

# SAMPLING VALVES



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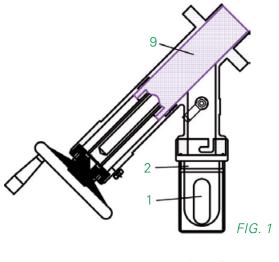
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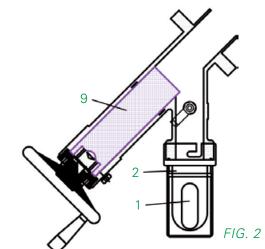
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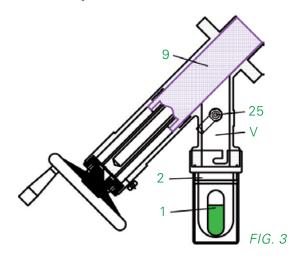
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### **DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS**







#### **CLOSED POSITION**

The piston is flush fit to the wall of the reactor or dryer leaving no dead space (*FIG. 1*). A perfect seal is formed directly by the piston (9) against the body of the valve.

#### SAMPLING PROCEDURE

Turn the handwheel counter clockwise to lower the piston (9) to its open position.

While the product flows down into the sampling bottle (2), the operator can check the desired quantity of the product through the sight glass (1) (*FIG. 2*).

Turn the handwheel clockwise to bring back the piston (9) in its closed position. A firm final turn of the handwheel will give reliable sealing and no dead space.

Equalize the pressure (or vacuum) in chamber (V) by opening the valve (25).

Remove the sampling bottle (2) on its quick coupling connection (*FIG. 3*).

### PATENTED PISTON

### E.P. TECH CONCEPT



In closed position, sealing is formed directly by the piston on the inside wall of the valve, without the need of a gasket.

The patented system inside this piston allows the PTFE to expand and insure a perfect tightness from vacuum up to 10 bar (145 psi).

The advantage of having an expendable piston inside the valve is to eliminate the need for O-rings that can be damaged during valve operation.

In this position, the piston will be flush with the connection point, leaving no dead space.

# STANDARD 125A®





Used for sampling applications of powders, granules, pastes and liquids under process conditions in the pharmaceutical, chemical and food industries.

Pressure from full vacuum up to 10 bar (145 psi).

Temperature from  $-20^{\circ}\text{C}$  ( $-4^{\circ}\text{F}$ ) up to  $180^{\circ}\text{C}$  ( $360^{\circ}\text{F}$ ).

In standard configuration, the internal roughtness is Ra  $\leq$  0.8  $\mu m$  and the external is Ra  $\leq$  3.2  $\mu m$ .



# TRI-CLAMP EASY CLEAN 125TC®

### For EASY cleaning between batches



This sampling valve has one Tri-Clamp (TC) 2.5" near the handwheel (*FIG. 1*).

Called "EasyClean", the piston can be removed from the valve housing with the minimum of effort allowing full cleaning as shown on the picture (*FIG.* 2).

Please note, the dryer or the vessel has to be empty for this procedure. For CIP options (Cleaning In Place), please refer to page 16.

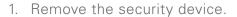
# TRI-CLAMP EASY CLEAN 130TC®



1" version with a 1.5" tri-clamp near the handwheel.

## CRUST BREAKING 125CC®

This valve is used for products which could plug inside the dryer or vessel and block the piston. To eliminate the risk of this impeding product flow into the sampling valve, Famat has developed the 125CC (*FIG. 1*). With this kind of valve type, the crust will be broken by the piston before the sample is taken.



- 2. Turn the red handwheel clockwise to move the piston into the dryer to break the crust as shown on the picture (*FIG. 2*).
- 3. Once the crust has been broken. Proceed with the standard sampling (page 4) with the black handwheel to get the sample inside the bottle.

#### Caution

Make sure to engage the security device in the red handwheel and as soon as possible to secure it with the lock to avoid any contact with the mixer or blades when bringing back the piston in its closed position.

The outlet length can be adapted on request.







CRUST BREAKING 130CC®

1" version.

# AUTOMATIC 125AUT®



Standard sampling valve with a double acting actuator (*FIG.* 1).

### **ACTUATOR**

Operating pressure: 4 to 10 bar

(58 to 145 psi)

Mode of operation: Double-acting

Pneumatic connection: 1/8"

### PROXIMITY SENSOR

Measuring principal: Inductive



# AUTOMATIC 130AUT®

1" Version.

# NEAR INFRA RED 125NIR®



At the top of the piston, the 125NIR valve (FIG. 1) has a scraper which allows installation of a fiberoptic probe (FIG. 2).

This probe, ideally located, will measure several parameters such as temperature, pH, humidity... and/or composition of the product before taking the sample.

A second hole, on the scraper (FIG. 2), is made nearby the fiberoptic probe for the cleaning system (Nitrogen) as shown on the picture. The measuring probe (not shown on picture) is cleaned through a nozzle with Nitrogen.



## HIGH CONTAINMENT 1250EL®



### Toxic products

To achieve a high containment of products during sampling operation is not easy. The 1250EL high containment sampling device allows you to do it.

The OEL (Operator Exposure Limit) describes the maximum concentration of a drug substance which can be tolerated in the air of the production room without any negative effect to the health of the operators.

OEL level we can offer:

• < 1  $\mu g/m^3$ 

Container capacity: 250 ml (# 16 cu in) Tri-clamp connection: DN 50 - 2.5"

#### **ADVANTAGES**

Quick dismantling for cleaning (without tools) - incl. a cleaning device Compact dimensions No dead volumes AndockSystem split Valve

HIGH CONTAINMENT 1300EL®

DN25 Version available soon.

## METALLIC 135A®



The 135A sampling valve (FIG. 1) is equipped with a metallic piston (Stainless Steel or Hastelloy) for sampling process up to 330°C (572° F). FDA certified up to 260°C.

Unlike the PTFE or PEEK piston, the metal piston has a high temperature gasket around it.

To avoid any damage when closing the piston, the gasket is recessed into the piston and seals against the valve cylinder wall making contact only after the final sealing turn of the handwheel. Tightness from vacuum up to 10 bar (145 psi).

# STANDARD 130C®



The design is similar to the 2" range with, as always, the patented expansion system for perfect sealing tightness.

Pressure from full vacuum up to 10 bar (145 psi).

Temperature from -20°C (-4°F) up to 180°C (360°F).

In standard configuration, the internal roughtness is Ra  $\leq$  0.8  $\mu$ m and the external is  $Ra \leq 1.6 \mu m$ .

## HORIZONTAL "THIEF" SAMPLING 130H®



The 130H is a new product dedicated to the horizontal powder sampling such as would be installed into a vertical chute.

The piston is intrusive and takes the sampling with special shaped chamber.

The Technology used for the piston is the same as the standard patented expandable piston, ensuring tightness without gasket and no dead zone (except the sample chamber).

# 45° ORIENTATED SAMPLING VALVE $130C45^{\circ}$



The 130C 45° is a variant of the standard 130C.

The body and the outlet are at 45° orientated for optimum flow and easy sampling.

The flange of the body is at 45° orientated relative to the sampler, which ensures, combined with the 45° outlet, to have the bottle in a vertical position.

In this configuration, the reactor with the help of the blades is pushing the product directly in the sampler.

### TECHNICAL DATA

MATERIAL STANDARD			PTFE (reinforced with glassfibers) FDA	PEEK (PolyEther EtherKetone) FDA	Perfluoroelastomer FFKM Viton (FEP) FDA	Borosilicate 3.3				
	Body/Flange/Coupling									
Sampling Valve	Piston									
Bottle (container)	Gaskets									
	Sight Glass									
	Remark: special material and special options on request									
	Body/Coupling									
HCB	Piston									
High-Containment (p. 11)	Gasket									
(P. 11)	Sight Glass									
	All valves are equipped with Ferrule and Handwheel in Al	Purging \ uminium	/alve ¼" G or Thermo	i or ½" plast						

### WEIGHT

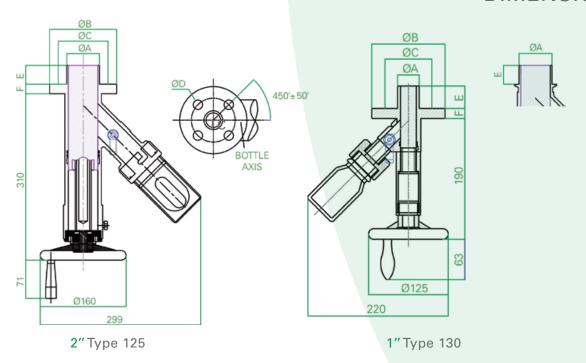
	125A	125TC	125CC	125AUT	125NIR	1250EL	135A	130C	130TC	130CC	1300EL	130H	130C 45°	
kg	10	11	14	13	15	18	13	4	4	7.4	10.8	7.2	4	
lbs	22	24	31	28	33	39.6	28	8.8	8.8	16.28	22	15.84	8.8	

### PRESSURE / TEMPERATURE

Full vacuum, up to 10 bar (145 psi) for all valves.

-20°C/-4°F, up to 180°C/ 360°F for all valves, except type 135A: up to 300°C/ 572°F

### **DIMENSIONS**



Туре	[millimeters]	А	В	С	NB	D	Ε	F
	FD (Famat-DIN)	61 <sup>+0</sup> -0.05	125	100	4	13	35	18
	ND (DIN 50 (2" size)	61 <sup>+0</sup> -0.05	165	125	4	18	35	21
2" size Type 125	FA (FAMAT ANSI)	61 <sup>+0</sup> -0.05	127	98.4	4	15.9	35	18
1900 123	NA (2" 150 lbs ANSI/ASME)	61 <sup>+0</sup> -0.05	152.4	120.6	4	19	35	18
	TC (TRI-CLAMP 2½")	60 <sup>+0</sup> -0.05					35	
	FD (PN10 - DN25)	34 <sup>+0</sup> -0.05	115	85	4	14	35	16
1" size Type 130	NA (1" 150 lbs ANSI/ASME)	34 <sup>+0</sup> -0.05	107.9	79.4	4	15.9	35	16
	TC (TRI-CLAMP 1½")	34 <sup>+0</sup> -0.05					35	
	Remark: 1 inch = 25.4 mm							

On request: The valve and flange dimensions can be adapted (if possible attach a drawing with your enquiry).

### CLEANING/PURGING STERILISATION



By placing 2 cleaning valves on the body, the solvent will clean/sterilize around the piston, the outlet and the bottle which is also equipped with a valve.

Once flushing is complete, the chamber is dried by nitrogen through the same cleaning valves.



Purging/cleaning valve ¼" G in stainless steel



Purging/cleaning valve Tri-Clamp in stainless steel

Standard 0.5"

### **FLANGE CONNECTION**





On request



DIN/ANSI Norm as requested



Tri-clamp connection

Standard



### Without nozzle

The piston will tighten and will expand directly connexion on itself inside the reactor housing.



### O-ring on the connection point

For dimensions of the nozzle (page 19) length and diameter of the nozzle can be customized.

### **OUTLET COUPLING**



Bayonet coupling



Tri-clamp coupling Standard ISO 2852



Food coupling Standard DN 50



GL 45 coupling



DIN/ANSI Flange (if used as a tank bottom valve)

### **BOTTLE (CONTAINER)**



Type B101 Bottle with bayonet coupling



Type B101 - TC Bottle with Tri-Clamp coupling Standard 2.0"



Type B101 - RL Bottle with food coupling Standard 2"



Type B105 - Glass Bottle Bayonet - GL 45

A Metallic protection can be added. Size: 50 ml (3 cu in), 100 ml (7 cu in), 250 ml (15 cu in), 500 ml (30 cu in).

### **BOTTLE (CONTAINER)**



Type B102
Bottle with bayonet coupling

2" version Shock resistant system.



Type SB102

Bottle with bayonet coupling

1" version of B102 Shock resistant system.



Type B102 - TC
Bottle with Tri-Clamp coupling

Standard 2.0"
Shock resistant cleaning system.



Type B109 Sight glass

Standard 2.0"



Security lock available in option on all bottles

### **PISTON**





*Type P925* 

Piston in PTFE reinforced with glassfibers





Type P935
Piston in PEEK





*Type P922* 

Piston in GFK-reinforced PTFE with metallic scraper.

Recommended for abrasive or sticky products.



Type P909

Metallic piston for high temperature up to 300°C (# 572° F)

FDA certified up to 260°C. Sampling valve 135A, (page 12).

### **POLISHING**



Standard internal polishing for 2" size = 0.8 mm.

Standard external polishing for 2" size = 3.2 mm.

Standard internal polishing for 1" size = 0.8 mm.

Standard external polishing for 1" size = 1.6 mm.

### **ACCESSORIES**



Handwheel in aluminium



Handwheel in stainless steel



Handwheel in plastic with number of turns indicator



Limit switch



Bottle cover



Valve Body cover

### **CERTIFICATIONS**



#### CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

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