# **CLARK SOLUTIONS**

# **VM Vacuum Switch**

# Set Point Range, 4-29" Hg, Factory Preset **DESCRIPTION**

Model VM is a simple, reliable low cost Vacuum switch that uses a spring loaded long-life elastomeric diaphragm as the sensing element. Model VM can be provided with a factory calibrated set-point or can be field adjustable.

In operation, the diaphragm actuates a snap action electrical switch that insures a positive, instantaneous electrical contact under all operating conditions.



## **SPECIFICATIONS**

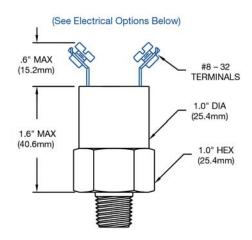
Set Point Range- 4-30" Hg (102-762 mm Hg) Set Point Tolerance- ±1" Hg or 5% (25 mm Hg) Max Operating pressure- 250 PSI (17 bar) Switch Deadband (differential)- 20-40% Current Rating-

Media Connection- Standard: Brass (Optional: Aluminum, Nickel Plating, Delrin, 303 SS, 316 SS) Circuit Form- SPST-NO, SPST-NC, SPDT

Electrical Connections- See Order Table Below

Diaphragm- Buna-N Cycle Life- 1 Million Cycles Housing: NEMA 4, 13

# **DIMENSIONS (MM)**



#### **ORDERING INFORMATION**

# ORDER NUMBER (SEE TABLE) **A-BCD-EFG**

EXAMPLE- LM-B1C-150R-4WL

A Model	B Connection Material	C Media Connection	D Circuit Form	E Fixed Set Point	F Set Point Direction	G *Electrical Options
VM	A= Aluminum <b>B= Brass (Standard)</b> N= Nickel Plating P= Delrin S= Zinc Plated Steel T= 303 Stainless Steel U= 316 Stainless Steel	1= 1/4" NPT Male 2= 1/8" NPT Male 11= 9/16" SAE O-Ring (-6) 17= 1/4" BSPP Male (G1/4)	A SPST-NO B SPST-NC C SPDT	Specify 4"-29" Hg	R= Rising F= Falling	- = Screw Terminals (Standard)  WL= Wire Leads  WP= Weather Pack  HR= DIN43650A Connector  MP= Metri-Pack  AT= 10 A @ 125/250 VAC  5 A @ 30 VDC  AU= Gold Plate/Alloy  for low currents  *See next page for more choices

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## More about changing switch state.....

The snap-action design will maintain its state with contacts either open or closed, until a precise set point is reached when it will snap over center to a new state. It will remain in that state until a distinct change towards its original setting is sensed, at which time it will snap back to its original state.

The design's snap-action feature prevents contact intermittency near its switch point, which is common in creeper designs. As system pressures fluctuate, our switches inherent differential prevents searching. Only the highest quality snap-action switches are used. The switches are UL, CSA, and military approved.

The elastomer diaphragm, which moves a precise .040 of an inch, ensures accurate, instantaneous contact under all operating conditions. While nitrile is preferred for general use, other materials are available.

#### A COMPREHENSIVE SELECTION OF ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS

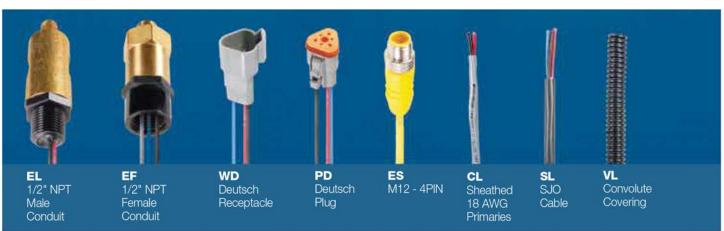
We see designs used in all types of applications imaginable, so we want to make sure you have a wide choice of electrical connections.

We offer a growing selection of connections, and if you want something else, just ask us for it.









 Color Code:
 Black - Common
 Red - Normally Open
 Blue - Normally Closed

 Pin Assignments:
 A - Normally Open
 B - Common
 C - Normally Closed

 DIN Connector Pin Assignments:
 #1 - Common
 #2 - Normally Closed
 #3 - Normally Open
 #4 - Not Used

#2 - Not Used

M12 Connector Pin Assignments: #1 - Common

#3 - Normally Open

#4 - Normally Closed