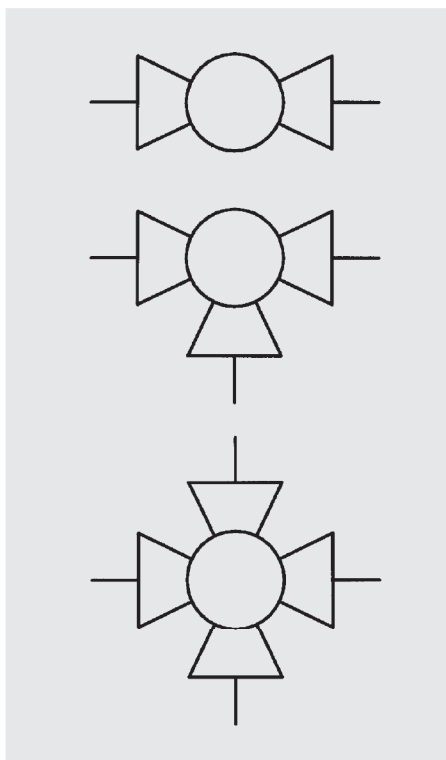


Compatibility list

For 2/2-, 3/2- and 4/2-way ball valves



1. DESCRIPTION

1.1 GENERAL

The HYDAC compatibility list is intended as a non-binding recommendation for the selection of materials for the housing, connection adapters, control spindle, ball and seals for ball valves.

The data given in this brochure is based on the tests, recommendations and experience of our suppliers. Given the immense variety of applications, media concentrations, pressures and temperatures, the data is intended to be a general guideline only.

1.2 NOTES

All the data applies to the usual concentrations of the media at room temperature, 20 °C. In individual cases we can select specific seal combinations and suitable materials for problematic operating conditions on request.

Medium	Ball valve materials				Soft seals		Sealing cups	
	Housing	Ball	Control spindle					
	Steel	Brass	GG, GSC	1.4571	NBR	FKM	POM	PTFE
A								
Acetaldehyde	3	2	3	1	4	3	2	1
Acetic acid	3	3	3	1	4	4	4	1
Acetic anhydride	4	3	4	2	4	4	4	1
Acetone	1	1	1	1	4	4	2	2
Acetylene	1	4	1	1	2	2	2	2
Acrylonitrile	1	1	3	1	4	3	4	1
Air	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Alcohol	4	4	4	4	4	1	1	1
Alum, aqueous	3	3	3	1	2	1	2	1
Aluminium chloride	3	3	3	1	2	1	1	1
Ammonia	1	4	2	1	3	4	2	1
Ammonium carbonate	2	4	2	2	3	3	3	1
Ammonium chloride	4	4	4	2	2	1	2	1
Ammonium phosphate, aqueous	4	4	4	2	2	1	2	1
Ammonium sulphate	3	4	3	2	2	1	2	1
Amyl acetate	3	3	3	2	4	4	2	1
Aniline	2	3	3	1	4	2	2	1
Argon gas	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Aviation fuel JP 3-6	1	1	1	1	3	2	3	1
B								
Beer	4	1	4	1	1	1	1	1
Beet sugar solution	2	—	2	1	2	1	1	1
Benzene	2	2	2	2	4	3	2	1
Bitumen	1	2	2	1	4	2	3	1
Borax, aqueous	3	3	3	2	1	1	1	1
Boric acid, aqueous	3	3	4	2	1	1	2	1
Brake fluid	2	2	3	2	4	3	2	1
Brandy	2	2	3	2	2	1	2	1
Bromine	4	3	4	4	4	2	—	1
Brown coal tar	1	4	1	1	4	4	4	1
Butane, gaseous	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	1
Butter fat	4	4	4	1	1	4	1	1
Butyric acid, aqueous	4	3	4	2	2	2	2	1
C								
Cadmium chloride	4	4	4	1	1	4	4	1
Cadmium sulphate	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Calcareous water	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Calcium bisulphate, aqueous	4	2	4	2	2	2	2	1
Calcium carbonate	1	4	4	1	1	1	4	1
Calcium chloride, aqueous	3	2	3	2	1	1	1	1
Calcium hydroxide	3	1	3	2	1	1	2	1
Carbon dioxide	1	1	2	1	2	1	4	1
Carbon disulphide	3	3	3	2	4	1	2	1
Carbonic acid	2	4	4	2	2	2	2	1
Castor oil	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1
Cellolube 220	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1
Chlorine wet + dry	4	4	4	4	4	2	4	1
Chlorine, gaseous up to 100 °C	4	4	4	1	4	1	4	1
Chlorobenzene	2	2	2	1	4	2	2	1
Chloroform	2	2	2	1	4	2	4	1
Citric acid	4	2	4	2	2	1	2	1
Clophen A	1	1	1	1	4	1	4	1
Coal tar oil	1	1	1	1	4	2	3	1
Coke oven gas	2	3	2	1	4	2	—	1
Condenser oil	1	4	1	1	4	1	1	1

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	Steel	Brass	GG, GSC	1.4571	NBR	FKM	POM	PTFE
C								
Copper nitrate, aqueous	4	4	4	2	2	1	2	1
Copper sulphate, aqueous	4	4	4	2	2	1	2	1
Cresolyl, aqueous	3	3	4	2	4	2	4	1
Crude oil	2	2	2	1	2	1	1	1
Crude oil	2	2	2	1	2	1	2	1
Cutting oil	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cutting oil emulsion	3	3	2	2	1	2	1	1
D								
Diesel fuel	1	1	1	1	3	1	2	1
E								
Edible oil	4	4	4	1	1	4	4	1
Ethane	2	1	2	2	1	1	1	1
Ethanol	2	2	2	1	3	3	2	1
Ether	1	1	1	1	4	4	4	1
Ethyl acetate	2	3	2	2	4	4	2	1
Ethylene	2	—	2	1	2	2	2	1
F								
Faecal matter	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1
Fatty acids	4	—	4	1	3	1	1	1
Fertilizer solution	4	3	4	3	4	4	—	1
Fire extinguishing substance	1	1	1	1	1	4	4	1
Fish oil	2	2	2	1	2	1	1	1
Formaldehyde	3	1	3	1	2	2	1	1
Formic acid	4	2	4	2	4	4	4	1
Freon	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	1
Fruit juices	4	3	4	1	2	1	1	1
Fuel oil, heavy	2	2	3	1	4	3	3	1
Fuel oil, light	2	2	2	1	3	2	3	1
Furan	1	4	4	1	4	4	4	1
Furfural	1	1	2	1	4	4	2	1
G								
Gas liquor	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	1
Gas oil	2	2	2	1	3	1	2	1
Gasoline, pure	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	1
Gelatine	3	3	4	1	1	1	1	1
Glucose	2	1	2	1	1	1	2	1
Glycerine	2	2	2	1	1	2	3	1
Glycol	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	1
H								
Heavy oil	1	1	1	1	4	4	4	1
Heptane	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	1
Hexane	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1
Hydraulic fluid, based on phosphate-ester	2	4	2	1	4	1	1	1
Hydraulic fluid, based on glycol	2	3	2	1	3	2	3	1
Hydraulic fluid, based on mineral oil	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Hydrochloric acid	4	4	4	4	—	1	—	1
Hydrogen	2	2	2	1	2	2	—	1
Hydrogen peroxide	4	4	4	2	4	2	4	1
Hydrogen sulphide	3	4	4	2	3	2	3	1
I								
Ink	4	3	4	1	1	1	1	1
Iron chloride	4	2	4	4	2	1	3	1
Iron sulphate	4	2	4	2	3	1	1	1

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	Steel	Housing	Control spindle	1.4571	NBR	FKM	POM	PTFE
		Ball						
		Brass						
I								
Isobutyl alcohol	2	2	3	2	3	1	3	1
Isooctane	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1
Isopropyl alcohol	2	2	3	2	3	1	2	1
Isopropyl ether	1	1	3	1	3	4	—	1
K								
Kerosene	2	2	2	1	2	1	1	1
Ketone	4	4	4	1	4	4	4	1
L								
Lacquers	2	1	2	1	4	3	2	1
Latex emulsion	2	1	2	1	—	—	1	1
Lead acetate, aqueous	4	3	4	1	4	2	3	1
Linseed oil	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	1
Lubricating oil	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lubricating oil, mineral	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1
Lyes, alkaline	4	4	4	1	1	4	1	1
M								
Magnesium chloride	3	3	4	2	2	1	1	1
Magnesium hydroxide	2	4	2	1	2	1	1	1
Magnesium sulphate	3	2	3	2	2	1	1	1
Maleic anhydride	4	2	4	2	—	2	3	1
Malic acid	4	3	4	2	1	1	1	1
Mercury	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1
Mercury chloride	4	4	4	3	2	1	4	1
Methane	2	1	2	2	1	1	2	1
Methanol	2	2	2	2	3	4	2	1
Methyl ethyl ketone	1	1	3	1	4	4	1	1
Methylamine, aqueous	2	4	2	1	4	4	—	1
Methylene bromide	4	1	4	4	4	1	3	1
Methylene chloride	2	1	3	1	4	3	3	1
Milk of lime	2	—	2	1	4	2	2	1
Mine gas	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1
N								
Naphtha	2	2	2	1	2	1	1	1
Naphthalene	2	2	2	2	4	1	1	1
Natural gas	2	2	2	1	2	1	2	1
Nickel chloride	4	4	4	2	1	1	2	1
Nickel sulphate	4	4	4	2	2	1	2	1
Nitric acid	1	4	1	1	4	4	4	1
Nitrobenzene	—	4	3	1	4	3	4	1
Nitrogen	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
O								
Oil-water emulsion	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Oleic acid	2	2	3	2	2	1	1	1
Oleum	3	4	3	2	4	2	4	1
Oxalic acid	4	4	4	2	2	1	3	1
Oxygen	2	1	3	1	4	2	4	1
Oxygen gas	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Ozone	4	4	4	1	—	—	—	1
P								
Palm oil	4	4	4	1	4	1	1	1
Palmitic acid	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	1
Paraffin	2	1	2	1	1	1	2	1
Pentane	2	1	2	1	1	1	2	1
Perchloroethylene	1	4	1	1	4	4	4	1
Petroleum	2	2	2	1	2	1	1	1
Phenol	2	2	2	2	4	2	4	1

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		Ball						
		Brass						
P								
Picric acid	4	3	4	1	2	1	—	1
Pine needle oil	2	2	2	1	2	1	2	1
Pit water	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Potassium bromide, aqueous	4	3	4	1	2	1	2	1
Potassium carbonate, aqueous	2	2	2	2	1	1	2	1
Potassium chlorate, aqueous	2	2	2	2	4	1	2	1
Potassium chloride, aqueous	3	2	3	3	1	1	2	1
Potassium nitrate, aqueous	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1
Potassium sulphate, aqueous	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1
Propane	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	1
Propyl alcohol	4	1	4	1	4	—	—	1
Propylene glycol	2	2	2	2	2	1	3	1
Pydraul F9	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1
S								
Salicylic acid	4	3	4	1	1	1	2	1
Silver nitrate	4	4	4	2	2	2	2	1
Soap solutions	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1
Sodium bicarbonate	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	1
Sodium carbonate	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	1
Sodium chlorate	3	—	3	2	3	1	2	1
Sodium chloride	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1
Sodium cyanide	2	4	2	2	2	1	2	1
Sodium hydroxide	2	2	2	1	3	3	—	1
Sodium hydroxide solution	4	4	4	1	1	4	4	1
Sodium nitrate	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1
Sodium phosphate	3	2	3	1	2	1	2	1
Sodium silicate	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	1
Sodium sulphate	2	2	2	1	2	1	1	1
Sodium sulphide	2	4	3	2	2	1	2	1
Sodium sulphite, aqueous	4	—	4	1	4	3	3	1
Sodium thiosulphate	2	3	2	1	4	1	1	1
Solvents	2	2	2	1	4	3	2	1
Spirit	1	1	1	1	4	4	4	1
Steam (water)	2	1	2	1	4	4	4	1
Stearic acid	3	3	3	2	1	1	1	1
Styrene	1	1	2	1	4	2	2	1
Sugar solution	4	4	4	1	1	4	1	1
Sulphur	3	4	3	2	4	1	2	1
Sulphur dioxide	2	2	2	1	4	1	2	1
Sulphuric acid	2	3	2	1	4	2	4	1
T								
Tannic acid	3	2	3	1	2	2	1	1
Tartaric acid	4	2	4	2	2	1	2	1
Tin chloride	4	4	4	4	2	1	2	1
Toluene	1	1	1	1	4	2	2	1
Town gas	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1
Transformer oil	1	2	2	1	2	2	1	1
Transmission oil	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Tributyl phosphate	2	2	2	1	4	3	—	1
Trichloroacetic acid	4	4	4	1	4	4	4	1
Trichloroethylene	2	3	3	2	4	3	3	1
Turbine oil	1	1	1	1	4	1	4	1
Turpentine oil	3	2	2	2	2	1	1	1
Urea, aqueous	3	2	3	2	2	2	2	1
V								
Vinegar	4	3	4	1	3	2	4	1

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V								
Vinyl chloride	2	3	2	2	4	3	2	1
Viscose	1	4	1	1	1	4	1	1
Volatile oils	2	2	2	1	3	2	2	1
W								
Water up to 180 °C.	2	1	2	1	4	4	4	1
Water up to 80 °C.	2	1	2	1	2	2	2	1
Water, distilled	4	1	4	1	2	2	2	1
Water, sea water	4	2	4	2	3	2	3	1
Wax	1	1	1	1	3	2	1	1
X								
Xylenes	2	1	2	1	4	2	1	1
Z								
Zinc chloride	4	4	3	4	3	1	2	1
Zinc sulphate	4	2	4	2	1	1	2	1

- 1 = recommended
 2 = mostly suitable
 3 = probably suitable
 4 = not recommended
 – = not yet determined

NOTE:
Medium tested at room temperature 20 °C

MATERIALS SUMMARY AND APPLICATIONS OF THE MATERIALS IN HYDAC BALL VALVES.

Housing, connection adapter, control spindle and ball:

Material code	Material	Application
1	11SMnPb30+C	General oil hydraulics without special materials requirement.
2	Brass (MS58)	General oil and water hydraulics with increased corrosion protection requirements. Low and medium pressure range.
3	Stainless steel (1.4571)	Special application in the chemical and power industry with high corrosion protection requirements of the material.
5	Structural steel (ST52-3)	General oil and water hydraulics with special materials requirement.
6	Tempered steel (C 22.8)	As for code 5.
8	Cast iron (GG25)	Low pressure applications with good corrosion resistance.
10	Cast steel (GS-C 25)	High temperature applications with high stability values. Poor corrosive property.

Material of ball sealing cup:

Material code	Material	Application
1	Polyacetal (POM)	Primarily for high pressure hydraulics in the temperature range from - 20 °C to + 80 °C. Operating pressure up to max. 500 bar. Not resistant to aggressive media.
2	Perbunan (NBR)	Primarily for pneumatics and gas applications (DVGW, German Technical Association for Gas and Water). Temperature range from - 5 °C to + 70 °C. Operating pressure up to max. 100 bar. Not resistant to aggressive media.
3	PTFE	Given the excellent chemical and thermal properties, the application ranges are varied. Temperature range from - 200 °C to + 250 °C. Operating pressure up to max. 100 bar.
8	Victrex- PEEK	Good chemical and thermal properties. Temperature range from - 150 °C to + 200 °C. Operating pressure up to max. 500 bar.

Material of O-rings on the control spindle and the connection adapters:

Material code	Material	Application
2	Perbunan (NBR)	General hydraulics. Temperature range from - 20 °C to + 100 °C. Operating pressure up to max. 500 bar
4	Viton (FKM)	General hydraulics, however primarily for aggressive media. Temperature range from - 10 °C to + 200 °C. Operating pressure up to max. 500 bar.