

*American Society of Sanitary Engineering*  
PRODUCT (SEAL) LISTING PROGRAM



**ASSE STANDARD #1048 - REVISED: 2011**  
**Double Check Detector Fire Protection**  
**Backflow Prevention Assemblies**

---

---

Separate, complete laboratory evaluation report forms for each alternate orientation must be submitted to ASSE for review.

MANUFACTURER: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PERSON: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

LABORATORY FILE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

MODEL # TESTED: \_\_\_\_\_

MODEL SIZE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDITIONAL MODELS REPORT APPLIES TO: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDITIONAL MODEL INFORMATION (i.e. orientation, series, end connections, shut-off valves): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  DCDA  
\_\_\_\_\_  HORIZONTAL

DATE MODELS RECEIVED BY LABORATORY: \_\_\_\_\_  VERTICAL FLOW UP

DATE TESTING BEGAN: \_\_\_\_\_  VERTICAL FLOW DOWN

DATE TESTING WAS COMPLETED: \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER  \_\_\_\_\_

IF MODELS WERE DAMAGED DURING SHIPMENT, DESCRIBE DAMAGES: \_\_\_\_\_

PROTOTYPE OR PRODUCTION: \_\_\_\_\_

**General information and instructions for the testing engineer:**

***The results within this report apply only to the models listed above.***

There may be items for which the judgment of the test engineer will be involved. Should there be a question of compliance with that provision of the standard, a conference with the manufacturer should be arranged to enable a satisfactory solution of the question.

Should disagreement persist and compliance remain in question by the test agency, the agency shall, if the product is in compliance with all other requirements of the standard, file a complete report on the questionable items together with the test report, for evaluation by the ASSE Seal Board. The Seal Board will then review and rule on the question of compliance with the intent of the standard then involved.

Documentation of material compliance must be furnished by the manufacturer. The manufacturer shall furnish to the testing agency, a bill of material which clearly identifies the material of each part included in the product construction. This identification must include any standards which relate thereto.



**SECTION 1**

**1.0 General**

**1.1**

Application

Does the purpose of the device agree with that of the standard?  Yes  No  Questionable  
If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** This standard applies to single as well as manifold assemblies.

**1.2.1**

Description

Does the device conform to the product described in the standard?  Yes  No  
 Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Is the assembly a DCDA or a DCDA-II?  RPDA  RPDA-II

**1.2.2**

Size

\_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

**1.2.3**

Rated Pressure

What is the minimum working pressure as noted by the manufacturer?

\_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

What is the maximum working pressure as noted by the manufacturer?

\_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

**1.2.4**

Temperature range as noted by the manufacturer:

\_\_\_\_\_ °F to \_\_\_\_\_ °F ( \_\_\_\_\_ °C to \_\_\_\_\_ °C)

**1.3.2.1**

Were female pipe threaded connections so constructed that it would not be possible to run a pipe into them far enough to restrict the flow through the assembly or interfere with working parts?  Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**1.3.2.2**

Is the assembly repairable and seats replaceable without removing the assembly from the line?  Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**1.3.2.4**

Were test cocks properly located?  Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**1.3.2.5**

List the inlet and outlet thread size(s) for the test cocks.

Inlet thread size: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

Outlet thread size: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

**1.3.2.6**

State the manufacturer, size and model number of all shut-off valves tested with the device:

Mainline: \_\_\_\_\_

By-Pass: \_\_\_\_\_

**1.3.3**

Does the DCDA Bypass line include a water meter or alarm signaling device or both, and a listed ASSE 1015 DC Assembly?  Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the DCDA-II Bypass line include a water meter or alarm signaling device or both, a check and two (2) test cocks located between two (2) shut-off valves?  Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_



State the manufacturer's size and model numbers of all meters used:

---

**SECTION II**

**2.0 Test Specimens**

2.1 State the quantity of units provided for the evaluation of the orientation requested. \_\_\_\_\_

2.2 How many units were utilized during the laboratory evaluation? \_\_\_\_\_

**2.3 Drawings**

Were assembly drawings, installation drawings and other technical data which are needed to enable a testing agency to determine compliance with this standard submitted with the assembly?

Yes  No

Were these drawings reviewed in the laboratory?

Yes  No

**Alternate Orientation:**

Has an alternate orientation, other than that marked on page 1 of this laboratory evaluation report form been requested?

Yes  No

If yes, were the required additional samples submitted per Section 2.1?

Yes  No

**NOTE:** Separate, complete laboratory evaluation report forms must be submitted for each alternate orientation. The correct number of devices specified in the standard for each intended orientation must be submitted to the testing facility for evaluation to this standard.

**2.5 Manifold Device**

Is this a manifold assembly type backflow preventer?

Yes  No

If yes, were the individual devices that constitute the manifold tested to each section of the standard in their intended orientation based on the pipe size for each individual device?

Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION III**

**3.0 Performance Requirements and Compliance Testing**

**3.1 Independence of Components**

How was the independence of components verified?

Drawing Review

Physical cycling of components

Other \_\_\_\_\_

In Compliance?

Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**3.2 Hydrostatic Test of Complete Assembly**

What was the pressure used for this test? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

Were there any leaks or indications of damage to the assembly?  Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**3.3 Seat Leakage Test for Shut-Off Valves**

What was the pressure applied to the inlet side of the #1 shut-off valve?

\_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

How long was the pressure held? \_\_\_\_\_ minutes



What was the pressure applied to the outlet side of the #1 shut-off valve? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

How long was the pressure held? \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

Was the sealing mechanism different between the #1 shut-off valve and the #2 shut-off valve?  Yes  No

If yes:

What was the pressure applied to the inlet side of the #2 shut-off valve? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

How long was the pressure held? \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

What was the pressure applied to the outlet side of the #2 shut-off valve? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

How long was the pressure held? \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

Was there any leakage from the shut-off valve(s)?  Yes  No

**3.4 Hydrostatic Backpressure Test of Bypass Check (For DCDA-II only)**

What was the backpressure applied to the bypass check? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

The test period was for \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

Were there any leaks or indications of damage to the assembly?  Yes  No  Questionable  
If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**3.5 Hydrostatic Backpressure Test of Checks**

What was the pressure applied to the downstream side of the first check valve? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass in test cock #2? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

What was the final height of water in the sight glass in test cock #2? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

The test period was for \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

Were there any leaks as indicated by a rise of the water level in the sight glass or indications of damage?  Yes  No

What was the pressure applied to the downstream side of the second check valve? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass in test cock #3? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

What was the final height of water in the sight glass in test cock #3? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

The test period was for \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

Were there any leaks as indicated by a rise of the water level in the sight glass or indications of damage?  Yes  No

**3.6 Allowable Pressure Loss at Rated Flow**

Was the assembly installed per Figure 1?  Yes  No  
If no, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

What was the rated water flow for the assembly? \_\_\_\_\_ GPM ( \_\_\_\_\_ L/s)

What was the supply pressure used for this test? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

What pressure loss through the piping system (if any) was deducted? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)



What was the pressure loss observed at flows of:

GPM	L/s	psi	(kPa)
05.0	0.32	_____	_____
10.0	0.63	_____	_____
15.0	0.95	_____	_____
20.0	1.26	_____	_____
25.0	1.58	_____	_____
30.0	1.89	_____	_____
35.0	2.21	_____	_____
40.0	2.52	_____	_____
45.0	2.84	_____	_____
50.0	3.15	_____	_____

What was the pressure loss at:

150% of Rated Flow \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

200% of Rated Flow \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

What was the maximum pressure loss observed at flows from (0) GPM to rated flow (both ascending and descending)? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

Did the pressure drop generally increase from static up to a flow of 50.0 GPM (3.15 L/s) with a maximum total downward deviation of 10% from the highest previous value at any point?  
 Yes  No

Was there any damage or permanent deformation of the internal components of the assembly?  
 Yes  No

Was the assembly on test in complete compliance with the criteria of Section 3.6?  
 Yes  No

### 3.7 Bypass Flow Detection

When test valve #4 was opened and the flow regulated, record the flow on the flow meter upstream of test valve #4? \_\_\_\_\_ GPM ( \_\_\_\_\_ L/s)

Was a measuring tank used?  Yes  No

If yes, record the flow: \_\_\_\_\_ GPM ( \_\_\_\_\_ L/s)

At what GPM (L/s) did the reading on the flow meter/collection tank exceed the reading on the meter in the bypass line? \_\_\_\_\_ GPM ( \_\_\_\_\_ L/s)

Did the water meter or alarm device indicate flow at or before 2.0 GPM (0.13 L/s)?  
 Yes  No

### 3.8 Drip Tightness of First Check

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #2: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

What was the final height difference in the water levels between the sight glasses at test cocks #2 and #3? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

### 3.9 Drip Tightness of the Second Check

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #4: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)



What was the final height difference in the water levels between the sight glasses at test cocks #3 and #4? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

**3.10 Drip Tightness of Bypass Check (For DCDA-II Assemblies)**

What was the initial height difference between the two sight glasses? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height difference between the two sight glasses? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

**3.11 Deterioration at Manufacturer's Extremes of Temperature and Pressure Ranges**

Temperature range as noted by the manufacturer:  
 \_\_\_\_\_ °F to \_\_\_\_\_ °F ( \_\_\_\_\_ °C to \_\_\_\_\_ °C)  
 Maximum rated pressure as noted by the manufacturer: \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)

Water at: \_\_\_\_\_ °F ( \_\_\_\_\_ °C)  
 was circulated through the assembly at: \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 at a flow rate of: \_\_\_\_\_ GPM ( \_\_\_\_\_ L/s)  
 for: \_\_\_\_\_ hours

While still at temperature, the assembly shall be retested to Sections 3.8 and 3.9, and 3.10 (for DCDA-II only):

*Retest Section 3.8*

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #2: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height difference in the water levels between the sight glasses at test cocks #2 and #3? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

*Retest Section 3.9*

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #4: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height difference in the water levels between the sight glasses at test cocks #3 and #4? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

*Retest Section 3.10*

What was the initial height difference between the two sight glasses? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height difference between the two sight glasses? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

**3.11 continued**

Upon completion of the 100 hours and the retesting of Sections 3.8, 3.9 and 3.10, water at: \_\_\_\_\_ °F ( \_\_\_\_\_ °C) was circulated through the assembly.

Once the assembly reaches ambient temperature, the assembly shall be retested to Sections 3.2 and 3.5:

*Retest Section 3.2*

What was the pressure used for this test? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes



Were there any leaks or indications of damage to the assembly?  Yes  No  Questionable  
 If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

*Retest Section 3.5*

What was the pressure applied to the downstream side of the first check valve? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 What was the initial height of water in the sight glass in test cock #2? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height of water in the sight glass in test cock #2? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

Were there any leaks as indicated by a rise of the water level in the sight glass or indications of damage?  Yes  No

What was the pressure applied to the downstream side of the second check valve? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 What was the initial height of water in the sight glass in test cock #3? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height of water in the sight glass in test cock #3? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

Were there any leaks as indicated by a rise of the water level in the sight glass or indications of damage?  Yes  No

**3.11 continued**

Upon completion of testing at ambient water temperature, water at: \_\_\_\_\_ °F ( \_\_\_\_\_ °C)  
 was circulated through the assembly for: \_\_\_\_\_ hours  
 and then the assembly was retested to Sections 3.8 and 3.9, and 3.10 (for DCDA-II only):

*Retest Section 3.8*

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #2: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height difference in the water levels between the sight glasses at test cocks #2 and #3? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

*Retest Section 3.9*

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #4: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height difference in the water levels between the sight glasses at test cocks #3 and #4? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

*Retest Section 3.10*

What was the initial height difference between the two sight glasses? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height difference between the two sight glasses? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

**3.11 continued**

Was the assembly on test in complete compliance with the criteria of Section 3.11?  Yes  No



**3.12 Cycle Test**

- (a) Flow water at 25% of the rated flow (see Table 1 for size and rated flow)  
 What was the flow rate? \_\_\_\_\_ GPM ( \_\_\_\_\_ L/s)  
 What was the supply pressure? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 The test period was for \_\_\_\_\_ seconds
- (b) What was the static pressure? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 The test period was for \_\_\_\_\_ seconds
- (c) The pressure was decreased to: \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 The test period was for \_\_\_\_\_ seconds
- (d) Backpressure was increased to: \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 The test period was for \_\_\_\_\_ seconds
- (e) Remove backpressure
- (f) Steps (a) through (e) were repeated for \_\_\_\_\_ cycles.
- (g) Retest assembly to Sections 3.8 and 3.9, and 3.10 (for DCDA-II only):

*Retest Section 3.8*

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #2: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height difference in the water levels between the sight glasses at test cocks #2 and #3? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

*Retest Section 3.9*

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #4: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height difference in the water levels between the sight glasses at test cocks #3 and #4? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

*Retest Section 3.10*

What was the initial height difference between the two sight glasses? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height difference between the two sight glasses? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

**3.12 continued**

- (h) Flow water at 50% of the rated flow.  
 What was the flow rate? \_\_\_\_\_ GPM ( \_\_\_\_\_ L/s)  
 What was the supply pressure? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 The test period was for \_\_\_\_\_ seconds
- (i) Steps (b) through (e) were repeated for \_\_\_\_\_ cycles.
- (j) Retest assembly to Sections 3.8 and 3.9, and 3.10 (for DCDA-II only):

*Retest Section 3.8*

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #2: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)



What was the final height difference in the water levels between the sight glasses at test cocks #2 and #3? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

*Retest Section 3.9*

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #4: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

What was the final height difference in the water levels between the sight glasses at test cocks #3 and #4? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

*Retest Section 3.10*

What was the initial height difference between the two sight glasses? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

What was the final height difference between the two sight glasses? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

**3.12 continued**

(k) A backpressure of: \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 was applied for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes  
 Record the leakage at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ GPM ( \_\_\_\_\_ L/s)

(l) A backpressure of: \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 was applied for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes  
 Record the leakage at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ GPM ( \_\_\_\_\_ L/s)

(m) A backpressure of: \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 was applied for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes  
 Supply pressure was reduced to: \_\_\_\_\_ GPM ( \_\_\_\_\_ L/s)  
 Record the leakage at test cock #2: \_\_\_\_\_ GPM ( \_\_\_\_\_ L/s)

(n) The backpressure at test cock #3 was raised to: \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes  
 Record the leakage at test cock #2: \_\_\_\_\_ GPM ( \_\_\_\_\_ L/s)

(o) Flow water at 75% of the rated flow.  
 What was the flow rate? \_\_\_\_\_ GPM ( \_\_\_\_\_ L/s)  
 What was the supply pressure? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 The test period was for \_\_\_\_\_ seconds

(p) Steps (b) through (e) were repeated for \_\_\_\_\_ cycles.

(q) Retest assembly to Sections 3.8 and 3.9, and 3.10 (for DCDA-II only):

*Retest Section 3.8*

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #2: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

What was the final height difference in the water levels between the sight glasses at test cocks #2 and #3? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

*Retest Section 3.9*

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #4: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)



What was the final height difference in the water levels between the sight glasses at test cocks #3 and #4? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

*Retest Section 3.10*

What was the initial height difference between the two sight glasses? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height difference between the two sight glasses? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

**3.12 continued**

(r) Flow water at 100% of the rated flow.  
 What was the flow rate? \_\_\_\_\_ GPM ( \_\_\_\_\_ L/s)  
 What was the supply pressure? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 The test period was for \_\_\_\_\_ seconds

(s) Steps (b) through (e) were repeated for \_\_\_\_\_ cycles.

(t) Retest assembly to Sections 3.8 and 3.9, and 3.10 (for DCDA-II only):

*Retest Section 3.8*

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #2: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height difference in the water levels between the sight glasses at test cocks #2 and #3? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

*Retest Section 3.9*

What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #3: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the initial height of water in the sight glass at test cock #4: \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height difference in the water levels between the sight glasses at test cocks #3 and #4? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

*Retest Section 3.10*

What was the initial height difference between the two sight glasses? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 What was the final height difference between the two sight glasses? \_\_\_\_\_ inches ( \_\_\_\_\_ mm)  
 The test period was for: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

**3.12 continued**

Was the USC FCCC & HR Life Cycle test protocol used?  Yes  No  
 If yes, attach the test results.

Was the assembly on test in complete compliance with the criteria of Section 3.12?  Yes  No

**3.13 Body Strength Test**

What was the pressure used for this test? \_\_\_\_\_ psi ( \_\_\_\_\_ kPa)  
 The test period was for \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

Were there any leaks or indications of damage?  Yes  No  
 Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_



**3.14 Seat Adhesion Test**

Did the adhesion test meet all of the requirements of Section 18 of the UL Standard 312?

Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Attach those test results.

**3.15 High Velocity Test**

What was the flow velocity used for this test? \_\_\_\_\_ ft/sec ( \_\_\_\_\_ m/sec)

This velocity was maintained for \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

Was there any damage or permanent deformation to any of the internal components of the assembly?  Yes  No

Did any portion of the assembly become dislodged or restrict flow during this velocity test?  Yes  No

Was the assembly (or assemblies) used for testing of Sections 3.1 through 3.15 in complete compliance with the criteria of this standard?  Yes  No

**SECTION IV**

**4.0 Detailed Results**

**4.1 Materials**

Did the manufacturer provide evidence that the materials make-up of the device has been used successfully in similar applications for at least one (1) year?  Yes  No

**4.1.1 Materials in Contact with Water**

Did any solder and fluxes in contact with the potable water supply exceed 0.2% lead content?  Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**4.1.2 Elastomers and Polymers**

Did all of the elastomers and polymers in contact with the water comply with the requirements of the U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Title 21, Section 177?  Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**4.1.3** Did all ferrous cast parts conform to ASTM A126 for gray iron or ASTM A536 Grade 65-45-12 for ductile iron?  Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**4.1.4** Were all ferrous cast parts in contact with the water flowing through the assembly protected against corrosion by epoxy coating or other equivalent methods?  Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**4.1.5** Were all stainless steel components in contact with water of Series 300 s/s?  Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**4.1.6** Were all non-ferrous wetted parts of a corrosion resistance of at least equal to an alloy of 79% copper?  Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**4.1.7** Were all internal non-cast parts of a corrosion resistance of at least equal to an alloy of 79% copper?  Yes  No  Questionable

If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_



4.1.8 Were all springs in contact with the water flowing through the assembly of a corrosion resistance of at least equal to stainless steel series 300?  Yes  No  Questionable  
If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

4.1.9 Were all flexible non-metallic parts of a design to withstand all the criteria of this standard without change in their physical characteristics?  Yes  No  Questionable  
If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

4.1.10 List the check and relief valve seating materials:  
Check Valve Disc & Seats: \_\_\_\_\_  
Relief Valve Disc & Seats: \_\_\_\_\_

4.1.11 Were the seat rings of a corrosion resistance of at least equal to an alloy of 79% copper?  Yes  No  Questionable  
If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

4.1.12 Were the test cocks of a corrosion resistance of at least equal to an alloy of 79% copper.  Yes  No  Questionable  
If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

4.1.13 Do all pipe flanges conform to ASME B16.24 for bronze flanges and ASTM A126 for cast iron flanges?  Yes  No  Questionable  
If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

4.1.14 Do all pipe threads conform to ASME B1.20.1 for taper pipe threads and ASME B1.20.3 for dryseal?  Yes  No  Questionable  
If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

4.1.15 Do inlet and outlet grooved connections comply with AWWA C606?  Yes  No  Questionable  
If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**4.2 Marking Instructions**

4.2.1 Marking of Mainline Assembly  
Identify and list the markings found on the test assembly:  
(a) Manufacturer's name or trademark: \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) Type (DCDA or DCDA-II): \_\_\_\_\_  
(c) Model number of the assembly: \_\_\_\_\_  
(d) Model number of the bypass check or bypass assembly: \_\_\_\_\_  
(e) Maximum rated pressure: \_\_\_\_\_  
(f) Maximum rated temperature: \_\_\_\_\_  
(g) Serial number consistent with the manufacturer's standard practice: \_\_\_\_\_  
(h) Nominal valve size: \_\_\_\_\_  
(i) The direction of water flow: \_\_\_\_\_  
(j) Each shut-off valve shall be marked with the manufacturer's name or trademark and model number: \_\_\_\_\_

4.2.2 Was marking of the DCDA Bypass Assembly per ASSE 1015?  Yes  No

4.2.3 Identify and list the markings found on the DCDAII Bypass check:  
(a) Manufacturer's name or trademark: \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) Model number of the bypass check: \_\_\_\_\_



(c) The direction of water flow: \_\_\_\_\_

(d) Each shut-off valve shall be marked with the manufacturer's name or trademark and model number: \_\_\_\_\_

Describe how these markings were made: \_\_\_\_\_

**4.3 Installation and Maintenance Instructions**

4.3.1 Were instructions for installation submitted with the device?  Yes  No  Questionable  
If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

4.3.2 Did the installation instructions indicate the tested and approved installation orientation of the assembly?  Yes  No  Questionable  
If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**4.4 Maintenance**

4.4 Were maintenance instructions furnished?  Yes  No  Questionable  
If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**4.5 Field Testing**

4.4.4 Were field testing instructions furnished?  Yes  No  Questionable  
If questionable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_



---

---

TESTING AGENCY: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

TEST ENGINEERS: \_\_\_\_\_

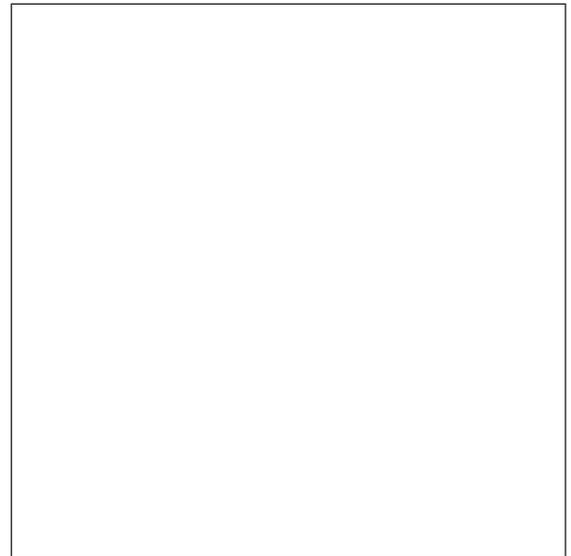
*We Certify that the evaluations are based on our best judgements and that the test data recorded is an accurate record of the performance of the device on test.*

SIGNATURE OF THE OFFICIAL OF THE AGENCY: \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE OF THE OFFICIAL: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF THE REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER SUPERVISING THE LABORATORY EVALUATION:**

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_



**PE SEAL**

\*To insert images into document (PE seal and signatures)

**Adobe Acrobat Pro users:** At the top of the page, go to: Tools > Advanced Editing > TouchUp Object Tool. Once you have selected TouchUp Object Tool, right click within the document and select Place Image. Choose the image you want to place (PE seal or signature) and then select Open. Once the image is in the document, move and re-size the image accordingly. Save and send to ASSE.

**Adobe Reader users:** Adobe Reader does not allow users to place images into the document. You must print this completed document and then sign and stamp the PE seal by hand. You may then send the completed document to ASSE via fax or mail, or you can scan the completed document and send via e-mail.

**COMMENTS:**