and effective. This is obtained with a 60% maximum vacuum pump.

The table below helps to select the nozzle diameter which generates enough vacuumed air flow to respond in the time required by the application, based on a measurement of the material's leakage rate.

On the contrary, with an airtight material, the vacuum used is 55% to 80%, obtained by a 85% max. vacuum pump.

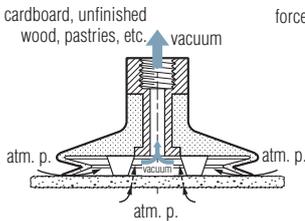
- For standard cases, with its integrated blow-off, the LEMAX series is preferable, as it is more economical due to its ASC (Air Saving Control) function.

- For special cases, the LEM series contains versions without blow-off and versions without a vacuum switch. The table below helps to select the nozzle diameter required for the application.

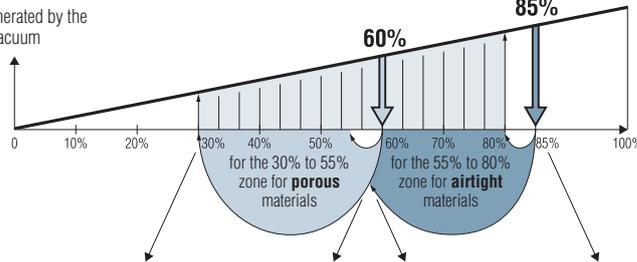


Porous materials:

cardboard, unfinished wood, pastries, etc.

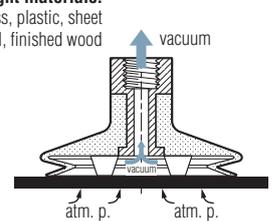


force generated by the vacuum



Airtight materials:

glass, plastic, sheet metal, finished wood



Porous Objects ▶ Maximum Vacuum Level: 60%

Time to create vacuum (seconds) for a volume of 1 liter

vacuum achieved	vacuum achieved						Air consumed (NI/min)	Air drawn in (NI/min)
	30%	35%	40%	45%	50%	55%		
ø nozzle								
1.0 mm	0.66	0.83	1.04	1.31	1.70	2.35	44	38
1.2 mm	0.41	0.52	0.66	0.83	1.07	1.49	65	72
1.4 mm	0.27	0.34	0.43	0.54	0.70	0.97	90	92

Airtight Objects ▶ Maximum Vacuum Level: 85%

Time to create vacuum (seconds) for a volume of 1 liter

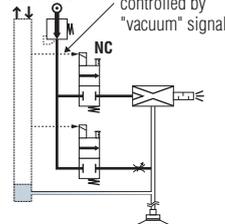
vacuum achieved	vacuum achieved						Air consumed (NI/min)	Air drawn in (NI/min)
	55%	60%	65%	70%	75%	80%		
ø nozzle								
1.0 mm	1.76	2.04	2.38	2.80	3.33	4.09	44	29
1.2 mm	1.13	1.31	1.53	1.80	2.15	2.64	65	45
1.4 mm	0.73	0.85	0.99	1.16	1.38	1.70	90	70

Select Vacuum Controlled by NC or NO Solenoid Valve

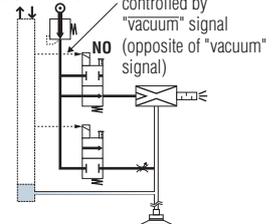
Vacuum controlled by a NC (Normally Closed) solenoid valve remains the simplest standard option to use. In the event of an electricity shutoff, the vacuum is interrupted and the object is released.

Select vacuum controlled by NO (Normally Open) solenoid valve if the application requires holding the object in the event of an electricity shut-off. In this case, make sure to control the NO solenoid valve with the inverse signal of the "vacuum" signal, which is noted as "vacuum".

signal controlled by NC solenoid valve



signal controlled by NO solenoid valve



Select with or without Integrated Blow-off

Many applications require integrated blow-off. However, for some applications not requiring blow-off, a simplified version without blow-off is offered.

Select with or without Vacuum Switch

For common applications, the vacuum switch is needed, with the dialogue face for digital display and adjustment. However, some applications may just require a simple operation, without an "object gripped" return signal. The simplified version may then be chosen, with no vacuum switch, display, or adjustment.



Part numbers for an island assembly or components in an island

Part numbers for stand-alone units

LEM 60 X 12 S VA - B3

VACUUM LEVEL	
60% max. vacuum → porous objects	60
85% max. vacuum → airtight objects	90

NOZZLE DIAMETER	
Ø 1 mm nozzle	10
Ø 1.2 mm nozzle	12
Ø 1.4 mm nozzle	14

VACUUM SWITCH	
VA	Electronic vacuum switch with digital display and adjustment
VO	No vacuum switch and no adjustment

ISLAND ASSEMBLIES	
B2	 LEM_X..... B2 island assembly with 2 identical modules.
B3	 LEM_X..... B3 island assembly with 3 identical modules.
B4	...

If the planned island contains different module types, it must be ordered as separate components in order to then be assembled on site according to the arrangement suitable to the application.

COMPONENTS FOR THE ISLAND TO BE ASSEMBLED

B	 LEM_X..... B Module that can be grouped (complete with integrated grouping screw)
	Set of ends for a complete group, with grouping screw and common pressure unit plug. PART NO.: LEMSETA

COMPOSITION OF THE MODULE	
S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vacuum controlled by NC solenoid valve → if the electricity is shut off, the vacuum is interrupted. Blow-off controlled by a specific signal
V	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vacuum controlled by NO solenoid valve → vacuum is maintained if electricity is shut off Blow-off controlled by a specific signal
R	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vacuum controlled by NC solenoid valve No blow-off
U	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vacuum controlled by NO solenoid valve No blow-off

EXHAUST	
Open (integrated silencer)	-
Exhaust manifold (G1/8"-F)	E

Additional options: On specific request:

- Modules with enhanced blow-off by integrated isolation valve.
- Modules with non-return valve will maintain vacuum in the event of loss of pneumatic and/or electrical power, during the grip cycle.

EXAMPLE COMPOSITE PART NUMBER FOR AN ISLAND ASSEMBLY:

LEM60X14SVAB3

LEM island assembly, containing 3 x 60% max. vacuum modules, Ø 1.4 mm nozzle, controlled by NC solenoid valve, blow-off and vacuum switch

ORDER EXAMPLE FOR AN ISLAND TO BE ASSEMBLED:

- LEM60X10VVAB
 - LEM90X12SVAB
 - LEM60X14SVAB
 - LEMSETA
- 3 LEM modules for a group, of different types.
- Set of ends for island.

REFERENCE EXAMPLE COMPOSED OF A STAND-ALONE MODULE:

LEM60X12SVA

Stand-alone LEM Module, 60% max. vacuum, Ø 1.2 mm nozzle, vacuum controlled by NC solenoid valve, blow-off and vacuum switch.



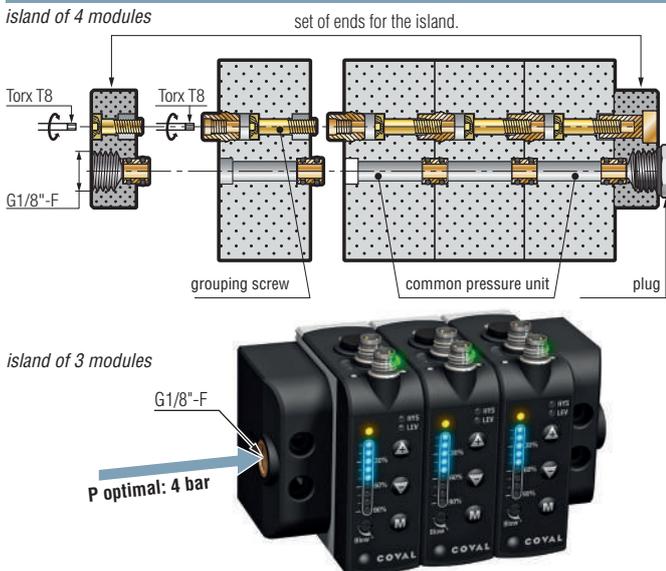
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- island modules: 4 bar.
- Blow-off: adjustable flow: - stand-alone version: P = 3.5 bar.
- island version: P network.
- Maximum vacuum: 60% or 85% depending on model.
- Suction rate: 29 to 92 NI/min depending on model.
- Air consumption: 44 to 90 NI/min depending on model.
- Electrical protection level: IP 65.
- Control voltage: 24 V DC (regulated $\pm 10\%$).
- Current draw: 30 mA (0.7 W) vacuum or blow-off.
- Max. operating frequency: 4 Hz.
- Endurance: 30 million cycles.
- Weight: 90 to 120 g, depending on model.
- Operating temperature: 0 to 50 °C.
- Materials: PA 6-6 15 %FV, brass, aluminum, NBR.

Integrated Vacuum Switch Characteristics

- Measuring range: -1 to 0 bar.
- Precision: $\pm 1.5\%$ of the range.
- Hysteresis: adjustable from 0% to 100%.
- Output threshold: 1 x T.O.R. in NO.
- Analog output: 1 V DC to 5 V DC on the measuring range.
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- Current draw: < 20 mA.
- Protection: against polarity inversions.

Characteristics and Connecting an Island



Maximum number of modules in an island:

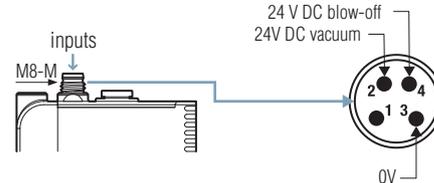
- $\varnothing 1.4$ mm nozzle \rightarrow 5 modules
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- $\varnothing 1$ mm nozzle \rightarrow 9 modules

Integrated Silencer Characteristics

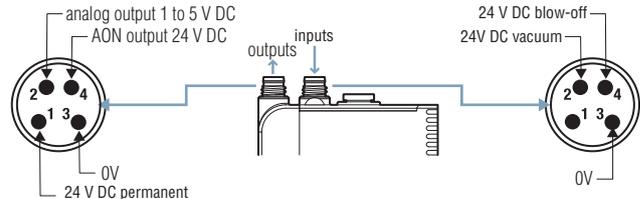
- Noise level: approximately 68 dBA.
- Clog-free silencer.

Electrical Connections

MODULES WITHOUT VACUUM SWITCH FUNCTION



MODULES WITH VACUUM SWITCH FUNCTION

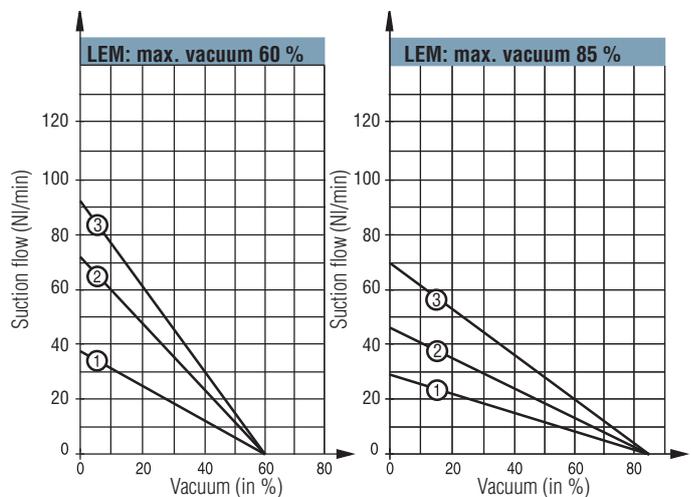


Accessories



- Power supply cable M8, straight, female, 4-pin – open end:
 - CDM8: length. 2 m.
 - CDM8N: length. 0.5 m.
- Power supply cable M8, elbow, female, 4-pin – open end:
 - CCM8: length. 2 m.

Suction Flow Rate / Vacuum Curves



- 1 - LEM60X10
- 2 - LEM60X12
- 3 - LEM60X14

- 1 - LEM90X10
- 2 - LEM90X12
- 3 - LEM90X14

Note: in the same island, it is possible to combine LEM series modules and LEMAX series modules.



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LEMAX

Integrated Mini Vacuum Pumps with "ASC"

- Nozzle Ø: 1; 1.2; 1.4 mm
- Vacuum level: 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 70 NI/min
- Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)
- Integrated vacuum regulation (ASC)
- M8 connections
- Stand-alone or island module



AIRSaving
Control

Integrated Mini Vacuum Pumps with "ASC" (Air Saving Control)



Industry-specific applications



For all objects, airtight or not very porous

Advantages

- Energy savings of 75% to 99% (depending on application) thanks to automatic **ASC** (Air Saving Control) operation.
- "All-in-one" solution, no more peripherals to be added.
- Simplified installation and use thanks to the Plug & Play system.
- Unmatched compactness: installation close to suction cups → short response times and energy savings.
- No clogging, thanks to the through-type silencer.
- Controlled or timed blow-off.
- Gripping safety in the event of electricity shut-off.
- Smart communication → Easier experience at all stages: initial settings, production, maintenance.

Compact Integration

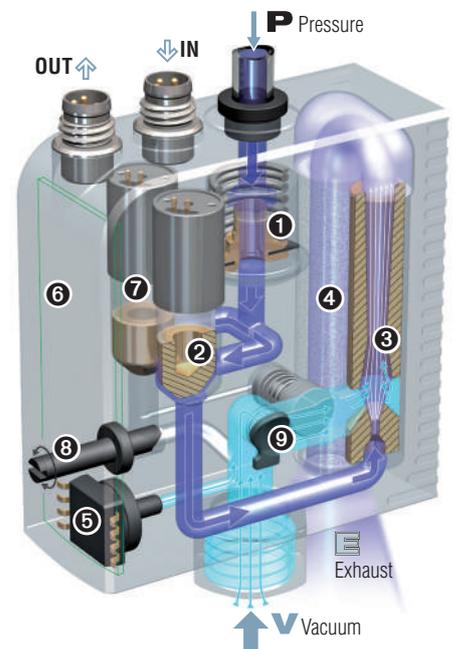
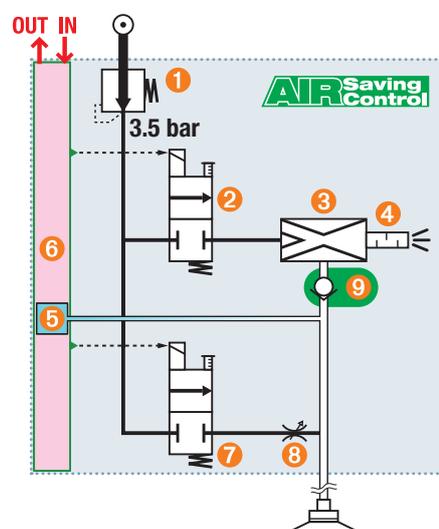
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- **A mini module** (≈ 130 g) that is easy to install close to the suction cups, reducing the volume to be evacuated → increased speed and energy savings.
- **A complete module**, therefore not requiring any additional function or connections.

The **LEMAX** compact modules integrate all the functions of "industrial vacuum" including simple, efficient, economical compressed air usage and are adapted for every application:

- 1 3.5 bar pressure regulator
- 2 Solenoid valve "vacuum"
- 3 3.5 bar optimized Venturi
- 4 Through-type silencer
- 5 Electronic vacuum switch
- 6 Integrated electronics
- 7 Solenoid valve "blow-off"
- 8 Blow-off flow adjustment
- 9 Check valve on vacuum



Schematic representation

Combination of non-return 9 and advanced electronics 6 ensures the **ASC's** automatic performance.

→ **Once desired vacuum level is reached, the LEMAX no longer consumes air when gripping the product.**



90% energy savings
(on average).

Smart Communication

The adjacent illustration presents the display panel which enables:

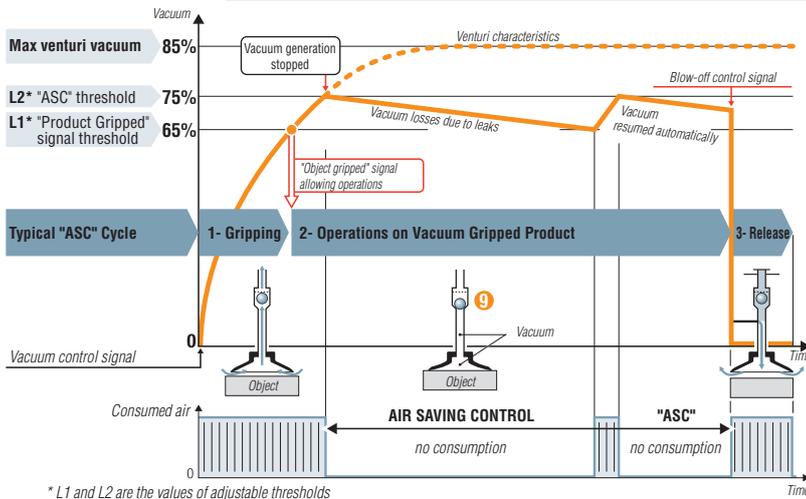
- Initial settings
- Any adjustments
- Production monitoring
- Maintenance

In particular, the no "**ASC**" alert, (see next page), helps to start maintenance operations in order to return to "**ASC**" operation, which is especially energy-saving.





"Air Saving Control" Cycle



As illustrated above, the LEMAX module automatically executes the "ASC", cycle, thus saving the maximum amount of energy, based on the following 3 phases.

1- Gripping the object

The "vacuum" solenoid starts the cycle by supplying the venturi which generates the vacuum to quickly pick up the object with the suction cup → short-term consumption.

2- Operations on the object held by vacuum

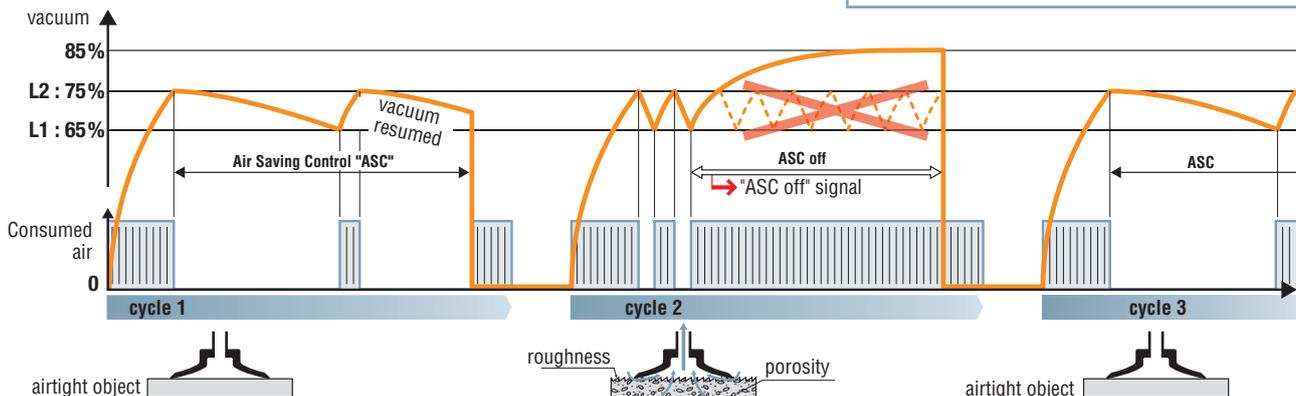
The vacuum level is constantly monitored by the vacuum switch. When it reaches the L1 threshold (65%), the "gripped object" signal is generated, which allows the planned operations (transfer, machining, etc.). When the vacuum reaches threshold L2 (75%), the supply to the venturi via the solenoid valve is cut off → consumption is halted. The object remains held by the retained vacuum thanks to the closed valve. Micro-leaks will generally cause the vacuum level to fall slowly. Each time it falls below 65%, vacuum generation is briefly resumed until it reaches threshold L2 (75%).

3- Releasing the object

At the end of operations, blow-off is ordered. The "blow-off" solenoid valve generates a stream of air which closes the isolation valve, blows on the object to release it quickly.

Smart Adaptation

The illustration below shows the adaptation capacities of the LEMAX module. "ASC" operation is automatic for any object that is airtight enough (cycle 1). If a leak occurs (cycle 2), due to a rough object or to suction-cup wear, the module automatically detects the anomaly, ends the cycle without "ASC" in order to continue production and reports the event for possible maintenance. Production continues. Once everything is returned to normal (cycle 3), "ASC" operation is automatically resumed.



1- Gripping + Transfer (Ø 1.4 mm nozzle, 0.2 l of vacuum)

Phase	Duration	Air consumption		Energy savings achieved
		"ASC" off	"ASC" on	
Gripping	0.28 s	0.4 NI	0.4 NI	75 %
Transfer	1.20 s	1.8 NI	0	
Release	0.14 s	0.2 NI	0.2 NI	
		2.4 NI	0.6 NI	

2- Clamping + Operations (Ø 1.4 mm nozzle, 0.4 l of vacuum)

Phase	Duration	Air consumption		Energy savings achieved
		"ASC" off	"ASC" on	
Clamping	0.55 s	0.8 NI	0.8 NI	99 %
Operations	60 s	90 NI	0	
Release	0.14 s	0.2 NI	0.2 NI	
		91 NI	1.0 NI	

Resulting savings

Energy savings from "ASC" are major, as the two examples opposite above:

- 75% savings for transferring an object after gripping.
- 99% savings for holding an object during a 1 minute operation.

The investment generally pays for itself in just a few months.

"ASC": AN ADVANTAGE WITHOUT LIMITATIONS

Saving energy has become essential. With LEMAX, thanks to "ASC", energy is automatically saved without interfering with established operations:

1- No specific adjustment: The initial setting (L1 = 65%, L2 = 75%) is suitable for most applications.

2- Production regardless of what happens: Operation is always ensured, if necessary without "ASC", if the leakage level is too high.

3- Guided maintenance: Clear display of the need for maintenance to return to auto-regulated "ASC" operation.



The LEMAX vacuum pumps, which integrate an ASR "venturi regulator" combination, share values that COVAL values greatly: they greatly reduce the volume of compressed air consumption and noise level.



Power Determined by the Venturi Nozzle Diameter

The table shows the power levels generated by each of the nozzle diameters available: when the module is operating with "ASC" off, a larger nozzle draws and consumes more compressed air.

On the other hand, during "ASC" operation, a large nozzle quickly reaches the vacuum threshold generating power shut-off.

In conclusion:

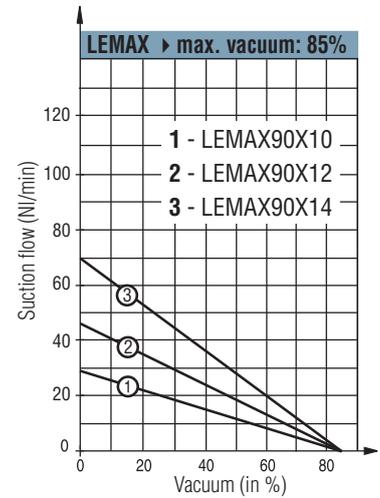
- A large nozzle enables quicker gripping without consuming more during "ASC" operation.
- A small nozzle consumes less only when operating continues without "ASC".

Selecting the Nozzle Diameter

Ø nozzle	Venturi characteristics during "ASC off" operation.		"ASC" operation - gripping at 65% vacuum - vacuum shutoff at 75% Time for a volume of 1l		
	air drawn in (NI/min)	air consumed (NI/min)	grip time (s) (65% vacuum)	time (s) up to 75% vacuum	air consumed (NI)
1.4 mm	70	90	0.99	1.38	2.2
1.2 mm	45	65	1.53	2.15	2.2
1.0 mm	29	44	2.38	3.33	2.2



Suction Flow Rate / Vacuum Curves



Select Vacuum Controlled by NC or NO Solenoid Valve

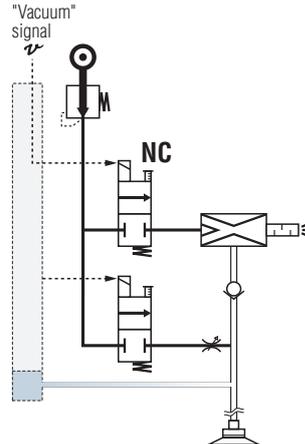
Vacuum controlled by a NC (Normally Closed) solenoid valve remains the simplest standard option to use. In the event of an electricity shutoff, the vacuum is interrupted and the object is released. On the contrary, with vacuum control by NO (Normally Open) solenoid valve, the vacuum continues to be generated in the event of an electrical shutoff: positive object-holding security.

The diagrams opposite show that both versions are controlled by the same "vacuum" signal ν :

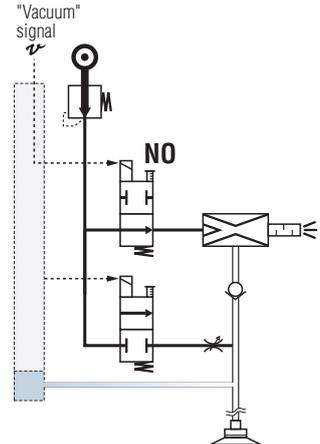
- NC version, the signal ν controls the vacuum generation.
- NO version, the signal ν controls the vacuum shutdown.

Note, however, that the NO version requires blow-off controlled by a specific signal: automatic, timed blow-off can only be configured in the NC version.

NC solenoid valve



NO solenoid valve



Stand-alone or Island Modules?

Stand-alone modules are suitable for the most common applications: one module controls one or more suction cups which all operate according to the same sequence.

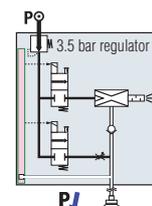
When several suction cups are operating according to different sequences, multiple modules are required, which can be:

- several autonomous modules;
- a group of these modules with an internal common pressure unit.

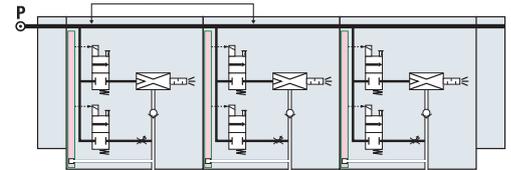
The illustrations opposite guide the selection:

- stand-alone modules are coupled with integrated pressure regulators (ASR)
- in an island, the integrated regulator is removed: to maintain the advantage of economical and silent operation, it is recommended to reduce the island's common pressure supply pressure to 4 bar.

Network pressure:
4.5 to 7 bar



common pressure unit (4 bar)



P optimal = 4 bar
(operation at 4-7 bar)





Part numbers for an island assembly or components in an island

Part numbers for stand-alone units

LEM **MAX** **90** **X** **14** **S** - - **B3**

VACUUM LEVEL

maximum 85%
vacuum optimum for
airtight objects

90

NOZZLE DIAMETER

Ø 1.4 mm nozzle

14

Ø 1.2 mm nozzle

12

Ø 1 mm nozzle

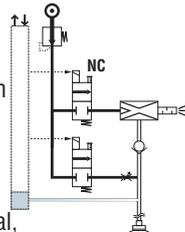
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COMPOSITION OF THE MODULE

Vacuum pump controlled by a Normally Closed (NC) solenoid valve

LEM90X...S...

- In the event of an electrical shut-off, vacuum is no longer generated.
- Optional configured blow-off:
 - by specific signal,
 - automatic, timed 0 to 9.9 sec.
 (→ a single control signal vacuum and blow-off).

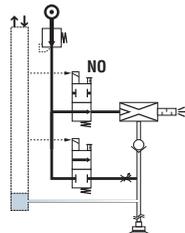


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Vacuum pump controlled by a Normally Open (NO) solenoid valve

LEM90X...V...

- In the event of an electrical shut-off, the vacuum continues to be generated: gripped object held → positive security.
- Blow-off controlled by a specific signal.



V

CONNECTORS

- Vacuum Pump with 2 M8 4-pin Connectors LEM90X...



- Discrete I/O.
- "Gripped product" switching output 24V DC / NO.
- 1 configurable auxiliary output:
 - either "Vacuum level" signal analogic 1 to 5V DC.
 - or "Without ASC" signal +5V DC switching output NO.

C14 Vacuum Pump with 1 M8 4-pin Connector LEM90X...SC14 (S version only)



- "Gripped product" switching output 24V DC / NO.
- Automatic blow-off, timed 0 to 9.9 sec.

EXHAUST

Open (integrated silencer) -

Exhaust manifold (G1/8"-F) **E**

ISLAND ASSEMBLIES

B2 LEM90X...B2 island assembly with 2 identical modules.



B3 LEM90X...B3 island assembly with 3 identical modules.



B4 ...

If the planned island contains different module types, it must be ordered as separate components in order to then be assembled on site according to the arrangement suitable to the application.

COMPONENTS FOR THE ISLAND TO BE ASSEMBLED

B LEMAX...B Module that can be grouped (complete with integrated grouping screw).



Set of ends for a complete island, with grouping screw and common pressure unit plug.



PART NO.: LEMSETA

Input/Output switching type can be set to PNP/NPN

REFERENCE EXAMPLE COMPOSED OF A STAND-ALONE MODULE:

- **LEM90X14S** LEMAX, mini vacuum pump, 85% max. vacuum, 1.4 mm nozzle, controlled by a NC (Normally Closed) solenoid valve.

EXAMPLE COMPOSITE PART NUMBER FOR AN ISLAND ASSEMBLY:

- **LEM90X14SB3** LEMAX group assembly, containing 3 x 85% max. vacuum modules, Ø 1.4 mm nozzle, controlled by NC (Normally Closed) solenoid valve.

ORDER EXAMPLE FOR AN ISLAND TO BE ASSEMBLED:

- **LEM90X14VB**
 - **LEM90X12SB**
 - **LEM90X10VB**
 - **LEMSETA**
- 3 LEMAX modules for an island, of different types.
→ Set of ends for island.

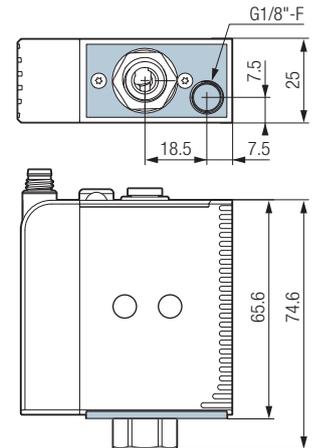


Exhaust manifold: option E

The LEMAX mini vacuum pumps can be equipped with the "exhaust manifold" option, which provides a G1/8"-F connection to the exhaust in order to add a silencer, transfer the exhaust outside the work area or to avoid air discharge near the workpiece (LEMAX__E version).

This option must be specified at time of ordering as it cannot be added later.

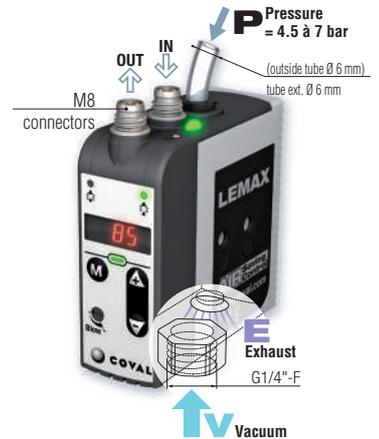
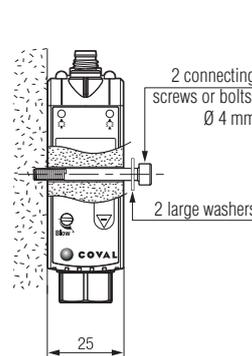
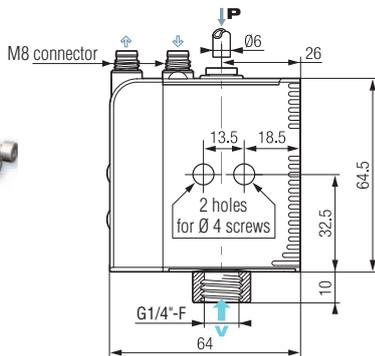
Note: The design of the exhaust manifold and vacuum pumps do not guarantee the complete sealing of the exhaust and therefore cannot be used in a "clean room" environment.



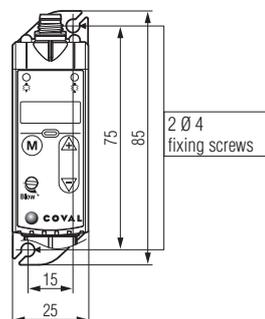
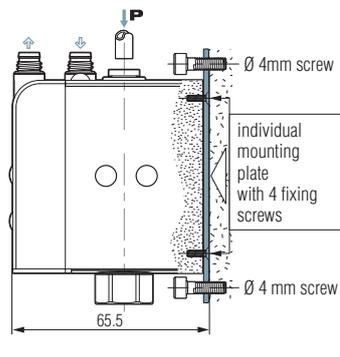
Stand-alone Modules



Side mounting



Front mounting



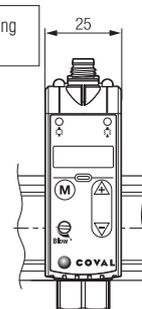
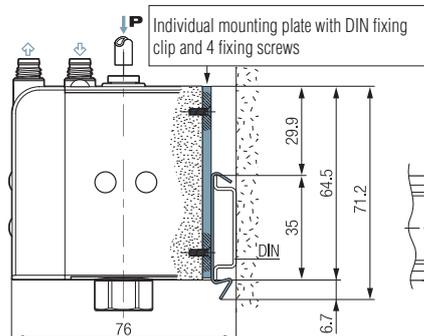
For front mounting, order the necessary kit, in addition to the module:

Front mounting kit:
1 plate + 4 screws

Part No.: LEMFIXA



Mounting on DIN rail



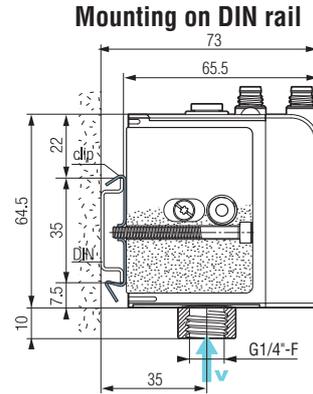
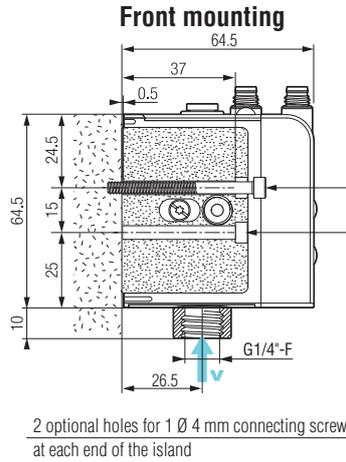
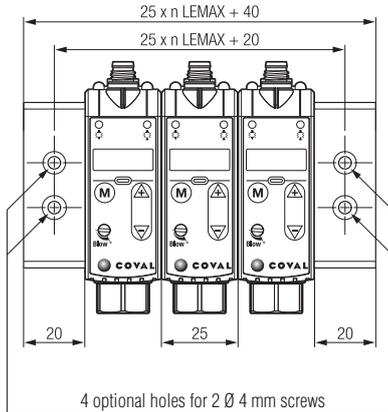
A module can be clipped onto a DIN rail. For this purpose, the module must first be equipped with an individual DIN installation plate, ordered separately:

DIN rail mounting kit:
1 plate/clip + 4 screws

Part No.: LEMFIXB



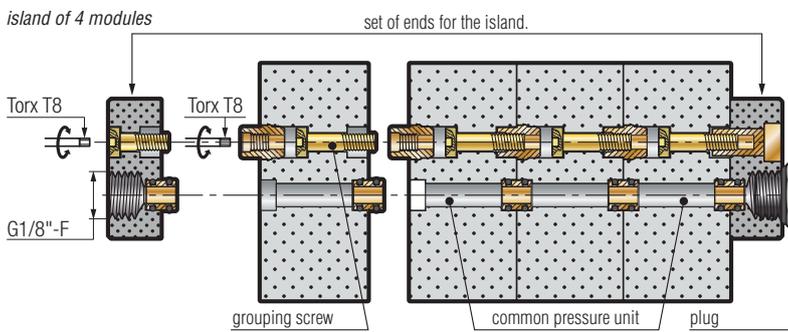
Islands



DIN rail mounting kit: 2 clips + 2 screws

Part No.: LEMFIXC

Assembling and Connecting an Island



island of 3 modules



Maximum number of modules in an island:

- Ø 1.4 mm nozzle → 5 modules
- Ø 1.2 mm nozzle → 7 modules
- Ø 1 mm nozzle → 9 modules

Note:

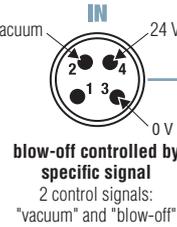
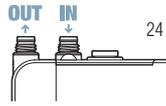
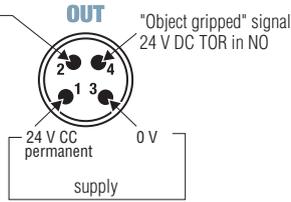
In a single island, it is possible to combine LEMAX series modules and LEM series modules.



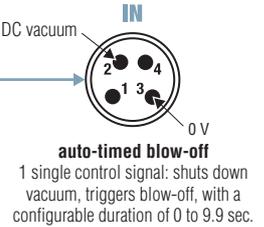
For NC Vacuum Pumps with 2 M8 4-pin connectors, model LEMAX90X..S..

configurable auxiliary output

- "vacuum level" signal analog, 1 to 5 VDC
- ↓ OR (configuration)
- ASC off signal +5 V TOR in NO



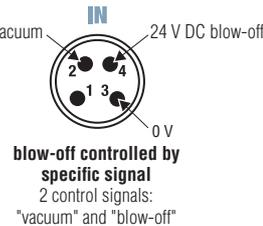
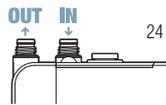
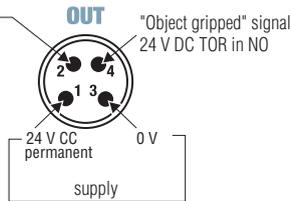
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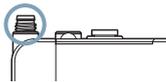
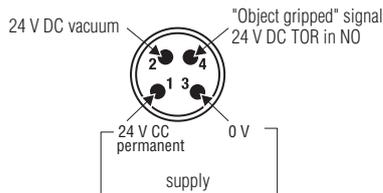
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configurable auxiliary output

- "vacuum level" signal analog, 1 to 5 VDC
- ↓ OR (configuration)
- ASC off signal +5 V TOR in NO



For NC Vacuum Pumps with 1 M8 4-pin connector, model LEMAX90X..SC14



Accessories



Power supply cable M8, straight, female, 4-pin – open end:

- **CDM8**: length. 2 m.
- **CDM8N**: length. 0.5 m.

Power supply cable M8, elbow, female, 4-pin – open end:

- **CCM8**: length. 2 m.

Accessory

Protection for standalone mini-vacuum pumps LEMAX__SC14 (with one M8 connector), Part No.: 80004409

The COVER is made of silicone and serves as a protective sleeve for vacuum pumps, protecting them against splashing water, in particular during cleaning cycles.

- High level of protection against splashing water
- Easy to mount and clean





Overall Characteristics

- Supply: non-lubricated air filtered to 5 microns according to standard ISO 8573-1:2010 [4:5:4].
- Operating pressure: 4.5 to 7 bar.
- Mini dynamic pressure:
 - stand-alone version: P = 4.5 bar.
 - island version: P = 4 bar.
- Blow-off: adjustable flow:
 - stand-alone version: P = 3.5 bar.
 - island version: P network
- Maximum vacuum: 85%
- Suction rate: 29 to 70 NI/min.
- Air consumption: 44 to 90 NI/min during "ASC" off operation
- Integrated clog-free silencer.
- Noise level: approximately 68 dBA "ASC" off. 0 dBA with "ASC".
- Electrical protection level: IP 65.
- Max. operating frequency: 4 Hz.
- Endurance: 30 million cycles.
- Weight: 130 g.
- Operating temperature: 0 to 50 °C.
- Materials: PA 6-6 15%FV, brass, aluminum, NBR.

Electrical controls

- Control voltage: 24 V DC (regulated $\pm 10\%$), PNP or NPN.
- Current draw: 30 mA (0.7 W) vacuum or blow-off.

Integrated electronics

- Power supply 24 V; current draw: <57mA.
- Measuring range: 0 to 99% vacuum.
- Measuring precision: $\pm 1.5\%$ of the range, compensated in temperature.
- Display: 3 digits, 7 segments.

Service Characteristics

"Object gripped" output signal

- 24 VDC, switching output / NO, switching power: 125 mA PNP or NPN.

Configurable auxiliary output, choose either of the following (not available for version LEMAX90X_**SC14**):

- "vacuum level" signal, analog 1 to 5 V DC of the measuring range.
- "ASC" off signal, +5 V switching output / NO.

Input/Output switching type

- can be set to PNP (by default) or NPN.

Displays

- Scrolling display: 3 digits, 7 segments.
- Flashing if "ASC" off for maintenance.
- Status indicators: "Vacuum," green LED, "blow-off," red LED.
- "Object gripped" indicator: Green LED on front panel.

Configurations

- By mechanical keys and drop-down menu.
- Measurement unit selection (% , mbar, inHg).
- Choice of blow-off type:
 - LEMAX90X_**S** version: controlled by a specific signal or automatic and adjustable from 0 to 9.9 s.
 - LEMAX90X_**V** version: controlled by a specific signal.
 - LEMAX90X_**SC14** version: automatic and adjustable from 0 to 9.9 s.

Settings

- Display of the number of cycles (vacuum cycle counter).
- If the application so requires, specific adjustment of thresholds and hysteresis different to original factory settings (L1=65% h1=10%, L2=75%, h2=10%).

Autoreactivity

- Constant monitoring of leakage rate: abandon or automatic return to "ASC" operation.





COVAL
vacuum managers

series

LEMAX IO

Mini Vacuum Pumps with Communication

 **IO-Link**

- Nozzle Ø: 1; 1.2; 1.4 mm
- Vacuum level: 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 70 NI/min
- Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)
- Integrated vacuum regulation (ASC)
- M8 connections
- Stand-alone or island module



AIR Saving
Control

LEMAX IO

Mini Vacuum Pumps with Communication IO-Link

General Information

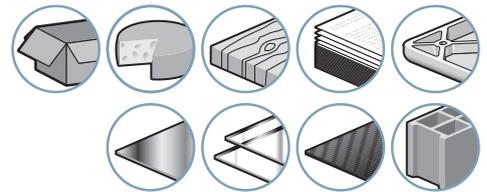


AIR Saving Control

IO-Link



Industry-specific applications



Advantages

- Easy installation and operation thanks to the IO-Link communication interface.
- Energy savings of 75% to 99% (depending on application) thanks to automatic **ASC** (Air Saving Control) operation.
- "All-in-one" solution, no more peripherals to be added.
- Unmatched compactness: installation close to suction cups → short response times and energy savings.
- No clogging, thanks to the through-type silencer.
- Controlled or timed blow-off.

Compact Integration

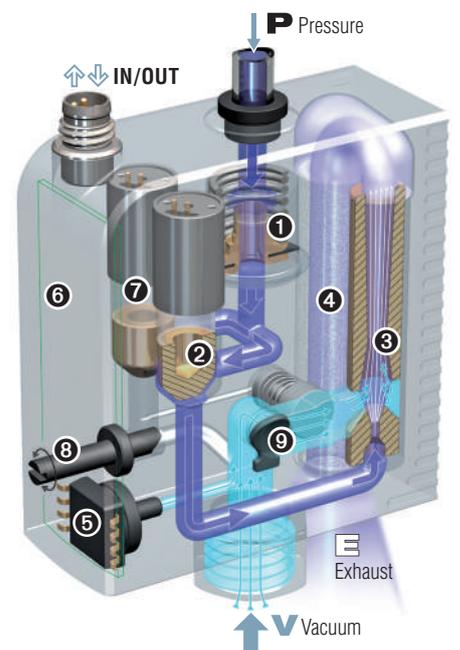
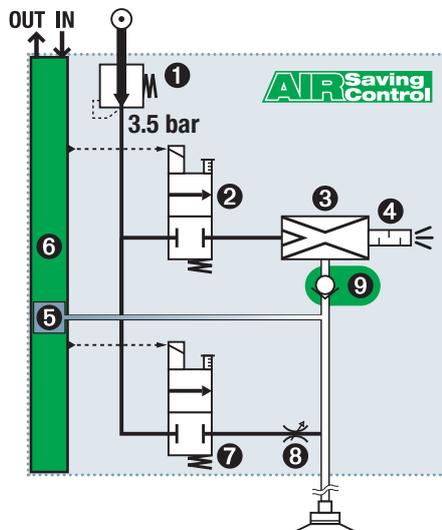
The illustrations below show the 9 functions integrated into the mini-module, and their respective roles in operation.

The result of this COVAL performance is:

- **A mini module** (≅ 130 g) that is easy to install close to the suction cups, reducing the volume to be evacuated → increased speed and energy savings.
- **A complete module**, therefore not requiring any additional function or connections.

The **LEMAX IO** compact modules integrate all the functions of "industrial vacuum" including simple, efficient, economical compressed air usage and are adapted for every application:

- 1 3.5 bar pressure regulator
- 2 Solenoid valve "vacuum"
- 3 3.5 bar optimized Venturi
- 4 Through-type silencer
- 5 Electronic vacuum switch
- 6 Integrated electronics
- 7 Solenoid valve "blow-off"
- 8 Blow-off flow adjustment
- 9 Check valve on vacuum



Schematic representation

Combination of non-return 9 and advanced electronics 6 ensures the **ASC's** automatic performance.

→ **Once desired vacuum level is reached, the LEMAX IO no longer consumes air when gripping the product.**



90% energy savings (on average)



IO-Link

The IO-Link system provides efficient real-time communication between LEMAX IO vacuum pumps and any higher-level protocol (EtherNet/IP, PROFINET, EtherCAT, etc.) required to monitor the production line. It can be used to control pumps, configure settings, and get feedback to ensure maximum productivity.

Advantages:

- Straightforward wiring, installation, and setup
- Availability of diagnostic status data
- Simpler preventive maintenance and vacuum pump replacement without manual setup, and more



MASTER IO-Link



EtherNet/IP
PROFINET

EtherCAT
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LEMAX IO

Mini Vacuum Pumps with Communication IO-Link Energy Savings

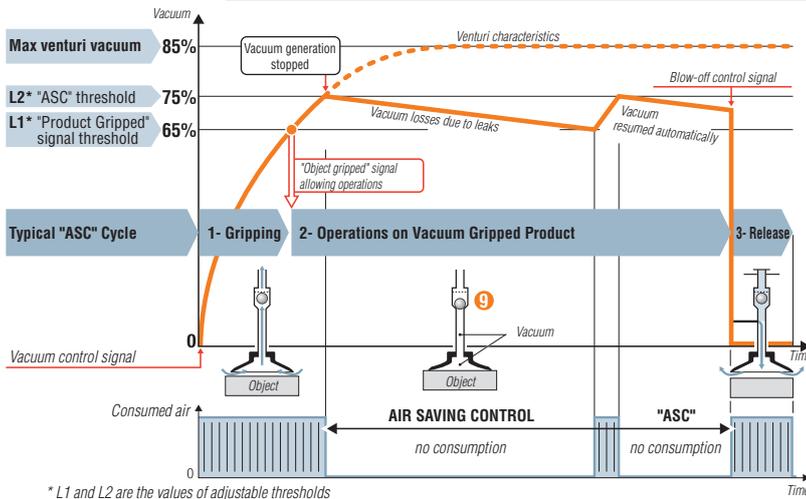


AIR Saving Control

IO-Link



"Air Saving Control" Cycle



As illustrated above, the LEMAX IO module automatically executes the "ASC", cycle, thus saving the maximum amount of energy, based on the following 3 phases.

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2- Clamping + Operations (Ø 1.4 mm nozzle, 0.4 l of vacuum)

Phase	Duration	Air consumption		Energy savings achieved
		"ASC" off	"ASC" on	
Clamping	0.55 s	0.8 NI	0.8 NI	99 %
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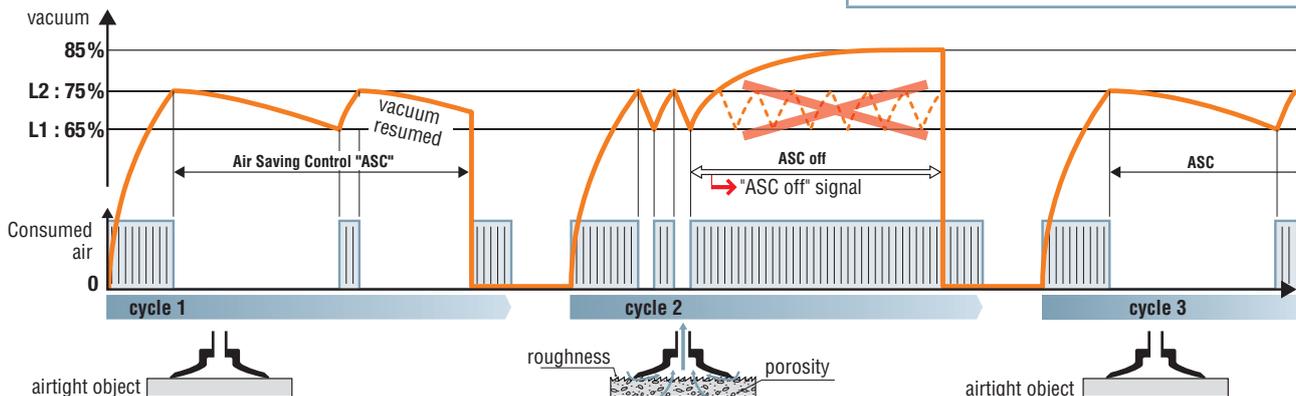
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LEMAX IO

Mini Vacuum Pumps with Communication IO-Link Communication / Selection Guide

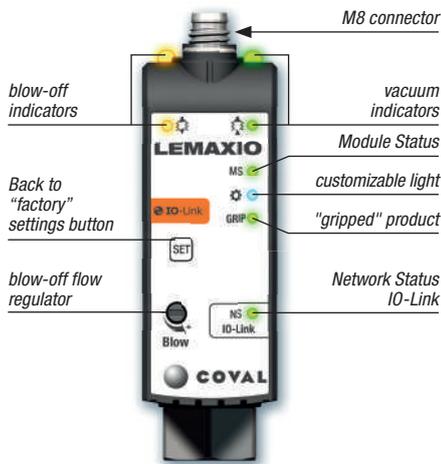


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Communication HMI / IO-Link



Settings, Diagnostics, and Process Data



CONFIGURABLE SETTINGS

- "Object gripped" and ASC control thresholds.
- ASC vacuum control system management.
- Automatic blow-off.
- Configurable LED.



DIAGNOSTICS

- Cycle counters (vacuum and blow-off control, objects gripped, objects lost, etc.)
- Monitoring of the supply voltage.
- Software version.
- Product number and serial number.



PROCESS INPUT DATA

- Vacuum and blow-off control.



PROCESS OUTPUT DATA

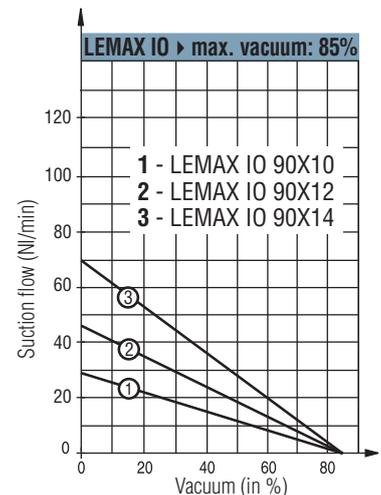
- Instantaneous vacuum level.
- Object gripped and object lost information.
- Status of ASC vacuum regulation system.
- Alarms (high / low voltage).

Power Determined by the Venturi Nozzle Diameter

Selecting the Nozzle Diameter					
Ø nozzle	Venturi characteristics during "ASC off" operation.		"ASC" operation - gripping at 65% vacuum - vacuum shutoff at 75% Time for a volume of 1l		
	air drawn in (NI/min)	air consumed (NI/min)	grip time (s) (65% vacuum)	time (s) up to 75% vacuum	air consumed (NI)
1.4 mm	70	90	0.99	1.38	2.2
1.2 mm	45	65	1.53	2.15	2.2
1.0 mm	29	44	2.38	3.33	2.2



Suction Flow Rate / Vacuum Curves



Electrical Connections



Pin	Designation	Function	Wire
1	24 V DC	L+	Brown
2	/	/	White
3	0 V - GND	L-	Blue
4	IO-Link communication line	C/Q	Black

Note

Max. total cable length: 20 meters

Accessory

Power supply cable M8, straight, female, 4-pin – M12, straight, male, 4-pin:

- **CDM8M12**: length. 1 m.



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Mini Vacuum Pumps with Communication IO-Link

Option, Choice of Layout



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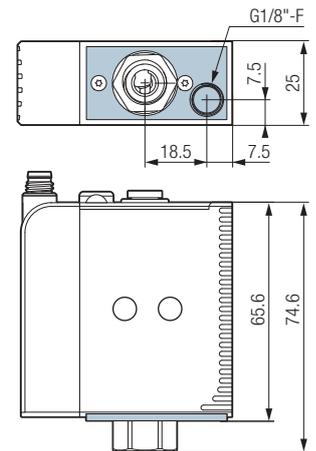
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Exhaust manifold: option E

The LEMAX IO mini vacuum pumps can be equipped with the "exhaust manifold" option, which provides a G1/8"-F connection to the exhaust in order to add a silencer, transfer the exhaust outside the work area or to avoid air discharge near the workpiece (LEMAXIO___E version).

This option must be specified at time of ordering as it cannot be added later.

Note: The design of the exhaust manifold and vacuum pumps do not guarantee the complete sealing of the exhaust and therefore cannot be used in a "clean room" environment.



Stand-alone or Island Modules?

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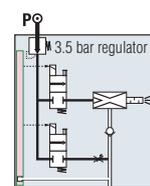
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- several autonomous modules;
- a group of these modules with an internal common pressure unit.

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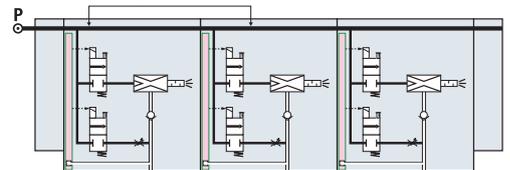
- stand-alone modules are coupled with integrated pressure regulators
- in an island, the integrated regulator is removed: to maintain the advantage of economical and silent operation, it is recommended to reduce the island's common pressure supply pressure to 4 bar.

Network pressure:
4.5 to 7 bar



Stand-alone module

common pressure unit (4 bar)



P optimal = 4 bar
(operation at 4-7 bar)

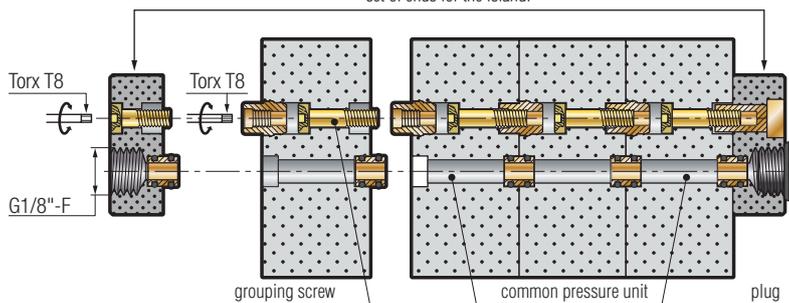
island of 3 modules
supplying suction cups
according to different
sequences



Assembling and Connecting an Island

island of 4 modules

set of ends for the island.



island of 3 modules



Maximum number of modules in an island:

- Ø 1.4 mm nozzle → 5 modules
- Ø 1.2 mm nozzle → 7 modules
- Ø 1 mm nozzle → 9 modules

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Mini Vacuum Pumps with Communication IO-Link Configuring a Vacuum Pump



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Part numbers for an island assembly or components in an island

Part numbers for stand-alone units

LEMAXIO 90 X 14 S C14 - B2

VACUUM LEVEL

maximum 85% vacuum optimum for airtight objects

90

NOZZLE DIAMETER

Ø 1.4 mm nozzle

14

Ø 1.2 mm nozzle

12

Ø 1 mm nozzle

10

EXHAUST

Open (integrated silencer)

-

Exhaust manifold (G1/8"-F)

E

ISLAND ASSEMBLIES

B2

LEMAXIO90X...**B2**
Island assembly with 2 identical modules.



B3

LEMAXIO90X...**B3**
Island assembly with 3 identical modules.



B4

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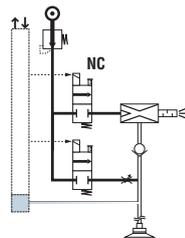
COMPOSITION OF THE MODULE

Vacuum pump controlled by a Normally Closed (NC) solenoid valve

S

LEMAXIO90X...S...

- In the event of an electrical shut-off, vacuum is no longer generated.
- Optional configured blow-off:
 - by specific signal,
 - automatic, timed 0 to 9.9 sec. (→ a single control signal vacuum and blow-off).

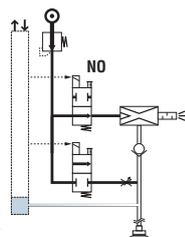


Vacuum pump controlled by a Normally Open (NO) solenoid valve

V

LEMAXIO90X...V...

- In the event of an electrical shut-off, the vacuum continues to be generated: gripped object held → positive security.
- Blow-off controlled by a specific signal.



If the planned island contains different module types, it must be ordered as separate components in order to then be assembled on site according to the arrangement suitable to the application.

COMPONENTS FOR THE ISLAND TO BE ASSEMBLED

B

LEMAXIO...**B**
Module that can be grouped (complete with integrated grouping screw).



Set of ends for a complete island, with grouping screw and common pressure unit plug.



PART NO.: LEMSETA

REFERENCE EXAMPLE COMPOSED OF A STAND-ALONE MODULE:

■ LEMAXIO90X14SC14

LEMAX IO, mini vacuum pump, 85% max. vacuum, 1.4 mm nozzle, controlled by a NC (Normally Closed) solenoid valve.

EXAMPLE COMPOSITE PART NUMBER FOR AN ISLAND ASSEMBLY:

■ LEMAXIO90X14SC14B3

LEMAX IO group assembly, containing 3 x 85% max. vacuum modules, Ø 1.4 mm nozzle, controlled by NC (Normally Closed) solenoid valve.

ORDER EXAMPLE FOR AN ISLAND TO BE ASSEMBLED:

■ LEMAXIO90X14VC14B

■ LEMAXIO90X12SC14B

■ LEMAXIO90X10VC14B

■ LEMSETA

3 LEMAX IO modules for an island, of different types.

Set of ends for island.

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Mini Vacuum Pumps with Communication IO-Link Dimensions, Mounting Options



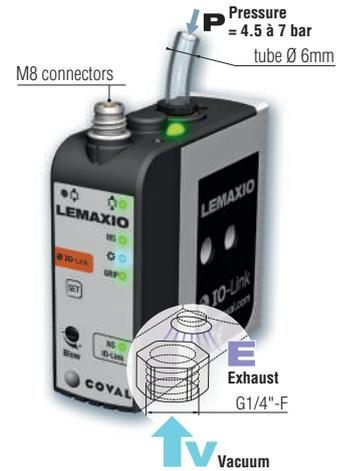
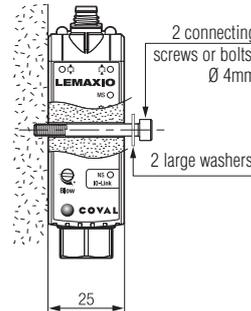
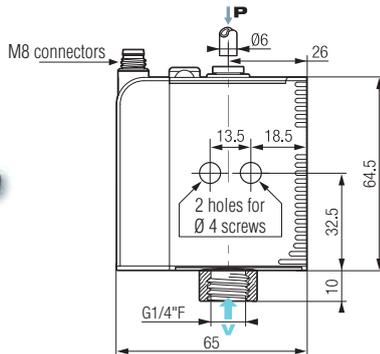
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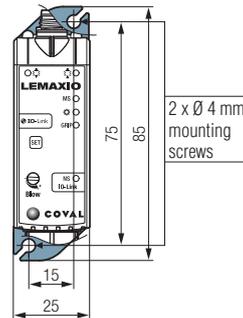
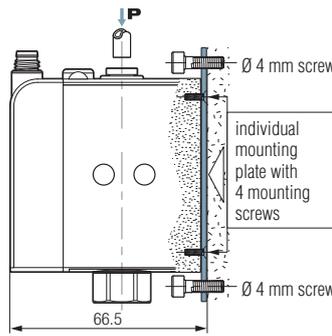


1- Stand-alone Modules

Mounting from side



Mounting from front

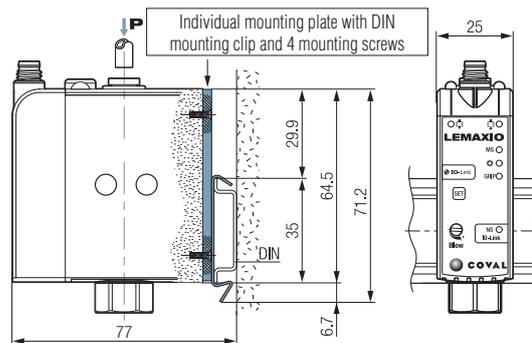


To mount from front, in addition to the module, a mounting kit must be ordered:

Kit for mounting from front:
1 plate + 4 screws

Part No.: LEMFIXA

Mounting on DIN rail



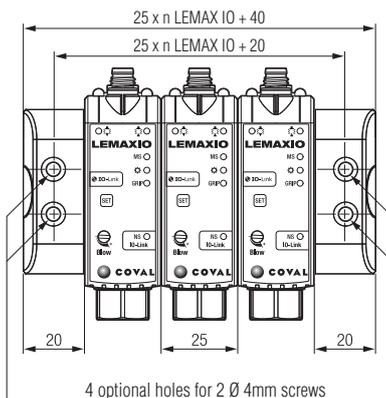
For static mounting (for example, in a cabinet), a module can be clipped onto a DIN rail. For this purpose, the module must first be equipped with an individual plate for mounting onto a DIN rail

DIN rail mounting kit:
1 plate/clip + 4 screws

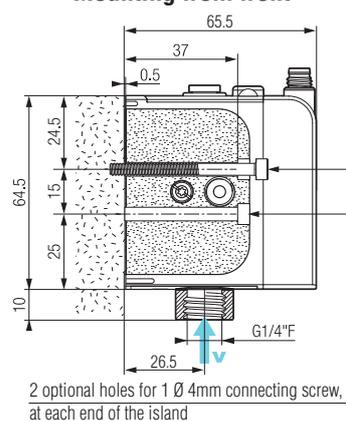
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2- Islands

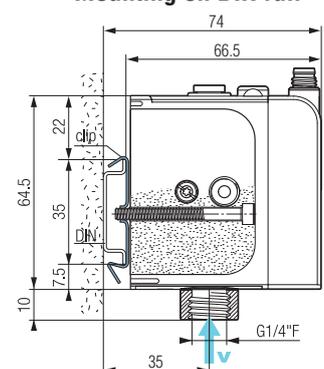
Mounting from front



4 optional holes for 2 Ø 4mm screws



Mounting on DIN rail



DIN rail mounting kit:
2 clips + 2 screws

Part No.: LEMFIXC

LEMAX IO

Mini Vacuum Pumps with Communication IO-Link

Characteristics



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Overall Characteristics

- Supply: non-lubricated air filtered to 5 microns according to standard ISO 8573-1:2010 [4:5:4].
- Operating pressure: 4.5 to 7 bar.
- Mini dynamic pressure:
 - stand-alone version: P = 4.5 bar.
 - island version: P = 4 bar.
- Blow-off: adjustable flow:
 - stand-alone version: P = 3.5 bar.
 - island version: P network
- Maximum vacuum: 85%
- Suction rate: 29 to 70 NI/min.
- Air consumption: 44 to 90 NI/min during "ASC" off operation.
- Integrated clog-free silencer.
- Noise level: approximately 68 dBA "ASC" off. 0 dBA with "ASC".
- Electrical protection level: IP 65.
- Max. operating frequency: 4 Hz.
- Endurance: 30 million cycles.
- Weight: 130 g.
- Operating temperature: from 0 to 50°C (32 to 122°F).
- Materials: PA 6-6 15%FV, brass, aluminum, NBR.
- 4-pins M8 male connector.

Analysis of the vacuum regulation system (ASC)

- Constant monitoring of leakage rate: abandon or automatic return to "ASC" operation.

Integrated electronics

- 24 V DC supply (regulated $\pm 10\%$).
- Electric consumption < 100 mA, of which 30 mA (0.7W) per vacuum and blow-off pilot.
- Measurement range: 0 to 99% vacuum.
- Measurement accuracy: $\pm 1.5\%$ of range, temperature compensated.
- Inputs/outputs protected against wiring errors or reversed polarity.
- IO-Link Operation.

Diagnosis

- Instantaneous vacuum level (0 to 99%).
- Gripped product, loss of product, regulation in process, regulation default information.
- Cycle counters (vacuum, blow-off, gripped piece, ASC, etc.).
- Supply voltage.
- Product reference and serial number.
- Firmware version.

Displays

- Control status indicators:
 - "vacuum": green LED
 - "blowoff": orange LED
- "Part gripped" indicator: green LED
- Configurable indicator: blue LED
- "Module Status" indicator: green/red LED
- "IO-Link Network Status" indicator: green/red LED

Settings

- Piece gripping (L1) and regulation (L2) thresholds. If the application so requires, specific adjustment of thresholds and hysteresis different to original factory settings (L1=65% h1=10%, L2=75%, h2=10%).
- Automatic timed blow-off (0 to 10 seconds) only on LEMAXIO90X__S__
- Activation/deactivation of ASC regulation system.
- Activation/deactivation of the (DIAG ECO) leakage level monitoring system.
- Adjustable blue LED functioning mode
- Valve functioning mode in the event of loss of communication.
- Back to "factory" settings.

IO-Link

- Revision: 1.1
- Transmission rate: COM2 / 38.4 kbit/s
- Min. cycle time: 3.6 ms
- SIO mode: No.
- Process Data Input (PDI): 4 bytes.
- Process Data Output (PDO): 1 byte.
- IO device description file (IODD) available for download.
- Max. total cable length: 20 meters.

Accessory

Protection for standalone mini-vacuum pumps LEMAXIO__SC14 (with one M8 connector), Part No.: **80004409**

The COVER is made of silicone and serves as a protective sleeve for vacuum pumps, protecting them against splashing water, in particular during cleaning cycles.

- High level of protection against splashing water
- Easy to mount and clean





COVAL
vacuum managers

series
LEMCOM

Mini Vacuum Pumps Communicating
via Industrial Field Bus

- Nozzle Ø: 1; 1.2; 1.4 mm
- 2 vacuum levels: 60% and 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 96 NI/min
- Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)
- Integrated vacuum regulation (ASC)
- Field bus: PROFINET, EtherNet/IP™
- M8 connections
- Stand-alone or island module



**PROFI
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EtherNet/IP™

AIR Saving
Control

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1st Mini Vacuum Pump on Industrial Fieldbus

General Points

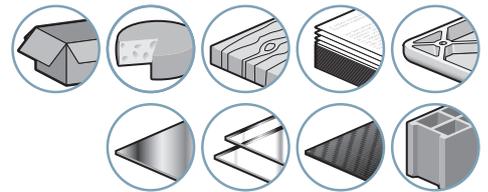


PROFINET EtherNet/IP

In a world where everything is connected, COVAL is innovating once more by unveiling the LEMCOM series: the first vacuum pump on fieldbus.

The LEMCOM establishes a verified remote communication between the operator and the vacuum pump, with two possible fieldbus choices, EtherNet/IP and PROFINET. This allows the operator to receive real-time information and more importantly respond at all times to configure, diagnose and maintain the operation.

Industry-specific applications

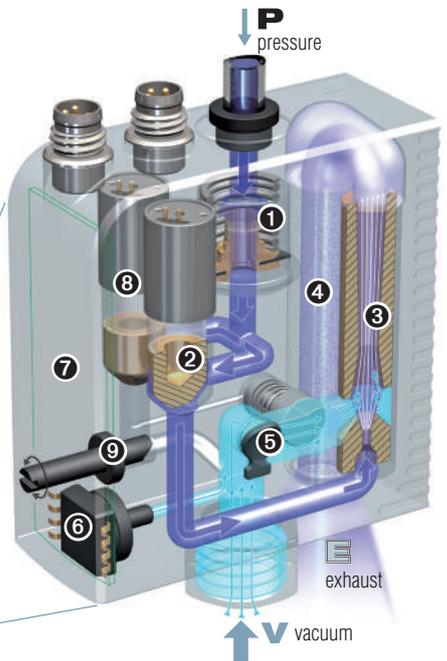
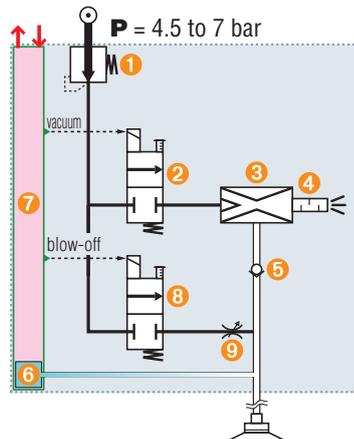


Compact Integration: The COVAL Technique

The illustrations demonstrate the COVAL advantage: all necessary functions are integrated into a complete and self-governing mini-module.

INTEGRATED FUNCTIONS:

- 1 Pressure regulator 3.5 bar
- 2 "Vacuum" solenoid valve
- 3 3.5 bar optimized venturi
- 4 Optimized silencer
- 5 Vacuum non-return valve
- 6 Vacuum sensor
- 7 Integrated electronics: management of "vacuum" functions and communication
- 8 "Blow-off" solenoid valve
- 9 Blow-off flow regulator



Schematic representation



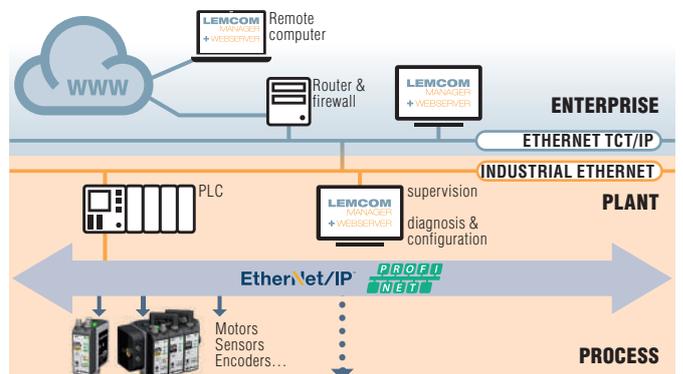
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Easy Integration with Existing Industrial Network

LEMCOM is the first vacuum pump which seamlessly integrates with the field network without the use of gateways or other specific interfaces.

The LEMCOM "master" modules enable the continuity of a fieldbus through their two integrated communication ports. Tested and certified by ODVA (EtherNet/IP) and by PI (PROFINET), LEMCOM is connected very easily to the PLC (EDS file, RSLogix 5000 Add-On Instructions, GSDML file).

Based on a "master/secondary" structure where the "master" is a fully-integrated pump, the LEMCOM design enables the supply and control of 1 to 16 vacuum pumps while requiring only 2 connecting cables.



Advantages

- **Easy implementation:** Plug & Play, custom configuration for every type of application.
- **Maximum automatic energy savings:**
 - ASR:** 40% savings for porous products.
 - ASC:** 90% savings for airtight products.
- **Compactness:** LEMCOM vacuum pumps are the most compact on the market.
- **Short response times:** Installed in close proximity to vacuum cups.

- **Dust resistant:** Non-clogging through-type silencer.
 - **Safety:** Product gripping is maintained even during power failure.
 - **Supported buses:** EtherNet/IP and PROFINET.
 - **Wiring simplified:** 2 cables are capable of managing 1 to 16 modules.
 - Settings and diagnosis via **remote monitoring**.
 - Nearly unlimited arrangements (stand-alone modules, island assemblies or remote modules).
- An essential innovation for intelligent vacuum gripping.



2 Vacuum Levels to Match Precise Application Needs

VERSION 60 (Max. 60% vacuum)

To enable a high rate of vacuum flow and compensate for leakage when gripping porous materials.

Suction flow rate (NI/min):

max. vacuum Nozzle Ø	60%
1.0 mm	38
1.2 mm	72
1.4 mm	92



VERSION 90 (Max. 85% vacuum)

To enable a high vacuum level and thus increase the holding force for gripping airtight materials.

Suction flow rate (NI/min):

max. vacuum Nozzle Ø	85%
1.0 mm	29
1.2 mm	45
1.4 mm	70



	Porous Materials, Rough Surfaces				Airtight & Semi-Porous Materials				
	Cardboard	Food	Wood	Paper	Plastic	Metal	Glass	Composites	Concrete/Stone
LEMCOM 60	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
LEMCOM 90					■	■	■	■	■

● Air Saving Regulator → 40% of energy savings on average.

■ Air Saving Control → 90% of energy savings on average.

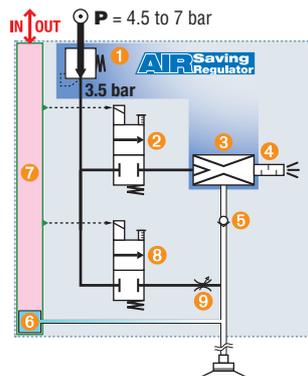
Integrated Energy-saving Technologies

AIR Saving Regulator

40% energy savings (on average, see below).

Combined "venturi regulator" ASR: pressure regulator ① feeds venturi ③ with 3.5 bar, the optimized pressure for operation.

→ No more unnecessary consumption of compressed air.

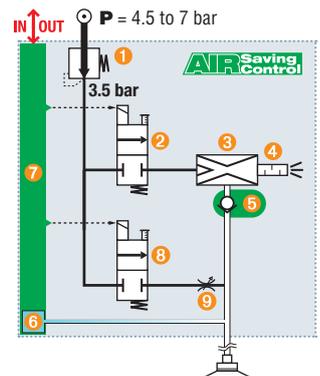


AIR Saving Control

90% energy savings (on average).

Combination of non-return valve ⑤ and advanced electronics ⑦ ensures ASC's automatic performance.

→ Once vacuum is established, the pump no longer consumes air to hold the product.



AIR Saving Regulator (ASR): Air Saving Regulator

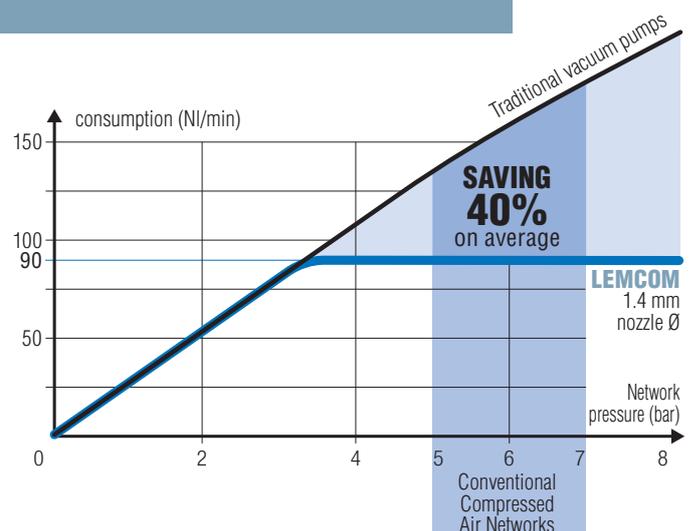
LEMCOM series vacuum pumps, which integrate an ASR "venturi regulator" combination, maintain ideals that COVAL values greatly: reducing both compressed air consumption and noise generation.

Regardless of pressure supplied by the compressed air network, the integrated regulator feeds the venturi at 3.5 bar pressure, optimal for its operation.

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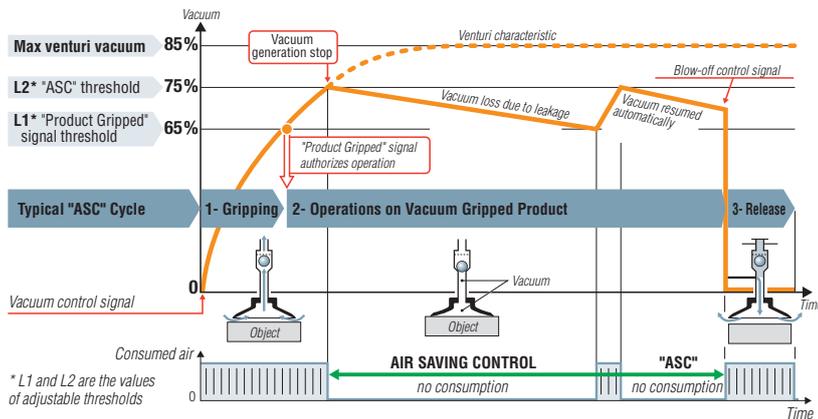
→ No external regulator required, thus eliminating the risk of improper adjustment.

Compared to pressures found in most compressed air networks (5-7 bar), the graph opposite demonstrates an achieved economy of 40% on average.





"Air Saving Control" Cycle



As illustrated above, the LEMCOM module automatically executes the "ASC", cycle, thus saving the maximum amount of energy, based on the following 3 phases.

1- Gripping the object

The "vacuum" solenoid ② starts the cycle by supplying the venturi ③ which generates the vacuum to quickly pick up the object with the suction cup → short-term consumption.

2- Operations on the object held by vacuum

The vacuum level is constantly monitored by the vacuum switch ④. When it reaches the L1 threshold (65%), the "gripped object" signal is generated, which allows the planned operations (transfer, machining, etc.). When the vacuum reaches threshold L2 (75%), the supply to the venturi via the solenoid valve ② is cut off → consumption is halted. The object remains held by the retained vacuum thanks to the closed valve ⑤. Micro-leaks will generally cause the vacuum level to fall slowly. Each time it falls below 65%, vacuum generation is briefly resumed until it reaches threshold L2 (75%).

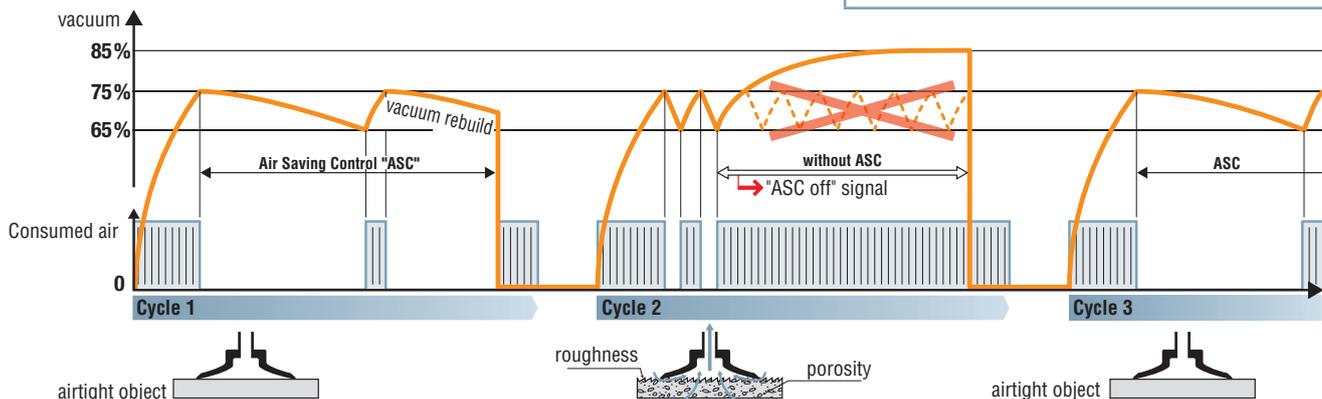
3- Releasing the object

At the end of operations, blow-off is ordered. The "blow-off" solenoid valve ⑥ generates a stream of air which closes the isolation valve ⑦, blows on the object to release it quickly.

Smart Adaptation

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1/ the module automatically detects the anomaly, 2/ ends the cycle without "ASC" in order to continue production and 3/ reports the event for possible maintenance. Production continues and once everything is returned to normal (cycle 3), "ASC" operation is automatically resumed.



1- Gripping + Transfer (1.4 mm nozzle Ø, emptying 0.2 l)

Phase	Duration	Air consumption		Energy savings achieved
		without "ASC"	with "ASC"	
Gripping	0.28 s	0.4 NI	0.4 NI	75 %
Transfer	1.20 s	1.8 NI	0	
Release	0.14 s	0.2 NI	0.2 NI	
		2.4 NI	0.6 NI	

2- Clamping + Operations (1.4 mm nozzle Ø, emptying 0.4 l)

Phase	Duration	Air consumption		Energy savings achieved
		without "ASC"	with "ASC"	
Clamping	0.55 s	0.8 NI	0.8 NI	99 %
Operations	60 s	90 NI	0	
Release	0.14 s	0.2 NI	0.2 NI	
		91 NI	1.0 NI	

Resulting Savings

Energy savings from "ASC" are significant, as the two examples opposite show:

- 75% savings for transferring an object after gripping.
- 99% savings for holding an object during a 1 minute operation.

The product often pays for itself in just a few months.

"ASC": AN ADVANTAGE WITHOUT LIMITATIONS

Saving energy has become essential. With LEMCOM, thanks to ASC, energy is saved automatically without interfering with established practices:

1- No specific adjustment

The default setting (L1 = 65%, L2 = 75%) is suitable for most applications.

2- Production regardless of conditions

Performance is guaranteed. When necessary, without "ASC", if the leakage level is too high.

3- Guided maintenance

Clear display of the need for maintenance in order to return to autoregulated "ASC" operation.

With LEMCOM, all settings are remotely configurable, and diagnosis is made easier.



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Individual or Island Modules?

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- several autonomous modules, OR
- a group of these modules with an internally shared pressure supply

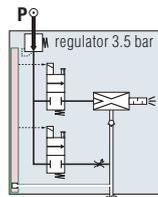
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- autonomous modules are coupled with integrated pressure regulators (ASR)
- in a group, the integrated regulator is eliminated: to maintain the advantage of economical and silent operation, it is recommended to reduce the group's common pressure supply to 4 bar.

The maximum number of modules in an island depends on the power of the modules that must be active simultaneously:

- 5 modules maximum for nozzle 1.4 mm ID.
- 7 modules maximum for nozzle 1.2 mm ID.
- 9 modules maximum for nozzle 1 mm ID.

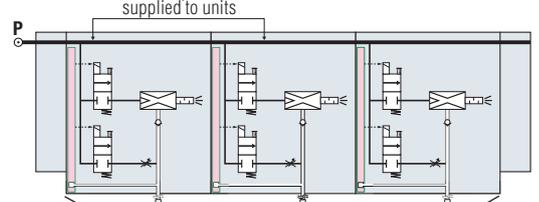
Network: 4.5 to 7 bar



Stand-alone module

common pressure supplied to units

Optimal pressure: 4 bar



P optimal = 4 bar
(operation at 4-7 bar)



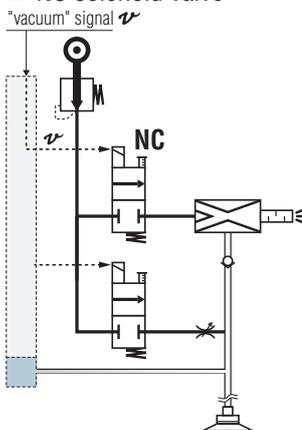
island of 3 modules supplying suction cups according to different sequences or operations

Vacuum Control by NC or NO Solenoid Valve

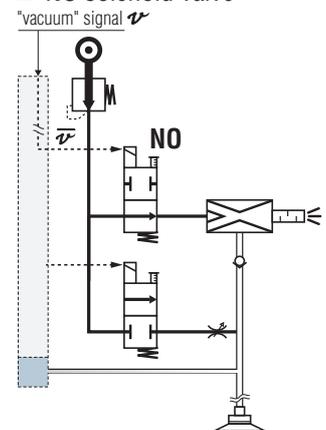
Vacuum control by NC (Normally Closed) solenoid valve is the most common: in the event of an electrical shut-off, vacuum is no longer generated. On the other hand, with a NO (Normally Open) solenoid valve, vacuum continues to be generated in the event of an electrical shut-off, providing positive object-gripped security.

The diagrams opposite show that both versions are controlled by the same "vacuum" signal v : The opposite \bar{v} required for control of the NO solenoid valve is automatically obtained internally by the control electronics.

■ NC solenoid valve

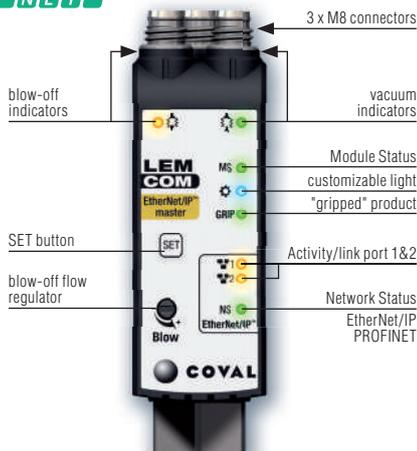


■ NO solenoid valve

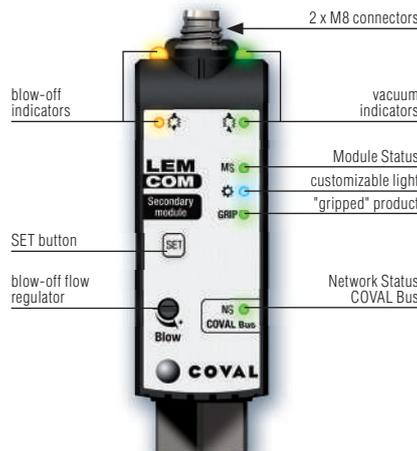


Communications Panel

LEMCOM master
PROFIBUS EtherNet/IP



LEMCOM secondary module



LEMCOM

1st Mini Vacuum Pump on Industrial Fieldbus Simplified Communication along the Entire Line



**PROFI
NET** EtherNet/IP™

Multitude of Innovations

- Maximum intelligence / minimal bulk.
- One "master" module controls up to 15 secondary modules.
- Master module is a fully-integrated pump.
- Remote configuration, monitoring and diagnostics.
- Dedicated Coval bus between master and secondary modules.
- Simplified wiring and installation.
- Standard secondary modules (regardless of the type of bus).
- Additional communications port.
- Supported buses: EtherNet/IP™ / PROFINET / CANopen.
- IP 65 / M8 standard connectors.



A Simple Product to Utilize

LEMCOM master

- On-board 2-Port Ethernet Switch.
- On-board web server.
- Dedicated configuration software.
- M8/RJ45 standard connectors.

EtherNet/IP
**PROFI
NET**



LEMCOM secondary module

- Universal secondary module, whatever the type of bus used.



Dedicated application **LEMCOM MANAGER**

Vacuum management made easy

Specially developed with vacuum handling applications in mind, LEMCOM Manager is a PC software package which allows you, in just a few clicks, to remotely set up and configure LEMCOM vacuum generators as well as run diagnostics.

Packed with numerous functions such as the import/export of parameters, vacuum cycle analysis, alarm and operation cycle monitoring, configuration help or even embedded firmware updating.

The application allows all LEMCOM mini pumps to be controlled remotely over the network either by the end user or by COVAL's technical support teams.



Settings, Diagnosis, and Process Data



CONFIGURABLE SETTINGS

- "Product Gripped" and vacuum regulation (ASC) thresholds.
- Automatic blow-off.
- State of valves in the event of loss of communication.
- Client LED status.
- Network parameters.
- Firmware updates...



DIAGNOSTIC

- Cycle counters, vacuum and blow-off control, gripped pieces, lost pieces, ASC...
- Power supply voltage.
- Firmware version.
- Product reference.
- Vacuum cycle acquisition...



INPUT DATA

- Vacuum and blow-off control.



OUTPUT DATA

- Instant vacuum level (0 to 100%).
- "Gripped Product" signal (ON/OFF).
- Regulation system status.
- Alarms (power supply voltage, temperature, preventive maintenance).



A Setting for Every Application

The LEMCOM is based on an innovative, efficient product structure:

- The "master" module manages communication on the fieldbus, assures management of the "secondary" modules and is a fully-integrated vacuum pump. Its 2 communication ports enable a continuous fieldbus.
- The "secondary" modules are interconnected with the "master" module via the COVAL bus.

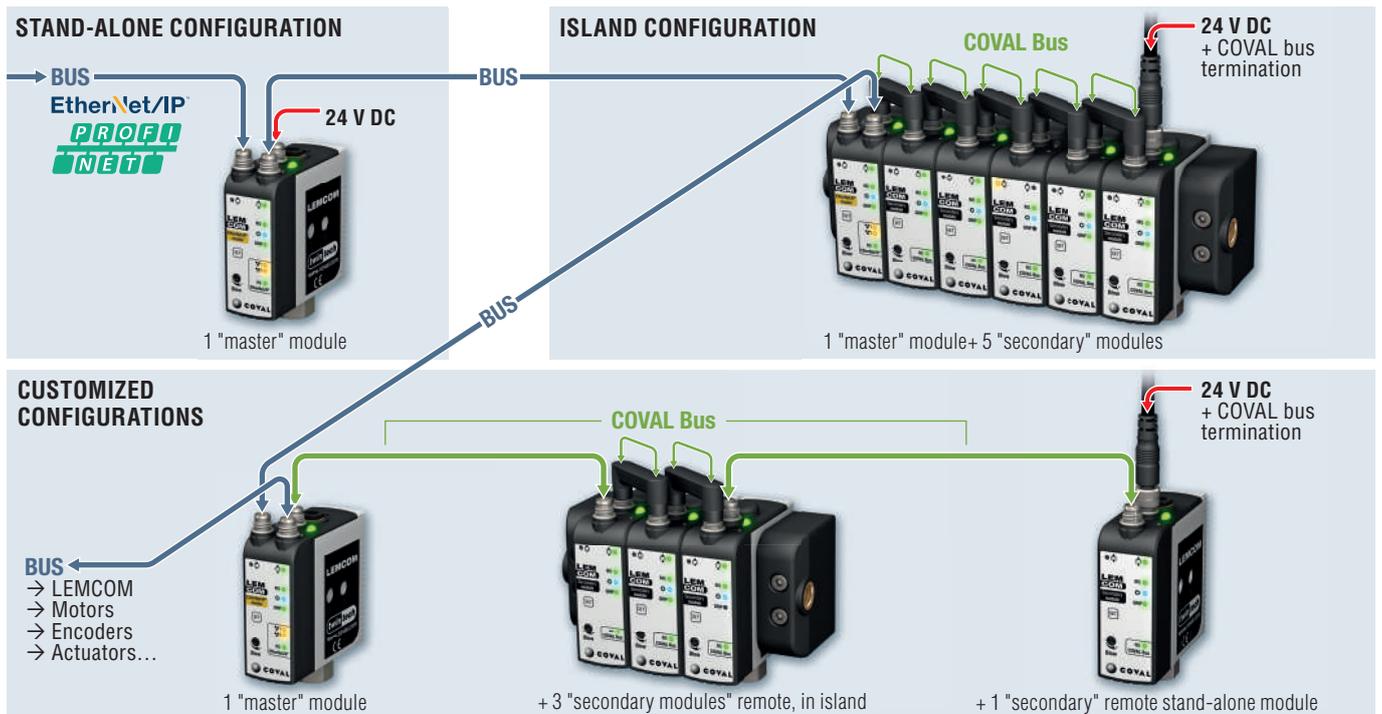
Contact between the "master" module and the "secondary" modules is confirmed by an M8 connecting bridge for island configurations or by a M8/M8 standard cable for configurations based on remote modules.

Advantages:

This product structure guarantees flexibility in selection, enabling use of LEMCOMs in stand-alone, island or mixed configurations. As a result, vacuum generators may be placed in close proximity to the application, guaranteeing a reduction:

- in gripping time
- in cycle time
- in energy consumption.

Because setup and diagnosis of the LEMCOM is carried out remotely, it is not necessary to install them in easily accessible zones.



Full Remote Access

LEMCOM parameters can easily be updated remotely and in several ways. Configuration is possible using LEMCOM Manager PC software, the embedded web server (EtherNet/IP and PROFINET) or by sending vacuum parameters directly from the PLC during use or on initialization.

This flexibility enables the LEMCOM user to adapt to all types of applications without direct intervention on the vacuum generator.

- Embedded web server.
- Implicit (I/O) and explicit messaging (setting) (EtherNet/IP).
- Synchronous (I/O) and asynchronous data (configuration) (PROFINET)

LEMCOM MANAGER

- Dedicated universal application: LEMCOM Manager.

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MODULES								
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COVAL LEMCOM MANAGER v1.4

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Unité de vide: mbar

CONFIGURATION: Basique, Avancée

DIAGNOSTIC MAÎTRE: 842 mbar

Cycles de vide ext.: 14 622 024

Cycles de vide int.: 00 000 025

Pression ext.: 00 000 025

Pression int.: 00 000 025

Erreurs ASC: 00 000 002

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Venturi Specifications

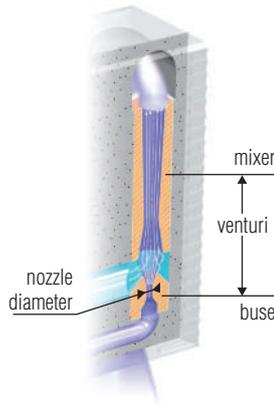
1- Maximum Vacuum Level

Dependent upon the mixer profile:

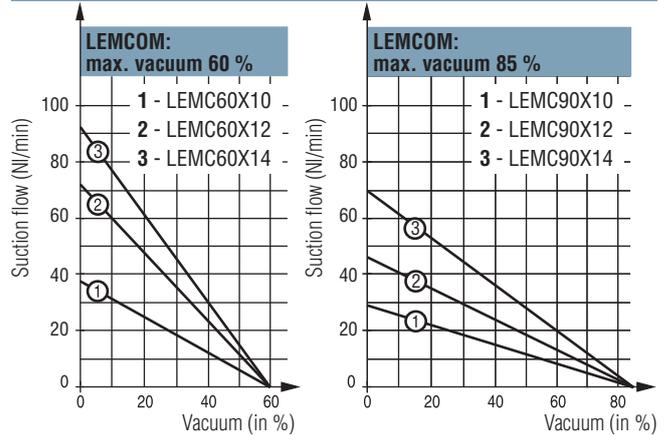
- 85% of maximum vacuum is optimal for gripping airtight products.
- 60% of maximum vacuum is optimal for gripping porous products.

2- Nozzle Diameter

Reflects the generated vacuum flow rate, as well as energy consumption. Hence, it must be selected to meet precise requirements without wasting energy.



Suction Flow Rate / Vacuum Curves



Handling of Porous Products: (cardboard, untreated wood, pastries, etc.) → LEMCOM 60% max. vacuum

When porosity and/or surface leaks are expected during gripping, a vacuum level between 35% and 55% is the best economical compromise generated by a maximum **venturi vacuum level of 60%**. To determine the most effective nozzle diameter, use the table at right and measure the leakage flow rate of the material.

Evacuation time (in seconds) of 1 liter volume	vacuum reached			Consumed Air (NI/min)	Vacuum flow (NI/min)
	35%	45%	55%		
Nozzle Ø					
1.0 mm	0.83	1.31	2.35	44	38
1.2 mm	0.52	0.83	1.49	65	72
1.4 mm	0.34	0.54	0.97	90	92

Handling of Airtight Products: (glass, plastic, coated wood, sheet metal, etc.) → LEMCOM 85% max. vacuum

Gripping done without major leaks will benefit from a high level of vacuum: Between 55% and 75% generated by a maximum **venturi vacuum level of 85%**.

Depending on the volume to be evacuated and the time available for product gripping, use the table below to select the most effective nozzle diameter and vacuum flow rate.

AIR Saving Control On airtight products, "ASC" enables you to considerably reduce compressed air consumption. The table below shows:

- A larger nozzle provides a faster grip without consuming more, when using "ASC".
- A smaller nozzle only consumes less when the operation is continued without "ASC".

Working without "ASC":

Evacuation time (in seconds) of 1 liter volume	vacuum reached			Consumed Air (NI/min)	Vacuum flow (NI/min)
	55%	65%	75%		
Nozzle Ø					
1.0 mm	1.76	2.38	3.33	44	29
1.2 mm	1.13	1.53	2.15	65	45
1.4 mm	0.73	0.99	1.38	90	70

When using "ASC" (evacuation of 1 liter volume):

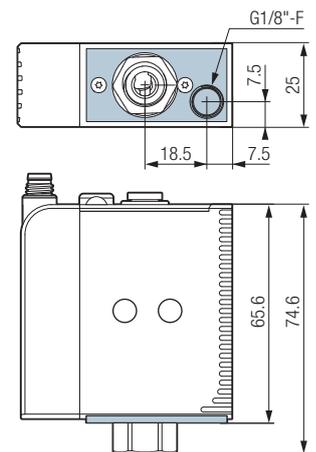
Ø buse	gripping time (65% vacuum) (s)	Time up to 75% vacuum (s)	Consumed Air (NI)
1.0 mm	2.38	3.33	2.2
1.2 mm	1.53	2.15	2.2
1.4 mm	0.99	1.38	2.2

Exhaust manifold: option E

The LEMCOM mini vacuum pumps can be equipped with the "exhaust manifold" option, which provides a G1/8"-F connection to the exhaust in order to add a silencer, transfer the exhaust outside the work area or to avoid air discharge near the workpiece. (LEMC__E Version).

This option must be specified at time of ordering as it cannot be added later.

Note: The design of the exhaust manifold and vacuum pumps do not guarantee the complete sealing of the exhaust and therefore cannot be used in a "clean room" environment.





LEMCOM 90 X 12 S Y2 G - B2

VACUUM LEVEL	
60 % max. vacuum is optimal for porous materials	60
85 % max. vacuum is optimal for airtight products	90

NOZZLE DIAMETER	
1 mm Ø nozzle	10
1.2 mm Ø nozzle	12
1.4 mm Ø nozzle	14

MODULE COMPOSITION

NC Vacuum pump with blow-off

LEMCOM_X_S_G

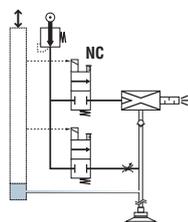
▪ **NC** vacuum control valve:

→ in case of electrical cut-off, vacuum generation stops.

▪ Blow-off configured on site at choice:

- Blow-off controlled by specific signal;
- Automatically delayed blow-off time from 0 to 10 s.

▪ Adjustable blow-off flow rate.



S

NO Vacuum pump with blow-off

LEMCOM_X_V_G

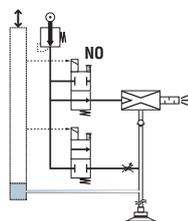
▪ **NO** vacuum control valve:

→ In case of electrical cut-off, vacuum continues to be generated.

▪ Blow-off configured on site, at choice:

- Blow-off controlled by specific signal;
- Automatically delayed blow-off time from 0 to 10 s.

▪ Adjustable blow-off flow rate.



V

PROTOCOL

Q2

PROFIBUS master
LEMCOM_X_Q2G



- On-board 2-Port Ethernet Switch.
- On-board web server.
- Dedicated configuration software.
- M8/RJ45 standard connectors.
- GSDML file.

Y2

EtherNet/IP master
LEMCOM_X_Y2G



- On-board 2-Port Ethernet Switch.
- On-board web server.
- Dedicated configuration software.
- M8/RJ45 standard connectors.
- RSLogix 5000 AOI + EDS file.

Z2

secondary module
LEMCOM_X_Z2G



- Universal secondary module, can be used with any fieldbus.
- If necessary, M8/M8 "COVAL Bus" 120 Ω termination, available in accessories.

CONFIGURATION

1 stand-alone module

Island assemblies

B2

LEMCOM_X_GB2



Island assembly with 2 modules, with connecting bridges for internal "COVAL Bus" and M8/M8 120 Ω termination:

- The first module is of the type selected in "PROTOCOL".
- The following one is a secondary module.

B3

LEMCOM_X_GB3



Island assembly with 3 modules, with connecting bridges for internal "COVAL Bus" and M8/M8 120 Ω termination:

- The first module is of the type selected in "PROTOCOL".
- The following two are secondary modules.

B4

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NB: LEMCOM_X_Z2GB. "Secondary" island modules are delivered without the M8/M8 "COVAL Bus" 120 Ω termination - order separately.

EXHAUST

Open (integrated silencer) **-**

Exhaust manifold (G1/8"-F) **E**

Components for island assembly

B

LEMCOM_X_GB



Island module, complete with integrated assembly screw.



Island endplates set complete with assembly screw and plug for common pressure inlet.

Part No.: LEMSETA



Connecting bridge for internal "COVAL Bus".

Part No.: 80001231

OPTION: Version without non-return valve available on request.

EXAMPLES OF COMPLETE PART NUMBER:

LEMCOM90X14SY2G LEMCOM vacuum pump, 85% maximum vacuum, 1.4 mm Ø nozzle, controlled by a NC (Normally Closed) solenoid valve, stand-alone EtherNet/IP™ "master" module.

LEMCOM90X10SY2GB3 Island assembly of 3 LEMCOM vacuum pumps, 85% maximum vacuum, 1 mm nozzle Ø, controlled by a NC (Normally Closed) solenoid valve, EtherNet/IP™ "master" module, 2 secondary modules, with connecting bridges and the M8/M8 "COVAL Bus" 120 Ω termination.

NB: If necessary, M8/M8 "COVAL Bus" 120 Ω termination is available in accessories

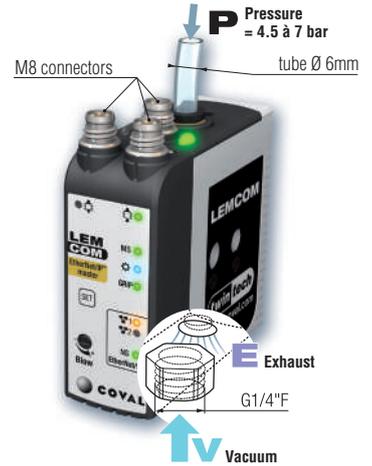
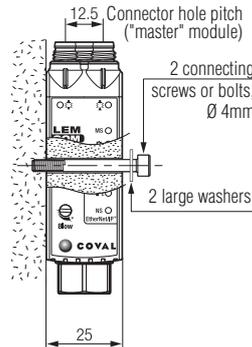
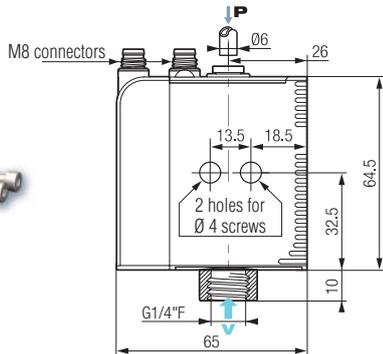


EtherNet/IP

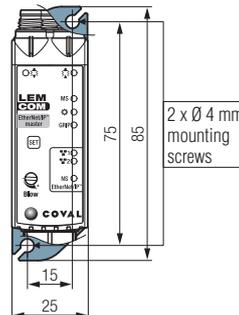
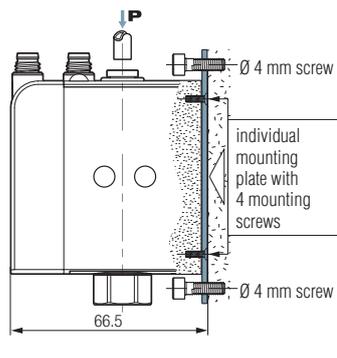


1- Stand-alone Modules

Mounting from side



Mounting from front

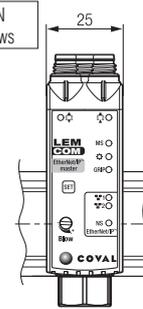
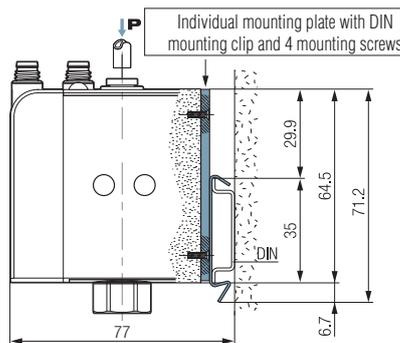


To mount from front, in addition to the module, a mounting kit must be ordered:

Kit for mounting from front:
1 plate + 4 screws

Part No.: LEMFIXA

Mounting on DIN rail



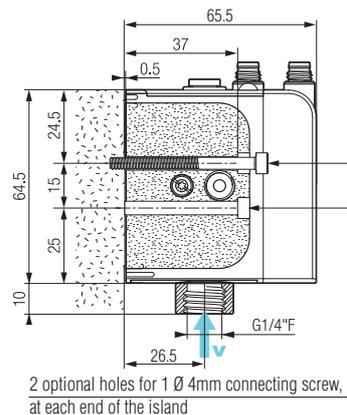
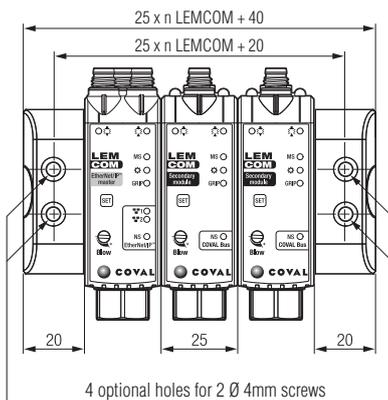
For static mounting (for example, in a cabinet), a module can be clipped onto a DIN rail. For this purpose, the module must first be equipped with an individual plate for mounting onto a DIN rail

DIN rail mounting kit:
1 plate/clip + 4 screws

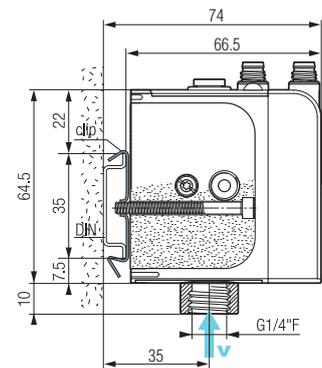
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2- Islands

Mounting from front



Mounting on DIN rail



DIN rail mounting kit:
2 clips + 2 screws

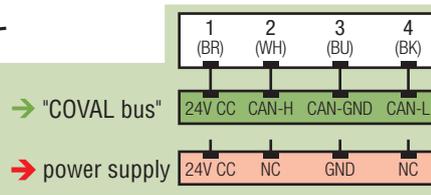
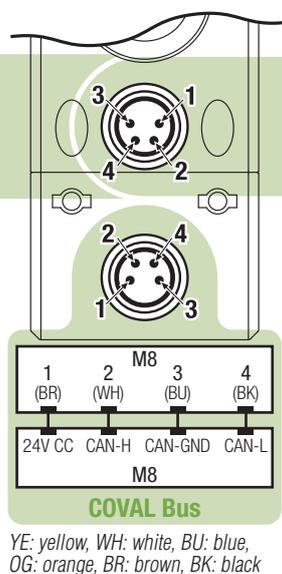
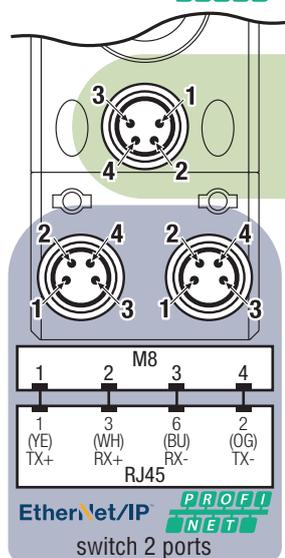
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Electrical Connections

LEMCOM master
EtherNet/IP PROFIBUS

LEMCOM
secondary module



M8/M8 "COVAL BUS" 120 Ω TERMINATION

Male M8/Female M8 cable integrating a 120 Ω termination resistor. The termination must be integrated on the last "secondary" module of the COVAL Bus, between the final M8 connector of the product and the 24V DC electric supply.



ACCESSORIES

Cat 5 shielded Ethernet cable: M8, straight, female, 4-pin – RJ45, straight, male, 8-pin – suitable for drag chain use

- **CDM8RJ45L2**: length 2 m.
- **CDM8RJ45L5**: length 5 m.
- **CDM8RJ45L10**: length 10 m.

Other lengths on request.

Cat 5 shielded Ethernet cable: M8, straight, female, 4-pin, on both ends – suitable for drag chain use

- **80003053**: length 1 m.

M8/M8 "COVAL bus" cable: M8, straight, female, 4-pin – M8, straight, female, 4-pin

- **CDM8FFL05**: length 0.5 m.
- **CDM8FFL1**: length 1 m.
- **CDM8FFL2**: length 2 m.
- **CDM8FFL4**: length 4 m.

Other lengths on request.

Power supply cable: M8, straight, female, 4-pin – open end

- **CDM8**: length 2 m.
- **CDM8N**: length 0.5 m.

120 Ω "COVAL bus" termination: M8, straight, female, 4-pin – M8, plug, male, 4-pin

- **80002303**: length 0.2 m.

The COVAL bus is based on a CAN architecture and requires the addition of a bus termination to ensure proper communication between the secondary and master modules. It takes the form of an M8 male/M8 female cable that includes a 120 Ω line termination resistor.

It must be integrated on the last secondary of the COVAL bus, between the module's rear connector and the 24 V DC power supply.

When using a stand-alone master module, this termination is not required.



Common Specifications

- Supply: Non-lubricated air 5 microns filtered, according to standard ISO 8573-1:2010 [4:5:4].
- Operating pressure: 4.5 to 7 bar.
- Mini dynamic pressure:
 - stand-alone module: P = 4.5 bar.
 - island modules: 4 bar.
- Blow-off: adjustable flow:
 - stand-alone version: P = 3.5 bar.
 - island version: P network.
- Maximum vacuum: 85%.
- Suction flow rate: From 29 to 92 NI/min.
- Air consumption: From 44 to 90 NI/min, when operating "without ASC".
- Integrated non-clogging silencer.
- Noise level: approximately 68 dBA "ASC off". 0 dBA with ASC.
- Electric protection grade: IP65.
- Maximum operating frequency: 4 Hz.
- Service life: 30 million cycles.
- Weight: 150 g.
- Operating temperature: From 0 to 50°C.
- Materials: PA 6-6 15% FG, brass, aluminum, NBR.
- 4-pins M8 male connectors.

Self-Adaptation

- Continuous monitoring of the leakage level: Shutoff or automatic return to operation with ASC.

Integrated electronics

- 24 V DC supply (regulated $\pm 10\%$).
- Electric consumption: "master" < 150 mA, "secondary" < 100 mA, of which 30 mA (0.7W) per vacuum and blow-off pilot.
- Measurement range: 0 to 99% vacuum.
- Measurement accuracy: $\pm 1.5\%$ of range, temperature compensated.
- Communication ports protected against wiring errors or reversed polarity.

Service Specifications

Settings

- Piece gripping (L1) and regulation (L2) thresholds.
- Automatic blow-off time configurable (0 to 10 seconds).
- Activation/deactivation of ASC regulation system.
- Activation/deactivation of the (DIAG ECO) leakage level monitoring system.
- Adjustable blue LED functioning mode
- Valve functioning mode in the event of loss of communication

Diagnosis

- Instantaneous vacuum level (0 to 99%).
- Gripped product, loss of product, regulation in process, regulation default information.
- Cycle counters (vacuum, blow-off, gripped piece, ASC, etc.).
- Supply voltage and internal temperature.
- Product reference and serial number.
- Firmware version.

Configuration and diagnosis tools

- LEMCOM Manager PC software (EtherNet/IP, PROFINET and CANopen universal application).
- Embedded web server (EtherNet/IP and PROFINET module).

Communication

EtherNet/IP:

- 2-port ethernet switch.
- Static IP address or DHCP.
- EDS file & RSLogix 5000 Add-On Instructions.

PROFINET:

- 2-port ethernet switch.
- Static IP address or PROFINET DCP.
- GSDML file

COVAL Bus:

- CAN link between "master" and "secondary" units / 1 Mbps.
- Connection by specific bridge for island assembly or unshielded female M8/female M8 cable.
- Max total length of the COVAL Bus: 20 meters.



COVAL
vacuum managers

series
LEM+

Compact High Flow Vacuum Pumps
with "ASR"

- Nozzle Ø: 2 ; 2.5 mm
- 2 vacuum levels: 60% and 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 275 NI/min
- Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)
- M12 connections



AIR Saving
Regulator

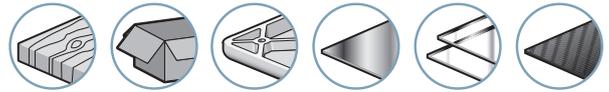
LEM+

Compact, High Flow Vacuum Pumps

General Information



Industry-specific applications



LEM+ Series, compact, high flow vacuum pumps, integrate **ASR** (Air Saving Regulator) technology that allows up to 40% of energy savings. They are designed for gripping porous products or those with a rough surface.

For gripping airtight or semi-airtight products, it is recommended to use the **LEM+ Series**.

Advantages

- Easy implementation: Plug & Play, multiple choices, every type of application.
- Maximum automatic energy savings:
 - **ASR**: 40% savings for porous products.
- Compactness: LEM+ vacuum pumps are the most compact on the market.
- Short response times: Possible installation very close to vacuum pads.
- Automatic blow-off: Reduced PLC I/O requirement thanks to the automatic blow-off function (blow-off time configurable from 0 to 10s).
- Dust resistant: Non-clogging through-type silencer.
- Safety: Product gripping is maintained even during power failure.



Configurations

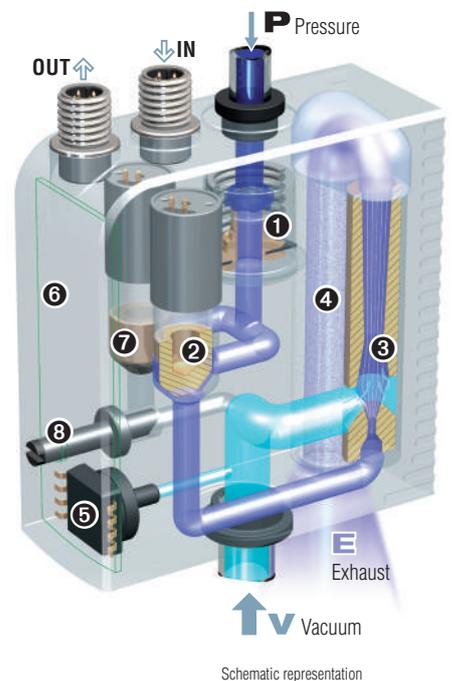
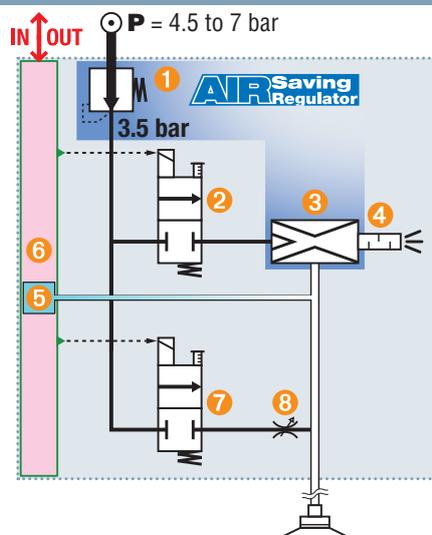
- 60% or 85% of maximum vacuum.
- NC or NO, depending on safety.
- Combined **ASR** "venturi regulator".
- With or without visual display.
- With or without vacuum sensor.
- With or without controlled blow-off or automatic blow-off function.
- Powerful blow-off as option.
- Versions with 1 or 2 M12 connectors.
- Suction flow rate (NI/min):

max. vacuum nozzle Ø	60%	85%
2.0 mm	189	125
2.5 mm	275	200

Integration

The **LEM+** compact modules integrate all the functions of "industrial vacuum" including simple, efficient, economical compressed air and are adapted for every application:

- 1 3.5 bar pressure regulator
- 2 "Vacuum" solenoid valve
- 3 3.5 bar optimized venturi
- 4 Optimized silencer
- 5 Electronic vacuum sensor
- 6 Integrated electronics
- 7 "Blow-off" solenoid valve
- 8 Blow-off flow rate regulator



Combined "venturi regulator" **ASR**: pressure regulator 1 feeds venturi 3 with 3.5 bar, optimal for its operation.

→ **No more unnecessary consumption of compressed air.**



40% energy savings
(on average).

LEM+

Compact, High Flow Vacuum Pumps

Energy Savings & Intelligence



AR Saving Regulator

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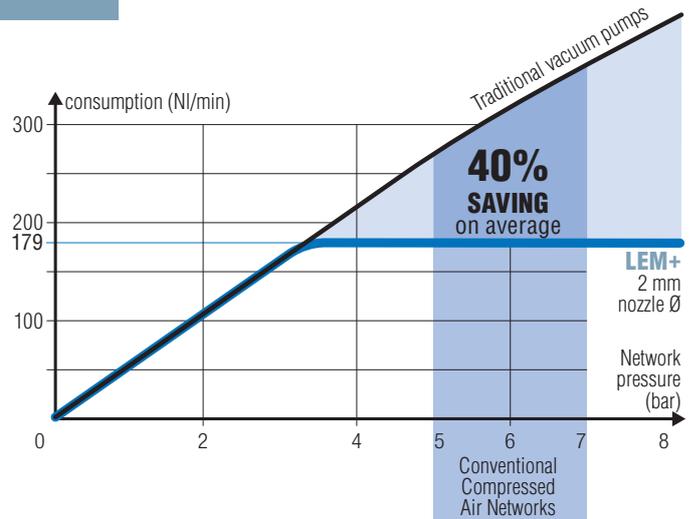
(ASR): Air Saving Regulator

The LEM+ vacuum pumps, which integrate an **ASR** "venturi regulator" combination, maintain ideals that COVAL values greatly: reducing both compressed air consumption and noise generation.

Regardless of pressure supplied by the compressed air network, the integrated regulator feeds the venturi at **3.5 bar** pressure, optimal for its operation.

- No more unnecessary energy consumption.
- No external regulator required and thus the risk of inadvertent misadjustment is eliminated.

Compared to pressures found in most compressed air networks (5-7 bar), the graph opposite demonstrates an achieved economy of 40% on average.



Intelligence

The front communication face panel allows access and programming of all operations: Various types of monitoring, threshold settings, pump configuration, diagnostics, etc. This front face panel can be locked to prevent an inadvertent misadjustment.

Built-in intelligence, as well as standard factory settings, optimize the implementation, operation, monitoring and maintenance.

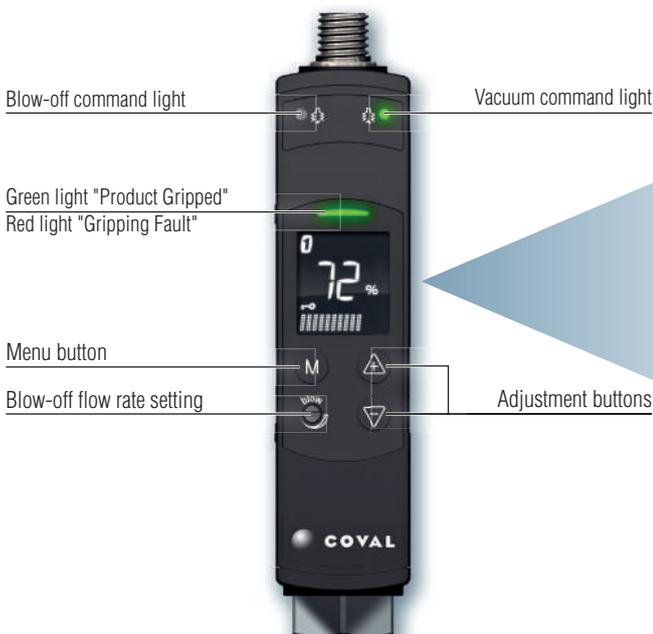
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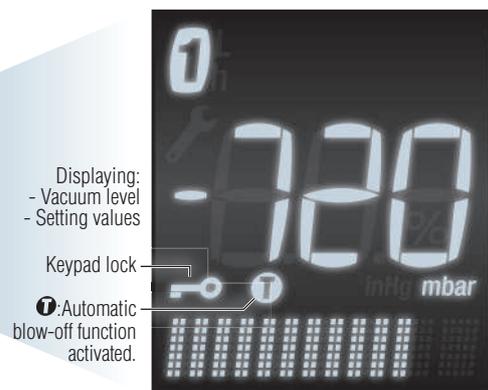
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Configuration help messages (multilingual: in French, English, Italian, Spanish, German) are also provided.

- **Clear & Complete Communication at Each Stage.**



L1 "Product Gripped" visualization and setting: (vacuum threshold, hysteresis)



Display units: %, mbar, inHg.

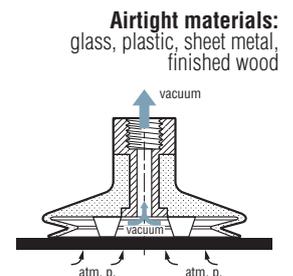
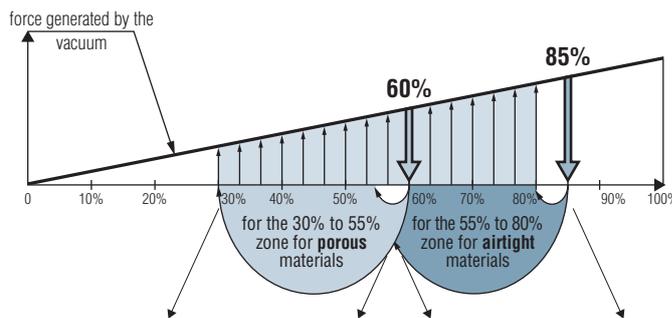
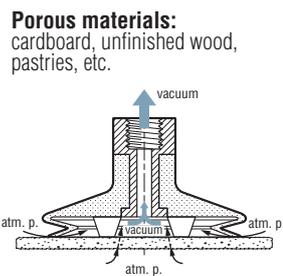
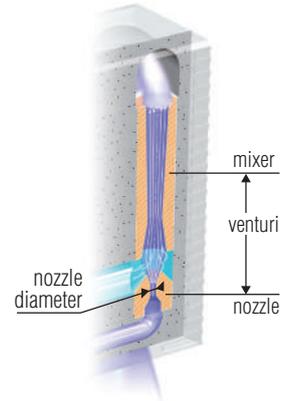
Display shows data in many languages / bar graphs



Select Vacuum Level and Nozzle Diameter

The introductory guide in this catalog shows that for porous objects, a 30-55% vacuum is economical and effective. This is obtained with a 60% maximum vacuum pump. The table below helps to select the nozzle diameter which generates enough vacuumed air flow to respond in the time required by the application, based on a measurement of the material's leakage rate.

On the contrary, with an airtight material, the vacuum used is 55% to 80%, obtained by a 85% max. vacuum pump. For standard cases, with its integrated blow-off the **LEM+** series is preferable, and more economical due to its **ASC** (Air Saving Control) function. For special cases, the **LEM+** series contains versions without blow-off and versions without a vacuum switch. The table below helps to select the nozzle diameter required for the application.

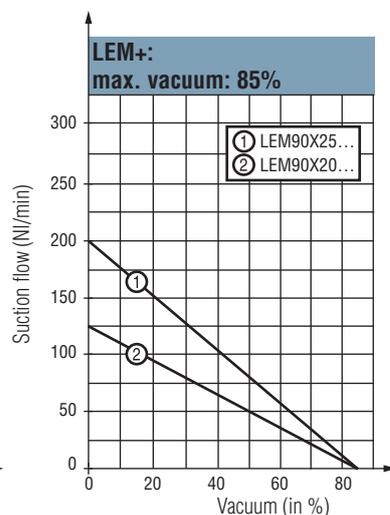
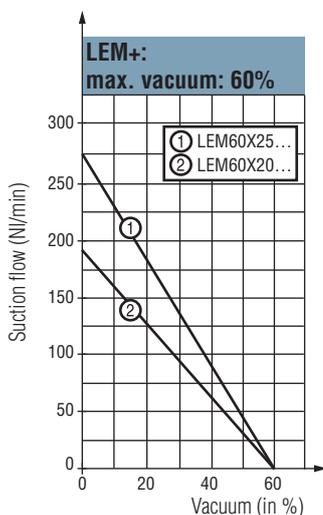


Porous Objects ▶ Maximum Vacuum Level: 60%					
Time to create vacuum (seconds) for a volume of 1 liter					
vacuum achieved	35 %	45 %	55 %	Air consumed (NI/min)	Air drawn in (NI/min)
∅ nozzle					
2.0 mm	0.16	0.27	0.42	179	189
2.5 mm	0.11	0.18	0.31	260	275

Airtight Objects ▶ Maximum Vacuum Level: 85%					
Time to create vacuum (seconds) for a volume of 1 liter					
vacuum achieved	55 %	65 %	75 %	Air consumed (NI/min)	Air drawn in (NI/min)
∅ nozzle					
2.0 mm	0.38	0.55	0.80	179 *	125
2.5 mm	0.26	0.35	0.50	260 *	200

* To save compressed air, choose **LEM+** → **ASC** reduces the air consumption by 90%

Suction Flow Rate / Vacuum Curves

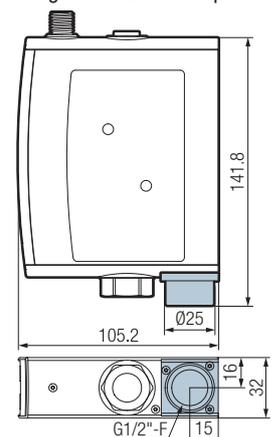


Exhaust manifold: option E

The LEM+ vacuum pumps can be equipped with the "exhaust manifold" option, which provides a G1/2"-F connection to the exhaust in order to add a silencer, transfer the exhaust outside the work area or to avoid air discharge near the workpiece. (LEM ___ E Version).

This option can be added at a later date by ordering the reference **GVOKITEC2**.

Note: The design of the exhaust manifold and vacuum pumps do not guarantee the complete sealing of the exhaust and therefore cannot be used in a "clean room" environment.





	LEM	60	X	25	S	VA	C15	P	G1	F	-
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VACUUM LEVEL	
60 % max. vacuum is optimal for porous materials	60
85 % max. vacuum is optimal for airtight products	90
NOZZLE DIAMETER	
2 mm nozzle Ø	20
2.5 mm nozzle Ø	25

MODULE COMPOSITION		
NC Vacuum Pump Without Blow-Off LEM_X_RV_C_PG1		R
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Single command signal. NC vacuum command valve. 		
NC Vacuum Pump With Blow-Off LEM_X_SV_C_PG1		S
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 command signals. NC vacuum command valve. Blow-off configured on site, at choice: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Blow-off controlled by specific signal; Automatic blow-off function (blow-off time configurable from 0 to 10s), only with VA option (advantage: reduced PLC I/O requirement). Adjustable blow-off flow rate. 		
NO Vacuum Pump With Blow-Off LEM_X_VV_C_PG1		V
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 command signals. NO vacuum command valve. Blow-off controlled by external signal. Adjustable blow-off flow rate. 		
Safety in Case of Power Failure		
<p>This version is suitable for applications where product gripping safety must be ensured in the event of an untimely power failure, and this even in the case of leakage (failsafe). This version does not include automatic blow-off function that enables control of the module with a single "vacuum and blow-off" signal.</p>		

VACUUM SENSOR DIALOGUE		CONNECTORS
Vacuum pump without vac. sensor	V0 C14	one M12 connector 4 pins (C14)
	LEM_X_VOC14PG1	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Simplified LEM+ without settings and dialogue. Automatic operation until maximum vacuum level. 		

Vacuum pump with vacuum sensor & dialogue	VA C15	one M12 connector 5 pins (C15)
	LEM_X_VAC15PG1	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Electronic vacuum sensor (VA). "Gripped product" switching output 24V DC / NO. Front face panel and full dialogue. 		

Vacuum pump with vacuum sensor & dialogue	VA G24	two M12 connectors 4 pins (C24)
	LEM_X_VAC24PG1	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Electronic vacuum sensor (VA). Stand alone I/O. "Gripped product" switching output 24V DC / NO. 1 auxiliary output: "Vacuum level" signal analogic 1 to 5V DC. Front face panel with full dialogue. 		

POWERFUL BLOW-OFF	
	Without -
	With F
<p>The powerful blow-off option allows you to release the product quickly. Isolation valve F directs the entire blow-off flow to the vacuum pad. The option is only available with LEM+ modules equipped with a blow-off regulation: Version LEM_X_SV... and LEM_X_VV... NB: If option F is selected, no blow-off flow rate setting is available.</p>	

EXAMPLE OF COMPLETE PART NUMBER: LEM60X25SVAC15PG1
 LEM+ vacuum pump, 60% maximum vacuum, 2.5 mm nozzle Ø, controlled by a NC (Normally Closed) solenoid valve with vacuum sensor and dialogue, connection by 1 M12 5-pin connector.

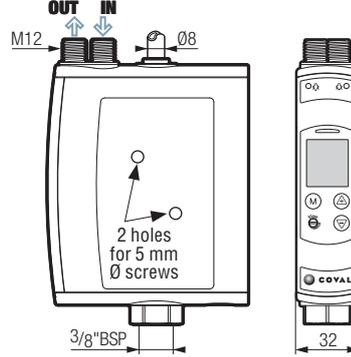
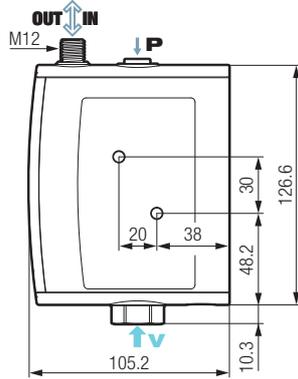
EXHAUST	
Open (integrated silencer)	-
Exhaust manifold (G1/2"-F)	E



Side Mounting

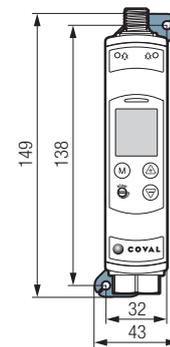
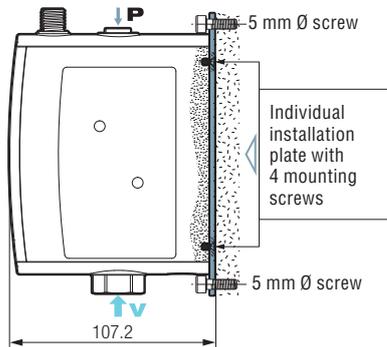
▪ Version: one M12 connector

▪ Version: two M12 connectors



Mounting from the side is the simplest to implement: Two $\varnothing 5$ mm through screws or bolts with large washers.

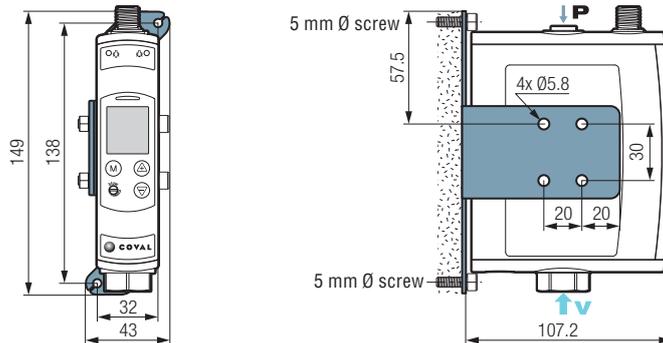
Mounting from Front



For mounting from the front, in addition to the module, you need to order an additional kit:

Mounting from front kit:
1 plate + 4 screws

Part No.: LEMFIX2A

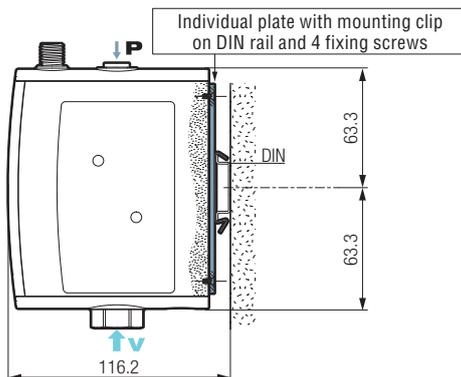


For front installation with side pump mounting this kit is needed in addition to the module:

Front installation kit:
1 bracket + 2 screws CHC5x40 + 2 nuts

Part No.: LEMFIX2D

Mounting on DIN rail



For a static mounting (for example, in a cabinet), a module can be clipped onto a DIN rail. For this purpose, the module must first be equipped with an individual plate for fixing onto a DIN rail, to be ordered separately:

Kit for mounting on DIN rail:
1 plate / clip + 4 screws

Part No.: LEMFIX2B



Specifications

COMMON SPECIFICATIONS

- Supply: Non-lubricated air 5 microns filtered, according to ISO 8573-1:2010 [4:5:4].
- Operating pressure: 4.5 to 7 bar.
- Blow-off: Adjustable flow rate.
- Powerful blow-off (option F) P = 3.5 bar without flow rate control.
- Maximum vacuum: 60% or 85% depending on model.
- Suction flow rate: From 125 to 275 NI/min, depending on model.
- Air consumption: From 179 to 260 NI/min, depending on model.
- Integrated non-clogging silencer.
- Sound level: From 72 to 75 dBA.
- Display status:
 - of the vacuum control on the front panel: Green LED.
 - of the blow-off control on the front panel: Orange LED.
- Electric protection grade: IP 65.
- Maximum operating frequency: 4 Hz.
- Response time for opening / closing: 20/30 ms.
- Service life: 30 million cycles.
- Weight: From 410 to 460 g, depending on model.
- Operating temperature: From 0 to 50°C.
- Materials: PA 6-6 15% FG, brass, aluminum, NBR, HNBR, PU.

Electrical Controls

- Control voltage: 24V DC ($\pm 10\%$ regulated).
- Current consumption: 30 mA (0.7W) by vacuum or blow-off solenoid valve.

VA MODEL SPECIAL SPECIFICATIONS

Displays

- Display status of the threshold on the front panel: Green or red LED.
- Black and white LCD display, 7 matrix, symbols, vacuum reading area.
- Displaying the vacuum level and bar graph.
- Displaying number of cycles (vacuum cycles counter).
- Indication of exceeding service life (> 30 million cycles).

Settings

- Using membrane keypad and pull down menu.
- Language selection: FR, ENG, DE, IT or ES.
- Blow-off type selection: controlled or automatic (blow-off time configurable from 0 to 10s).
- Measurement unit selection (% , mbar, inHg).
- Manual, electrical, monostable commands.
- If the application requires, specific setting of thresholds and hysteresis that are different from the initial factory settings: L1 = 65%, h1 = 10%).

Vacuum Sensor

- Power supply voltage: 24V DC ($\pm 10\%$ regulated).
- Current consumption: Standby: <25mA / max. 60 mA.
- Measurement range: 0 to 99% of vacuum, 0 to -999 mbar, 0 to -29.9 inHg.
- Measurement accuracy: $\pm 1.5\%$ of range, temperature compensated.

"Gripped Product" Output Signal

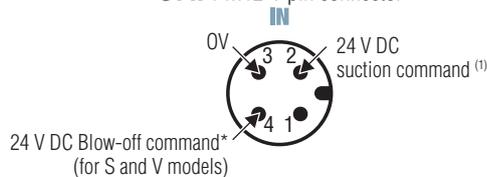
- 24V DC, switching output / NO, switching capacity: 125 mA PNP.

Auxiliary output (C24 model only, 2 x M12 4 pins)

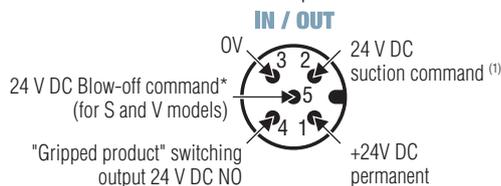
- "Vacuum level" signal, analogic 1 to 5V DC of measuring range.

Electrical Connections

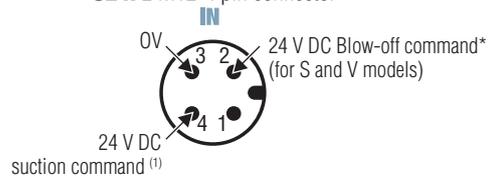
- C14:** 1 M12 4-pin connector



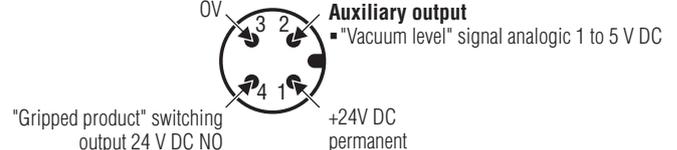
- C15:** 1 M12 5-pin connector



- C24:** 2 M12-4 pin connector



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(1) 24 V DC suction command, depending on version:

- for vacuum pumps model **R** and **S** (vacuum control NC valve): 24 V DC vacuum control

- for vacuum pumps Model **V** (vacuum control NO valve): 24 V DC vacuum off command

* **S** externally controlled blow-off or automatic blow-off function > economy of an automaton outlet.

Accessories

Power supply cable: M12, straight, female – open end

- CDM12N:** 4-pin, length. 2 m.
- CDM12L5:** 4-pin, length. 5 m.
- CDM125PL2:** 5-pin, length. 2 m.
- CDM125PL5:** 5-pin, length. 5 m.



Power supply cable: M12, elbow, female – open end

- CCM12:** 4-pin, length. 2 m.
- CCM125PL2:** 5-pin, length. 2 m.







COVAL
vacuum managers

series
LEMAX+

Compact High Flow Vacuum Pumps
with "ASC"

- Nozzle Ø: 2 ; 2.5 mm
- Vacuum level: 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 200 NI/min
- Integrated pressure regulator (ASR)
- Integrated vacuum regulation (ASC)
- M12 connections



AIR Saving Control

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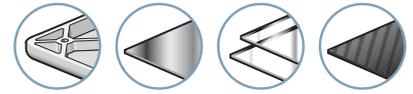
General Information

LEMAY+ Series, compact, high flow vacuum pumps, integrate ASC (Air Saving Control) technology that allows up to 90% of energy savings. They are specifically designed for gripping airtight or semi-airtight products.

For gripping porous products or those with a rough surface, it is recommended to use the **LEMAY+ Series**.



Industry-specific applications



Advantages

- Easy implementation: Plug & Play, multiple choices, every type of application.
- Maximum automatic energy savings:
 - ASC**: 90% savings for airtight products.
- Compactness: **LEMAY+** vacuum pumps are the most compact on the market.
- Short response times: Possible installation very close to vacuum pads.
- Automatic blow-off: Reduced PLC I/O requirement thanks to the automatic blow-off function (blow-off time configurable from 0 to 10s).
- Dust resistant: Non-clogging through-type silencer.
- Safety: Product gripping is maintained even during power failure.



Configurations

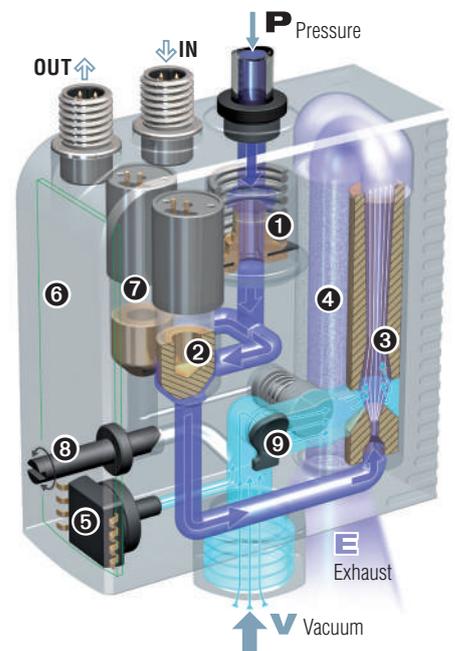
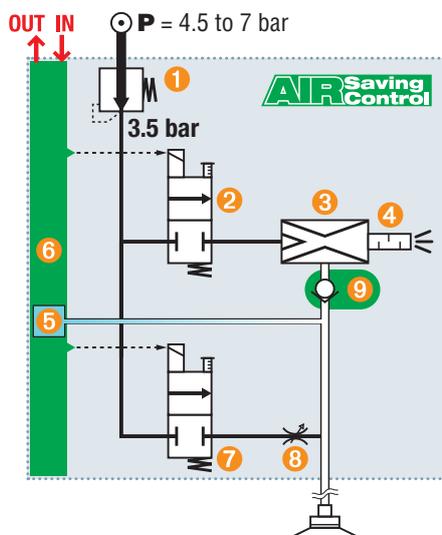
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- NC or NO, depending on safety.
- ASC advanced electronics.
- High visibility display.
- Integrated vacuum sensor.
- Vacuum non-return valve.
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- External blow-off signal or automatic blow-off function.
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- Versions with 1 or 2 M12 connectors.
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- 8 Blow-off flow rate regulator
- 9 Vacuum non-return valve



Combination of non-return **9** and advanced electronics **6** ensures the ASC's automatic management.

→ Once vacuum is established, the pump does not continue to consume air to hold the product.

Schematic representation



90% energy savings
(on average).

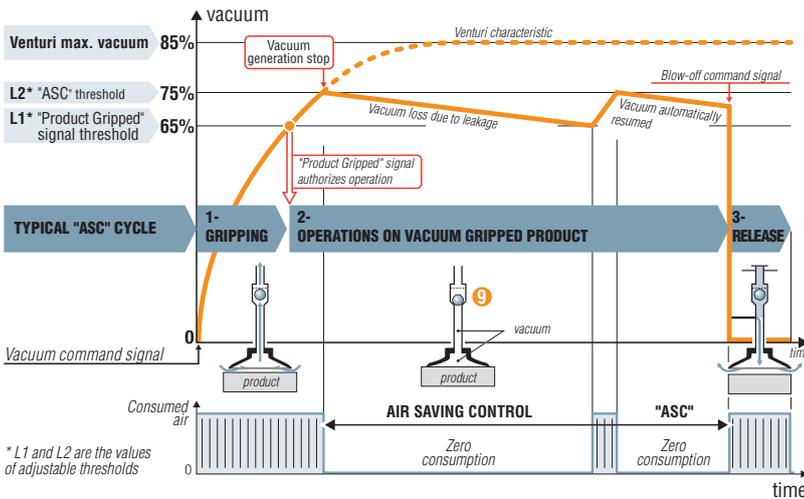
LEMAX+

Compact, High Flow Vacuum Pumps

Energy Saving & Auto-adjustment



AIR Saving Control "Air Saving Control" Cycle



As illustrated in the above figure, the LEMAX module automatically executes the "ASC", cycle, thus saving the maximum amount of energy, based on the following 3 phases.

1- Gripping the object

The "vacuum" solenoid ② starts the cycle by supplying the venturi ③ which generates the vacuum to quickly pick up the object with the suction cup → short-term consumption.

2- Operations on the object held by vacuum

The vacuum level is constantly monitored by the vacuum switch ④. When it reaches the L1 threshold (65%), the "gripped object" signal is generated, which allows the planned operations (transfer, machining, etc.). When the vacuum reaches threshold L2 (75%), the supply to the venturi via the solenoid valve ② is cut off → consumption is halted. The object remains held by the vacuum maintained thanks to the closed valve ④.

Micro-leaks will generally cause the vacuum level to fall slowly. Each time it falls below 65%, vacuum generation is briefly resumed until it reaches threshold L2 (75%).

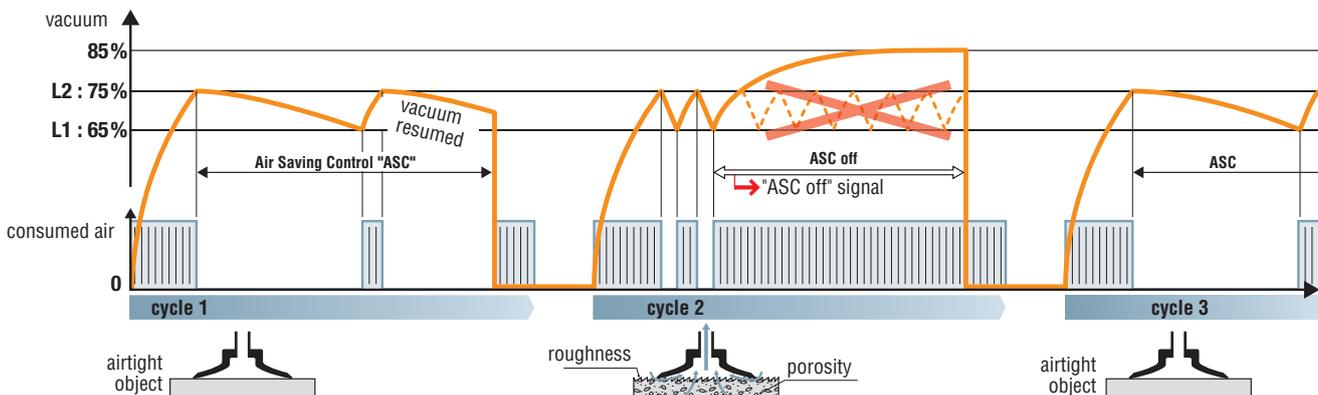
3- Releasing the object

At the end of operations, blow-off is ordered. The "blow-off" solenoid valve ⑦ generates a stream of air which closes the isolation valve ④, blows on the object to release it quickly.

Smart Adaptation

The illustration below shows the adaptation capacities of the LEMAX module. "ASC" operation is automatic for any object that is air-tight enough (cycle 1).

If a leak occurs (cycle 2), due to a rough object or to suction-pad wear, the module automatically detects the anomaly, ends the cycle without "ASC" in order to continue production and reports the event for possible maintenance. Production continues. Once everything is returned to normal (cycle 3), "ASC" operation is automatically resumed.



1- Gripping + transfer (2 mm nozzle Ø, emptying 0.2 l)

Phase	Duration	Air consumption		achieved economy
		without "ASC"	with "ASC"	
Gripping	0.16 s	0.45 NI	0.45 NI	80 %
Transfer	1.20 s	3 NI	0	
Release	0.14 s	0.3 NI	0.3 NI	
		3.75 NI	0.75 NI	

2- Clamping + operations (2 mm nozzle Ø, emptying 0.4 l)

Phase	Duration	Air consumption		achieved economy
		without "ASC"	with "ASC"	
Clamping	0.32 s	0.9 NI	0.9 NI	99 %
Operations	60 s	179 NI	0	
Release	0.14 s	0.3 NI	0.3 NI	
		180.2 NI	1.2 NI	

Resulting Savings

Energy savings from "ASC" are major, as the two examples above show:

- 80 % savings for transferring an object after gripping.
- 99 % savings for holding an object during a 1 minute operation.

The investment generally pays for itself in just a few months.

"ASC": AN ADVANTAGE WITHOUT LIMITATIONS

Saving energy has become essential. With LEMCOM, thanks to ASC, energy is automatically saved without interfering with established operations:

1- No specific adjustment

The initial setting (L1 = 65%, L2 = 75%) is suitable for most applications.

2- Production regardless of what happens

Operation is always ensured, if necessary without "ASC", if the leakage level is too high.

3- Guided maintenance

Clear display of the need for maintenance to return to auto-regulated "ASC" operation.



Specially designed by COVAL, the LEMAX+ vacuum pumps integrate the ASR (regulator-venturi) combination which greatly reduces the compressed air consumption and noise level.

LEM MAX+

Compact, High Flow Vacuum Pumps

Intelligence & Selection Guide



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→ Simplified & Protected Installation and Operation.

Due to the high visibility display of the **LEM MAX+** modules, all useful information can be seen at a single glance: vacuum level, product gripped, thresholds reached, energy saving mode activated, etc.

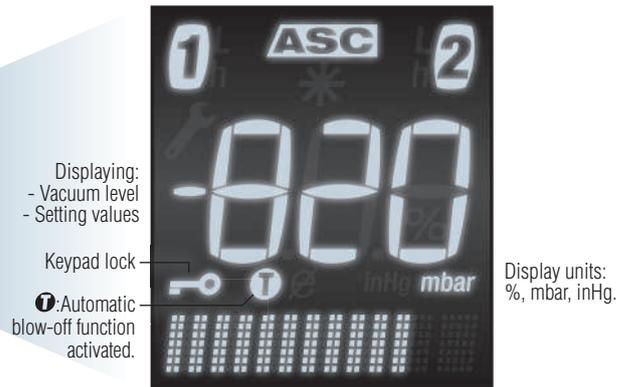
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L1 "Product Gripped" visualization and setting: (vacuum threshold, hysteresis)
 "ASC" monitoring
 L2 "ASC Threshold" visualization and setting: (vacuum threshold, hysteresis)



Display shows data in many languages / bar graphs

Power Determined by the Venturi Nozzle Diameter

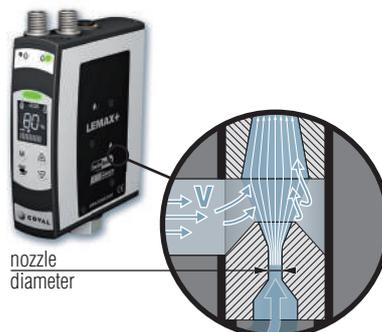
The table shows the power levels generated by each of the nozzle diameters available: when the module is operating "ASC" off, a larger nozzle draws and consumes more compressed air.

On the other hand, during "ASC" operation, a large nozzle quickly reaches the vacuum threshold generating power shut-off.

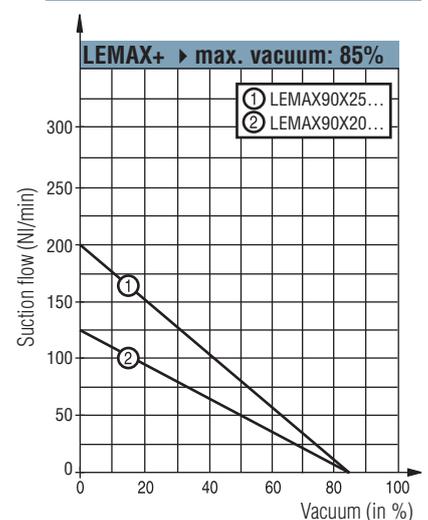
In conclusion:

- A large nozzle enables quicker gripping without consuming more during "ASC" operation.
- A small nozzle does not consume less when operating with "ASC" off.

nozzle Ø	Nozzle Diameter Selection				
	Venturi Specifications While Working Without "ASC"		Evacuation of 1L Volume. "ASC" Operation:		
	Vacuum flow (NI/min)	Consumed Air (NI/min)	Gripping Time (65% Vacuum) (s)	Time Until 75% Vacuum (s)	Consumed Air (NI)
2.0 mm	125	179	0.55	0.80	2.2
2.5 mm	200	260	0.35	0.50	2.2



Suction Flow Rate / Vacuum Curves



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Configuring a Vacuum Pump



LEMAX 90 X 25 S C15 P* G1 F -

VACUUM LEVEL

85 % max. vacuum is optimal for airtight products **90**

NOZZLE DIAMETER

2 mm nozzle Ø	20
2.5 mm nozzle Ø	25

MODULE COMPOSITION

NC Vacuum Pump With Blow-Off **S**

LEMAX__X__SV_C__PG1

- 2 command signals.
- NC** vacuum command valve.
- Blow-off configured on site, at choice:
 - Blow-off controlled by specific signal;
 - Automatic blow-off function (blow-off time configurable from 0 to 10s.).
 Advantage: reduced PLC I/O requirement.
- Adjustable blow-off flow rate.

NO Vacuum Pump With Blow-Off **V**

LEMAX__X__VV_C__PG1

- 2 command signals.
- NO** vacuum command valve.
- Blow-off controlled by external signal.
- Adjustable blow-off flow rate.

Safety in Case of Power Failure

This version is suitable for applications where product gripping safety must be ensured in the event of an untimely power failure, and this even in the case of leakage (failsafe). This version does not include automatic blow-off function that enables control of the module with a single "vacuum and blow-off" signal.

EXAMPLE OF COMPLETE PART NUMBER:
LEMAX90X25SC24PG1

LEMAX+ vacuum pump, 85% maximum vacuum, 2.5 mm nozzle Ø, controlled by a NC (Normally Closed) solenoid valve, connection by 2 M12 4-pin connectors.

CONNECTORS

C15 Vacuum Pump with 1 M12 5-pin Connector
 LEMAX90X__C15PG1

- "Gripped product" switching output 24V DC / NO.

C24 Vacuum Pump with 2 M12 4-pin Connectors
 LEMAX90X__C24PG1

- Stand alone I/O.
- "Gripped product" switching output 24V DC / NO.
- 1 configurable auxiliary output:
 - either "Vacuum level" signal analogic 1 to 5V DC.
 - or "Without ASC" signal +5V DC switching output NO.

*P = PNP electronic
 → NPN version available upon request.

POWERFUL BLOW-OFF

- Without
F With

The powerful blow-off option allows you to release the product quickly.

Isolation valve **F** directs the entire blow-off flow to the vacuum pad.

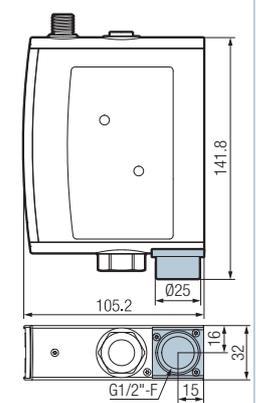
NB: If option **F** is selected, no blow-off flow rate setting is available.

EXHAUST

Open (integrated silencer) **-**
 Exhaust manifold (G1/2"-F) **E**

The LEMAX+ vacuum pumps can be equipped with the "exhaust manifold" option, which provides a G1/2"-F connection to the exhaust in order to add a silencer, transfer the exhaust outside the work area or to avoid air discharge near the work-piece. (LEMAX__E Version).

This option can be added at a later date by ordering the reference **GVOKITEC2**.



Note: The design of the exhaust manifold and vacuum pumps do not guarantee the complete sealing of the exhaust and therefore cannot be used in a "clean room" environment.

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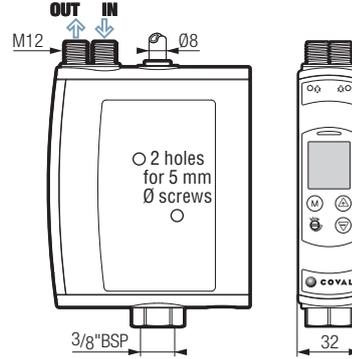
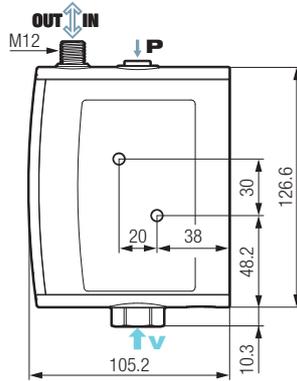
Dimensions, Mounting Options



Side Mounting

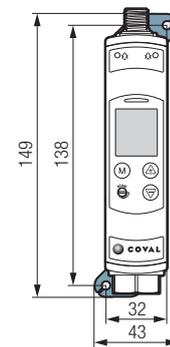
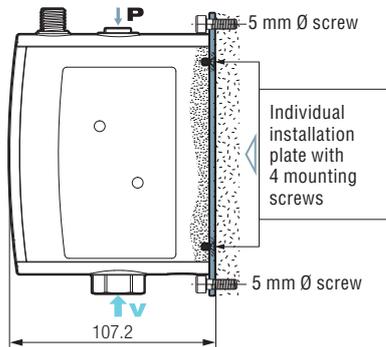
▪ Version: one M12 connector

▪ Version: two M12 connectors



Mounting from the side is the simplest to implement: Two Ø 5 mm through screws or bolts with large washers.

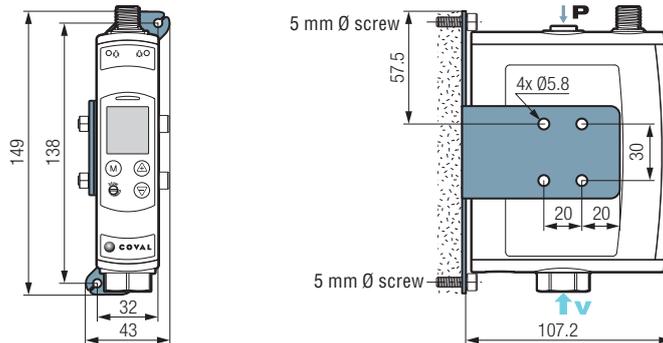
Mounting from Front



For mounting from the front, in addition to the module, you need to order an additional kit:

Mounting from front kit:
1 plate + 4 screws

Part No.: LEMFIX2A

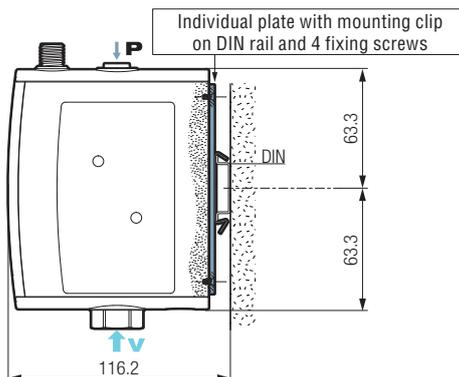


For front installation with side pump mounting this kit is needed in addition to the module:

Front installation kit:
1 bracket + 2 screws CHC5x40 + 2 nuts

Part No.: LEMFIX2D

Mounting on DIN rail



For a static mounting (for example, in a cabinet), a module can be clipped onto a DIN rail. For this purpose, the module must first be equipped with an individual plate for fixing onto a DIN rail, to be ordered separately:

Kit for mounting on DIN rail:
1 plate / clip + 4 screws

Part No.: LEMFIX2B



Specifications

- Supply: Non-lubricated air 5 microns filtered, according to standard ISO 8573-1:2010 [4:5:4].
- Operating pressure: 4.5 to 7 bar.
- Blow-off: Adjustable flow rate.
- Powerful blow-off (option F) P = 3.5 bar without flow rate control.
- Maximum vacuum: 85%.
- Suction flow rate: From 125 to 200 NI/min, depending on model.
- Air consumption: From 179 to 260 NI/min, depending on model (when operating "without ASC").
- Integrated non-clogging silencer.
- Sound level: From 72 to 75 dBA "without ASC". 0 dBA with ASC available.
- Display status:
 - of the vacuum control on the front panel: Green LED.
 - of the blow-off control on the front panel: Orange LED.
- Electric protection grade: IP 65.
- Maximum operating frequency: 4 Hz.
- Response time for opening / closing: 20/30 ms.
- Service life: 30 million cycles.
- Weight: From 410 to 460 g, depending on model.
- Operating temperature: From 0 to 50°C.
- Materials: PA 6-6 15% FG, brass, aluminum, NBR, HNBR, PU.

Electrical Controls

- Control voltage: 24V DC ($\pm 10\%$ regulated).
- Current consumption: 30 mA (0.7W) by vacuum or blow-off solenoid valve.

Displays

- Display status of the threshold on the front panel: Green or red LED.
- Black and white LCD display, 7 matrix, symbols, vacuum reading area.
- Displaying the vacuum level and bar graph.
- Displaying number of cycles (vacuum cycles counter).
- Indication of exceeding service life (> 30 million cycles).

Settings

- Using membrane keypad and pull down menu.
- Language selection: FR, ENG, DE, IT or ES.
- Blow-off type selection: controlled or automatic (blow-off time configurable from 0 to 10s).
- Measurement unit selection (% , mbar, inHg).
- Manual, electrical, monostable commands.
- If the application requires, specific setting of thresholds and hysteresis that are different from the initial factory settings: L1 = 65%, h1 = 10%).

Vacuum Sensor

- Power supply voltage: 24V DC ($\pm 10\%$ regulated).
- Current consumption: Standby: <25mA / max. 60 mA.
- Measurement range: 0 to 99% of vacuum, 0 to -999 mbar, 0 to -29.9 inHg.
- Measurement accuracy: $\pm 1.5\%$ of range, temperature compensated.

"Gripped Product" Output Signal

- 24V DC, switching output / NO, switching capacity: 125 mA PNP.

Configurable auxiliary output

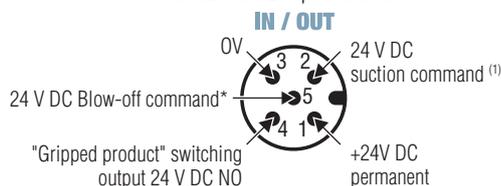
- (C24 model only, 2 x M12 4 pins)
- either "Vacuum level" signal, analogic 1 to 5V DC of measuring range.
 - or "without ASC" signal +5V DC NO switching output.

ASC: Regulation & Self-Adaptation

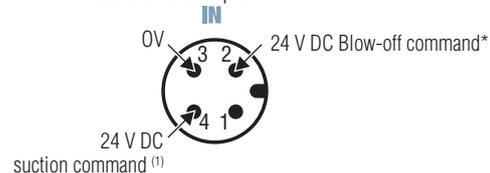
- Continuous monitoring of the leakage level: Back-off or automatic return to operation with ASC.

Electrical Connections

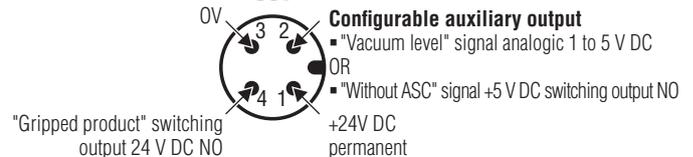
- C15:** 1 M12 5-pin connector



- C24:** 2 M12-4 pin connector



OUT



(1) 24 V DC suction command, depending on version:
 - for vacuum pumps model **S** (vacuum control NC valve): 24 V DC vacuum control
 - for vacuum pumps Model **V** (vacuum control NO valve): 24 V DC vacuum off command

* **S** externally controlled blow-off or automatic blow-off function > economy of an automaton outlet.

Accessories

Power supply cable: M12, straight, female – open end

- CDM12N:** 4-pin, length. 2 m.
- CDM12L5:** 4-pin, length. 5 m.
- CDM125PL2:** 5-pin, length. 2 m.
- CDM125PL5:** 5-pin, length. 5 m.



Power supply cable: M12, elbow, female – open end

- CCM12:** 4-pin, length. 2 m.
- CCM125PL2:** 5-pin, length. 2 m.







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vacuum managers

series

GVMAX HD **HEAVY DUTY**

Communicating Vacuum Pumps

- Nozzle Ø: 2.5 ; 3 mm
- Vacuum level: 85%
- Suction flow rate up to 230 NI/min
- Integrated vacuum regulation (ASC)
- M12 connections
- Stand-alone or island module



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IO-Link

AIR Saving Control

GVMAX HD

Heavy Duty Communicating Vacuum Pumps

General Information

COVAL's **GVMAX HD** series Heavy Duty communicating vacuum pumps are the result of many years of listening, discussions and feedback from manufacturers, integrators and users from the automotive, aerospace and packaging industries.

Our **GVMAX HD** vacuum pumps meet their expectations in terms of power, robustness, ease-of-configuration and use, communication and modularity, all while remaining compact and light for easy integration in a smart factory.

Advantages

- Robust: Resistant to the harsh environments of metal stamping and sheet metal production lines
- High performance: Optimized Venturi system that guarantees powerful suction flow rates and reduced evacuation times
- Modular: Easy maintenance; SMART SWAP quick-mounting system
- Communicating: Efficient communication system for all use levels, clear and easy-to-read HMI, NFC technology for mobile use, and IO-Link communications interface for straightforward networking

Main Specifications

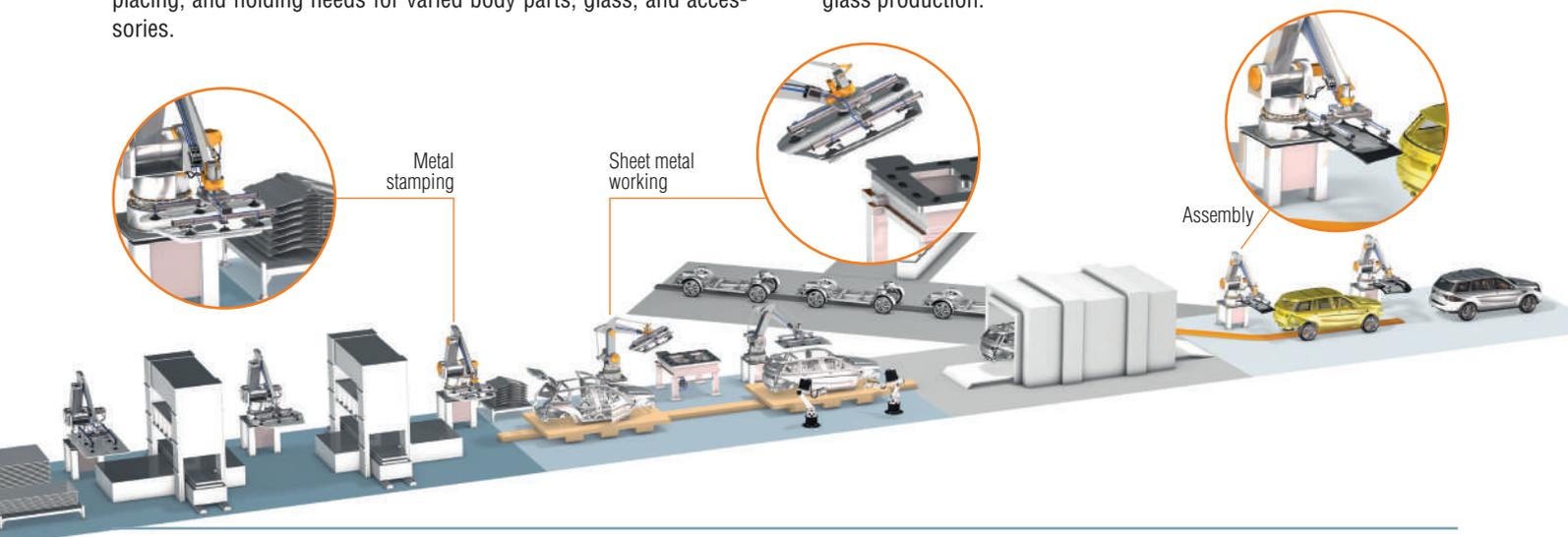
- 85% vacuum
- Vacuum control: NC, NO or pulse-triggered bistable control
- Powerful suction flow rates:
 - Dia. 2.5 mm nozzle → 185 NI/min
 - Dia. 3.0 mm nozzle → 230 NI/min
- Blow-off: Standard or powerful, controlled or automatic timed
- Non-return valve
- 1 or 2 M12 connectors
- Degree of protection: IP65
- Standalone vacuum pumps or in island assemblies
- High-visibility color display with clear multi-lingual messages and straightforward settings menu
- Remote HMI available depending on version
- Easy set up made possible by NFC technology and COVAL Vacuum Manager mobile application
- IO-Link communications interface
- Air Saving Control (ASC) smart vacuum control system guarantees 90% energy savings on average
- Supply pressure monitoring (pressure sensor)
- Vacuum network status analysis and monitoring



Safety, Productivity, and Flexibility at every step of manufacturing

COVAL provides the various players in the automotive industry a global approach to vacuum handling for all their gripping, moving, placing, and holding needs for varied body parts, glass, and accessories.

COVAL solutions, such as vacuum pumps and suction cups, are equipped on robots for stamping presses, welding, assembly, and glass production.



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General Information



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GVMAX HD Makes Vacuum Management Easy



Onboard installation and diagnostic tools:

- Vacuum network sizing support and clogging detection
- Compressed air consumption monitoring
- Supply voltage monitoring



Inputs / Outputs
Digital (SIO) / IO-Link

M12 connectors available in 4 versions:

- One 5 or 8-pin connector
- or two 4 or 5*-pin connectors

**Version for use with remote HMI*



3-color status indicator light

1.54" high-visibility color LCD display with clear multilingual messages and straightforward settings menu

Settings keypad



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Straightforward setup and diagnostics made possible by NFC technology and COVAL Vacuum Manager mobile application.



SMART SWAP

Quick-mounting system: Allows you to mount the GVMAX HD module onto its pneumatic socket or remove it in the blink of an eye, without needing to disconnect compressed air and vacuum tubes.

Pressure

Pneumatic socket: Combines the compressed air supply and the vacuum outlet

- NC, NO or pulse-triggered bistable vacuum control
- Blow-off: Standard or powerful, controlled or automatic timed



Vacuum generation with single-stage Venturi pump

- Short evacuation times
- No moving parts
- Dust resistant
- No maintenance required



Air Saving Control (ASC), our smart vacuum control system: Averages 90% energy savings

Exhaust
 Vacuum

Open clog-free silencer

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Integration and Performance



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Integrated Functions

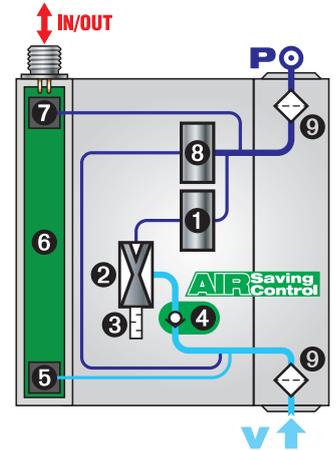
GVMAX HD vacuum pumps include all the “vacuum” functions required for an easy, efficient and economical use of compressed air and suitable for any application:

- ❶ “Vacuum” solenoid valve
- ❷ Single-stage Venturi pump
- ❸ Open silencer
- ❹ “Vacuum” non-return valve
- ❺ Electronic vacuum switch
- ❻ Integrated electronics
- ❼ Pressure sensor
- ❽ “Blow-off” solenoid valve
- ❾ 350 µm filter screen



90% energy savings
(on average, see p. 75)

The combined action of the non-return valve ❹ and of the integrated electronics ❻ automatically ensures ASC management.
→ **Once the vacuum has been established, the pump does not consume any more air to hold the object.**



Performance determined by the Venturi pump's nozzle diameter

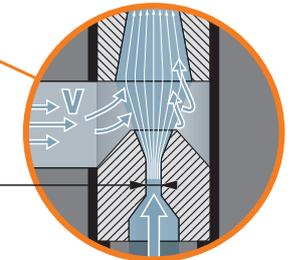
The table specifies the performance levels and evacuation times generated for each nozzle diameter available.

When handling airtight objects, the ASC vacuum control system can help to considerably reduce the consumption of compressed air.

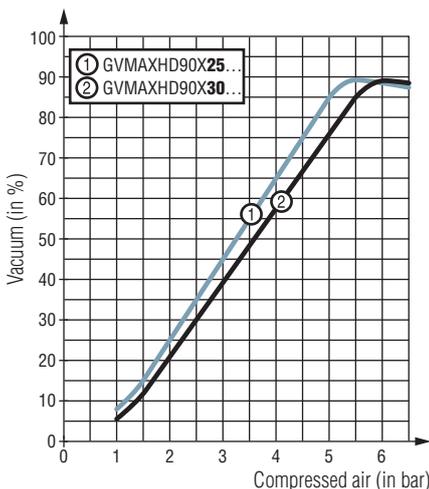
Nozzle dia.	Evacuation time (seconds) of a volume of 1 liter				Max. vacuum (%)	Air drawn in (NI/min)	Air consumed (NI/min)	Air pressure level (bar)
	45 %	55 %	65 %	75 %				
2.5 mm	0.17	0.24	0.35	0.52	85	185	294	5
3.0 mm	0.15	0.20	0.27	0.42	85	230	380	5.5



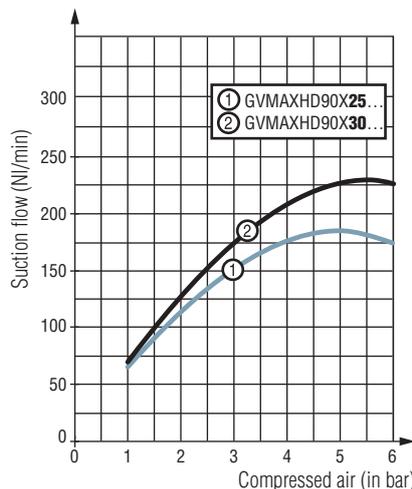
Nozzle diameter



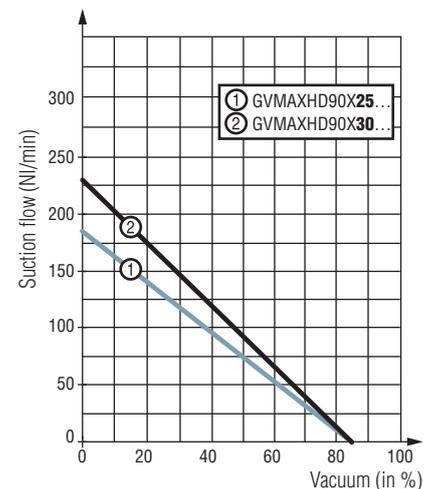
Vacuum Generated/Compressed Air



Suction Flow Rate/Compressed Air



Suction Flow Rate/Vacuum



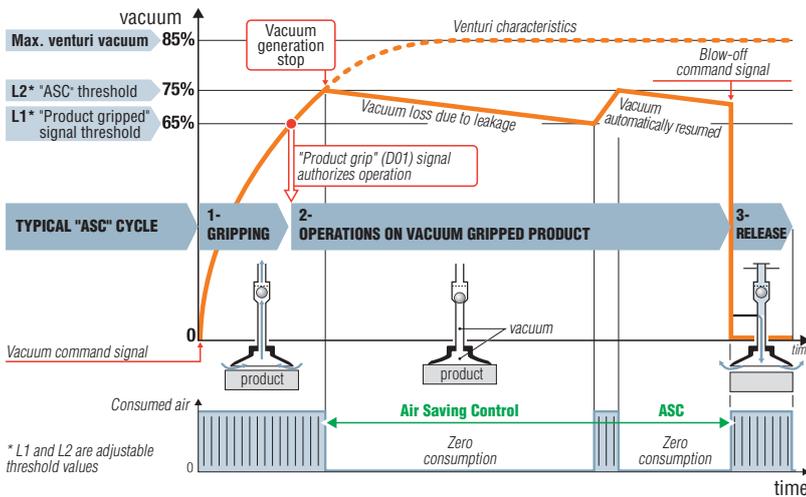
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Energy Savings and Smart Adaptation



Averages 90% energy savings



Air Saving Control (ASC) is a smart vacuum control system that stops the consumption of compressed air as soon as the required level of vacuum is reached, thus avoiding any unnecessary consumption and contributing to savings on the equipment's operating costs.

For airtight objects, the GVMAX HD vacuum pumps automatically execute the above "ASC" cycle, thus leading to maximal energy savings, according to the following 3 phases:

- 1- Object is gripped: vacuum generated by the Venturi pump
- 2- Operations on object held in place by vacuum: at the L2 vacuum threshold (75%), the supply of the Venturi pump is cut off → the consumption becomes zero; the object remains held in place owing to the non-return valve. If micro-leaks make the vacuum drop to threshold L2 less the defined hysteresis value, vacuum generation is briefly switched on again.
- 3- Object is released: by an external or an automatic timed blow-off command (according to the settings).

1- Gripping + transfer (nozzle dia. 2.5 mm, emptying 0.6 l)

Phase	Duration	Air consumption		Achieved economy
		w/o "ASC"	with "ASC"	
Gripping	0.50 s	2.42 NI	2.42 NI	Achieved economy
Transfer	2.00 s	9.67 NI	0	
Release	0.14 s	0.68 NI	0.68 NI	
		12.77 NI	3.10 NI	→ 76 %

2- Clamping + operations (nozzle dia. 2.5 mm, emptying 1 l)

Phase	Duration	Air consumption		Achieved economy
		w/o "ASC"	with "ASC"	
Clamping	0.83 s	4.01 NI	4.01 NI	Achieved economy
Operations	60 s	290 NI	0	
Release	0.14 s	0.68 NI	0.68 NI	
		294.69 NI	4.69 NI	→ 98 %

→ Resulting savings

"ASC" energy savings are major as shown in the 2 examples below:

- 76% savings when transferring an object after gripping
- 98% savings when clamping an object during an operation lasting 1 min

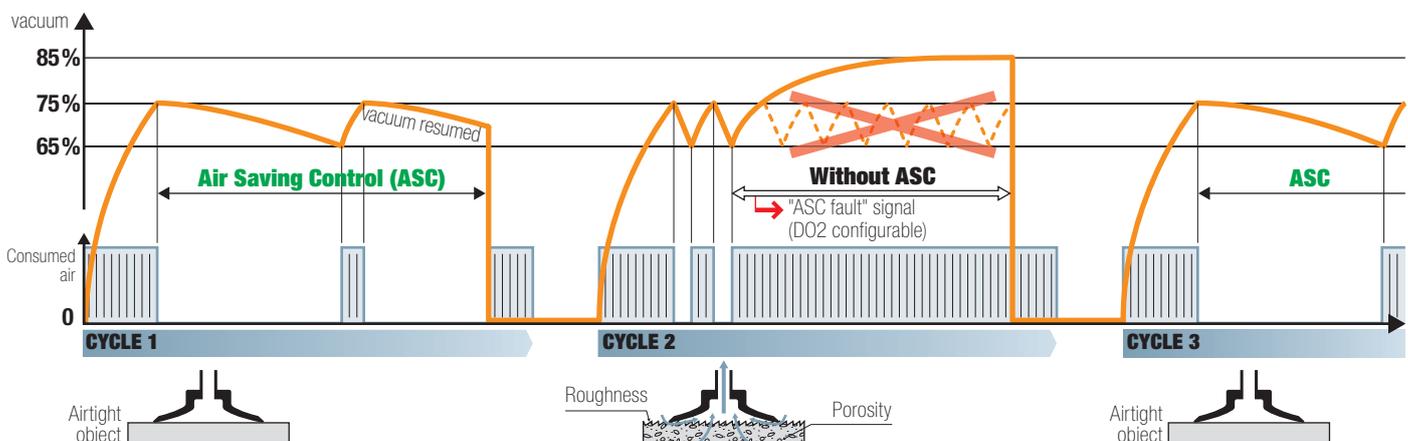
The investment generally pays off within just a few months.

ENERGY SAVING APP

Calculate the savings you can generate with our ASC technology using our ENERGY SAVING APP available online.



Smart adaptation



The above illustration shows the GVMAX HD's ability to adapt. "ASC" operation is automatic for any object that is adequately airtight (cycle 1). Should a leakage occur (cycle 2), due to a rough or porous object, or due to a leak in the vacuum network, the vacuum pump would automatically detect the unwanted condition,

complete the cycle without ASC in order to keep production running, and report the situation for possible maintenance. Production keeps running. As soon as everything returns to normal (cycle 3), operation with ASC is automatically restored.

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Straightforward Communication



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ASC Saving Control

Easier Integration, Use, and Diagnostics

The GVMAX HD heavy duty vacuum pump series include various features that enable setup, use, and diagnostics in all situations and at all levels (operators, process, networked factory), with the aim in mind of keeping the use and management of the pumps as straightforward as possible and thus allowing for their easy integration in your smart factory.

Advantages:

- Straightforward wiring and installation
- Remote configuration, control, and diagnostics
- Installation and diagnostic tools

Settings, Diagnostics, and Process Data



CONFIGURABLE SETTINGS

- Choice of language: EN, FR, DE, IT or ES
- "Object gripped" and ASC control thresholds
- ASC vacuum control system management
- Automatic blow-off
- Vacuum measurement unit: kPa, %, mbar, inHg
- Pressure measurement unit: MPa, bar, Psi
- Software updates, and more



DIAGNOSTICS

- Cycle counters (vacuum and blow-off control, objects gripped, objects lost, etc.)
- Vacuum network sizing support to prevent pressure loss
- Clogging detection function
- Supply pressure monitoring
- Supply voltage monitoring
- Software version
- Product item number and serial number



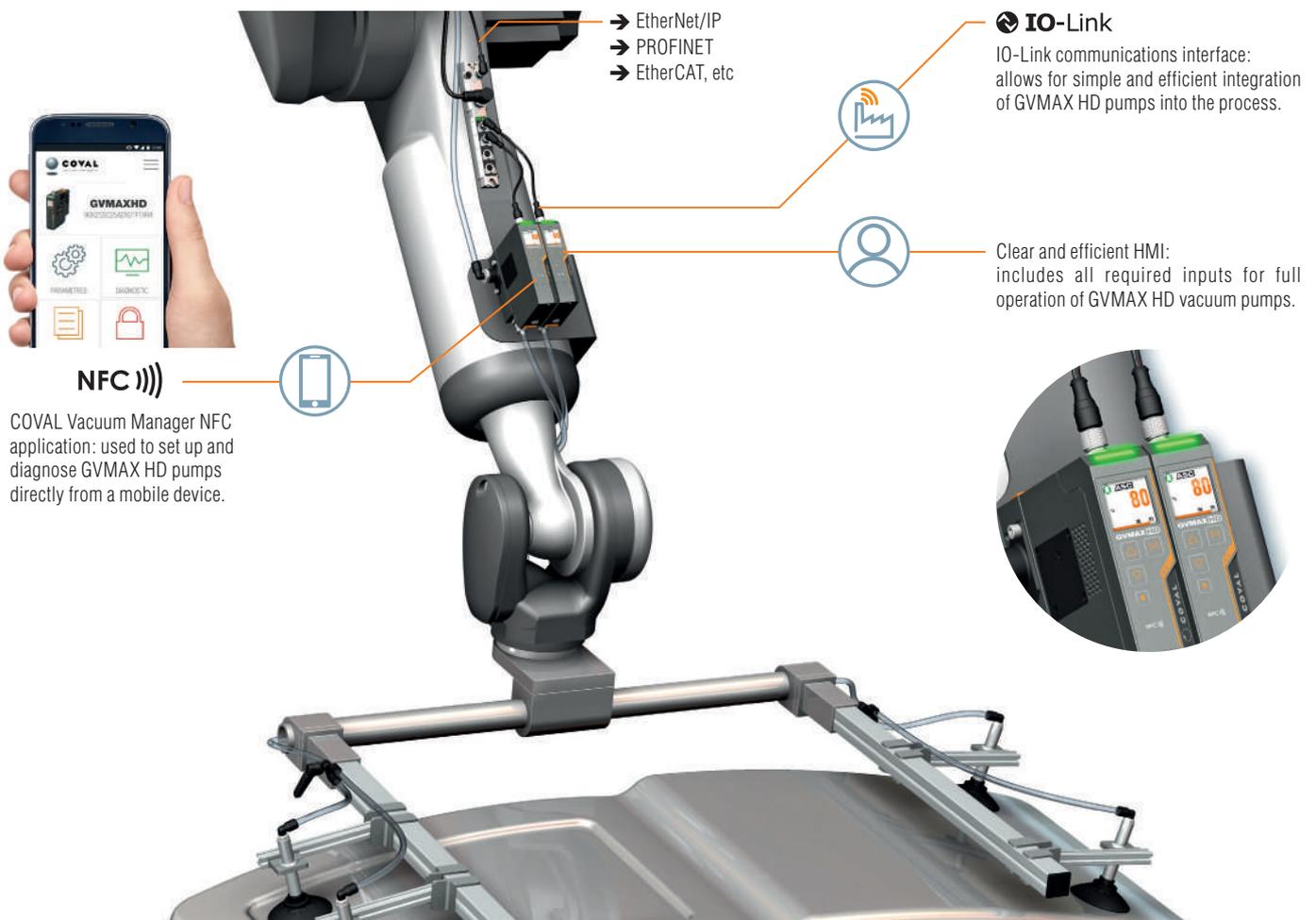
PROCESS INPUT DATA

- Vacuum and blow-off control



PROCESS OUTPUT DATA

- Instantaneous vacuum level
- Object gripped and object lost information
- ASC vacuum control system status
- Alarms (high/low pressure, high/low voltage)
- Instantaneous pressure



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Straightforward Communication



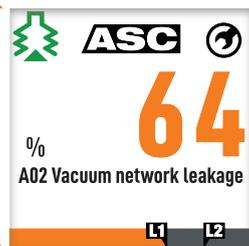
HMI



Gripping status indicator light:

- Green: object gripped
- Yellow: ASC disabled due to vacuum leakage (object held in place)
- Red: object lost

1.54" high-visibility color LCD display



Settings keypad

The GVMAX HD HMI allows for easy and efficient reading of the pump's operation.

The high-visibility display includes all required inputs for full operation:

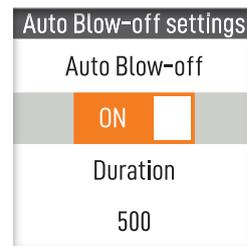
- Main information is easy to read
- Multilingual: EN - FR - DE - IT - ES
- Simple and clear event messages
- Intuitive settings and diagnostics menus
- Configurable display orientation: 0 – 90 – 180 – 270°
- Lockable to prevent undesired changes

Note: a version with remote HMI is available (see p. 78)



Multilingual

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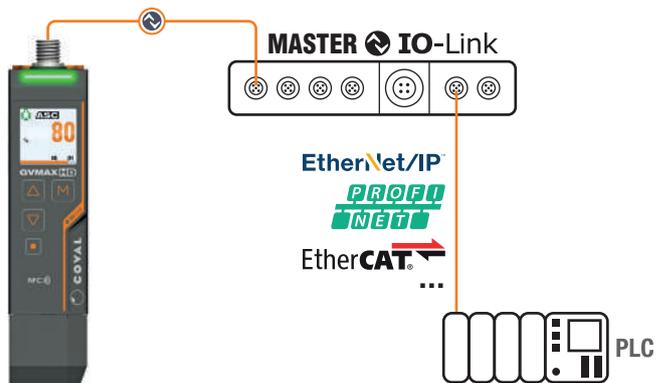


IO-Link

The IO-Link system provides efficient real-time communication between GVMAX HD vacuum pumps and any higher-level protocol (EtherNet/IP, PROFINET, EtherCAT, etc.) required to monitor the production line. It can be used to control pumps, configure settings, and get feedback to ensure maximum productivity.

Advantages:

- Straightforward wiring, installation, and setup
- Availability of diagnostic status data
- Simpler preventive maintenance and vacuum pump replacement without manual setup, and more



NFC

The NFC wireless technology integrated in GVMAX HD and in the COVAL Vacuum Manager application makes all setup and diagnostic functions available and modifiable on your mobile devices.

Additional features:

- Read/write settings with the power on or off
- Copy settings from one GVMAX HD to another
- Backup up to 5 setting configurations
- COVAL support: send a report including the settings and diagnostic data to COVAL for technical support



NFC App: COVAL Vacuum Manager
Available for Android and iOS

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Available Configurations

VA version
(standalone)

GVMAX HD module screw-mounted onto its pneumatic socket



Versions with patented **SMART SWAP** system to quickly mount the GVMAX HD module onto its pneumatic socket



RA version
(standalone)

GVMAX HD standalone module with SMART SWAP system and pneumatic socket



RB version
(island)

Island of 3 GVMAX HD modules with SMART SWAP system on pneumatic sockets



Remote HMI

To make it easier to use and set up vacuum pumps in certain use cases, the GVMAX HD range includes a version without a front dial panel that can be used with a remote HMI.

Advantages:

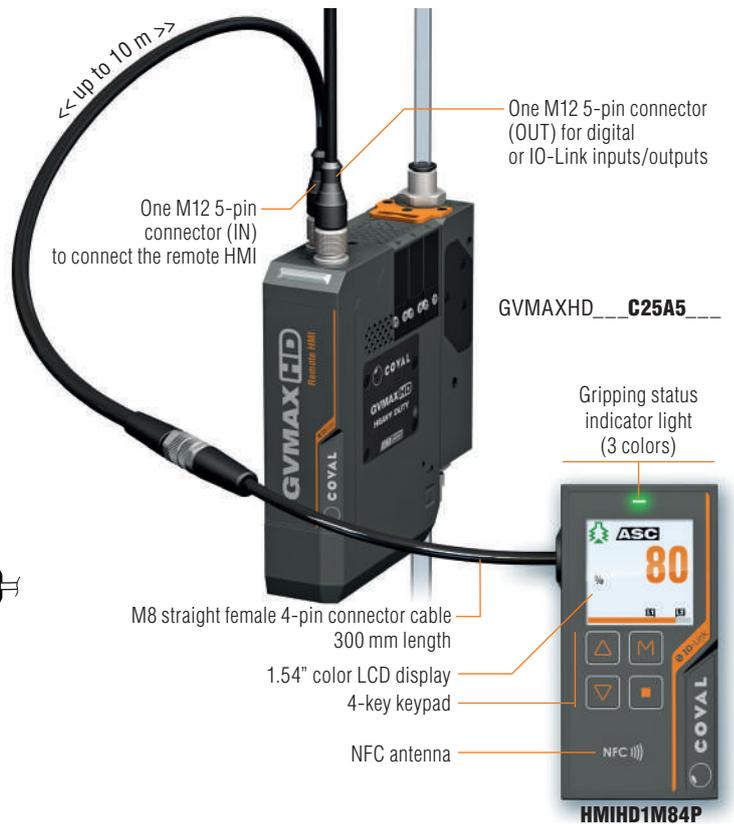
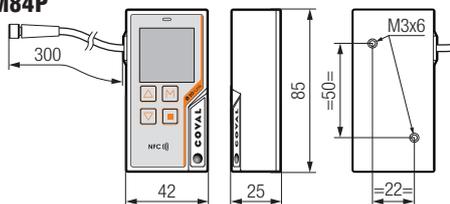
- Place the HMI in an easily accessible and visible area
- Use one HMI for several GVMAX HD vacuum pumps
- Copy settings from one pump to another
- Use the GVMAX HD vacuum pump without any HMI connected

→ GVMAX HD vacuum pump without HMI

- Part No.: GVMAXHD_ **C25A5** _
- Two M12 5-pin connectors
 - M12 blanking plug provided for use without HMI

→ Remote HMI

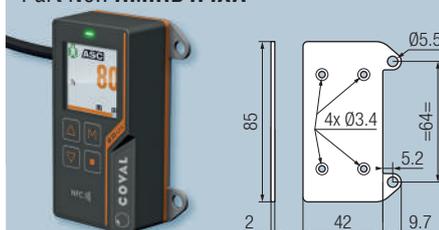
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Accessories for remote HMI

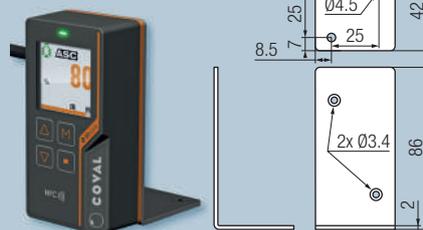
Front mounting plate

- + 2 x M3x6 TORX
 - + 2 x M5x50 CHC
- Part No.: **HMIHD1FIXA**



90° angled mounting plate

- + 2 x M3x6 TORX
- Part No.: **HMIHD1FIXB**



Connector cable

- M12 4-pin, female / M8 4-pin, male
- 2 m length: Part No. **CDM8MM12F4PL2**
 - 5 m length: Part No. **CDM8MM12F4PL5**
 - Other lengths available upon request.



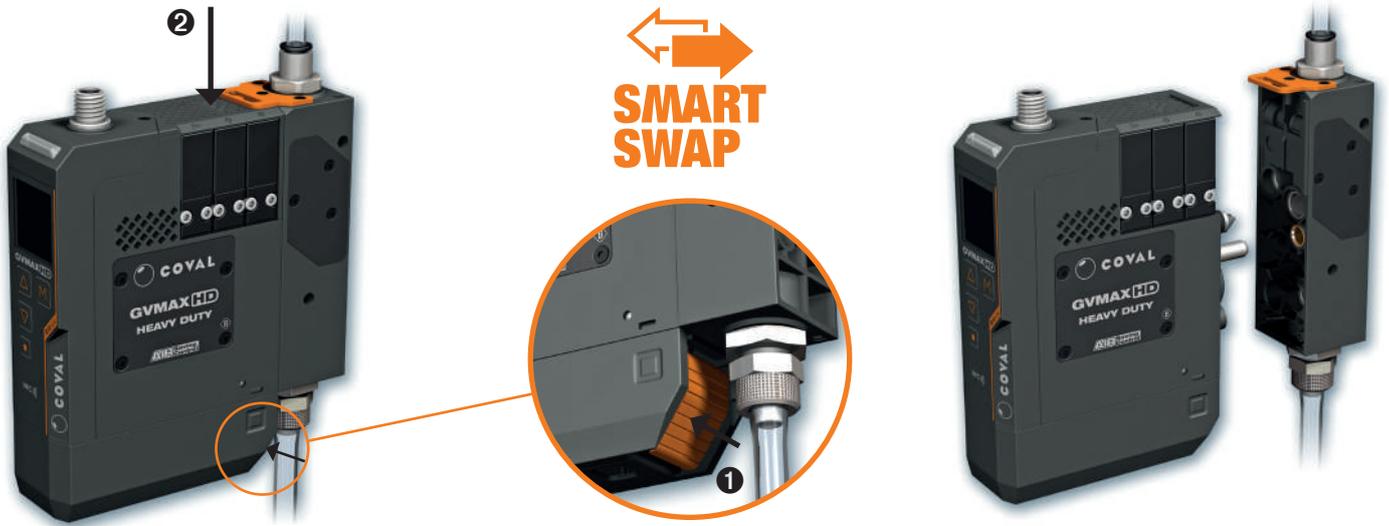
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Modularity and Maintenance



SMART SWAP Quick-Mounting System



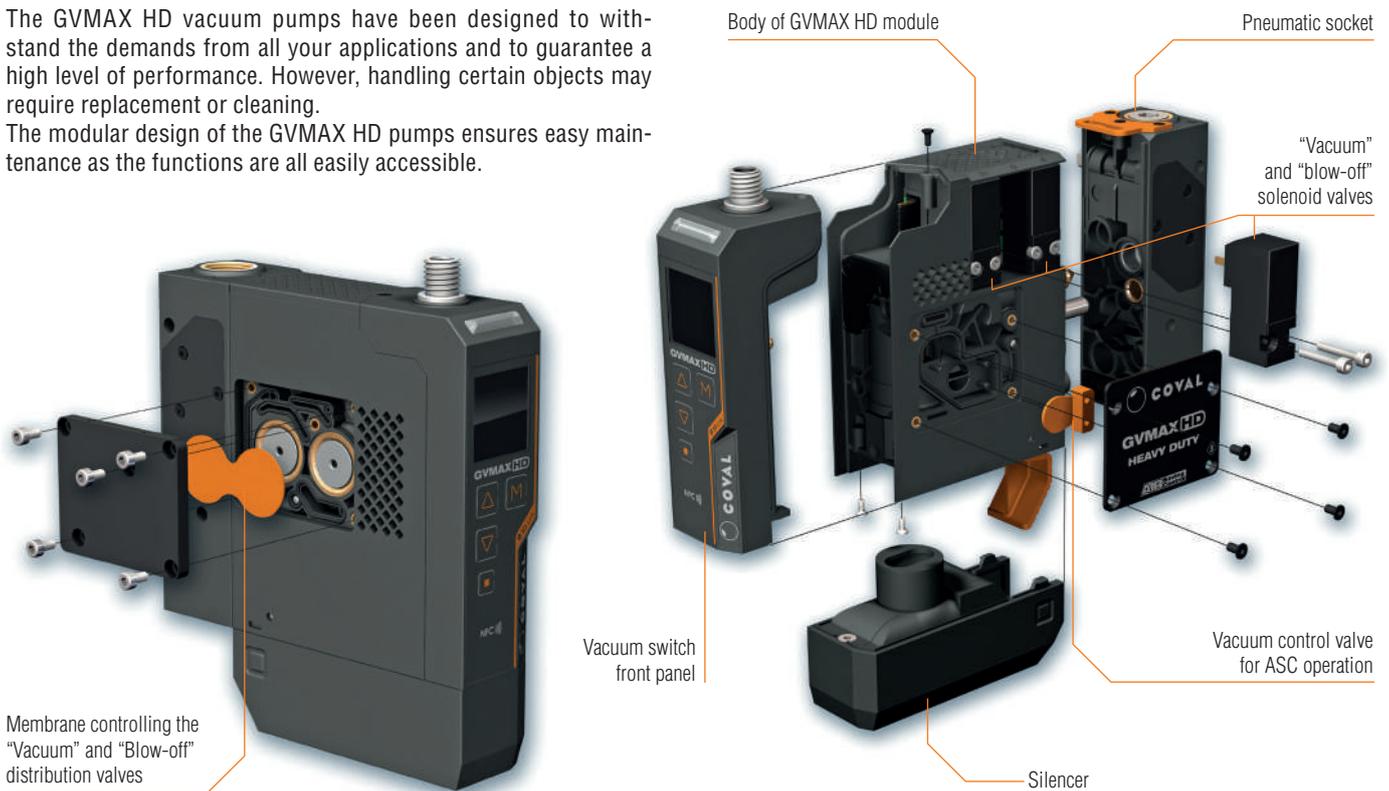
COVAL's patented SMART SWAP quick-mounting system allows you to mount the GVMAX HD module onto its pneumatic socket or remove it in the blink of an eye, without needing to disconnect compressed air and vacuum tubes.

No tools required, just two steps by operator to release: press release tab **1** at back of silencer and apply pressure to upper housing **2** of GVMAX HD.

- There is a locking screw on the release tab, which can be tightened to require operators to use a screwdriver to remove the module.
- Removal under pressure is made possible by the integrated non-return valve.

Modularity/Maintenance

The GVMAX HD vacuum pumps have been designed to withstand the demands from all your applications and to guarantee a high level of performance. However, handling certain objects may require replacement or cleaning. The modular design of the GVMAX HD pumps ensures easy maintenance as the functions are all easily accessible.



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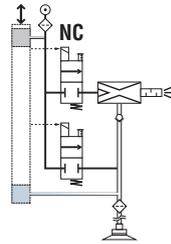
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Vacuum Control: 3 Solutions

Model GVMAXHD__S: vacuum pump with **NC** vacuum control and **NC** blow-off
In the event of power failure, vacuum is no longer generated. In the event of compressed air failure, the vacuum is no longer maintained.

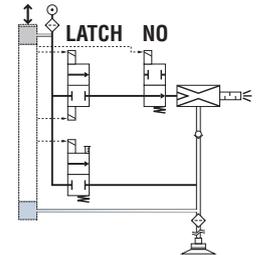
- NC blow-off and vacuum control: solenoid valves
- Choice of blow-off settings:
 - Controlled by external signal
 - Automatic timer from 50 to 9999 ms (advantage: saves one controller output)



Model GVMAXHD__L: vacuum pump with **pulse-triggered bistable** vacuum control and **NC** blow-off (patented system)

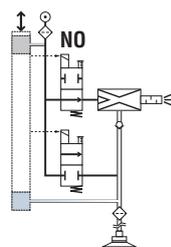
In the event of power failure, the vacuum pump maintains its previous state. More specifically, one of the following two scenarios will take place should the failure occur:

- During vacuum generation, the vacuum is maintained → fail-safe
 - During blow-off or when the pump is off, the pump remains "Off"
- Vacuum control is automatically stopped when the blow-off command is activated. The vacuum can only be stopped with the blow-off command.



Model GVMAXHD__V: vacuum pump with **NO** vacuum control and **NC** blow-off
In the event of power failure, vacuum is still generated: object is held in place → fail-safe.

- In the event of compressed air failure, the vacuum is no longer maintained.
- NO vacuum control solenoid valve
- NC blow-off control solenoid valve
- Blow-off controlled by external signal

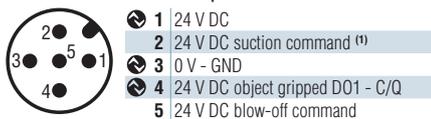


In the event of compressed air failure, the vacuum is no longer maintained.

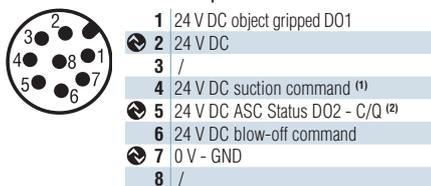
- Pulse-triggered bistable vacuum control solenoid valve (50 ms min.)
- NC blow-off control solenoid valve
- Blow-off controlled by external signal

Electrical Connections

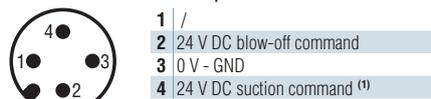
■ **C15A1:** One M12 5-pin male connector



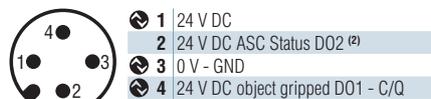
■ **C18A1:** One M12 8-pin male connector



■ **C24A2:** Two M12 4-pin male connectors



Rear connector:
IN

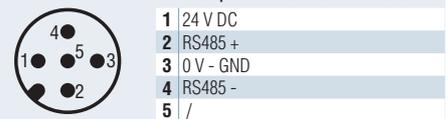


Front connector:
OUT

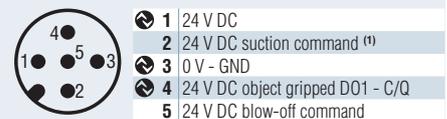
Note: The Digital Outputs 1 and 2 signals can be swapped in the parameter settings.

Version for use with remote HMI

■ **C25A5:** Two M12 5-pin male connectors



Rear connector:
IN



Front connector:
OUT

⊗ : Connections for IO-Link

⁽¹⁾ 24 V DC suction command, depending on version:

- S: 24 V DC vacuum control
- V: 24 V DC vacuum off command
- L: 24 V DC vacuum control with min. pulse-triggering of 50 ms

⁽²⁾ DO2 configurable:

- ASC status (default)
- or Pressure fault (below 5 bar or above 8 bar)
- or Power supply fault (below 21.6 V or above 26.4 V)
- or ASC fault
- or Object lost

Accessories

Power supply cable: M12, straight, female – open end

- **CDM12N:** 4-pin, length. 2 m.
- **CDM12L5:** 4-pin, length. 5 m.
- **CDM125PL2:** 5-pin, length. 2 m.
- **CDM125PL5:** 5-pin, length. 5 m.



Power supply cable: M12, elbow, female – open end

- **CCM12:** 4-pin, length. 2 m.
- **CCM125PL2:** 5-pin, length. 2 m.



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Blow-off Function

There are 2 different versions of GVMAX HD vacuum pumps that feature different blow-off types to meet the requirements of any application:

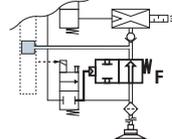
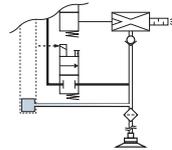
■ **Standard blow-off (version GVMAXHD...F1)**

The blow-off flow is directed into the vacuum network and ensures the object is released in most applications.

■ **Powerful blow-off (version GVMAXHD...F2)**

This type of blow-off allows for objects to be quickly released in the event that the pump cannot be placed as close as possible to the suction cups, or to reduce the cycle time as much as possible.

The isolation valve **F** directs the entire blow-off flow towards the suction cups. In this case, the blow-off pressure is identical to the vacuum pump's compressed air supply pressure.



The blow-off control mode is configurable on GVMAX HD...**S** pumps:

- Controlled by external signal
- Automatic timer, adjustable from 50 to 9999 ms (advantage: saves one controller output)

On GVMAX HD...**V** and **L** pumps, the blow-off control mode is controlled by an external signal.

Standalone Vacuum Pumps or in Island Assemblies?

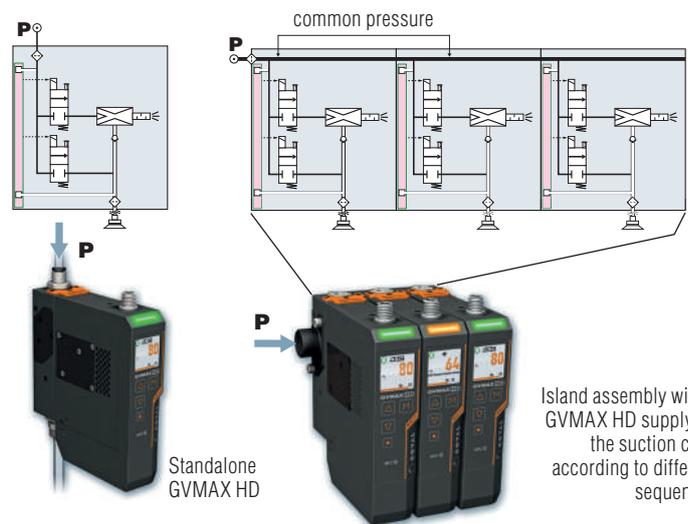
Standalone GVMAX HD vacuum pumps meet the needs of most common applications: a GVMAX HD controls one or several suction cups, which all operate according to the same sequence. Whenever several suction cups operate according to different sequences, several vacuum pumps are required. The choices are as follows:

- Several standalone pumps
- An island assembly including 1 to 4 vacuum pumps and a shared internal pressure supply

Standalone vacuum pumps are available in 2 versions:

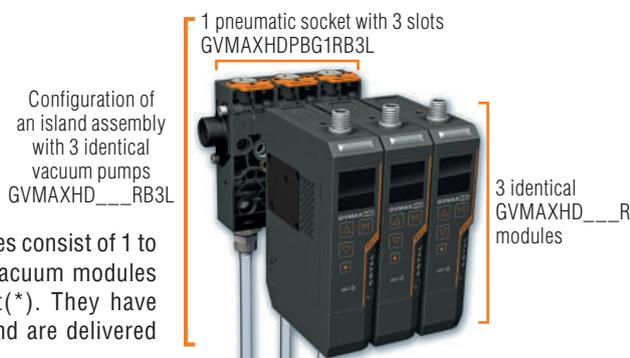
- GVMAXHD...**VA**: pneumatic socket forms an integral part of the GVMAX HD module
- GVMAXHD...**RA**: patented SMART SWAP to quickly mount the GVMAX HD module on its pneumatic socket

GVMAXHD...RB1/2/3/4 mounted on an island: equipped as standard with the SMART SWAP system to quickly mount the GVMAX HD module on its pneumatic socket



Island assembly with 3 GVMAX HD supplying the suction cups according to different sequences

Configuration of Island Assemblies



Standard island assemblies consist of 1 to 4 identical GVMAX HD vacuum modules and a pneumatic socket(*). They have specific part numbers and are delivered assembled.

For island assemblies consisting of different GVMAX HD vacuum modules, sub-assemblies must be ordered separately:

- Pneumatic socket in versions with 1, 2, 3, or 4 slots (*)
- GVMAX HD modules with SMART SWAP quick-mounting system (version R) depending on the selected configurations

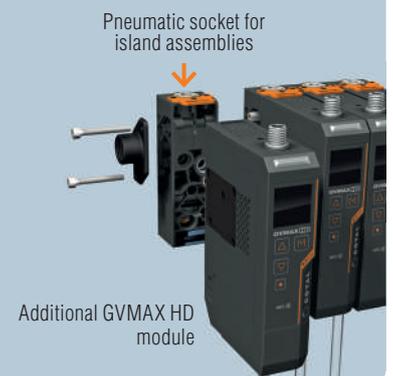
Custom island assemblies are delivered unassembled.

(*) Assembled pneumatic sockets are supplied as standard with the pressure connection on the left side (version L). On request, an R version with right-hand pressure connection or a T version with top pressure connection is available.

Adding to an island assembly

A GVMAX HD vacuum pump can be added to an existing island assembly by ordering the pneumatic socket: for islands **GVMAXHDPBG1RB** and version **R** of the desired GVMAX HD module.

Reminder: 4 GVMAX HD/island



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Configuring a Vacuum Pump



GVMAXHD90X 25 L C15A1 X G1 F1 D RB3L

NOZZLE DIA.		BLOW-OFF		CONFIGURATIONS	
2.5 mm dia	25	Standard blow-off	F1	Standalone vacuum pumps	
3.0 mm dia	30	Powerful blow-off <i>The powerful blow-off option is used when the object needs to be released quickly.</i>	F2	VA	GVMAXHD90X __XG1_D_VA GVMAX HD module screwed onto its pneumatic socket
GENERATOR CONTROL		CONNECTOR(S)		RA	GVMAXHD90X __XG1_D_RA Standalone GVMAX HD module with SMART SWAP quick-mounting system and pneumatic socket
Vacuum pump with NC vacuum control and NC blow-off Choice of blow-off settings: ▪ Controlled by external signal ▪ Automatic timer from 50 to 9999 ms (advantage: saves one controller output)	S	C15A1	1 x M12 5-pin male	Vacuum pumps mounted on an island (with SMART SWAP quick-mounting system)	
Vacuum pump with NO vacuum control and NC blow-off ▪ Blow-off controlled by external signal	V	C18A1	1 x M12 8-pin male	RB1L *	GVMAXHD90X __XG1_D_RB1L 1 x GVMAX HD module with SMART SWAP quick-mounting system and pneumatic socket with 1 slot ▪ Left lateral pressure connection
Vacuum pump with pulse-triggered bistable vacuum control and NC blow-off ▪ Blow-off controlled by external signal	L	C24A2	2 x M12 4-pin male	RB2L *	GVMAXHD90X __XG1_D_RB2L Island consisting of 2 GVMAX HD modules with SMART SWAP quick-mounting system and pneumatic socket with 2 slots ▪ Common pressure supply ▪ Left lateral pressure connection
		C25A5	2 x M12 5-pin male For use with remote HMI	RB3L *	GVMAXHD90X __XG1_D_RB3L Island consisting of 3 GVMAX HD modules with SMART SWAP quick-mounting system and pneumatic socket with 3 slots ▪ Common pressure supply ▪ Left lateral pressure connection
				RB4L *	GVMAXHD90X __XG1_D_RB4L Island consisting of 4 GVMAX HD modules with SMART SWAP quick-mounting system and pneumatic socket with 4 slots ▪ Common pressure supply ▪ Left lateral pressure connection

Sample Part number consisting of a standalone vacuum pump: **GVMAXHD90X30VC24A2XG1F1DVA**

Standalone GVMAX HD module screw-mounted onto a pneumatic socket, max. vacuum 85%, 3.0 mm nozzle, controlled by an NO vacuum solenoid valve, 2 M12 4-pin connectors, with standard blow-off.

Sample Part number consisting of an island: **GVMAXHD90X25LC18A1XG1F2DRB3L**

Island assembly consisting of 3 GVMAX HD modules with SMART SWAP quick-mounting system and 1 pneumatic socket with 3 slots, left lateral pressure connection, max. vacuum 85%, 2.5 mm nozzle, pulse-triggered bistable vacuum control, 1 M12 8-pin connector, with powerful blow-off.

* On request, an RB_R version with right-hand pressure connection or a RB_T version with top pressure connection is available.

Mounting accessories for GVMAX HD

- GVMAXHDFIXA: front panel installation kit (1 plate + 4 fastening screws)
- GVMAXHDFIXB: DIN rail installation kit (1 clip + 2 fastening screws)

Remote HMI

Only to be used with GVMAXHD **C25A5**

- Part No. HMIHD1M84P
With M8 4-pin female connector cable, 0.3 m length



Accessories for remote HMI

- Front mounting plate: Part No. HMIHD1FIXA
- 90° angled mounting plate: Part No. HMIHD1FIXB
- M12 4-pin female / M8 4-pin male connector cable
 - 2 m length: Part No. CDM8MM12F4PL2
 - 5 m length: Part No. CDM8MM12F4PL5
 - Other lengths available upon request.

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Build your own island assembly



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To build a custom island assembly containing different GVMAX HD vacuum modules, you need to order the parts below separately:

Note: Custom island assemblies come unassembled.

1 Select the Pneumatic Socket

GVMAXHDPBG1RB_L sockets come assembled with the corresponding set of end pieces and the pressure connection on the left side.



GVMAXHDPBG1RB1L*
Pneumatic socket with 1 slot



GVMAXHDPBG1RB2L*
Pneumatic socket with 2 slots



GVMAXHDPBG1RB3L*
Pneumatic socket with 3 slots



GVMAXHDPBG1RB4L*
Pneumatic socket with 4 slots

* On request, an R version with right-hand pressure connection or a T version with top pressure connection is available.

2 Select the GVMAX HD Modules (1 module for each slot in the socket)



GVMAXHD90X 25 L C15A1 X G1 F1 D R

NOZZLE DIA.		CONNECTOR(S)	BLOW-OFF
2.5 mm dia	25	C15A1 1 x M12 5-pin male	F1 Standard blow-off
3.0 mm dia	30	C18A1 1 x M12 8-pin male	F2 Powerful blow-off The powerful blow-off option is used when the object needs to be released quickly.
		C24A2 2 x M12 4-pin male	
		C25A5 2 x M12 5-pin male For use with remote HMI	



GENERATOR CONTROL

Vacuum pump with **NC** vacuum control and **NC** blow-off
Choice of blow-off settings:

- Controlled by external signal
- Automatic timed from 50 to 9999 ms (advantage: saves one controller output)

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Vacuum pump with **NO** vacuum control and **NC** blow-off

- Blow-off controlled by external signal

V

Vacuum pump with **pulse-triggered bistable** vacuum control and **NC** blow-off

- Blow-off controlled by external signal

L

Example of a custom island assembly:

- 1 X **GVMAXHDPBG1RB3** → 1 pneumatic socket with 3 slots and SMART SWAP quick-mounting system
- 1 X **GVMAXHD90X25SC18A1XG1F1DR**
- 1 X **GVMAXHD90X30VC18A1XG1F2DR**
- 1 X **GVMAXHD90X25LC15A1XG1F1DR** } 3 GVMAX HD modules of different types for island assembly

Accessories for island assemblies

Part No. **GVMAXHDPBG1RB**



Single-slot pneumatic socket with SMART SWAP quick-mounting system to add a GVMAX HD vacuum pump to an existing island assembly.

Part No. **80005594**



Complete set of island assembly end pieces (version R) containing the following items:

- Right flange with G1/2"-F pressure connection + 350 µm filter screen.
- Left sealing flange.
- Flange fastening screws.

Part No. **80005413**



Complete set of island assembly end pieces (version L) containing the following items:

- Left flange with G1/2"-F pressure connection + 350 µm filter screen.
- Right sealing flange.
- Flange fastening screws.

Part No. **80005960**



Complete set of island assembly end pieces (version T), containing the following items:

- 2 sealing flanges.
- Flange fastening screws.

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Dimensions and Installation Options

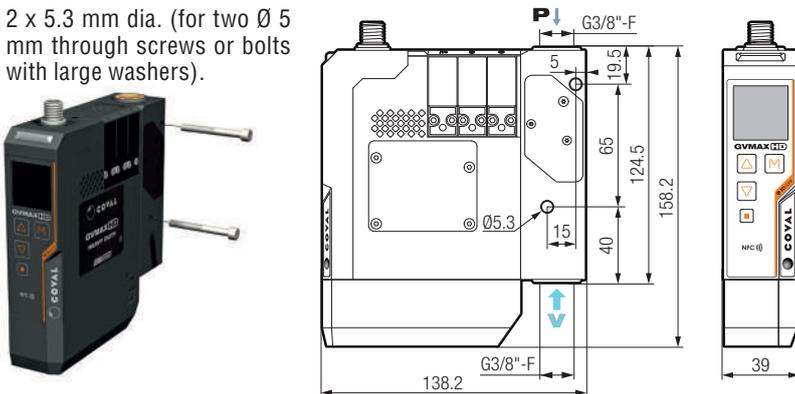


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Note: All dimensions are in mm.

Lateral installation (standalone version)

2 x 5.3 mm dia. (for two Ø 5 mm through screws or bolts with large washers).



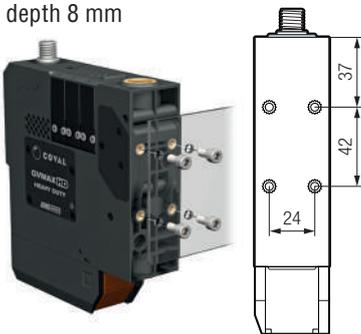
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Front Panel Installation

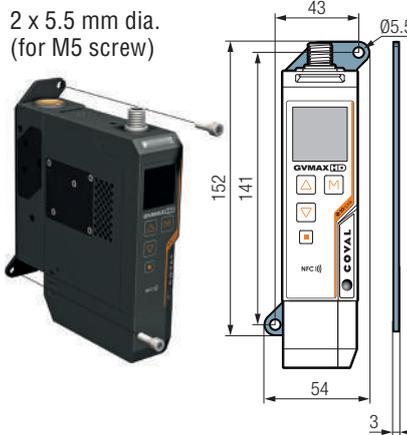
MOUNTING FROM REAR

4 x M5 screw threads, depth 8 mm



MOUNTING FROM FRONT

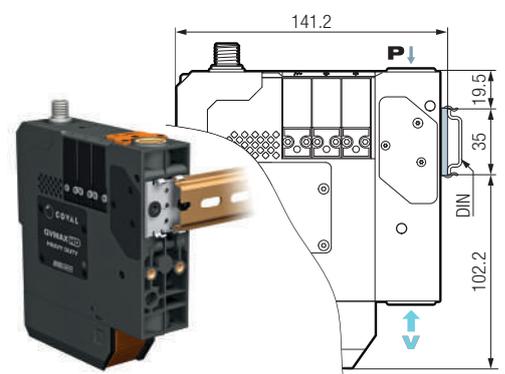
2 x 5.5 mm dia. (for M5 screw)



For front panel installation, order the following installation kit:

Part No.: **GVMAXHDFIXA**
 (1 plate + 4 fastening screws)

Installation on DIN Rail



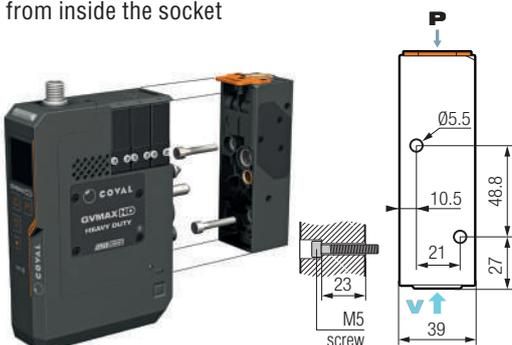
The pump can be mounted on a DIN rail for a static installation (e.g. in a cabinet). In this case, it must be equipped with an installation clip that is to be ordered separately:

Part No.: **GVMAXHDFIXB**
 (1 clip + 2 fastening screws) Note: For an island assembly, you need to order 2 installation kits.

Front Panel Installation for Modules with SMART SWAP Quick-mounting System

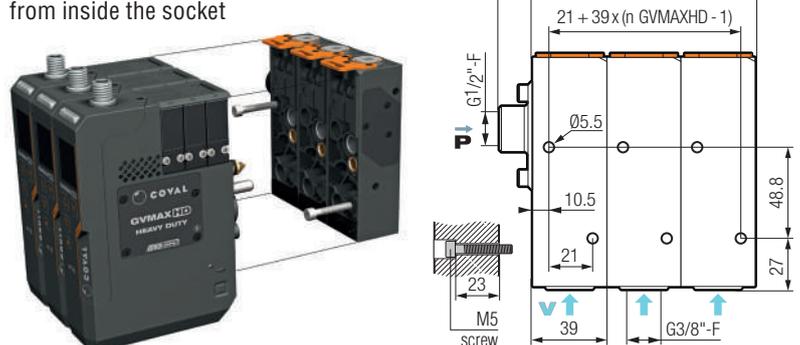
STANDALONE VERSION

2 x 5.5 mm dia. (for M5 screws) from inside the socket



ISLAND VERSION

2 x 5.5 mm dia. (for M5 screws) from inside the socket



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Technical specifications



- Supply: non-lubricated air, filtered to 5 microns, according to standard ISO 8573-1:2010 [3:4:4]
- Operating pressure: from 2 to 8 bar
- Optimal dynamic pressure:
 - 5 bar for dia. 2.5 mm nozzle
 - 5.5 bar for dia. 3.0 mm nozzle
- Powerful blow-off (option F2): network pressure
- Pressure connection:
 - Standalone vacuum pump: G3/8"-F with removable 350 µm filter screen
 - Island assembly: G1/2"-F with 350 µm filter screen
- Vacuum connection: G3/8"-F with removable 350 µm filter screen
- Max. vacuum: 85%
- Air suction flow rate: 185 / 230 NI/min
- Air consumption: 294 / 380 NI/min, when operating "without ASC"
- Integrated non-clogging silencer
- Noise level: approx. 71 dBA "without ASC" 0 dBA with ASC
- Degree of protection: IP65
- Max. operating frequency: 4 Hz
- Endurance: 50 million cycles
- Weight: 870 g
- Operating temperature: from 0 to 50 °C
- Materials: PA GF, brass, aluminum, steel, NBR, PU, FKM
- M12 male connectors

Analysis of ASC vacuum control system

- Permanent monitoring of leakage level: abort or automatically return to ASC operation

Integrated electronics

- 24 V DC power supply (regulated ±10 %)
- Vacuum measuring range: 0 to 99 %
- Pressure measuring range: 0 to 10 bar
- Vacuum and pressure measurement accuracy: ±1.5% of the range, compensated for temperature
- Inputs/outputs protected against reversed wiring and polarity
- Consumption: 170 mA max. (without load)
- Configurable input/output switching mode: PNP or NPN
- IO-Link or SIO (Standard Inputs Outputs) operation

DO1/DO2 output signals

- Configurable as PNP or NPN
- NO or NC
- Breaking capacity: 330 mA
- DO2 configurable (see Parameter settings)

Diagnostics

- Instantaneous vacuum level (unit transmitted over IO-Link: mbar)
- Available information: Object gripped, object lost, control in progress, and control fault
- Cycle counters (vacuum, blow-off, object gripped, object lost, ASC, etc.)
- Vacuum network sizing support to prevent head losses
- Clogging detection function
- Supply pressure monitoring
- Supply voltage monitoring
- Product item number and serial number
- Software version

Information displayed

- LED gripping status indicator on front panel (green: object gripped ; yellow: ASC disabled due to vacuum leakage (object held in place) ; red: object lost)
- 1.54" high-visibility color LCD display:
 - Displays vacuum level with bar graph and thresholds
 - Warns when service life has been exceeded (> 50 million cycles)
 - Explicit fault messages
 - "Suction cup" icon indicating the control status of control functions:
 - Green suction cup: vacuum control
 - Orange suction cup: blow-off control
 - Red suction cup: simultaneous vacuum and blow-off controls
 - Configurable display orientation: 0 – 90 – 180 – 270°

Parameter settings

- Performed with 4-key membrane keyboard
- Choice of language: EN, FR, DE, IT, or ES
- Choice of blow-off type:
 - Controlled
 - Automatic timed, adjustable from 50 to 9999 ms
- Choice of vacuum measurement unit (kPa, %, mbar, inHg)
- Choice of pressure measurement unit (MPa, bar, Psi)
- Monostable electrical manual controls
- Object gripped (L1) and L2 control thresholds
- Whenever required by the application, specific threshold and hysteresis settings that are different from the initial factory settings can be defined: L1=65%, h1=10%, L2=75%, h2=10%
- DO2 configurable (24 V DC) (only on C18A1 et C24A2 models):
 - ASC status (default)
 - or Pressure fault (below 5 bar or above 8 bar)
 - or Power supply fault (below 21.6 V or above 26.4 V)
 - or ASC fault
 - or Object lost
- Activation/deactivation of the ASC control system
- Activation/deactivation of the leakage level monitoring system (DIAG ECO) + adjustment of monitoring parameters

Communication

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- Revision: 1.1
- Transmission rate: COM3 - 230.4 kbit/s
- Min. cycle time: 1 ms
- SIO mode: Yes
- Process Data Input (PDI): 6 bytes
- Process Data Output (PDO): 1 byte
- IO device description file (IODD) available for download

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- COVAL VACUUM MANAGER Mobile app available:
 - Android, version 8.1 and higher
 - iOS, version 13 and higher





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HEAVY DUTY

Multi-stage Vacuum Pumps

- 3 suction flow rates from 700 NI/min to 1600 NI/min
- Vacuum level: 80%
- With or without vacuum and blow-off control
- M12 connections
- Digital inputs/outputs mode (SIO) / IO-Link
- 3 exhaust configurations



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Heavy Duty Multi-stage Vacuum Pumps

General Information

COVAL's **CMS HD** series of multi-stage Heavy Duty vacuum pumps for industry specific applications are the result of many years of listening to and getting feedback from manufacturers, integrators, and users in the food, packaging, and robotics industries.

The **CMS HD** multi-stage vacuum pumps meet their expectations in terms of power, robustness, ease of configuration and use, communication, and modularity, while remaining compact and light for a simplified integration in a smart factory.



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Industry-specific applications



Advantages

- Robust: resistant to the harsh environments of production lines
- High performance: optimized multi-stage Venturi system that guarantees powerful suction flow rates and reduced compressed air consumption.
- Modular: configurable according to needs and easy maintenance.
- Communicating: efficient communication system for all use levels, clear and easy to read HMI, NFC technology for mobile use, and IO-Link communications interface for straightforward networking.

Main Specifications (depending on version)

- 80% vacuum
- 3 powerful suction flow rates:
 - CMSHD90X50__ → 700 NI/min
 - CMSHD90X100__ → 1100 NI/min
 - CMSHD90X150__ → 1600 NI/min
- With or without vacuum and blow-off control
- Vacuum control: NC, NO
- With or without vacuum switch
- Blow-off controlled or automatic timed
- 1 or 2 M12 connectors
- Digital inputs/outputs mode (SIO) / IO-Link
- 3 exhaust configurations
- Degree of protection: IP65
- PNP / NPN
- Supply pressure monitoring (pressure sensor)
- Supply voltage monitoring
- Vacuum network status analysis and monitoring with a network sizing tool to prevent pressure loss, as well as a clogging detection function
- Remote HMI option features the following:
 - High-visibility color display with clear multi-lingual messages and straightforward settings menu
 - Easy set up made possible by NFC technology and COVAL Vacuum Manager mobile application

A Complete Range

For each application, a suitable CMS HD:

CMSHD__NVO

- without control



CMSHD__SVOC15P / VVOC15P

- with vacuum and blow-off control
- without vacuum switch
- one M12 5-pin connector
- Digital inputs/outputs mode
- visual indicators of vacuum and blow-off controls



CMSHD__SVX / VVX__

- with vacuum and blow-off control
- with vacuum switch, and pressure sensor
- M12 connectors available in 3 versions:
 - one 5 or 8-pin connector
 - or two 4-pin connectors
- Digital inputs/outputs (SIO) / IO-Link Mode



Accessory: remote HMI

Part No.: HMIHD1M84P

Compatible with CMSHD__VX__

- 1.54" color LCD display
- 4-key keypad
- Can be moved up to 10 m
- NFC



CMS HD

Heavy Duty Multi-stage Vacuum Pumps

General Information



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CMS HD, "tailor-made" solution

CMSHD_NVO
Pressure connection
end plate



CMSHD_SVO / VVO
Control valve block for
vacuum and blow-off
without vacuum switch



CMSHD_SVX / VVX
Control valve block for vacuum
and blow-off with vacuum switch,
pressure sensor, compatible with
remote HMI



Remote HMI
Part No.: **HMIHD1M84P**

CMSHD90X50_ / CMSHD90X100_
Simple body



CMSHD90X150_
Double body



Different configurations
available for the exhaust:

CMSHD___K
Silencer



CMSHD___F
Diffuser



CMSHD___E
Collector exhaust



Note: Exhaust options are delivered
mounted in line. They can be mounted by
the user at 90° on the front panel of the
CMS HD.

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General Information



CMS HD with control and vacuum switch



Digital inputs/outputs (SIO) / IO-Link

M12 connectors available in 3 versions:

- one 5 or 8-pin connector
- or two 4-pin connectors



Onboard installation and diagnostic tools:

- Vacuum network sizing support and clogging detection
- Supply pressure and voltage monitoring

- NC, NO vacuum control
- Blow-off controlled or automatic timed

M8 connector for remote HMI

P
Pressure

V
Vacuum

E
Exhaust



Vacuum generation with multi-stage Venturi pump:

- high suction rates
- silent operation



Clear and efficient HMI: includes all required inputs for full operation of CMS HD multi-stage vacuum pumps.

Accessory: remote HMI
Part No.: HM1HD1M84P



Gripping status indicator light (2 colors)

1.54" high-visibility color LCD display with clear multilingual messages and straightforward settings menu

Settings keypad



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Straightforward setup and diagnostics made possible by NFC technology and COVAL Vacuum Manager mobile application.

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Integration and Performance



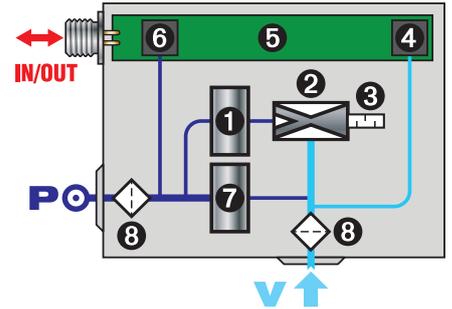
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Integrated Functions

CMS HD multi-stage vacuum pumps include all the "vacuum" functions required for an easy, efficient and economical use of compressed air and suitable for any application:

- ❶ "Vacuum" solenoid valve
- ❷ Multi-stage Venturi pump
- ❸ Through-type silencer
- ❹ Electronic vacuum switch
- ❺ Integrated electronics
- ❻ Pressure sensor
- ❼ "Blow-off" solenoid valve
- ❽ Removable filter screens

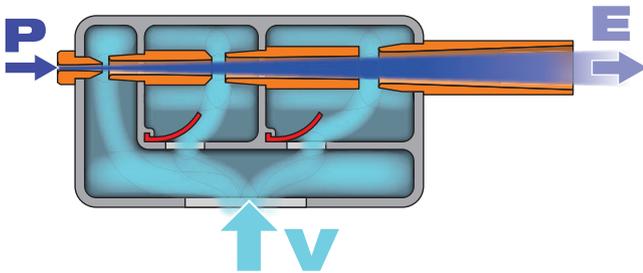


Primary Functions

Multi-stage technology consists of maximizing the energy input of the compressed air by cascading several stages of Venturi profiles and by combining their respective flows.

Intermediate valves allow the progressive isolation of each stage to obtain a maximum vacuum level.

This technology makes it possible to generate a high suction flow rate at a low vacuum level.



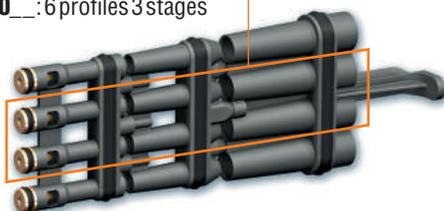
Performance Determined by CMS HD Model

Model	Max. vacuum (%)	Air drawn in (NI/min)	Air consumed (NI/min)	Air pressure level* (bar)
CMSHD90X50	80	700	220	5.5
CMSHD90X100	80	1100	420	5.5
CMSHD90X150	80	1600	620	5.5

* 6 bar for versions with control:
CMSHD90X50S_ / CMSHD90X50V_ / CMSHD90X100S_ / CMSHD90X100V_

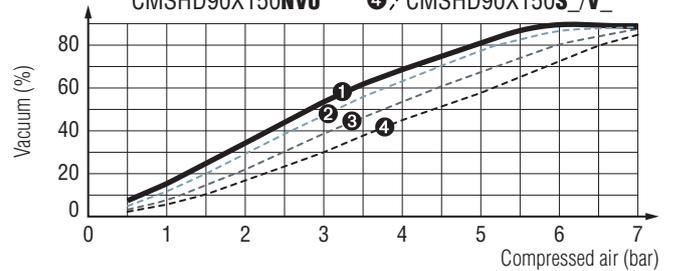
* 6.5 bar for versions with control:
CMSHD90X150S_ / CMSHD90X150V_

- CMSHD90X50_: 2 profiles 3 stages
- CMSHD90X100_: 4 profiles 3 stages
- CMSHD90X150_: 6 profiles 3 stages



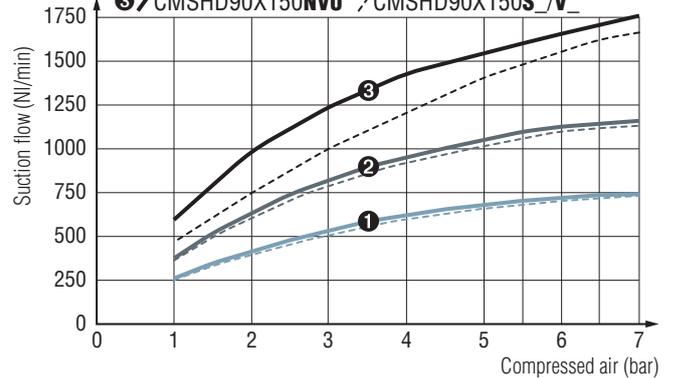
Vacuum / Compressed air

- ❶ / CMSHD90X50NVO
- ❷ / CMSHD90X50S_ / V_
- ❸ / CMSHD90X100NVO
- ❹ / CMSHD90X100S_ / V_
- ❺ / CMSHD90X150NVO
- ❻ / CMSHD90X150S_ / V_

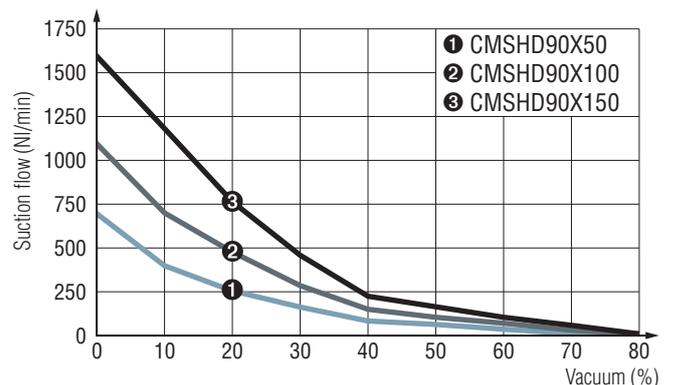


Suction flow / Compressed air

- ❶ / CMSHD90X50NVO
- ❷ / CMSHD90X100NVO
- ❸ / CMSHD90X150NVO
- ❹ / CMSHD90X50S_ / V_
- ❺ / CMSHD90X100S_ / V_
- ❻ / CMSHD90X150S_ / V_



Suction Flow / Vacuum



The values represent the average characteristics of our products.

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Easier Integration, Use, and Diagnostics

The **CMSHD__VX** Heavy Duty multi-stage vacuum pump series includes various features that enable setup, use, and diagnostics in all situations and at all levels (operators, process, networked

factory), with the aim in mind of keeping the use and management of the pumps as straightforward as possible and thus allowing for their easy integration in your smart factory.

Settings, Diagnostics and Process Data



CONFIGURABLE SETTINGS

- Choice of language: EN, FR, DE, IT or ES
- "Object gripped" thresholds
- Automatic blow-off
- Vacuum measurement unit: kPa, %, mbar, inHg
- Pressure measurement unit: MPa, bar, psi
- Software updates, and more



DIAGNOSTICS

- Cycle counters (vacuum and blow-off control, objects gripped, objects lost, etc.)
- Vacuum network sizing support to prevent pressure loss
- Clogging detection function
- Supply pressure and voltage monitoring
- Software version
- Product part number and serial number



PROCESS INPUT DATA

- Vacuum and blow-off control



PROCESS OUTPUT DATA

- Instantaneous vacuum level
- Object gripped and object lost information
- Alarms (high/low pressure, high/low voltage)
- Instantaneous pressure

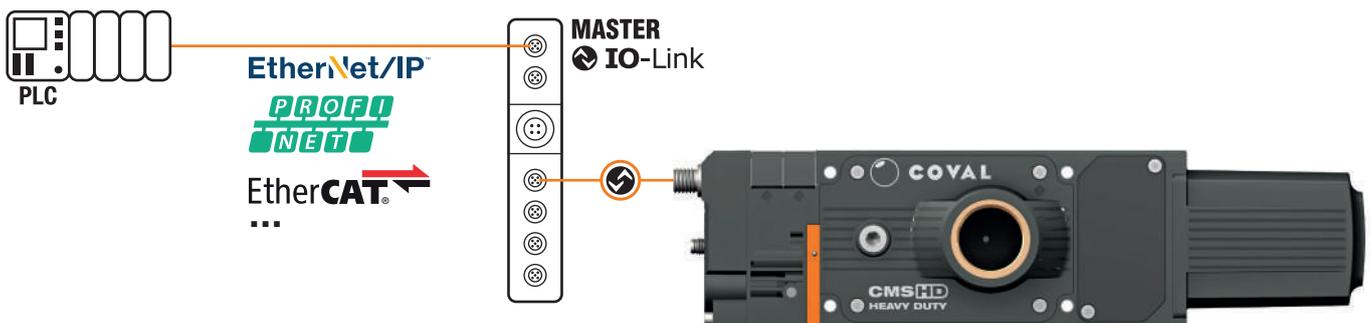


IO-Link

The IO-Link system provides efficient real-time communication between **CMSHD__VX_** multi-stage vacuum pumps and any higher-level protocol (EtherNet/IP, PROFINET, EtherCAT, etc.) required to monitor the production line. It can be used to control pumps, configure settings, and get feedback to ensure maximum productivity.

Advantages:

- Straightforward wiring, installation, and setup
- Availability of diagnostic status data
- Simpler preventive maintenance and vacuum pump replacement without manual setup, and more
- Onboard installation and diagnostic tools



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Remote HMI (accessory)

To make it easier to use and set up multi-stage piloted vacuum pumps, the CMS HD series has a remote HMI as an accessory.

Advantages:

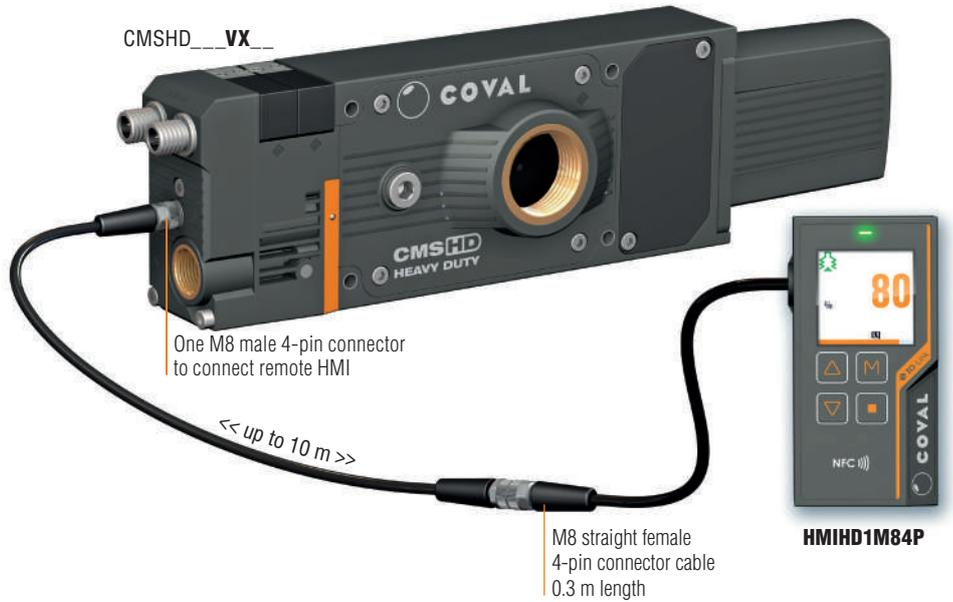
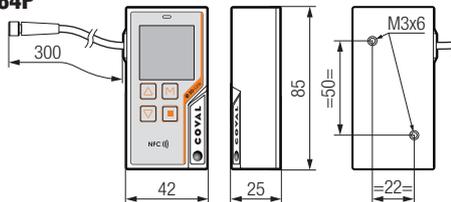
- Place the HMI in an easily accessible and visible area
- Use one HMI for several CMS HD multi-stage vacuum pumps
- Copy settings from one pump to another
- Use the CMS HD multi-stage vacuum pump without any HMI connected

CMS HD multi-stage vacuum pumps compatible with the remote HMI:

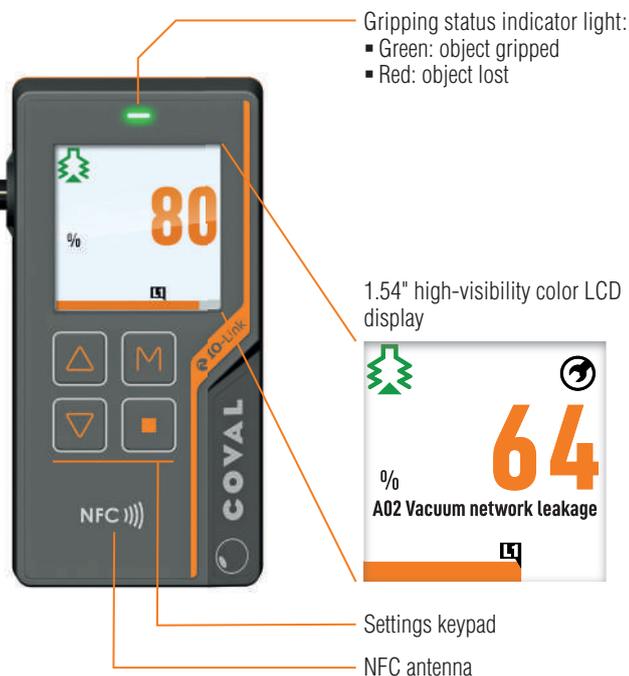
→ CMSHD__VX__ versions with M8 connector (electrical connections: see p. 96)

→ Remote HMI

Part No.: **HMIHD1M84P**

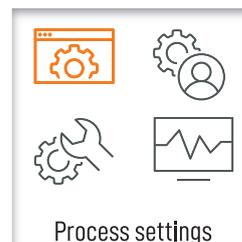


Remote HMI Dialog Front Panel

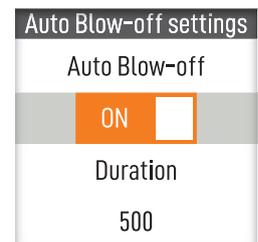


The remote HMI allows for easy and efficient reading of the pump's operation. The high-visibility display includes all required inputs for full operation:

- Main information is easy to read
- Multilingual: EN - FR - DE - IT - ES
- Simple and clear event messages
- Intuitive settings and diagnostics menus
- Configurable display orientation: 0 - 90 - 180 - 270°
- Lockable to prevent undesired changes



Multilingual



EN FR DE IT ES

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The NFC wireless technology integrated in remote HMI and in the COVAL Vacuum Manager application makes all setup and diagnostic functions available and modifiable on your mobile devices.

Additional features:

- Read/write settings with the power on or off
- Copy settings from one CMS HD to another
- Backup up to 5 setting configurations
- COVAL support: send a report including the settings and diagnostic data to COVAL for technical support



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NFC APP: COVAL Vacuum Manager
Available for Android and iOS



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Accessories for remote HMI

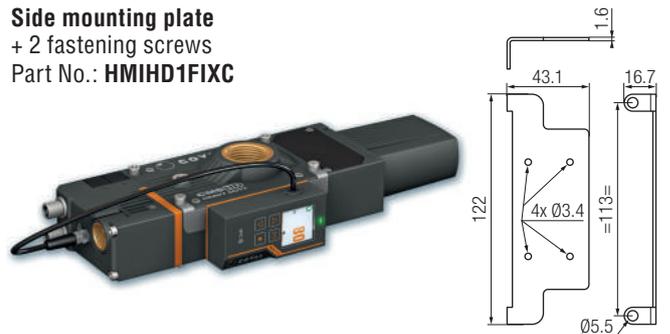
Front mounting plate

+ 2 fastening screws
Part No.: **HMIHD1FIXA**



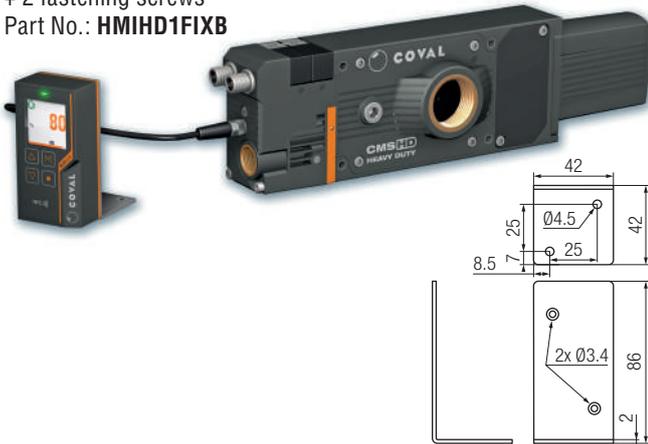
Side mounting plate

+ 2 fastening screws
Part No.: **HMIHD1FIXC**



90° angled mounting plate

+ 2 fastening screws
Part No.: **HMIHD1FIXB**



Connecting cable

M8 4-pin, female / M8 4-pin, male, compatible with cable chain

- 2 m length: Part No. **CDM8MF4PL2**
- 5 m length: Part No. **CDM8MF4PL5**
- Other lengths available upon request.



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Modularity and Maintenance



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Choice of 3 equipment options for the exhaust

Various configuration options are available for the CMS HD exhaust:

Through-type silencer

CMSHD...K version

- reduction of the noise level (-10 dBA compared to a diffuser)
- non-clogging



Diffuser

CMSHD...F version

- ultra-compact



Exhaust collector

CMSHD...E version

- G1" female connection



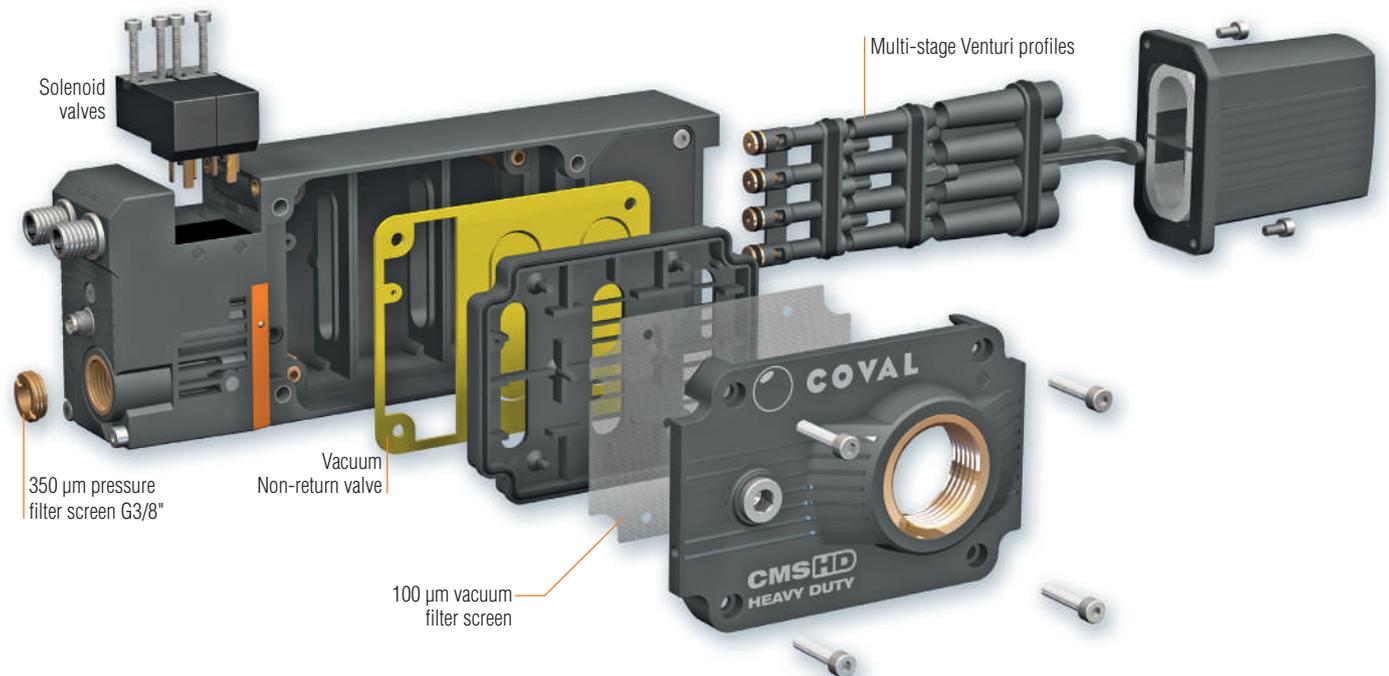
The exhaust options are delivered in-line but, depending on the environment, they can be positioned by the user on the front panel.



Modularity/Maintenance

The CMS HD multi-stage vacuum pumps have been designed to withstand the demands from all your applications and to guarantee a high level of performance. However, handling certain parts may require replacement or cleaning.

The modular design of the CMS HD multi-stage pumps ensures easy maintenance as the functions are all easily accessible.



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Selection guide



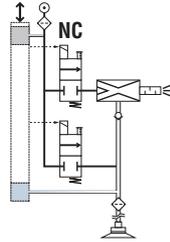
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Vacuum Control: 2 Solutions

Model CMSHD_S: vacuum pump with **NC** vacuum control and **NC** blow-off control. In the event of power failure, vacuum is no longer generated. In the event of compressed air failure, the vacuum is no longer maintained.

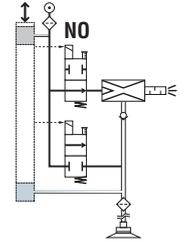
- NC blow-off and vacuum control: solenoid valves
- Choice of blow-off settings (only on CMSHD___SVX_ models):
 - controlled by external signal
 - automatic timer from 50 to 9999 ms (advantage: saves one controller output)



Model CMSHD_V: vacuum pump with **NO** vacuum control and **NC** blow-off control. In the event of power failure, vacuum is still generated: part is held in place → fail-safe.

In the event of compressed air failure, the vacuum is no longer maintained.

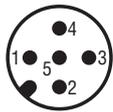
- NO vacuum control solenoid valve
- NC blow-off control solenoid valve
- Blow-off controlled by external signal



Electrical Connections

VOC15P:

- One M12 5-pin male connector

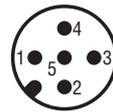


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| 1 | / |
| 2 | 24 V DC suction command ⁽¹⁾ |
| 3 | 0 V - GND |
| 4 | 24 V DC blow-off command |
| 5 | / |



VXC15X:

- One M12 5-pin male connector



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|---|--|
| 1 | 24 V DC |
| 2 | 24 V DC suction command ⁽¹⁾ |
| 3 | 0 V - GND |
| 4 | 24 V DC object gripped DO1 - C/Q |
| 5 | 24 V DC blow-off command |

- One M8 4-pin male connector → remote HMI



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|---|---------------|
| 1 | 24 V DC |
| 2 | RS485 (DATA+) |
| 3 | 0 V - GND |
| 4 | RS485 (DATA-) |



VXC18X:

- One M12 8-pin male connector



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| 1 | 24 V DC object gripped DO1 |
| 2 | 24 V DC |
| 3 | / |
| 4 | 24 V DC suction command ⁽¹⁾ |
| 5 | 24 V DC object lost DO2 - C/Q ⁽²⁾ |
| 6 | 24 V DC blow-off command |
| 7 | 0 V - GND |
| 8 | / |

- One M8 4-pin male connector → remote HMI



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| 1 | 24 V DC |
| 2 | RS485 (DATA+) |
| 3 | 0 V - GND |
| 4 | RS485 (DATA-) |

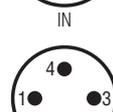


VXC24X:

- Two M12 4-pin male connectors



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| 1 | / |
| 2 | 24 V DC blow-off command |
| 3 | 0 V - GND |
| 4 | 24 V DC suction command ⁽¹⁾ |



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| 1 | 24 V DC |
| 2 | 24 V DC object lost DO2 ⁽²⁾ |
| 3 | 0 V - GND |
| 4 | 24 V DC object gripped DO1 - C/Q |
| 5 | / |

- One M8 4-pin male connector → remote HMI



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|---|---------------|
| 1 | 24 V DC |
| 2 | RS485 (DATA+) |
| 3 | 0 V - GND |
| 4 | RS485 (DATA-) |



☞ : connections for IO-Link

⁽¹⁾ 24 V DC suction command, depending on version:

- **S:** 24 V DC vacuum control
- **V:** 24 V DC vacuum off command

⁽²⁾ DO2 configurable:

- Object lost (default)
- or Power supply fault (below 21.6 V or above 26.4 V)
- or Pressure fault (below 5 bar or above 8 bar)

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Configuring a Vacuum Pump



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CMS HD Without Control

CMSHD90X 100 N VO G4 K

SUCTION FLOW RATE	
700 NI/min	50
1100 NI/min	100
1600 NI/min	150

EXHAUST	
K	Through-type silencer
E	Exhaust collector
F	Diffuser

Sample part number consisting of a multi-stage vacuum pump without control: **CMSHD90X100NVOG4K**

Multi-stage vacuum pump without control, max. vacuum 80%, suction flow rate 1100 NI/min with Through-type silencer

CMS HD With Control

CMSHD90X 100 S VX C15X G4 K D

SUCTION FLOW RATE	
700 NI/min	50
1100 NI/min	100
1600 NI/min	150

VACUUM SWITCH / HMI	
Multi-stage vacuum pump without vacuum switch and HMI	VO C15P
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Simplified CMS HD with control, without settings and dialogs Digital inputs/outputs mode (SIO) 	

CONNECTORS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> One M12 5-pin male PNP 	C15P



EXHAUST*	
K	Through-type silencer
E	Exhaust collector
F	Diffuser

* Exhaust accessories are delivered mounted in line by default.

GENERATOR CONTROL	
Vacuum pump with NC vacuum control and NC blow-off control. Choice of blow-off settings (only on CMSHD__SVX__models): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Controlled by external signal Automatic timer from 50 to 9999 ms (advantage: saves one controller output). 	S
Vacuum pump with NO vacuum control and NC blow-off control. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Blow-off controlled by external signal 	V

VACUUM SWITCH / HMI	
Multi-stage vacuum pump with integrated vacuum switch and pressure sensor, without HMI	VX C15X
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Electronic vacuum switch Digital Output DO1 "object gripped" 24 V DC / NO Digital input/outputs mode (SIO) / IO-Link Compatible with remote HMI 	

CONNECTORS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> One M12 5-pin male configurable as PNP or NPN One M8 4-pin male for remote HMI 	C15X



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CONNECTORS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> One M12 8-pin male configurable as PNP or NPN One M8 4-pin male for remote HMI Digital Output DO2 configurable 24 V DC / NO 	C18X



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CONNECTORS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two M12 4-pin male configurable as PNP or NPN One M8 4-pin male for remote HMI Digital Output DO2 configurable 24 V DC / NO 	C24X



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PRESSURE SENSOR	
None on VO versions	-
Standard on VX versions	D

Sample part number consisting of a multi-stage vacuum pump with control:

CMSHD90X100SVXC15XG4FD

Multi-stage vacuum pump with control, max. vacuum 80%, suction flow rate 1100 NI/min, NC vacuum and blow-off control, one M12 5-pin connector and one M8 4-pin connector, with diffuser.

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Examples of Composed Part Numbers



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CMSHD90X50NVOG4E

Multi-stage vacuum pump without control, max. vacuum 80%, suction flow rate 700 NI/min with exhaust collector.



CMSHD90X150NVOG4K

Multi-stage vacuum pump without control, max. vacuum 80%, suction flow rate 1600 NI/min with through-type silencer.

CMSHD90X100SVOC15PG4F

Multi-stage vacuum pump with control, max. vacuum 80%, suction flow rate 1100 NI/min, NC vacuum and blow-off control, one M12 5-pin connector, with diffuser.



CMSHD90X100VVC15XG4ED + HMIHD1M84P + HMIHD1FIXA

Multi-stage vacuum pump with control, max. vacuum 80%, suction flow rate 1100 NI/min, NO vacuum control and NC blow-off control, one M12 5-pin connector and one M8 4-pin connector, with exhaust collector + remote HMI and front mounting plate.

CMSHD90X150SVXC24XG4KD

Multi-stage vacuum pump with control, max. vacuum 80%, suction flow rate 1600 NI/min, NC vacuum and blow-off control, one M12 5-pin connector and one M8 4-pin connector, with through-type silencer.



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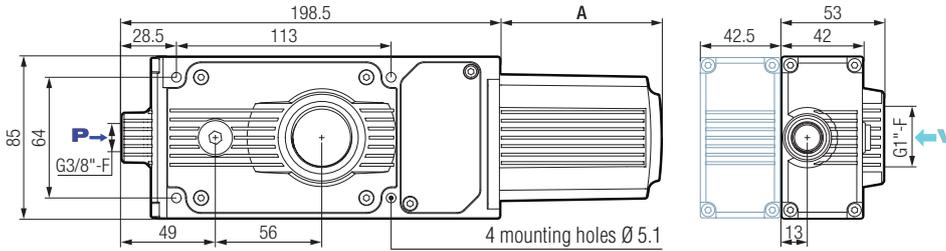
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Dimensions

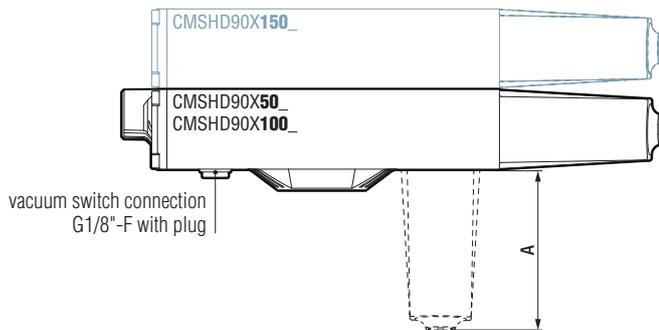


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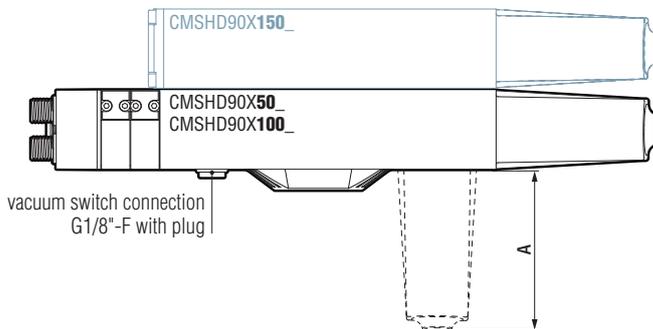
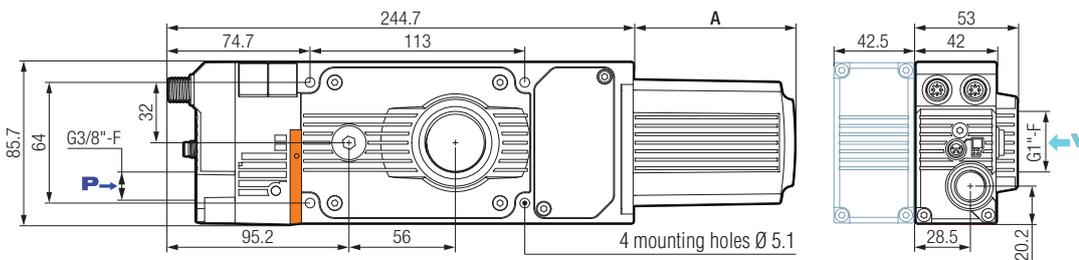


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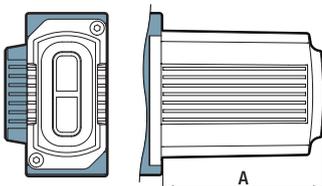
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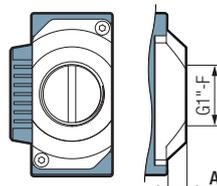


Exhaust Options

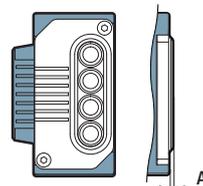
Through-type silencer
 CMSHD...K version



Exhaust collector
 CMSHD...E version



Diffuser
 CMSHD...F version



Exhaust Type	A
Silencer	85
Collector	10
Diffuser	2

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Technical specifications



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- Supply: non-lubricated air, filtered to 5 microns, according to standard ISO 8573-1:2010 [3:4:4]
- Operating pressure: from 2 to 8 bar
- Optimal dynamic pressure:
 - CMSHD_**NVO** (without control): 5.5 bar
 - CMSHD90X50**S**/50**V**/100**S**/100**V** (with control) : 6 bar
 - CMSHD90X150**S**/150**V** (with control) : 6,5 bar
- Pressure connection: G3/8"-F with removable 350 µm filter screen
- Vacuum connection: G1"-F with removable 100 µm filter screen
- Connection for version with exhaust collector: G1"-F
- Vacuum switch connection G1/8"-F
- Max. vacuum: 80%
- Air suction flow rate: 700 to 1600 NI/min
- Air consumption: 220 to 620 NI/min
- Noise level:
 - with silencer:
 - CMSHD90X**50**_**K**: 59 dBA
 - CMSHD90X**100**_**K**: 62 dBA
 - CMSHD90X**150**_**K**: 67 dBA
 - with diffuser (CMSHD_**F** version): + 10 dBA to the silencer version
- Degree of protection: IP65
- Max. operating frequency: 4 Hz
- Endurance: 50 million cycles
- Weight:
 - CMSHD without control:
 - CMSHD_**50/100**: 645 g
 - CMSHD_**150**: 1330 g
 - CMSHD with control:
 - CMSHD_**50/100**: 890 g
 - CMSHD_**150**: 1575 g
- Operating temperature: from 0 to 50° C
- Materials: PA GF, brass, aluminum, steel, NBR, PU, FKM
- M12 and M8 male connectors (depending on version)

Integrated electronics

- 24 V DC power supply (regulated ±10%)
- Vacuum measuring range: 0 to 99%
- Pressure measuring range: 0 to 10 bar
- Vacuum and pressure measurement accuracy: ±1.5% of the range, compensated for temperature
- Inputs/outputs protected against reversed wiring and polarity
- Consumption: 170 mA max. (without load)
- Input/Output switching mode: PNP or PNP/NPN configurable
- Digital inputs/outputs mode (SIO) / IO-Link

DO1/DO2 output signals (only on CMSHD_**VX** models)

- Configurable as PNP or NPN
- NO or NC
- Breaking capacity: 330 mA
- DO1: object gripped output (factory setting 40%)
- DO2 configurable (see parameter settings)

Diagnostics

- Instantaneous vacuum level (unit transmitted over IO-Link: mbar)
- Available information: Object gripped, object lost
- Cycle counters (vacuum, blow-off, object gripped, object lost, etc.)
- Vacuum network sizing support to prevent head losses
- Clogging detection function
- Supply pressure monitoring
- Supply voltage monitoring
- Product part number and serial number
- Software version

Indicator on model CMSHD_**VOC15P**

- Status LED for control functions:
 - green LED: vacuum control
 - orange LED: blow-off control

Information displayed on remote HMI

- LED gripping status indicator on front panel
 - Green: object gripped
 - Red: object lost
- 1.54" high-visibility color LCD display:
 - Displays vacuum level with bar graph and thresholds
 - Warns when service life has been exceeded (> 50 million cycles)
 - Explicit fault messages
 - "Suction cup" icon indicating the status of control functions:
 - Green suction cup: vacuum control
 - Orange suction cup: blow-off control
 - Red suction cup: simultaneous vacuum and blow-off control
 - Configurable display orientation: 0 - 90 - 180 - 270°

Parameter settings available with the remote HMI or IO-Link (only on CMSHD_**VX** models)

- Choice of blow-off type:
 - Controlled
 - Automatic timed, adjustable from 50 to 9999 ms
- Object gripped (L1) control thresholds
- Whenever required by the application, specific threshold and hysteresis settings that are different from the initial factory settings can be defined: L1 = 40%, h1 = 10%
- DO2 configurable (24 V DC) (only on CMSHD_**VXC24X** and **VXC18X** models):
 - Object lost (default)
 - or Power supply fault (below 21.6 V or above 26.4 V)
 - or Pressure fault (below 5 bar or above 8 bar)

+ Additional settings available with the remote HMI

(performed with 4-key membrane keyboard):

- Choice of language: EN, FR, DE, IT, or ES
- Choice of vacuum measurement unit (kPa, %, mbar, inHg)
- Choice of pressure measurement unit (MPa, bar, psi)
- Monostable electrical manual controls

Communication

IO-Link

- Revision: 1.1
- Transmission rate: COM3 - 230.4 kbit/s
- Min. cycle time: 1 ms
- SIO mode: Yes
- Process Data Input (PDI): 6 bytes
- Process Data Output (PDO): 1 byte
- IO device description file (IODD) available for download

NFC

- COVAL VACUUM MANAGER Mobile app available:
 - Android, version 8.1 and higher
 - iOS, version 13 and higher

CMS HD

Heavy Duty Multi-stage Vacuum Pumps

Accessories



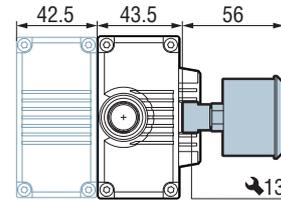
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IO-Link

To visualize the vacuum level

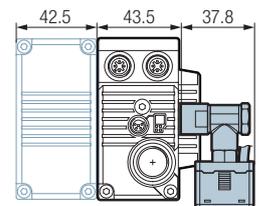
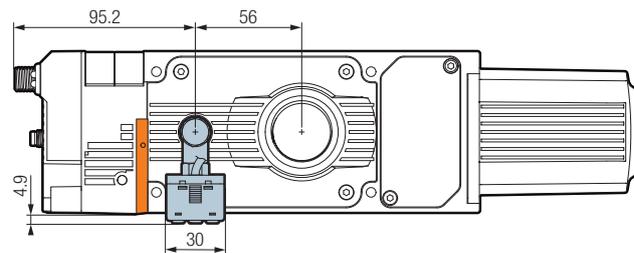
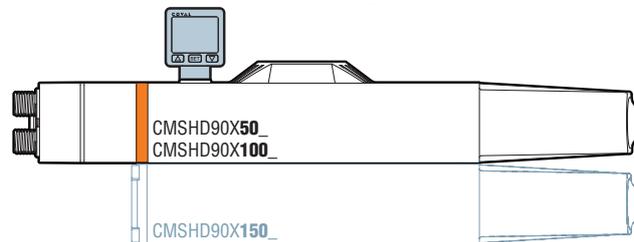
Vacuum gauge Ø 40 mm Part No. VAF11140RDM18G

- Damping: by silicone movement (patented).
- Measuring: Bourdon tube in CuSn.
- Precision: cl. 2.5 (+/- 2.5% of max. scale value).
- Frame: black ABS
- Vacuum connection: G1/8"-M



Electronic vacuum switch with 3-color display with adjustable elbow connection Part No. PSD100CPNRCOM18G

- One M8 4-pin connector.
- 1 PNP digital output (NO or NC). Max. load current: 125 mA, Max. supply voltage: 24 VDC, Residual voltage: ≤ 1.5 V.
- 1 analog output (Output voltage: 1 to 5 V ± 2.5% F.S. (within rated pressure range), linearity: ± 1% F.S. / Output impedance: approx. 1 kΩ)
- Pressure rating range: 0 ~ -101.3 kPa.
- Pressure setting range: 10 ~ -101.3 kPa.
- Max. pressure: 300 kPa.
- Fluid: Air, non-corrosive/non-flammable gas.
- Hysteresis: adjustable.
- Response time: ≤ 2.5ms, with anti-vibration function.
- 7 segment LCD display : 2 color (red/green) main display, orange sub-display (refresh rate: 5 times/1sec.).
- Choice of pressure unit display: kPa, MPa, kgf/cm², bar, psi, InHg, mmHg.
- Power supply voltage: 12 to 24 V DC ±10%.
- Current consumption: ≤ 40mA (without load).
- Repeatability (switch output): ≤ ±0.2% F.S. ±1 digit.
- Protection: IP40.
- Ambient temperature range: 0 – 50° C (operation).
- Adjustable elbow connection 360°: G1/8"-M



Remote HMI

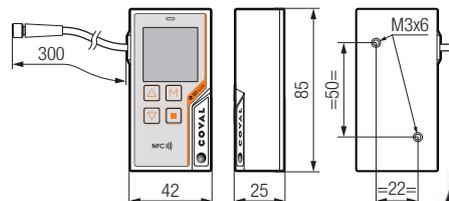
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Part No. HMIHD1M84P

- With M8 4-pin female connector, 0.3m length

Accessories for remote HMI (see details on p. 94)

- Front mounting plate: Part No. HMIHD1FIXA
- 90° angled mounting plate: Part No. HMIHD1FIXB
- Side mounting plate: Part No. HMIHD1FIXC
- M8 4-pin, female / M8 4-pin, male, connecting cable:
 - 2 m length: Part No. CDM8MF4PL2
 - 5 m length: Part No. CDM8MF4PL5
 - Other lengths available upon request.



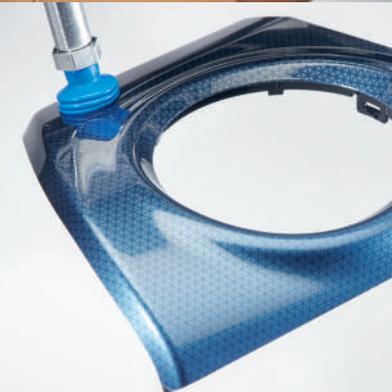
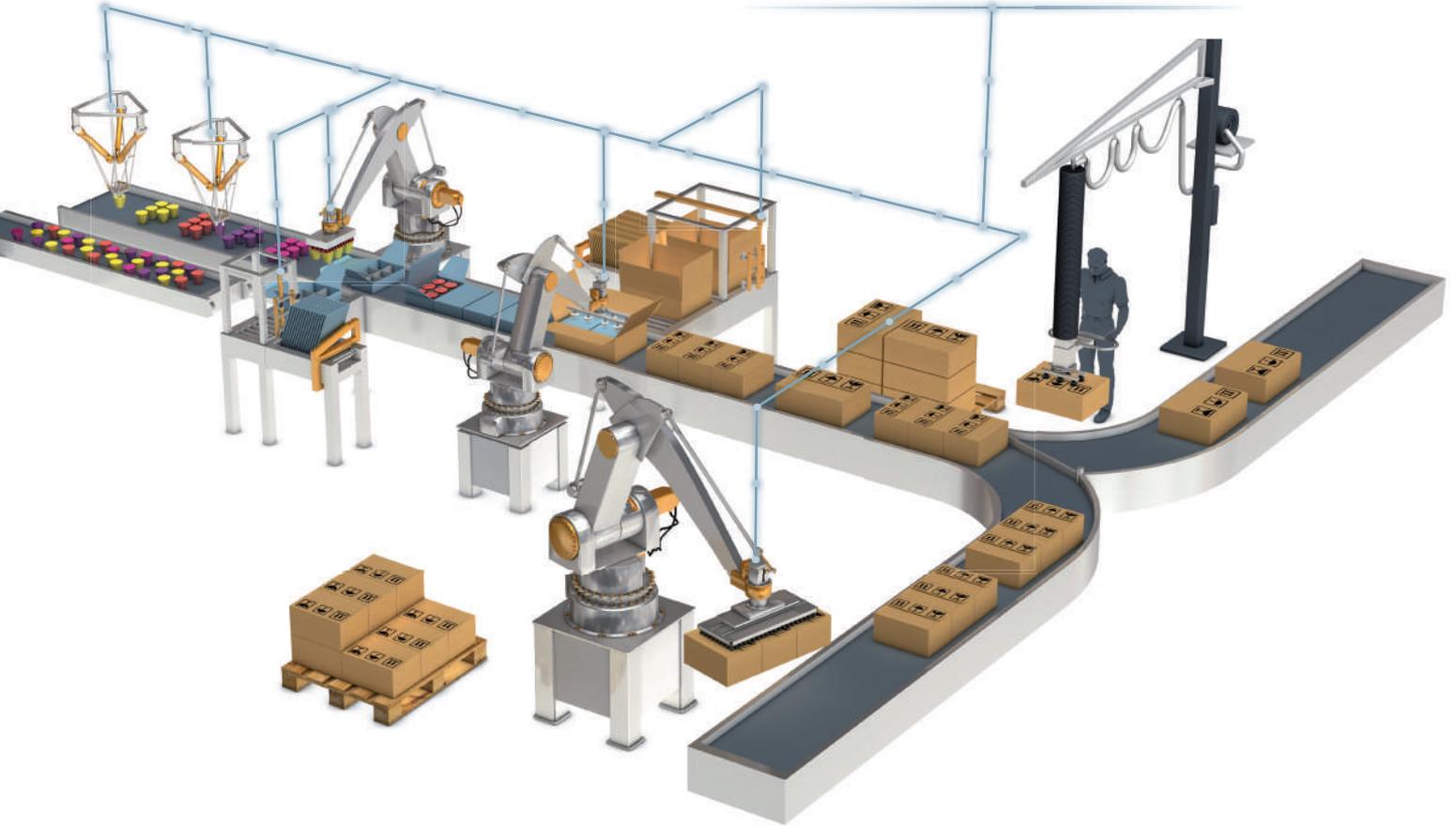




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