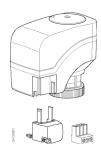
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# 599 Series Zone Valves SSA81U Electronic Zone Valve Actuator 24 Vac Floating Control Fail-in-Place





# **Product Description**

The SSA81U actuator requires 24 Vac, Class 2 power, and a floating control signal to control 599 Series Zone Valves with 1/10-inch (2.5 mm) stroke.

# **Warning/Caution Notations**

WARNING:	4	Personal injury/loss of life may occur if you do not follow a procedure as specified.
CAUTION:	A	Equipment damage, or loss of data may occur if you do not follow the procedures as specified.

### **Product Number**

	Actuator Code	
SSA81U	Normally Closed Floating	244

Contents: One actuator

# **Required Tools**

- Small flat-blade screwdriver
- Wire stripper

### **Estimated Installation Time**

20 minutes

# **Prerequisites**



#### WARNING:

If mounting the actuator to a valve already in line:

 Close the shut-off valves in the piping (upstream first, then downstream);

Or

 Switch off the pump to allow the differential pressure in the valve to drop.











Figure 1. Acceptable Mounting Positions. \*

\*The vertical position is recommended for mounting.



#### WARNING:

Disconnect the controller power before replacing the actuator.

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### Installation

### Mounting an Actuator to a Valve



#### **CAUTIONS:**

- The black actuator attachment support ring must be in place on top of the valve bonnet before installing the actuator.
  - If the support ring is not in place, damage to the actuator connection may result.
- 2. SSA61/81: Using the 3mm hex wrench, rotate the manual override to the **1** position before installing on a valve assembly.
- 1. Place the actuator on the valve and firmly hand-tighten the coupling piece.
- 2. Connect the wires per the Wiring section.

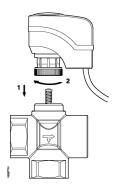


Figure 2. Mounting an Actuator to a Valve

The installation is now complete.

### Removing an Actuator from a Valve

1. Disconnect the wiring.

- 2. Unscrew the actuator-coupling piece from the valve body threads.
- 3. Remove the actuator from the valve.

### Wiring

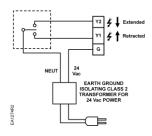


Figure 3. SSA81U Actuator Wiring Diagram.



#### **CAUTION:**

G must be properly wired for correct function and full life of the actuator.

- All wiring must conform to NEC and local codes and regulations.
- Use earth ground isolating step-down Class 2 transformers.
- Do not use autotransformers.
- Determine the supply transformer rating by summing the total VA of all actuators used.
- The maximum rating for a Class 2 step-down transformer is 100 VA.
- It is recommended that one transformer power no more than 10 actuators.

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## Start-up

Check the wiring and the position indication. See Figure 4 for referred positions **0** and **1** on the position indicator disc.

#### **SSA81U Normally Closed**

When the position indicator disc is at the **0** position the output shaft is extended (two-way valve closed).

When the position indicator disc rotates to position **1**, the output shaft is retracted (two-way valve open).





#### Note:

The **0** and **1** position markings are intended for reference only and not for stroke measurement.

Position 0

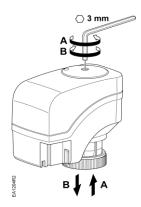
Position 1

Figure 4. Visual Position Indication.

### **Manual Override**

The actuators can be driven manually to any position between **0** and **1** with a 3 mm hex wrench. See Figure 5. A control signal from the controller, however, will take priority over any manual position.

#### NOTE:



- (A) Turn hex wrench counterclockwise to retract the spindle.
- (B) Turn hex wrench clockwise to extend the spindle.

Figure 5. SSA81U Normally Closed.

### **Troubleshooting**

Check the wiring for the proper connections.

### References

**Technical Instructions**SSA81U Electronic Valve Actuator
155-710
24 Vac 3-Position Control

Technical Bulletin TB254 155-291 599 Series Zone Valves Electric Actuator Assembly Selection

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# **Service Envelope**

Minimum access space recommended: 8-inches (200 mm) above the actuator.

### **Dimensions**

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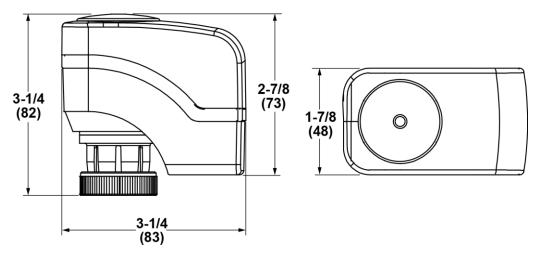


Figure 6. Dimensions of the SSA81U Actuator in Inches (mm).

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