# VR400/VR800 SERIES

# CLASS "A" SERVO REGULATED COMBINATION VALVES

### **INSTRUCTION SHEET**

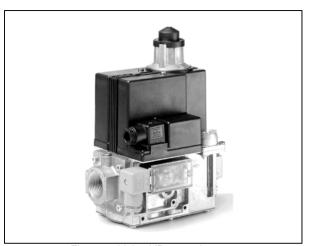


Figure 1: Valve VR400series

### **APPLICATION**

The VR400 Series class "A" servo regulated combination valves are used for control and regulation of gaseous fuels in gas fired power burners, atmospheric gas boilers, melting furnaces, incinerators and other gas consuming appliances.

These servo regulated combination valves are available in three different versions:

VR415/VR815 (pipe sizes 1/2") VR420/VR820 (pipe sizes 3/4")

VR425/VR825 (pipe sizes 1")

VR432/VR832 (pipe sizes 11/4")

VR434/VR834 (pipe sizes 1¼")

### **DESCRIPTION**

The VR400/VR800 series class "A" servo regulated combination valves are suitable for the control of gaseous fuels in gas consuming appliances according to international standards.

The VR400/VR800 series meet the class A + A specification according EN 161.

The VR400/VR800 series have 1/2", 3/4", 1" and 11/4" straight flanged pipe connection.

The VR400/VR800 series are standard equipped with two main valves V1 and V2.

Safety valve V1 is always fast opening/closing.

The second valve (V2) can be either fast (with flow regulation) or slow (= with flow regulation and adjustable opening). The pressure regulating valve is located between V1 and V2.

The VR400/VR800 series are available for Direct Burner Ignition (DBI) and Intermittent Pilot (IP) applications.

At both sides of the main body 4 flange connections are provided to mount either an:

- inlet pressure switch C60VR serie
- interim pressure switch C60VR serie

These accessories can be mounted on various positions of the main body of the VR400/VR800 series.

### **SPECIFICATIONS**

The specifications described in this chapter are related to the main gas valve. The VR400/VR800 series must be used in combination with a burner programmer.

#### Models

VR415/VR815 (DN15) VR420/VR820 (DN20) VR425/VR825 (DN25) VR432/VR832 (DN32) VR434/VR834 (DN32)

Optional: adjustable opening characteristics

For detailed regulator specifications of models with  $suffix\ M$ ,  $suffix\ P$  or  $suffix\ V$  see the appropriate Product

Handbook.

VR4xxFy: EN1C-0001 VR4xxMy: EN2R-9009 VR4xxPy: EN2R-9010 VR4xxVy: EN2R-9017

#### **Dimension**

See dimensional drawings and figure 4-6.

### Pipe sizes

Inlet and outlet straight flange connection: 1/2", 3/4", 1" and 1¼". (all internal pipe thread according to ISO 7-1)

### Minimum regulating capacity

### Maximum operating pressure

VR400XX1000 series: 200mbar VR400XX4000 series: 360mbar VR800XX series: 100mbar VR432/VR832 series: 100mbar VR434/VR834 series: 100mbar

VR434 can be applied to a maximum of 100 mbar, but needs to be adjusted to nominal applied inlet pressure

### Connections (see fig. 12. 13. and 14.)

- 1/8" pressure taps at inlet and outlet flanges. At the main body 8 flange connections are provided to mount either an:
  - pressure switches (min. or max.)
- Two 1/8" connections for IP applications.

### Torsion and bending stress

Pipe connections meet group 2 according to EN13611 requirements.

### **Valve Classification**

Class A + A according EN 161

### **Regulator Classification**

Class C according EN 88-1

### Supply voltages

Line voltage: 230 Vac, 50/60 Hz Other voltages on request.

### **Electrical equipment**

DC current coils with combined rectifier inside the cover.

### **Electrical connections**

Standard DIN plug connector according DIN 43650

### Ambient temperature range

-15...60°C

### **Enclosure**

IP 40

#### **Body material**

Aluminum alloy die cast.

#### Strainer

Fine mesh screen (diameter 0.34 mm), AISI 303 steel, serviceable after removing inlet flange screws. Meets requirements for strainer according EN 161.

### Flange kit

The kit consist of:

- 1 flange with sealing plug,
- 1 "O"-ring and screws.
- 1 pressure tap nipple fitted

Table 1: Flange kits

O.S. number	Size (Rp)	Remarks
KTCOMB15	1/2"	with plug
KTCOMB20	3/4"	with plug
KTCOMB25	1"	with plug
KTCOMB32	11⁄4"	with plug

Table 2: Power consumption (W) VR400/VR800 series

Model	voltage	٧	′1	V2	
		W	mA	W	mA
VRx15/VRx20	230	15.4	84	15.4	84
	110	14.6	170	14.6	170
	24	15	780	15	780
VRx25/VRx32	230	18.6	100	18.6	100
	110	22.1	250	22.1	250
	24	15.5	810	15.5	810
VRx34	230 *)	17.5	90	17.5	90
	230 **)	61	275	61	275

<sup>\*)</sup> at normal operation

<sup>\*\*)</sup> at start up

# PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

### Opening time

Dead time maximum 1 second.

VR434: maximum dead time <0.5 second.

The first valve (V1) opens in less than 1 second.

The second valve (V2) can be either a fast opening valve which reaches 50% of the adjustable outlet pressure within 0.5 sec. after start flow or a characterized opening valve which is adjustable from 1 up to 30 seconds, at rated capacity. The opening characteristic is factory set at approximately 6 seconds at the following conditions:

- · measured at 80% of rated capacity
- 30 mbar supply pressure
- nominal voltage
- 20°C
- · 2.5 m bar pressure drop
- · no step pressure

Due to the influence of ambient temperature (-15...60°C) the adjusted opening time of 6 seconds measured at 80% of adjusted flow rate can vary  $\pm$  4 seconds.

### Maximum allowable leakage

Each VR400 combination valve has been factory tested to meet the following leakage requirements:

- outerwall: 50 cm.3/h at test pressure of 6 and 540 mbar.
- safety valve: 40 cm.3/h at test pressure of 6 and 540 mbar.
- main valve: 40 cm.3/h at test pressure of 6 and 540 mbar.

### High pressure test

In the "OFF" condition, the VR400 valve will withstand 1.5 bar (air) inlet pressure without damage.

Attempts to operate the VR400, while in this condition, will not cause damage.

### Oscillation

For all versions except gas/air 1:1:

Maximum oscillation under all circumstances 0.5 mbar.

### Tap sensitivity of outlet pressure set point

For all gases the maximum deviation may be 1 mbar.

### Repeatability of outlet pressure set point

For all gases the maximum deviation from set point is  $\pm\,0.3$  mbar or + 3% of the set point value, whichever is the greatest.

Table 3: Total set point shift

Pressure range (mbar)	Tolerance
3 37	6% of the set point value or 1 mbar whichever is the greatest
2 20 *	6% of the set point value or 1 mbar whichever is the greatest
8 50	6% of the set point value or 2.2 mbar whichever is the greatest

<sup>\* 2 ... 20</sup> mbar regulation not to be specified on valves with 360 m bar inlet pressure.

### Closing time (V1, V2)

Less than 1 second for all valves.

### Maximum working frequency

1 cycle per minute

#### **Duty cycle**

Coil suitable for permanent energization in cooperation with ignition controller.

### Operational voltage range

The combination gas valve will function satisfactory between 85% and 110% of the rated voltage.

Table 4: Design life

Model	Number of cycles
VR415/VR815	
VR420/VR820	
VR425/VR825	500,000
VR432/VR832	
VR434/VR834	

# DIMENSIONAL DRAWINGS VR415/VR815 AND VR420/VR820

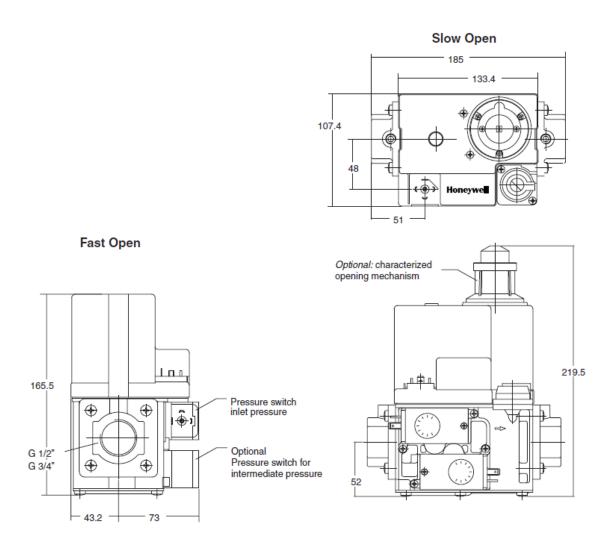


Fig. 2. Dimensional drawing VR415/VR815 (DN15) and VR420/VR820 series (DN20)

# DIMENSIONAL DRAWINGS VR425/VR825/VR432/VR832 KTCOMB15/20/25

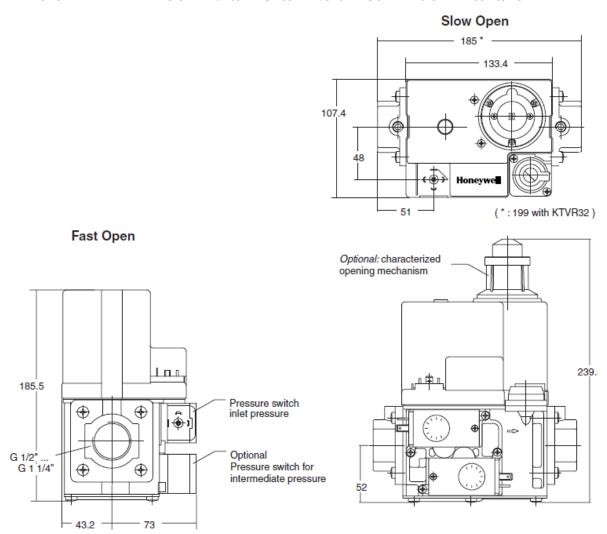
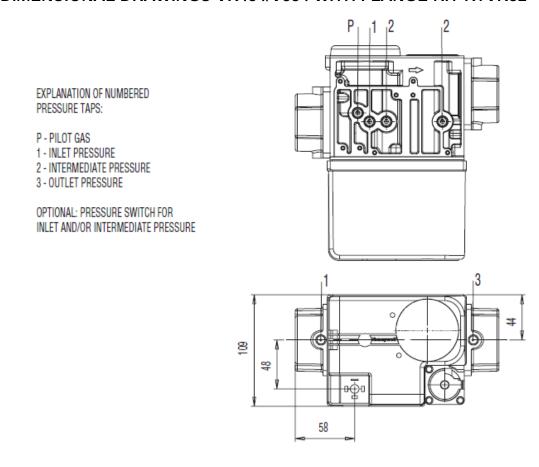


Fig. 3. Dimensional drawing VR425/VR825 series (DN25) and VR432/VR832 series (DN32)

# DIMENSIONAL DRAWINGS VR434/V834 WITH FLANGE KIT KTVR32



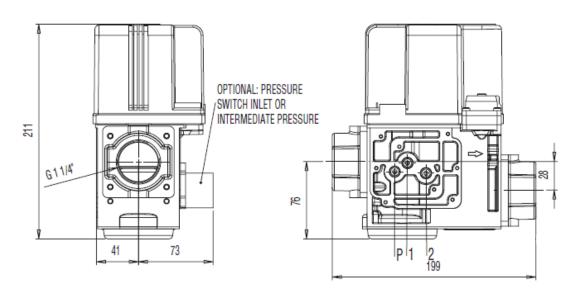


Fig. 4. Dimensional drawing VR434/VR834 series (DN32)

# INSTALLATION

### **IMPORTANT**

Read these instructions carefully. Failure to follow the intructions could damage the product or cause a hazardous condition.

Check the ratings given in the instructions and on the product to make sure the product is suitable for your application.

The installation has to be carried out by qualified personel only.

Carry out a thorough checkout when installation is completed.



# **CAUTION**

- Turn off gas supply before installation.
- Disconnect power supply to the valve actuator before beginning the installation to prevent electrical shock and damage to the equipment.
- Do not remove the seal over valve inlet and outlet, until ready to connect piping.
- The valve must be installed so that the arrow on the valve points in the direction of the gas flow (gas pressure helps to close the valve).

### Mounting position

The gas valve can be mounted plus or minus 90 degrees from

the vertical.

### **Mounting location**

The distance between the gas valve and the wall/ground, must

be at least 30 cm.

### Main gas connection

- Take care that dirt does not enter the gas valve during handling
- 2. Remove the flanges from the valve.
- Use a sound taper fitting with thread according to ISO 7-1 or new, properly reamed pipe free from swarf.
- Apply a moderate amount of good quality thread compound to the pipe for fitting only, leaving the two end threads bare, PTFE tape may be used as an alternative.
- Screw the flanges onto the pipes.
- Ensure that the inlet and outlet flanges are in line and separate from each other enough to allow the valve to be mounted between the flanges without damaging the "O"-ring.
- Place the "O"-ring. If necessary grease it slightly to keep it in place.
- Mount the gas valve between the flanges using the bolts for each flange.
- Complete the electrical connections as instructed in the Electrical Connection section.



#### Tightness test after installation

- Spray all pipe connections and gaskets with a good quality gas leak detection spray.
- Start the appliance and check for bubbles. If a leak is found in a pipe connection, remake the joint. A gasket leak can usually be stopped by tightening the mounting screws, otherwise, replace the gas valve.

#### **Electrical connection**



### **CAUTION**

- Switch off power supply before making electrical connections.
- All wiring must comply with local codes, ordiances and regulations.

Use lead wire which can withstand 105 °C ambient.

#### Wiring

Follow the instructions supplied by the appliance manufacturer. Refer to fig. 10. and fig. 11.

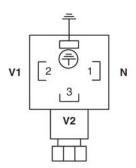


Fig. 5. Three pin electrical plug connector (according to ISO 4400) for IP applications.

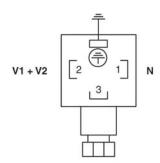


Fig. 6. Three pin electrical plug connector (according to ISO 4400) for DBI applications.

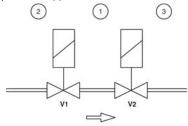


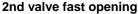
Fig. 7. Connection diagram VR400

# ADJUSTMENTS AND FINAL CHECKOUT

The procedures described in this chapter are related to the adjustments on the main gas valve. For adjustments on the other additional functionalities (e.g. pressure switch), refer to the included instruction sheet of the product in question in the package.



Adjustments must be made by qualified personel only. To ensure a safe closing of the valves, it is essential that voltage over the terminals of operators is reduced to 0 Volts.



The following characteristics can be adjusted:

flow rate

### Flow rate adjustment

- 1. Remove the cap from the cover.
- Turn adjustment screw counter-clockwise to increase or clockwise to decrease the flow rate.

### 2nd valve (slow opening)

The following characteristics can be adjusted:

- flow rate
- step pressure
- · opening speed

### **IMPORTANT**

To ensure a satisfactory setting of the valve the pressure drop over the valve should be at least 10% of the supply pressure or 2.5 mbar which ever is the greatest.

### Flow rate adjustment ( see fig. 8.)

- Remove the cap from top of the coil by loosening both screws.
- 2. Place a wrench on the adjustment hexagon nut.
- 3. Turn wrench counter-clockwise to increase or clockwise to decrease the flow rate .
- 4. Replace cap on top of the coil.

### Step pressure adjustment (see fig. 9.)

- 1. Remove the cap from top of the coil by loosening both screws.
- Place a screw driver in the slot of adjustment screw which is situated in center of the valve.
- Turn screw driver counter-clockwise to increase or clockwise to decrease step pressure
- 4. Replace cap on top of the coil.

#### Opening speed adjustment (see fig. 10.)

- Remove the cap from top of the coil by loosening both screws.
- Place screw driver in the slot of adjustment screw which is of center line.
- Turn screw driver counter-clockwise to increase the opening speed and therefore the time till full opening will decrease.
- Turn screw driver clockwise to decrease the opening speed and therefore the time till full opening will increase.
- 5. Replace cap on top of the coil.



Figure 8: Adjusting flow rate.



Figure 9: Adjusting step pressure.

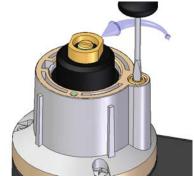


Figure 10: Adjusting opening speed.

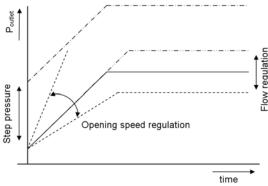


Figure 11: Characterized opening.

### Adjustment outlet pressure

- Disconnect pressure feedback connection (if applicable)
- Energize both electric operators in order to have gas input to burner.
- Check gas input to the appliance using a clocking gas meter or alternatively a pressure gauge connected to the outlet pressure tap.
- Remove pressure regulator cap screw to expose pressure regulator adjustment screw.
- Slowly turn adjustment screw with the T40 screw driver until the burner pressure required is recorded on the pressure gauge. Turn adjustment screw clockwise to increase or counter-clockwise to decrease gas pressure to the burner.
- For non-regulating mode (LP gas) turn adjustment screw clockwise until it stops.
- Replace pressure regulator cap screw.
- Connect pressure feedback connection (if applicable).

### Pressure tap points

The VR400/VR800 series has a number of connections points for measuring pressure, mounting a pressure switch, or IP applications.

The following pressures can be measured:

- 1. Inlet pressure
- Interim pressure (pressure between the two shutoff valves)
- 3. Outlet pressure

The corresponding numbers can be found on the sides of the valve.

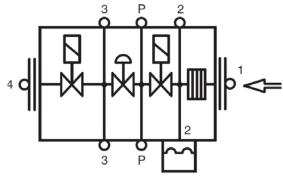


Fig. 12. Pressure tap points for VR415/VR425/VR420/VR432

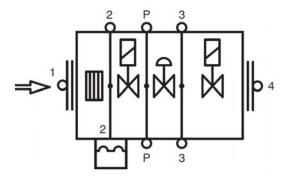


Fig. 13. Pressure tap points for all versions

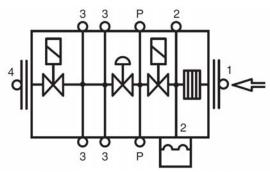


Fig. 14. Pressure tap points for VR434 only

### CONSTRUCTION AND WORKING PRINCIPLES VR400/800

### Servo pressure regulation working.

The VR400/VR800 series servo regulated combination gas valves are 2 x class A fail safe shut-off valves. The valve is opened by energizing the direct ON/OFF operators. Each operator consists of a coil and a stop sleeve assy. Inside the stop sleeve assy is a plunger which is connected to a rubber valve and which is able to move up and down and thus opening or closing the valve. The plunger is coated with an anti friction material. Flow regulation is done by adjustable plunger stroke. A strainer made out of AlSI303 is incorporated between inlet flange and main body. The valve closing spring are made of AlSI302.

Seals and gaskets are manufactured out of hydrocarbon resistant NBR according to EN549

The VR400/VR800 series features the positive servo system, i.e. the regulating valve is held by spring pressure in the normal open position. The heart of the system is the servo pressure regulator which consists of a pressure relief valve integrated in a regulator diaphragm which is fitted above and controls the regulating valve.

When both operators are energized, inlet gas flows through the servo orifice into the servo system and into the regulator. This servo gas moves the regulating diaphragm upwards. As soon as the regulating valve has opened, the outlet pressure generated by the VR400/VR800 series will be sensed by the regulator diaphragm via the feedback channel.

When the force operated by the pressure is greater than that preset by the adjustment screw, the regulator valve opens relieving some of the working pressure. This reduces the force against the regulating valve spring allowing the regulating valve to close proportionately. Thus the regulating valve limits the outlet (or burner) pressure to the preset level.

As a result, outlet pressure is continuously maintained by comparing it to the preset pressure and adjusting the position of the regulating valve accordingly. This means that a constant outlet pressure is maintained regardless of inlet pressure variations. At shut down, the small volume of working gas in the regulator and in the diaphragm chamber is dumped into the main outlet chamber.

A reference pressure feedback connection further regulates the outlet pressure by compensating for differences in the air pressure in the combustion chamber and at the valve. If pressure regulation working is not needed, the regulator spring can be blocked by turning the adjustment screw down until it stops or the pressure regulation is removed. In these cases the full servo gas pressure opens the regulating valve as far as the pressure drop allows.

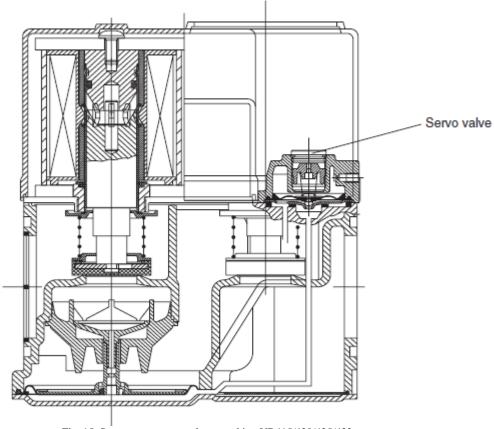


Fig. 15. Servo pressure regulator working VR415/420/425/432

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# **ORDERING INFORMATIONS**

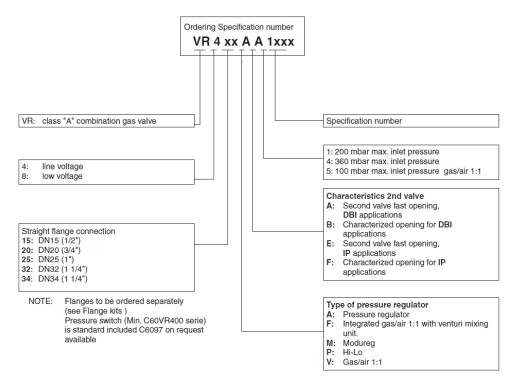


Fig. 16. Ordering information VR400/VR800 series combination valves

# HOW TO SELECT YOUR VALVE

Standard the VR400/VR800 series servo regulated combination valves are equipped with two main valves V1 and V2.

Safety valve V1 is always fast opening/closing. Second valve (V2) can be either fast or slow (= with flow regulation and adjustable opening). At the main body flange connections (8) are provided to mount either pressure switches, a pilot valve. These additional functionalities can be mounted on various positions of the main body of the VR400.

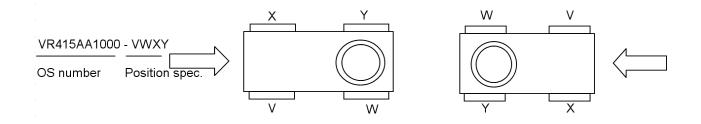


Table 5: VR400 series positions and additional functionalities chart

Туре	Code	Positions			
		V	w	X	Υ
C60VR40017 (2 17 mbar) or C60VR40040 (5 40 mbar)	1	•	•	•	•
C60VR40110 (30 110 mbar)	2	•	•	•	•
C60VR40300 (100 300 mbar)	3	•	•	•	•
A4021A + C6058A (wired)	4		•		•

Use the 4 digits behind the OS number to specify which option you need in which position.

Example:

With a 5 ... 40 mbar pressure switch on position V, the full O.S. number will be VR425AB1009-1000.

If you do not want any additional option the O.S. number will be VR425AB1009-0000

### REPLACEMENT PARTS AND ACCESSORIES

### **IMPORTANT**

When ordering replacement rectifier circuits, include the complete valve O.S. number, in order to provide the correct part..



# **WARNING**

- Take care that only qualified persons carry out the installation of parts, accessories, and add on components.
- Follow the installation instructions included in the package.
- Check that the selected part, accessory or add on component is the correct one for the application in question.
- Replace the old gaskets with the new ones supplied in the package and check for leakage when the supply is switched on again.
- After installation and/or replacement has been completed, a gas leak test must be carried out.
- Also check the gas valve for satisfactory operation after fitting accessories.

Table 6: Rectifier boards for VR400/VR800 series

Model	Order number	Rated Voltage (Vac)	Packing qty
IP	CSE20026	230	1
application	CSE20026	110	1
DN15	CSE20028	24	1
DN20			
DN25			
DN32			
DBI	CSE20025	230	1
application	CSE20025	110	1
DN15	CSE20027	24	1
DN20			
DN25			
DN32			
VR434 IP	CSE20030/CSE20041	230	
VR434 DBI	CSE20029/CSE20040	230	



### Disconnect power supply before

- 1. Remove screws on top of cover.
- 2. Lift cover.
- 3. Disconnect leads coils from circuit board
- 4. remove screw from printed circuit board.
- 5. Lift printed circuit board.
- Place new printed circuit board.
- 7. Replace and fasten screw in printed circuit board.
- Connect leads.
- Check if seal cover is mounted correctly and correct if needed.
- 10. Replace cover and fasten screws.

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