

Building optimization just got a lot smarter with TA-Smart.









TA-Smart





TA-Smart is a balancing and control valve designed for heating and cooling applications constructed around 3 key principles:



CONTROL

Versatility of valve control modes operating according to flow, power and valve position with outstanding controllability. A ΔT limitation function can



MEASUREMENT

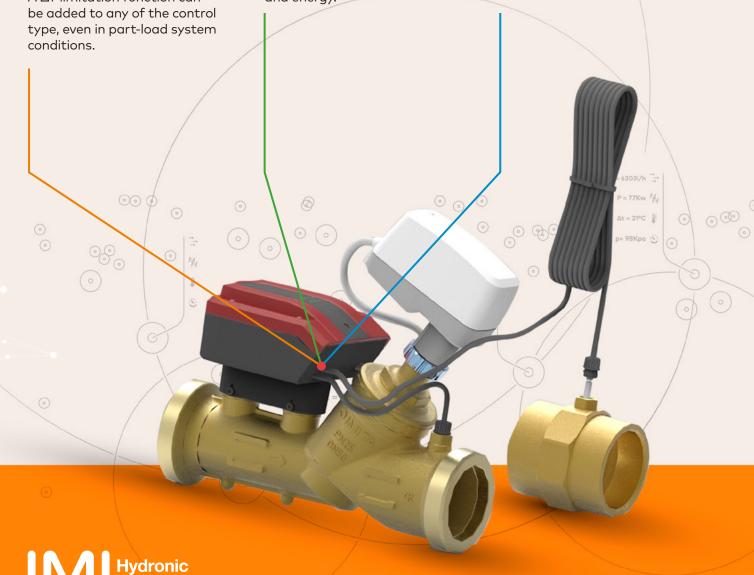
Continuous measurement of flow, valve position, return/supply temperatures, temperature difference, power and energy.



COMMUNICATION

Communicates and stores: BLE, bus, Analog, Cloud.

Fully digitally configurable: HyTune mobile app, web app.







Why use TA-Smart?



To comply with **European Regulations**

The EU has set binding targets of at least a 32.5% reduction in energy by 2030. The Energy Performance of Building Directives (EPBD) holds the new rules agreed by the EU to help address the burden of buildings in energy consumption and has as key objectives to decarbonize buildings, encourage more automation and smart control systems to improve building efficiency and measure the buildings' ability to adapt to real system conditions.

The most notable provisions of the new EPBD include:

- By 2025, Non-residential buildings with an output greater than 290kW require mandatory installation (or retrofit) capable of:
 - Monitoring, logging, analysis and allowing for adjustment of energy usage
 - Detecting losses in efficiency and informing opportunities for energetic improvements
 - Allowing for communication with connected building systems
- Buildings equipped with BACS and electronic monitoring are exempted from inspections of HVAC systems.



For Green Certification Labels

The number of new buildings certified is rising rapidly. Since 1990, 550k buildings were certified, while today there are 2 million buildings in the pipeline for certification.

This peak means it is becoming absolutely expected for high-end buildings to hold a certification label. Most fortune 500 companies, tech giants and financial institutions will not rent spaces that are not certified.

The growing demands from tenants have an impact on real estate. In fact, holding a building certification label allows building owners to increase their **rental fee by 18%** and seize better loan and investment opportunities from banks. In addition, certified buildings can **expect 21% premium on sales** transactions.

3 of the most known certification bodies, LEED, BREAM, HQE, request the installation of energy and power measurement points in the HVAC system as part of the certification criteria. These bodies claim that following such criteria help decrease by 10-20% energy consumption while improving indoor comfort.

TA-Smart supports EPBD measurement requirements without the need to install support components. It seamlessly integrates circuit data for transparent monitoring and optimization of performance.

TA-Smart fulfills measurement and energy monitoring requirements from certification labels without the need to install additional components.



Why use TA-Smart?

For HVAC monitoring



Buildings are responsible for 40% of the world's energy consumption and 36% of CO₂ emissions. HVAC systems account for 50% of a building's energy usage, representing 20% of the world's energy consumption.

Therefore, optimizing the hydronic distribution is the most cost-efficient way to generate immediate and substantial savings, on average up to 30%.

Managing active system differential pressures and providing accurate flow control is critical in achieving high quality indoor temperature, comfort and energy efficiencies in the system.

However, to apply such actions and ensure the optimal flow and power is being delivered to where it is needed, one must measure how the system **behaves** to reach conclusions that can provide tangible optimizations.

For precise indoor temperature that autonomously adapts



System control is critical for delivering indoor **comfort** and **energy efficiency** of the system. By correctly controlling the flow to a terminal unit, we can control the right amount of power delivered to ensure the right amount of heat/cooling transfer without wastage to ensure energy efficiency.

One of the challenges of good system control is ensuring the valve can control at low flows and when the system differential pressures vary. Today's heating and cooling systems rarely operate under design conditions. In fact, in most European countries, systems operate under 20% of flow (50% of power) approximately 80% of the time. This highlights the importance of **good valve control** in low flow conditions; otherwise, during most of the heating season, your system won't be able to deliver the desired levels of power and, therefore, temperature.

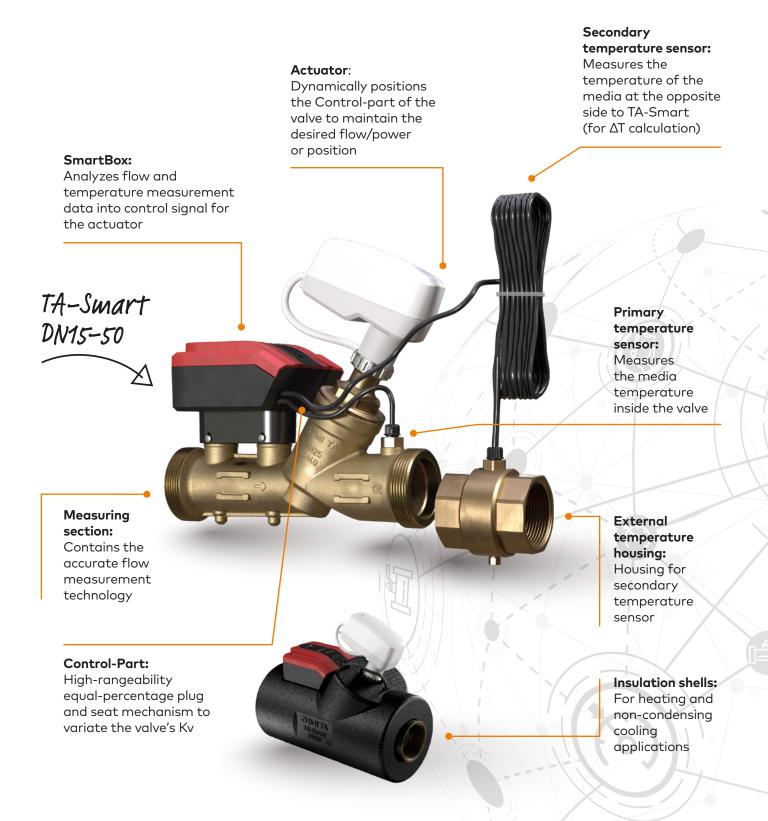
In addition, even minor deviations from the set-point, as low as +/- 1°C, can affect the operation of critical applications. Therefore, precise temperature control is not a "nice to have", it is a must-have.

TA-Smart offers continuous and highly accurate measurement of crucial circuit parameters: flow, temperature difference, and power. All are available transparent insights on how that part of the system is operating. Data can also be access remotely if the valve is connected to the internet via HyCloud. Performances can be compared to design conditions and, if needed, fine-tuned with confidence.

TA-Smart has an internal control feedback. It measures the flow that goes through it and the difference of temperatures to understand what to its own actuator, so it can adapt the power delivered to the room according to the input signal in a short time – full smart autonomous control! In addition, TA-Smart can control down to low flow



Valve Construction





Valve Construction

Actuator:

Dynamically positions the Control-part of the valve to maintain the desired flow/power or position

SmartBox:

Analyzes the flow and temperature measurement data into control signal for the actuator

Measuring section:

Contains the accurate flow measurement technology

Control-Part:

High-rangeability equal-percentage plug and seat mechanism to variate the valve's Kv

TA-Smart DN65-125

Secondary temperature sensor:

Measures the temperature of the media at the opposite side to TA-Smart (for ΔT calculation)

Measures the media temperature inside the valve



Key Features





✓ Versatility of Control Modes

Operating according to flow, power and valve position. A ΔT limitation can be added to any of the control modes

- ✓ Flow, Power, Energy and temperature measurement
 Highly accurate measurement of key circuit data
- Wireless commissioning
 Valve configuration done via Smartphone app without cables or adaptors
- ✓ High Controllability & Rangeability
 Best in class flow control and rangeability
- ✓ Fast response time

Accurate and fast response to input changes to achieve the desired set point

Reduced size & weight

Compact size allows for seamless mounting capabilities, even in retrofit applications

✓ Great installation flexibility & IP54

Only 2 components required to be installed with minimal diameters required before the valve



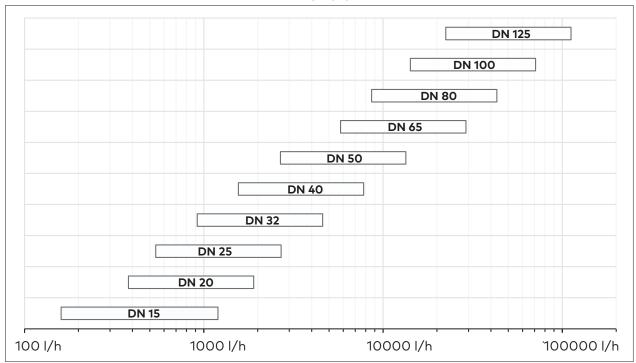
4 Control Modes



HVAC systems operate 80% of the time at less than 50% of their design load, representing less than 20% of flow. TA-Smart's great control and measurement capabilities at low flow regimes allow you to achieve optimal indoor comfort all year round!

Bus or 0(2)-10VDC/0(4)-20mA

TA-Smart



Max. Flows

The maximum flows can be settable through lift limitation of the control valve. This corresponds to 20% of qnom.

Flow bar diagram $\mathbf{q}_{\text{set.min}}$ q_{nom}



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Low Flow matters

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^{**}Available with TA-Smart-Dp and Dp sensor.



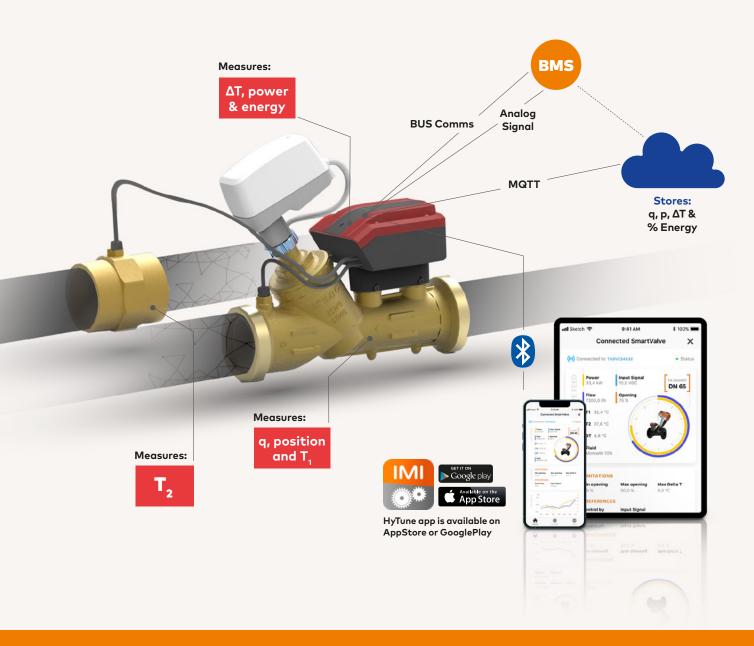
Measuring & Logging

Functions:

- Control (flow, power, position, ΔT and temperature return limitation)
- Pre-setting (max/min flow, max power, max/min position)
- Reading (flow, power, energy, return/ supply temperature, ΔT , position)

Logging time-frame options:

- Xtra Long Logging (13 months, every 1 hour)
- Long Logging (31 days, every 1 minute)
- Fast Logging (7 days, every 15 seconds)
- Xtra Fast Logging (12 hours, every 5 seconds)





Communication & **Configuration Modes**



BLE 5.0 (BLE 4)

to smartphones and tablets (Android and iOS). No laptop, no cable, no dongle needed





Bus comms



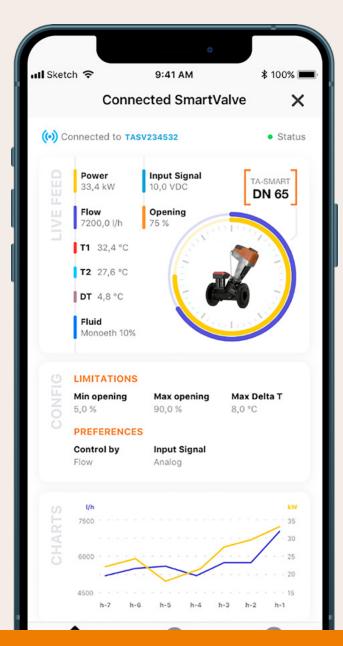
BACnet MS/TP Modbus RTU **BACnet IP** Modbus TCP from/to BMS





- No requirements of additional hardware (cables or adaptors) for valve configuration increases flexibility and reduces commissioning & troubleshooting time.
- Over the air upgrades for firmware, no cables necessary.
- TA-Smart can be integrated in all types of system, and the thread wireless communication enables TA-Smart valves to interact with each other to improve the system.







Measurement Accuracy



Flow measurement

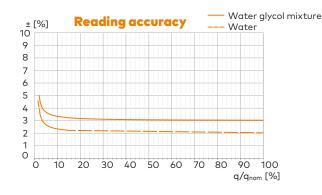
TA-Smart uses Ultrasonic Flow measurement technology to guarantee high accuracy of flow measurement for all regimes at any temperature covering water-glycol mixtures up to 57%.

Temperature measurement

TA-Smart uses **2 Pt1000 EN** 60751 class AA temperature sensors which are pair-calibrated to provide improved accuracy even at low ΔT.

Power measurement

Leveraging accurate flow and temperature measurement, TA-Smart provides accurate power measurement in both heating and cooling applications.



Accuracy measurement operates under the following flow conditions:

Water: From 2% accuracy at 100% of qnom to 2.4% accuracy at 5% of qnom (according MID-Class 2 EN1434).

Water+glycol: From 3% accuracy at 100% of qnom to 4% accuracy at 5% of qnom (according to MID-Class 3 EN1434).

These accuracies are subject to the respect of required upstream straight pipe lengths (OD for TA-Smart DN 15-50 and 5D for TA-Smart DN 65-125).

Temp. regime			TA-Smart		
Supply Temp. [°C]	Return Temp. [°C]	ΔT [K]	Accuracy [K]	Accuracy [%]	
6	12	6	±0.06	1.1%	
15	18	3	±0.03	1.2%	
40	30	10	±0.08	0.8%	
70	50	20	±0.17	0.9%	

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Supply Temp. [°C]	Return Temp. [°C]	ΔT [K]	Flow accuracy [%]	ΔT accuracy [%]	Power accuracy [%]	
6	12	6	±3.0	±1.1	±4.1	
15	18	3	±3.0	±1.2	±4.2	
40	30	10	±3.0	±0.8	±3.8	
70	50	20	±3.0	±0.9	±3.9	



Two different pressure

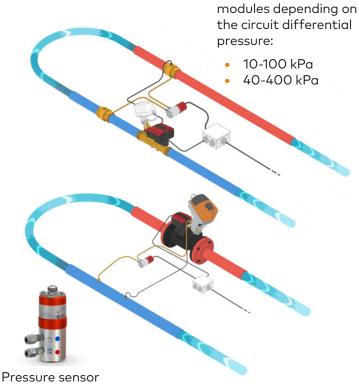
Product variants

In addition to the standard TA-Smart valve, we have developed specific product variations to meet all system-specific needs.

TA-Smart-Dp

Designed to provide the dual advantages of maintaining stable differential pressure in a circuit and delivering essential data insights about energy and operation.

The TA-Smart's DN65-DN125 variants perfectly match the size of STAP and TA-PILOT-R differential pressure controllers, ensuring a hassle-free integration.



TA-Smart Fail-safe

Powered by supercapacitors, this TA-Smart ensures fail-safe positioning of the valve in the event of power loss. With the delay option, the actuator patiently waits for the specified number of seconds configured by you before smoothly transitioning to its failsafe position.

No more operational uncertainties during power fluctuations, as the TA-Smart Fail-safe guarantees optimal performance and reliability in critical valve applications.





TA-Smart HyCloud



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Revolutionize connectivity with TA-Smart valves via HyCloud

Get connected to your TA-Smart valves

- Create projects where you can share data with your colleagues and stakeholders
- Add colleagues and stakeholders to the project, either as read only or admin rights
- Get full overview of the performance of TA-Smart

Use HyCloud to get an overview of how your system is performing.

- Status of your valves
- Current and historical data reading of the valves



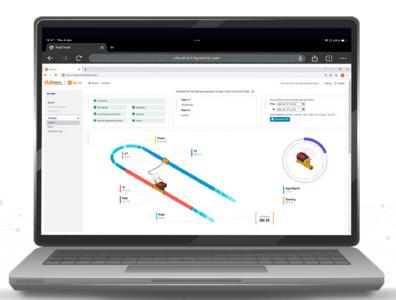
Flow



- Power
- Supply, return and delta temperatures
- 🕣 🛮 Input signal

Easy access to data

- View charts and dashboards on HyCloud
- Export data as csv
- Access data via API





TA-Smart HyCloud





Easy steps to connect TA-Smart valves



Create HyCloud account



Connect TA-Smart valve to internet

With the built in HyCloud diagnostics you can easily see the status of your connection.

Connect TA-Smart valve to HyTune

- Enter your account email to connect the TA-Smart to your HyCloud.
- Enable cloud connection on the TA-Smart valve using HyTune.



Assign your TA-Smart valve to your project in HyCloud

Create projects in HyCloud and add valves to get an easy overview.



Highest level of data security



transmission:

The communication to the Cloud infrastructure is protected and encrypted using MQTT over TLS (Transport Layer Security). Authentication mechanisms have been put in place ensuring both server and TA-Smart are identified through their certificates.



Data storage:

Secured by the choice of Amazon Web Services (AWS) as the hosting provider for HyCloud. AWS supports more security standards and compliance certifications than any other offering, in full accordance with data privacy like GDPR and also with data security like FIPS 140-2 and NIST 800-171.

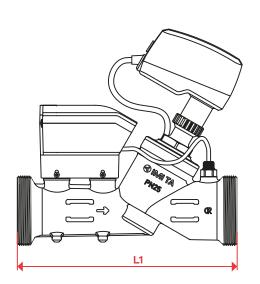


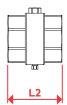
Reduced Size & Weight

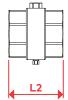


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When Compactness matters







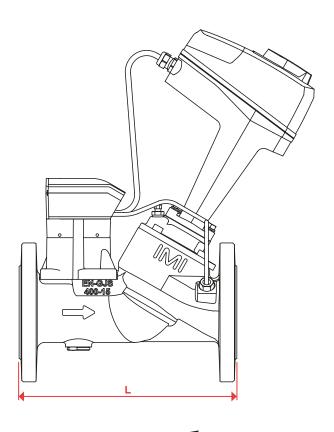




- Two bodies (only 4 fittings to mount)
- OD requirement upstream

DN	D	L1 [mm]	H [mm]	W [mm]
15	G3/4	167	173	97
20	G1	180	174	97
25	G11/4	187	174	97
32	G11/2	200	199	97
40	G2	218	198	97
50	G21/2	239	198	97

Very compact (up to 80% smaller than competitors' product)





- Ultra compact F1 length (Face-to-face length EN-558-1)
- Remote temperature sensor to be fitted separately

DN	D [mm]		No of bolts		L[mm]	H [mm]
	PN16	PN25	PN16	PN25		
65	18	35	4	8	290	377
80	200			В	310	380
100	220	235		В	350	435
125	250	270		8	400	440

Compact F1 length (up to 30% smaller than competitor's product)



TA-Smart Applications

Types of Buildings

Where Certifications are requested

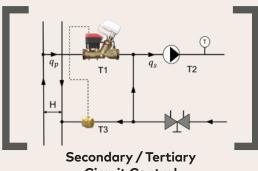
"I want a BREEAM/LEED certified building"

Where Energy Cost is paramount

Where reliability is paramount

"Failure is not an option. I need to solve any problems

Application Types



Circuit Control



Air Handling units



Heat Exchangers

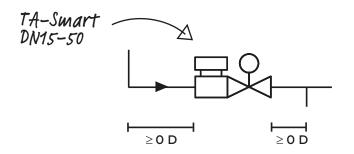


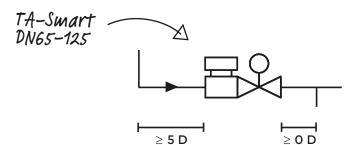
CRAH Units



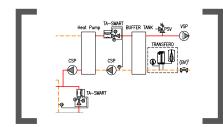
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Installation Requirements

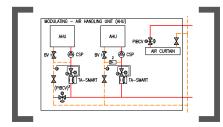




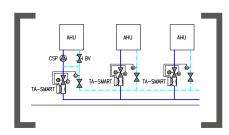
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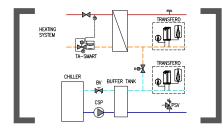
Heat Pumps



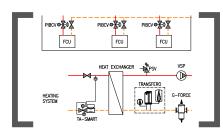
Heating system - variable flow



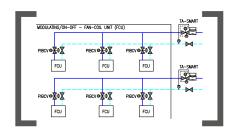
Cooling system - variable flow



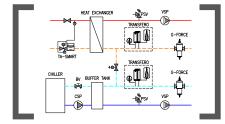
4-pipe system - variable flow



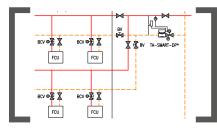
Heating system - zone valve



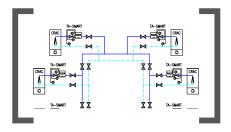
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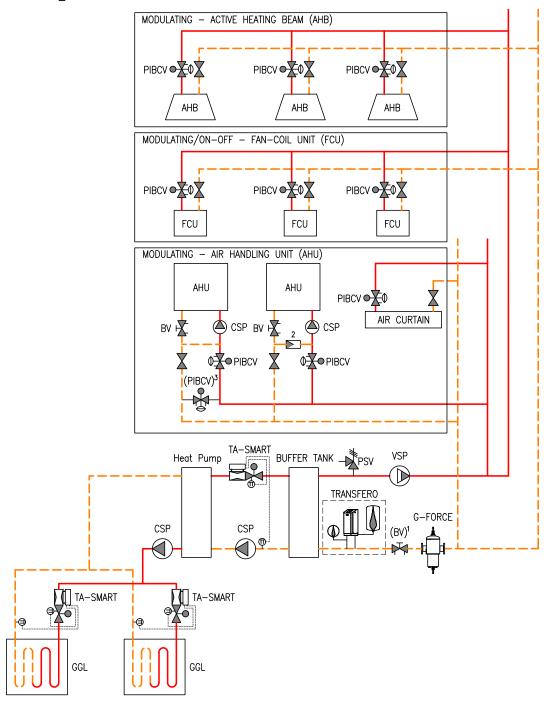
Heating system - pressure control



CRAC unit - variable flow



Heat Pumps



Legend:

BV - Balancing valve

G-FORCE – Microbubble and dirt separator with Cyclonic technology

CSP - Constant speed pump

GGL – Geothermal ground loop

PIBCV – Pressure independent balancing and control valve

- 1 Optional/recommended for flow measuring and system diagnostics.
- 2 Check valve is recommended to protect AHU against freezing up if secondary pump fails.

PSV - Safety valve

VSP - Variable speed pump

TA-SMART – 2-way balancing & control valve with flow, temperature and power measurement capabilities

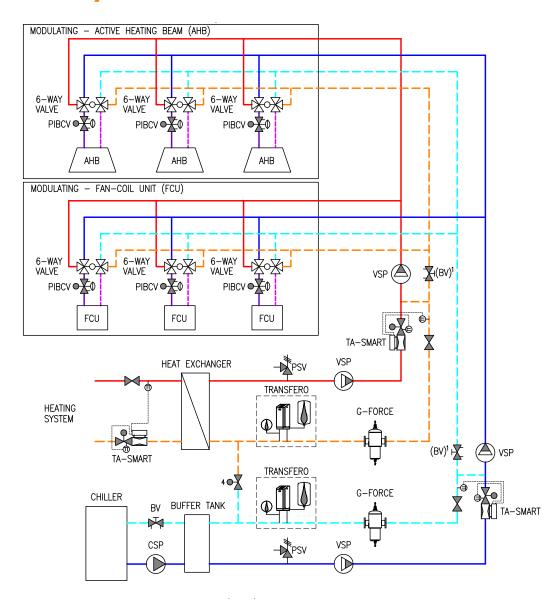
TRANSFERO – Pump based pressurization unit with water make-up and vacuum degassing

3 Optional/recommended for maintaining hot water in the supply pipe (without or with actuator that is opening when AHU control valve is fully closed).



4-pipe system – variable flow

Pressure independent balancing and control valves and 6-way valve



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PIBCV – Pressure independent balancing and control valve

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- 4 System connection valve to compensate for volume. This ensures System connection valve to compensate for volume.

6-WAY VALVE - Special valve to switch between heating and cooling

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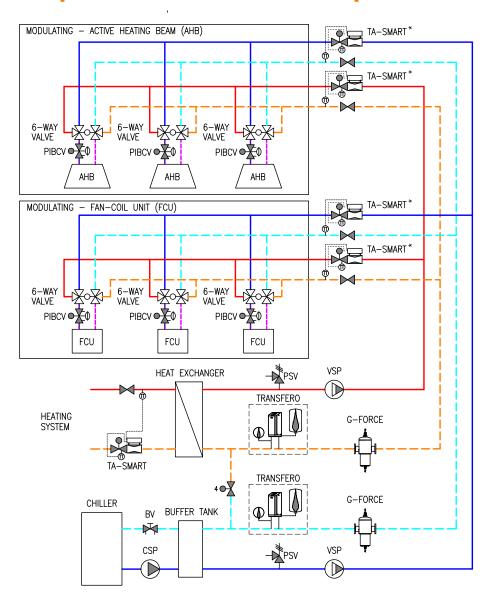
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This ensures automatic and economic volume compensation because of the naturally and inevitably volume transfer during the operation of changeover systems. Transfero Connect in heating and cooling system is recommended to operate the pressurisation units in Master Slave IO (isolated operation).



4-pipe system – with zone measuring

Pressure independent balancing and control valves and 6-way valves with optional zone valve installation per circuit



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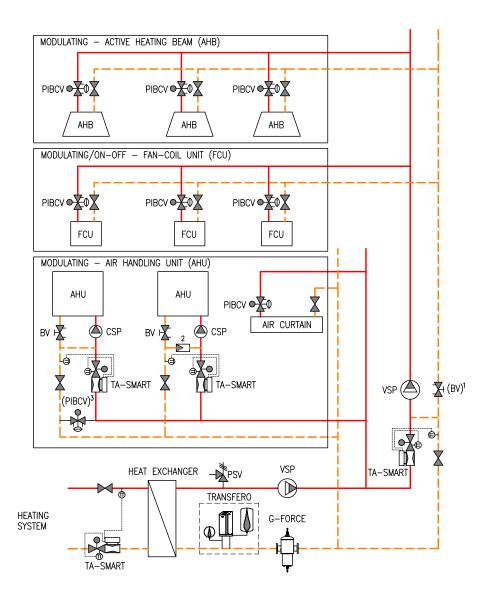
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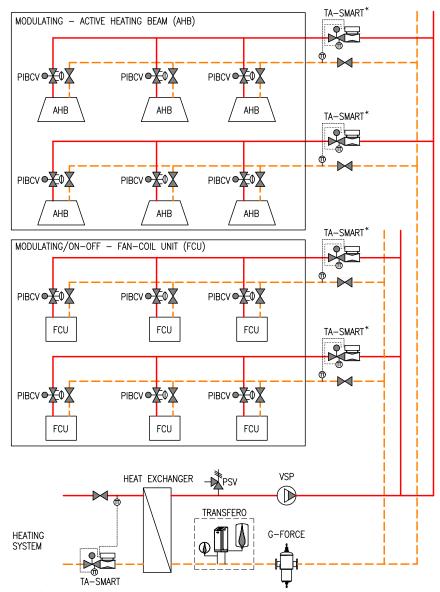
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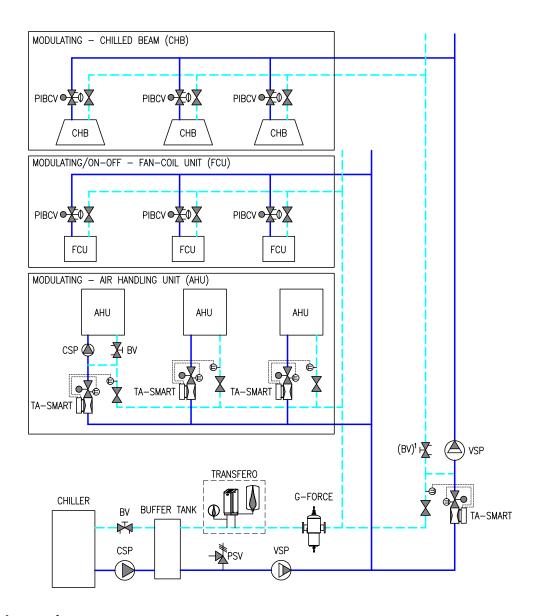
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Cooling system variable flow

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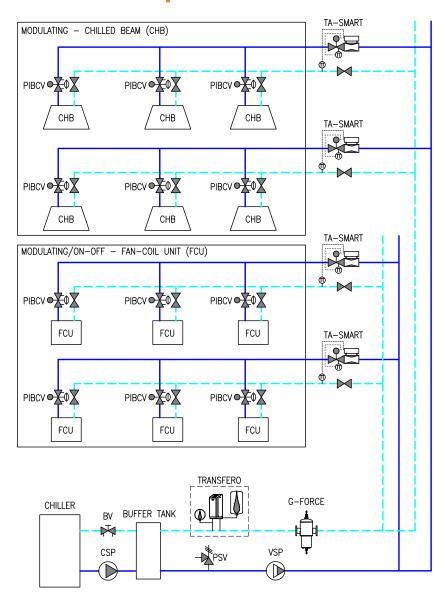
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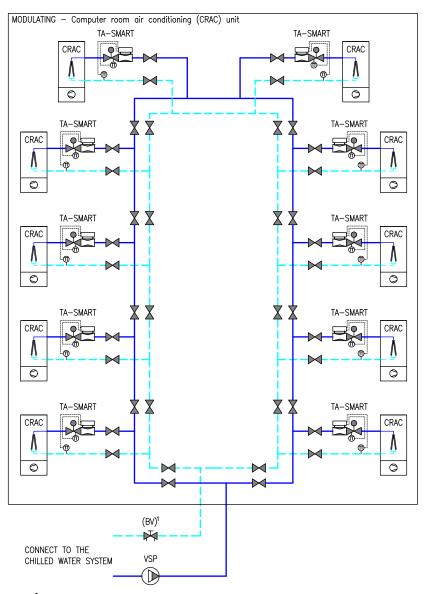
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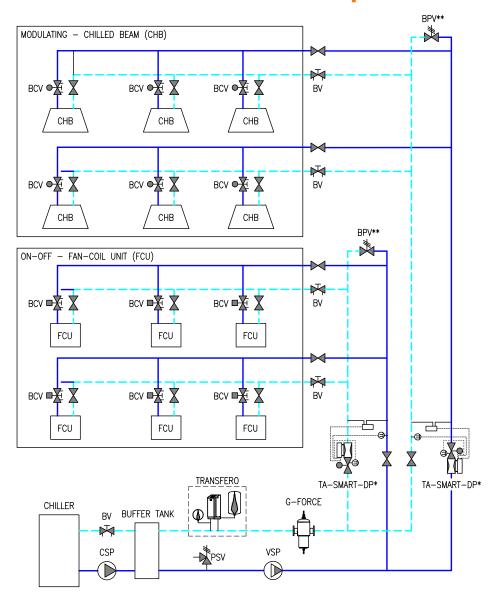
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Cooling system – pressure control for small terminal units

Terminal units with standard balancing and control valves having the pressure stabilized with TA-Smart-Dp



Legend:

BCV - Balancing and control valve

BPV - Differential pressure relief valve

BV - Balancing valve

CSP - Constant speed pump

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PIBCV – Pressure independent balancing and control

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TA-SMART - 2-way balancing & control valve with flow, temperature and power measurement capabilities

TA-SMART-DP – 2-way balancing & control valve with flow, temperature and power measurement capabilities and DP control

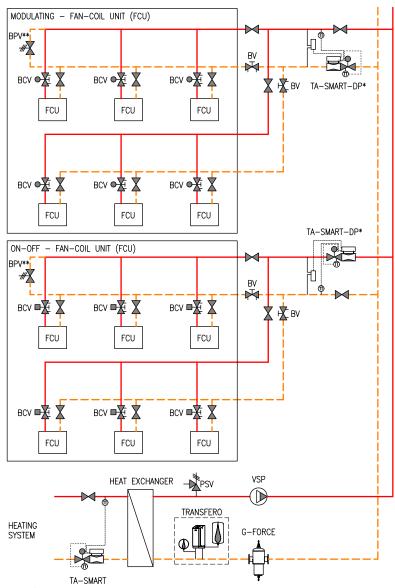
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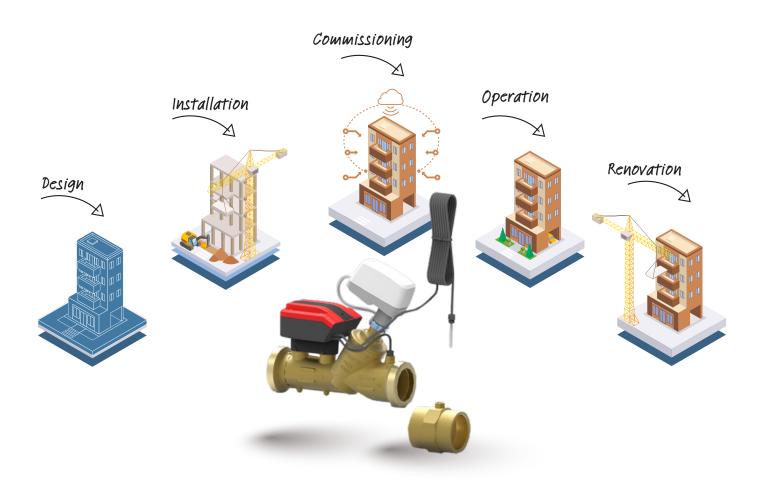
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Benefits at every stage





Time savings



Energy efficiency



Certifications



Flexibility of use



Peace of mind



Comfort



Design

Feature	Benefit	
Compact Size	Fits into space restrictive spaces	Time savings
High Controllability & Rangeability	 Great control function no matter the existing flow regime delivering comfort under all circumstances Energy savings (terminal units' efficiency, boilers' efficiencies, pump head optimization) 	Energy Comfort efficiency
Smart Control	 Versatility of control modes, operating according to q, P and ΔT TA-Smart continuously measures the flow rate electronically and balances fluctuations in available differential pressure, with no need for time-consuming calculations The Dynamic balancing system is very energy efficient and ensures great indoor comfort, even under part-load conditions. 	Peace Energy Comfort Flexibility of wind
Integrated Control & Measuring function in 1 valve	 No need to install additional components than a valve to meet both functions Helps meet green certification / regulation requirements for monitoring 	Time Certifications savings
Digital access to valve data	 Full transparency of the valve settings and easy adjustments can be done at any time via remote access Fact-based analysis with verifiable hydronic performance at the end of the project, including energy-efficient operation Easy to identify and to correct potential system problems 	Peace Energy of mind efficiency



Installation

Feature	Benefit	
Compact Size	Fits into space restrictive spaces	Time savings
Integrated Control & Measuring function in 1 valve	No need to install additional components to a control valve to meet both functions	Time Flexibility of use
Smart Control	Rely on automatic hydronic balancing as you would with a PIBCV. This self-optimizing dynamic valve balances fluctuations in available differential pressure and automatically balances the system without the need for complex calculation and or flow regulating valves	Peace Energy Comfort of mind efficiency
Valve construction	 Only 2 components needed for installation. Valve and actuator comes pre-assembled. TA-Smart has been specially designed to be the easiest in the installation in the market Limited space needed before and after the valve No need to install union components to connect to the pipe 	Time Flexibility savings of use



Commissioning

Feature	Benefit	
Smart Control	 Rely on automatic hydronic balancing as you would with a PIBCV. This self-optimizing dynamic valve balances fluctuations in available differential pressure and automatically balances the system without the need for complex calculation and or flow regulating valves 	Peace Energy Comfort Flexibility of use
Digital Configuration	 No need of any additional device (laptop, dongle), cables or adaptors for commissioning, only your smartphone Ease & speed of commissioning, automatic mesh in between TA-Smarts 	Time Peace savings of mind
Versatility of communication	 Flexibility and variability of communication protocols and free choice of control (BACnet, Modbus, Analog signal) 	Time savings Flexibility of use
System Insights on the cloud	 All circuit data is available directly on your Smartphone app or seamlessly forwarded to the cloud to allow for full system transparency and data-based analysis. This lets you check and verify values at any time even remotely 	Peace Energy of mind efficiency



Operation

Feature	Benefit	
Dynamic Operation	 The valve dynamically compensates for available differential pressure fluctuations –for optimum room comfort as well as high energy and cost efficiency. Static valves cause pressure fluctuations resulting inconstant room temperatures. TA-Smart is a dynamic valve it balances differential pressure fluctuations and stabilizes the indoor climate. This is highly efficient and leads to significant reduction in energy use 	Peace Energy Comfort Flexibility of use
Integrated Control & Measuring function in 1 valve	No need to install additional components than a valve to meet both functions	Time Certifications
Transparent system insights	 Digital access to valve data allows for full transparency on hydronic performance and fact-based analysis to easily verify hydronic performance, including energy-efficient operation and identify potential system problems Solve problems before they occur. TA-Smart continuously monitors values and records data. In case of irregularities, you can simply check where the problem is and correct it immediately. Even changes in building use or plant expansions are not a problem. This is how you can guarantee smooth operation – consistently and in the long term 	Peace Energy of mind efficiency



Renovation

Feature	Benefit	
Compact Size & valve construction	 Ability to retrofit without requiring additional piping work Fits into space restrictive spaces No need to install union components to connect to the pipe 	
Great controllability	 Great control function no matter the existing flow regime, even in low flow conditions Fast response time and best in class adaptability to the existing system conditions to deliver precise indoor comfort 	
Integrated Control & Measuring function in 1 valve	 No need to install additional components to a control valve to meet both functions Helps meet green certification / regulation requirements for energy monitoring 	



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