# Vacuum Module: Vacuum Pump System **Series ZX**

How to Order





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Light/Surge voltage suppressor

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The AC type is not equipped with a surge voltage suppressor because the rectifier assembly

prevents the generation of surge voltage.

Using the AC type:

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Supply valve	Release valve	Symbol	N.C. (VJ114)	N.O. (VJ324)	N.C. (ZX1A)	N.O. (VJA324)	None	N.C. (VJ114)	N.C. (VJ314)	N.C. (VJA314)	ZX1A	None	ZM
Solenoid (N.C.)	Solenoid (N.C.)	K1	•	_	_	_	_	•	_	_	_	_	ZH
Solenoid (N.O.)	Solenoid (N.C.)	К3	_	•	_	_	_	_	•	_	_	_	ZU
Air operated (N.O.)	External release	K6	_	_	•	_	_	_	_	_	•	_	ZL
Air operated (N.O.)	Air operated (N.C.)	K8	_	_		•	_	_	_	•	—	_	
— Nil				Without valve module						ZY			

# Table (2) Valve Unit/Valve Plug Connector Assembly

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# Table (3) Vacuum Switch/Plug Connector Assembly



# Vacuum Pump System/Recommended Model (The models below will have faster delivery.)

Model	Comb Supply valve (Pilot valve)	ination Release valve (Direct operated)	Solenoid valve rated voltage	Lead wire electrical entry	Light/Surge voltage suppressor	Vacuum switch unit /Filter unit	Vacuum switch electrical entry
ZX100-K15LZ-F	N.C. (VJ114)	N.C. (VJ114)		Dhug	With	Suction filter (ZX1-F)	
ZX100-K15LZ-EC	N.C. (VJ114)	N.C. (VJ114)	24 VDC	Plug connector type	light/surge voltage		Connector type
ZX100-K35MZ-EC	N.O. (VJ324)	N.C. (VJ314)		.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	suppressor	Vacuum switch (ZSE)	
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# Vacuum Pump System/Combination of Supply Valve and Release Valve

#### Combination Symbol: K1

An N.C. solenoid valve is used for the supply valve. Also, an N.C. solenoid valve is used for the vacuum release valve.

**Application:** This combination is used for effecting control in accordance with electric signals.



#### How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	Solenoid valve	Solenoid valve
1. Work adsorption	ON	OFF
2. Vacuum release	OFF	ON
3. Operation stop	OFF	OFF

#### Combination Symbol: K3

An N.O. solenoid valve is used for the supply valve. Also, an N.C. solenoid valve is used for the vacuum release valve.

**Application:** This combination is used for effecting control in accordance with electric signals. Because the supply valve is N.O., the pressure that is supplied to the ejector is not interrupted during a power outage; as a result, the state of suction can be maintained. This combination is used for preventing the workpieces from dropping during power outages.



#### How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	Solenoid valve	Solenoid valve
1. Work adsorption	OFF	OFF
2. Vacuum release	ON	ON
3. Operation stop	ON	OFF

#### Combination Symbol: K6

An external 3 port valve must be provided to serve as the supply valve. Also, an external 2 port valve (vacuum valve) must be provided to serve as the vacuum release valve.

**Application:** This combination is used for effecting control in accordance with electric signals.



#### How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	Solenoid valve	Solenoid valve
1. Work adsorption	ON	OFF
2. Vacuum release	OFF	ON
3. Operation stop	OFF	OFF

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#### Combination Symbol: K8

An air operated N.O. valve is used as the supply valve. An air operated N.C. valve is used for the vacuum release valve.

**Application:** This combination is used for effecting control in accordance with electric signals. Because the supply valve is N.O., the pressure that is supplied to the ejector is not interrupted during a power outage; as a result, the state of suction can be maintained. This type is used for preventing the workpieces from dropping during



Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	Air operated valve	Air operated valve
1. Work adsorption	OFF	OFF
2. Vacuum release	ON	ON
3. Operation stop	ON	OFF

# Vacuum Pump System/Construction



#### **Component Parts**

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No.	Description	Material	Note
1	Poppet valve assembly	_	ZX1-PV-O
2	Release flow rate adjusting needle	Stainless steel	
3	Manifold base	Aluminum	
4	Vacuum switch	—	ZSE2, ZSP1
5	Valve unit	—	ZX1-VBDDDDDD-D-D
6	Interface plate	_	(PV)/(PS↔PD)
$\overline{\mathcal{O}}$	Return spring	Stainless steel	
(8)Note	Filter case	Polycarbonate	

#### Table (1) How to Order Pilot Valves

N	~	Component	equipment	Model	Combination of supply and release valve	
IN	0.	Supply valve	Release valve	woder		
1	I	N.C. (V.1114)	Solenoid valve N.C. (VJ114)	ZX1-VJ114-□□□□	K1, J1	
2	2	Solenoid valve N.O. (VJ324)	Solenoid valve N.C. (VJ314)	ZX1-VJ3 <sup>1</sup> 24	K3, J2	
3	3	Air operated N.O. (VJA324)	Air operated N.C. (VJA314)	ZX1-VJA3 <sup>1</sup> 24	K6	
		Solenoid valve	Air operated	No. 2 and 3 models onl	y are applicable.	
- 4	4	Air operated	Solenoid valve	Indicate each part num	ber.	

#### Table (2) How to Order Solenoid Valves

#### Replacement Parts

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No.	Description	Material	Part no.						
9	Pilot valve	—	Refer to "Table (2)", "(3)".						
10	Filter element	PVF	ZX1-FE						
$\mathcal{O}$	<ul> <li>Note) Caution when handlir</li> <li>1. The case is made not use it with a chemicals: paint chloroform, acetic trichloroethylene, watersoluble cuttin</li> <li>2. Do not expose it to</li> </ul>	of polycarbon or expose it thinner, carb c ester, anili sulfuric ac g oil (alkalinic	to the following oon tetrachloride, ne, cyclohexane, cid, lactic acid, s), etc.						
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#### Table (3) How to Order Air Operated Valves



M3	M3 x 0.5	Pilot port/External
M5	M5 x 0.8	release port

# Caution

Turning the vacuum release flow volume adjusting needle clockwise reduces the vacuum release flow volume; the needle valve is fully closed when the needle stops turning. Turning the needle 2 full turns counterclockwise from the fully closed position renders the needle valve fully open. The needle will fall out if it is turned more than 4 full turns.



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ZCU

AMJ

Misc.



# Valve Unit: ZX1-VB Refer to page 13-2-10 for details



#### **Specifications**

Unit no.	ZX1-VB							
Components	Vacuum switch valve				Vacuum release valve			ve
		Pilot	type			Direct ope	erated typ	e
Operation	Soleno	id valve	Air op	Air operated		Solenoid valve		Air
Operation	N.C.	N.O.	N.C.	N.O.	N.C.	N.C.	release	operated
	(VJ114)	(VJ324)	(ZX1A)	(VJA324)	(VJ114)	(VJ314)	(ZX1A)	(VJA314)
Effective area (mm <sup>2</sup> )		0 (0 17) 1	Acin volve		0.07	0.45		
(Cv factor)		3 (0.17) N	hain vaive	;	0.004	0.025	-	_
Operating pressure range				0.3 to 0	).6 MPa			
Max. operating frequency				5	Hz			
Operating temperature range	5 to 50°C							
Interface plate symbol	(PV) / (PS ↔ PD)							
Standard accessory				Bracket E	Spacer 2	2		





# Suction Filter Unit: ZX1-F

Refer to page 13-2-12 for details

#### Specifications

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Unit no.	ZX1-F
Operating pressure range	Vacuum to 0.5 MPa
Operating temperature range	5 to 50°C
Filtration efficiency	30 µm
Element	PVF
Weight	35 g
Note) If not operated within the specified range	of pressure and temperature, trouble may be caused.

Refer to page 13-2-13 to 13-2-18 for details.

# Vacuum Pressure Switch Unit/ZSE2, ZSE3, ZSP1

# Vacuum Pressure Switch

High speed response/10 ms Uses a carrier diffusion semiconductor pressure sensor



# Adsorption Confirmation Switch

Suitable for small size adsorption nozzle/ø0.3 to ø1.2

# With suction filter

Improved wiring: connector type

Uses a carrier diffusion semiconductor pressure sensor



#### Vacuum Pressure Switch **Specifications** Refer to Best Pneumatics Vol.16 for details. Unit no. ZSE2-0X ZSE3-0X Fluid Air Set pressure range 0 to -101 kPa **Hysteresis** 3% Full span or less ±3% Full span (5 to 40°C) ±1% Accuracy ±5% Full span (0 to 60°C) Full span Voltage 12 to 24 VDC (Ripple ±10% or less) Port size M5 x 0.8 Note) If not operated within the specified range of pressure and temperature, trouble may be caused.

#### Adsorption Confirmation Switch Specifications

Unit no.	ZSP1-S	ZSP1-B
Fluid	A	ir
Operating pressure range	–20 to –	101 kPa
Applicable adsorption nozzle dia.	ø0.3 to ø0.7	ø0.5 to ø1.2
Hysteresis	0.5	kPa
Internal orifice	ø0.5	ø0.8

#### • Filter case

# Caution

- 1. The case is made of polycarbonate. Therefore, do not use it with or expose it to the following chemicals: paint thinner, carbon tetrachloride, chloroform, acetic ester, aniline, cyclohexane, trichloroethylene, sulfuric acid, lactic acid, water-soluble cutting oil (alkalinic), etc.
- 2. Do not expose it to direct sunlight.

#### Other caution

#### **∆**Caution

It might not be possible to successfully pick a workpiece if a picking nozzle or a picking pad that is out of the applicable range is used.









#### Filter unit (F) ZX100-K1



















#### Filter unit (F) ZX100-K8-F



Please consult with SMC for detailed specifications, size and delivery.

# 1. Valve Unit/Other Combinations of Supply Valve and Release Valve (Ejector unit)

# **Ejector Unit**

If those other than the standard combination of supply valves and release valves (Refer to page 13-2-5.) are required, select from the following combinations. (Refer to page 13-2-4 for "How to Order".)

#### Combination Symbol: K2



An N.C. solenoid valve is used as the supply valve. Also, an external 2 port valve (vacuum valve) must be provided to serve as the vacuum release valve.

Application: The supply pressure is controlled by electric signals and a vacuum release is effected by external air.

#### How to Operate Valve Supply valve Release valve Solenoid valve External 2 port valve 1. Work adsorption ON OFF 2. Vacuum release OFF ON

3. Operation stop

#### Combination Symbol: K4



#### Combination Symbol: K5



An N.O. solenoid valve is used as the supply valve. An air operated N.C. valve is used for the vacuum release valve.

OFF

OFF

Application: The supply pressure is restricted by electric signals and a vacuum release is effected by air signals. Because the supply valve is N.O., the pressure that is supplied to the ejector is not interrupted during a power outage; as a result, the state of suction can be maintained. This combination is used for preventing the workpieces from dropping during power outages.

#### How to Operate

	<u> </u>	
Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	Solenoid valve	Air operated valve
1. Work adsorption	OFF	OFF
2. Vacuum release	ON	ON
3. Operation stop	ON	OFF

An external 3 port valve must be provided to serve as the supply valve. Also, an N.C. solenoid valve is used for the vacuum release valve.

Application: The supply pressure is controlled by external air signals and a vacuum release is effected by the solenoid valve.

#### How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	External 3 port valve	Solenoid valve
1. Work adsorption	ON	OFF
2. Vacuum release	OFF	ON
3. Operation stop	OFF	OFF

#### Combination Symbol: K7



#### Combination Symbol: **J1**



#### Combination Symbol: J2



An air operated N.O. valve is used as the supply valve. An N.C. solenoid valve is used for the vacuum release valve.

Application: The supply pressure is controlled by external air signals and a vacuum release is effected by the solenoid valve. Because the supply valve is N.O., the pressure that is supplied to the ejector is not interrupted during a power outage; as a result, the state of suction can be maintained. This combination is used for preventing the workpieces from dropping during power outages.

#### How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	Air operated valve	Solenoid valve
1. Work adsorption	OFF	OFF
2. Vacuum release	ON	ON
3. Operation stop	ON	OFF

An N.C. solenoid valve is used as the supply valve. A vacuum release valve is not used.

Application: This combination is used for effecting control in accordance with electric signals. A vacuum release is effected by the intrusion of air between the silencer, pad, and the workpiece. This combination is used when there is no need to accelerate the vacuum release speed.

#### How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	Solenoid valve	_
1. Work adsorption	ON	_
2. Vacuum release	OFF	
3. Operation stop	OFF	_

An N.O. solenoid valve is used as the supply valve. A vacuum release valve is not used.

Application: It is used for controlling the supply pressure through electric signals. Because the supply valve is N.O., the pressure that is supplied to the ejector is not interrupted during a power outage; as a result, the state of suction can be maintained. This is used for preventing the workpieces from dropping during power outages. A vacuum release is effected by the intrusion of air between the silencer, pad, and the workpiece. This combination is used when there is no need to accelerate the vacuum release speed.

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	Solenoid valve	—
1. Work adsorption	OFF	—
2. Vacuum release	ON	_
3. Operation stop	ON	—



Please consult with SMC for detailed specifications, size and delivery.

# Combination Symbol: J3



#### Combination Symbol: J4



Combination Symbol: D1



An N.C. solenoid valve is used for the vacuum release valve. An external supply valve must be provided.

An N.C. solenoid valve is used as the supply valve. A vacuum release valve

Application: The supply pressure is controlled by external air signals. A

vacuum release is effected by the intrusion of air between the silencer, pad, and the workpiece. This is used when there is no need to accelerate

Valve Supply valve Release valve

External 3 port valve

ON

OFF

OFF

An air operated N.O. valve is used as the supply valve. A vacuum release valve is

Application: The supply pressure is controlled by external air signals. Because the supply valve is N.O., the pressure that is supplied to the ejector is not interrupted during a power outage; as a result, the state of suction can be maintained. This is used for greventing the workneers from

used for preventing the workpieces from dropping during power outages. A vacuum release is effected by the intrusion of air between the silencer, pad, and the workpiece. This type is used when there is no need to accelerate the vacuum release

Valve Supply valve Release valve

Air operated valve

OFF

ON

OFF

How to Operate

the vacuum release speed.

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is not used

Condition

1. Work adsorption

Vacuum release

3. Operation stop

not used.

speed.

Condition 1. Work adsorption

2. Vacuum release

3. Operation stop

Application: The supply pressure is controlled by the external valve and a vacuum release is effected by the solenoid valve.



vaive	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	External valve	Solenoid valve
1. Work adsorption	ON	OFF
2. Vacuum release	OFF	ON
3. Operation stop	OFF	OFF

#### Combination Symbol: D2



#### Combination Symbol: D3



#### Combination Symbol: D4



An N.C. solenoid valve is used for the vacuum release valve. An external supply valve must be provided.

**Application:** The supply pressure is controlled by the external valve and a vacuum release is effected by the solenoid valve.

#### How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	External valve	Solenoid valve
1. Work adsorption	ON	OFF
2. Vacuum release	OFF	ON
3. Operation stop	OFF	OFF

An external valve must be provided to serve as the supply valve. Also, an external 2 port valve (vacuum valve) must be provided to serve as the vacuum release valve.

**Application:** The supply pressure is controlled by the external valve and a vacuum release is effected by the external 2 port valve (vacuum valve).

#### How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	External valve	Solenoid valve
1. Work adsorption	ON	OFF
2. Vacuum release	OFF	ON
3. Operation stop	OFF	OFF

An external valve must be provided to serve as the supply valve. An air operated N.C. valve is used for the vacuum release valve.

**Application:** The supply pressure is controlled by the external valve and a vacuum release is effected by external air signals.

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	External valve	Air operated valve
1. Work adsorption	ON	OFF
2. Vacuum release	OFF	ON
3. Operation stop	OFF	OFF

Please consult with SMC for detailed specifications, size and delivery.

# 1. Valve Unit/Other Combinations of Supply Valve and Release Valve (Vacuum pump system)

# Vacuum Pump System

If those other than the standard combination of supply valves (Refer to page 13-2-41.) and release valves are required, select from the following combinations. (Refer to page 13-2-40 for "How to Order".)

#### Combination Symbol: K2



Combination Symbol: K4



An N.O. solenoid valve is used as the supply valve. An air operated N.C. valve is used for the vacuum release valve.

An N.C. solenoid valve is used as the supply valve. Also, an external 2 port

valve (vacuum valve) must be provided to serve as the vacuum release valve.

Application: The supply pressure is controlled by electric signals and a vacuum release is effected by external

Valve Supply valve Release valve

ON

OFF

OFF

Solenoid valve External 2 port valve

OFF

ON

OFF

How to Operate

Condition

1. Work adsorption

Vacuum release

3. Operation stop

air.

Application: The supply pressure is controlled by electric signals and a vacuum release is effected by air signals. Because the supply valve is N.O., the pressure that is supplied to the ejector is not interrupted during a power outage; as a result, the state of suction can be maintained. This combination is used for preventing the workpieces from dropping during power outages.

#### How to Operate

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Supply valve	Release valve
Solenoid valve	Solenoid valve
OFF	OFF
ON	ON
ON	ON
	OFF ON

#### Combination Symbol: K5



An external 3 port valve must be provided to serve as the supply valve. Also, an N.C. solenoid valve is used for the vacuum release valve.

Application: The supply pressure is controlled by external air signals and a vacuum release is effected by the solenoid valve.

#### How to Operate

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Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	External 3 port valve	Solenoid valve
I. Work adsorption	ON	OFF
2. Vacuum release	OFF	ON
3. Operation stop	OFF	OFF

# Combination Symbol: K7



#### Combination Symbol: J1



## Combination Symbol: **J2**



An air operated N.O. valve is used as the supply valve. An N.C. solenoid valve is used for the vacuum release valve.

**Application:** The supply pressure is controlled by external air signals and a vacuum release is effected by the solenoid valve. Because the supply valve is the N.O., the pressure that is supplied to the ejector is not interrupted during a power outage; as a result, the state of suction can be maintained. This combination is used for preventing the workpieces from dropping during power outages.

#### How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	Air operated valve	Solenoid valve
1. Work adsorption	OFF	OFF
2. Vacuum release	ON	ON
3. Operation stop	ON	OFF

An N.C. solenoid valve is used as the supply valve. A vacuum release valve is not used.

Application: This combination is used for controlling the pressure by electric signals. Normally, the workpiece is released due to the air leakage that occurs between the pad and the workpiece. However, if there is no air leakage, the workpiece will not become detached because the vacuum state is maintained even when the supply valve is turned OFF. To effect releasing, an external 2 port valve (vacuum valve) must be provided.

#### How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	Solenoid valve	
1. Work adsorption	ON	
2. Vacuum release	OFF	
3. Operation stop	OFF	

An N.O. solenoid valve is used as the supply valve. A vacuum release valve is not used.

Application: Used for controlling with electric signals. Because the supply N.O., the pressure is not interrupted during a power outage. This prevents the workpieces from dropping. Normally, the workpiece is released due to leakage. However, if no air leakage, the workpiece will not detach because the vacuum state is maintained even when the supply valve is turned ON. To release, an external 2 port valve (vacuum valve) must be used.

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	Solenoid valve	
1. Work adsorption	OFF	
2. Vacuum release	ON	
3. Operation stop	ON	



Please consult with SMC for detailed specifications, size and delivery.

#### Combination Symbol: J3



An N.C. solenoid valve is used as the supply valve. A vacuum release valve is not used.

Application: The supply pressure is controlled by external air signals. Normally, the workpiece is released due to the air leakage that occurs between the nod and the workpiece between the pad and the workpiece. However, if there is no air leakage, the workpiece, will not become detached because the vacuum state is maintained even when the supply valve is turned OFF. To effect releasing, an external 2 port valve (vacuum valve) must be provided.

#### How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	External 3 port valve	
1. Work adsorption	ON	
2. Vacuum release	OFF	
3. Operation stop	OFF	

An air operated N.O. valve is used as the supply valve. A vacuum release valve is not used.

**Application:** Supply is controlled by external air signals. Because the valve is N.O., the pressure is not interrupted

during a power outage. This prevents the workpieces from dropping. Normally, the workpiece is released due to leakage. However, if no leakage, the workpiece will not detach because the vacuum state is maintained even when the value of the release of the value of th

the valve is turned ON. To release, an external 2 port valve (vacuum valve)

Valve Supply valve Release valve

Air operated valve

OFF

ON

ON

must be provided.

Condition

1. Work adsorption

2. Vacuum release

3. Operation stop

How to Operate

# Release valve PS C

Combination Symbol: D2

PDX

Combination Symbol: D3



#### Combination Symbol: D4

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PD ¥ Release valve PS C PV 🚺

An N.C. solenoid valve is used as the vacuum release valve. A supply valve is not used.

Application: The supply pressure is controlled by an external 2 port valve (vacuum valve) and a vacuum release is effected by the solenoid.

#### How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	External 2 port valve	Solenoid valve
1. Work adsorption	ON	OFF
2. Vacuum release	OFF	ON
3. Operation stop	OFF	OFF

An external 2 port valve (vacuum valve) must be provided to serve as the supply valve and the vacuum release valve.

Application: The supply pressure is controlled by the external 2 port valve (vacuum valve) and releasing is also effected by the external 2 port valve.

#### How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	External 2 port valve	Solenoid valve
1. Work adsorption	ON	OFF
2. Vacuum release	OFF	ON
3. Operation stop	OFF	OFF

An external 2 port valve (vacuum valve) must be provided to serve as the supply valve. An air operated N.C. valve is used for the vacuum release valve.

Application: The supply pressure is controlled by the external 2 port valve (vacuum valve) and vacuum release is effected by external air signals.

# How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	External 2 port valve	Solenoid valve
1. Work adsorption	ON	OFF
2. Vacuum release	OFF	ON
3. Operation stop	OFF	OFF

ZX

ZR





#### Combination Symbol: D1



An N.C. solenoid valve is used as the vacuum release valve. A supply valve is not used

**Application:** The supply pressure is controlled by an external 2 port valve (vacuum valve) and a vacuum release is effected by the solenoid.

#### How to Operate

Valve	Supply valve	Release valve
Condition	External 2 port valve	Solenoid valve
1. Work adsorption	ON	OFF
2. Vacuum release	OFF	ON
3. Operation stop	OFF	OFF



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# **1. Noise Reduction Silencer Assembly**/The ejector exhaust style is applicable to the silencer equipped specifications.

ZX1 Nozzle diameter Exhaust style

Valve Voltage Electrical entry

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# Noise reduction silencer assembly

Reduction in the exhaust noise from the ejector (Silencing effect 8 dB (A) Standard silencer assembly comparison)

