

Broad multiplex outlet BF-V....

Broad multiplex outlet

Preliminary remark

The broad multiplex outlet has been developed by KRANTZ KOMPONENTEN to fulfil the high thermal comfort criteria required in commercial applications. This sidewall air outlet is designed for use in restaurants, assembly rooms, schools and even offices, for instance, but it is also well suited for hotel rooms.

Very often commercial buildings are fitted with simple air grilles whose drawback is the low momentum of the air jets. These are not very stable and, when cooling, they tend to drop too early, thus causing air draughts.

The broad multiplex outlet is designed to ensure draught-free air supply even at high air flow rates. The high level of thermal comfort with high induction effect is achieved by discharging the supply air simultaneously through nozzle discs and through the outlet perforations (so-called combined mixing/displacement ventilation). The high-momentum air jets discharged through the nozzle discs induce the low-momentum air stream discharged through the surrounding outlet perforations, thus the percentage of fresh air in the occupied area is high and so is the air quality. This is what makes all the difference to other sidewall air outlets and to air grilles.

The broad multiplex outlet is well suited to replace existing sidewall air outlets and air grilles. This is an optimum way to significantly improve thermal comfort in rooms at low cost.

Construction design

The broad multiplex outlet consists of the front plate **1**, with built-in nozzle discs **2** that can be rotated by 360° and a plain frame, and the connection box **3**. The nozzle discs are made up of an orifice disc, available in white or black ¹⁾, which is fitted on a black plastic nozzle support. The front plate is fixed to the connection box by means of a clip connection **4** and can be detached from the room side.

The broad multiplex outlet is available with one or two rows of nozzle discs, in three nominal lengths for each design. As each nominal length is split into two volume flow rate ranges, this outlet can cover a wide range of supply air flow rates (see Table on page 3).

Connection types

There are two connection types available. For connection to fan coils (FC) the broad multiplex outlet is supplied with a connection box which is open at the back. It is preferable to directly connect the air outlet to the fan coil via a flexible connection; the advantage here is that the flexible connection reduces structure-born sound. The other connection type ('FL' type) is via a flexible duct; in this case, depending on the outlet design, the connection box is fitted at the back with one or two spigots inclusive of volume flow damper (see Table on page 3).

Mode of operation

The broad multiplex outlet includes several manually rotatable nozzle discs, each of them generating seven thin jets and discharging supply air in a turbulent pattern. These nozzle discs are flush-mounted inside the perforated plate which also discharges supply air, but in a low-turbulence pattern. The supply air flows simultaneously out of the nozzle discs and out of the perforations of the front plate. The combination of turbulent and low-turbulence flow of supply air is called combined mixing/displacement ventilation or hybrid ventilation according to German guideline VDI 3804. The high-momentum air jets discharged through the nozzle discs induce the low-momentum air stream discharged through the surrounding perforations of the plate and guide it towards the preset direction.

Each of the nozzle discs can be manually rotated by 360° from the room, thus the air jets can be spread out as broadly as desired. As the air jets generated by the external nozzle discs (on the right and on the left of the front plate) are flatter than those generated by the other nozzle discs, the global supply air stream is spread out more broadly. With the appropriate setting of the nozzle discs the supply air can be distributed evenly over the entire room width (Fig. 3). If the room configuration does not make it possible to install the broad multiplex outlet in the middle of the wall, the adjustment of the nozzle discs enables to place the air outlet on a side of the wall (so-called asymmetric arrangement, see Fig. 3).

Fig. 4 gives the air velocities and temperatures measured in a hotel room where a broad multiplex outlet was installed in the middle and on the right side of the wall. The indoor air velocities are almost all under 0.2 m/s, most of them are even under 0.15 m/s. The indoor air temperatures are very uniform, with the maximum deviation from the mean being less than ±1 K.

Sound power level and pressure drop

The broad multiplex outlet has been so designed that the sound power level is low even at high air volume flow rates. It thus also complies with limit values for allowable sound pressure level as specified by relevant standards.

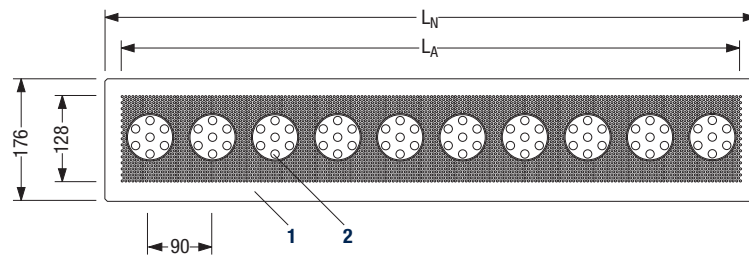
Owing to the low pressure drop the broad multiplex outlet is very well suited for connection to fan coils; further, it lowers the energy consumption of the HVAC system.

¹⁾ Other colours on request

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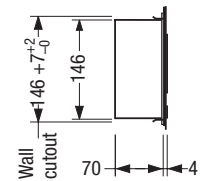
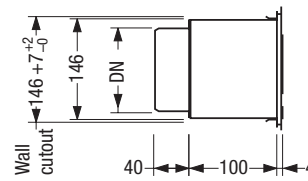
Dimensions

1-row design

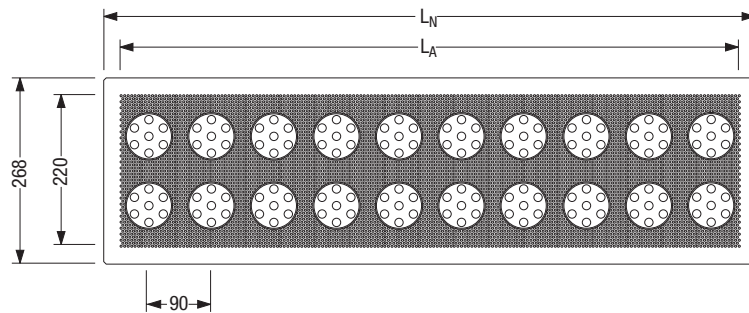


Connection type FL

Connection type FC

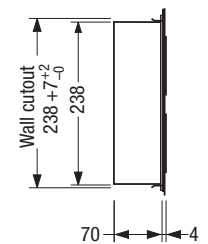
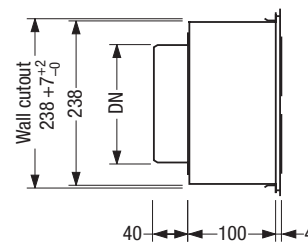


2-row design

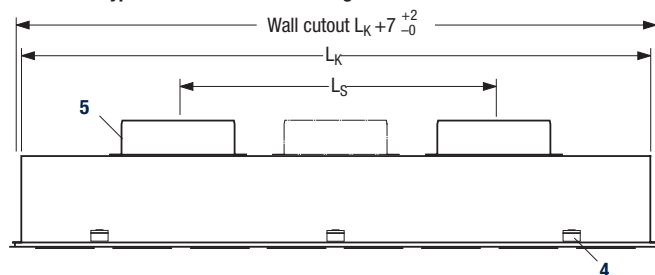


Connection type FL

Connection type FC



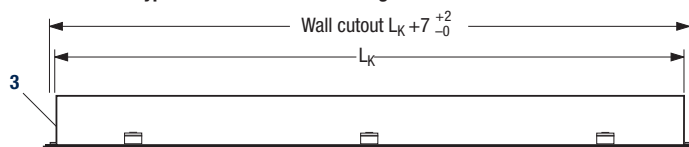
Connection type FL: 1-row and 2-row design



Key

- 1 Front plate
- 2 Nozzle discs
- 3 Connection box
- 4 Clip connection
- 5 Connection spigot

Connection type FC: 1-row and 2-row design



Nominal length	V range	Length				1-row design						2-row design					
		L _N mm	L _A mm	L _K mm	L _S mm	Volume flow rate		Nozzle discs Qty	Connection spigot Connection type	Weight		Volume flow rate		Nozzle discs Qty	Connection spigot Connection type	Weight	
						V̇ l/s	V̇ m³/h			FL	FC	V̇ l/s	V̇ m³/h			FL	FC
		FL	FC	FL	FC												
600	V1	580	533	554	—	22 – 33	80 – 120	6	1 · DN 125	3.3	2.3	44 – 67	160 – 240	12	1 · DN 200	4.3	2.9
	V2					25 – 44	90 – 160					50 – 89	180 – 320				
800	V1	760	713	734	367	33 – 50	120 – 180	8	2 · DN 125	4.4	2.9	67 – 100	240 – 360	16	2 · DN 180	5.7	3.6
	V2					39 – 61	140 – 220					78 – 122	280 – 440				
1000	V1	940	893	914	457	39 – 61	140 – 220	10	2 · DN 200	5.4	3.8	78 – 122	280 – 440	20	2 · DN 200	7.2	4.7
	V2					50 – 75	180 – 270					100 – 150	360 – 540				

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Layout specifications

The minimum mounting height (from floor to outlet lower edge) is 2.2 m, the minimum distance from the outlet upper edge to the ceiling 50 mm. The coverage length L_E of the broad multiplex outlet is approx. 6 m and the coverage width E of the supply air is approx. 4 m.

The maximum difference in temperature between the supply and indoor air is up to -10 K when cooling and up to $+10$ K when heating.

Thermal comfort criteria and outlet layout

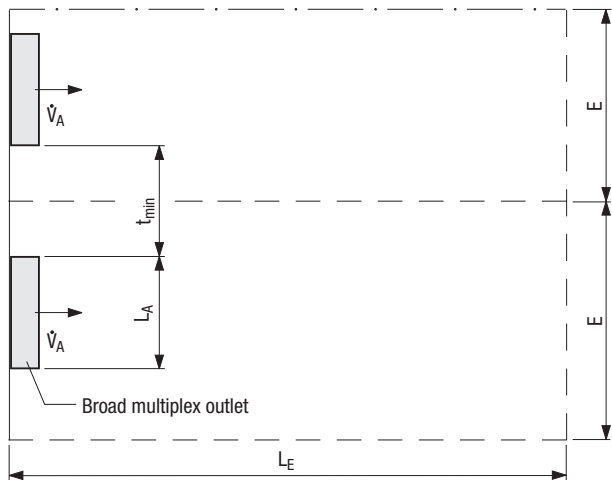
The layout of the broad multiplex outlet must comply with the maximum allowable indoor air velocities as specified by EN ISO 7730. Using Graph 1 you will first determine the maximum specific volume flow rate $\dot{V}_{Sp\ max}$ in relation to the indoor air velocity u and the air discharge height H .

On the basis of the maximum specific volume flow rate $\dot{V}_{Sp\ max}$ and the coverage length L_E you will then determine the coverage width E and the minimum outlet centre spacing t_{min} using the following equations:

$$E = \frac{\dot{V}_A}{\dot{V}_{Sp\ max} \cdot L_E} \quad t_{min} = E - L_A$$

The layout criterion is based on $\Delta\vartheta_{max} = -10$ K. If the maximum temperature difference is smaller, then $\dot{V}_{Sp\ max}$ may be increased by the following percentages:

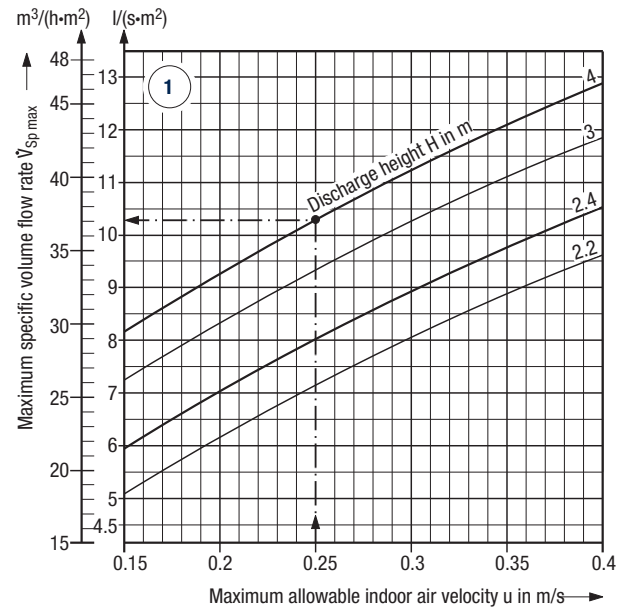
- $\Delta\vartheta_{max} = -8$ K $\rightarrow \dot{V}_{Sp\ max}$ 15 % more
- $\Delta\vartheta_{max} = -6$ K $\rightarrow \dot{V}_{Sp\ max}$ 35 % more
- $\Delta\vartheta_{max} = -4$ K $\rightarrow \dot{V}_{Sp\ max}$ 70 % more



Key for graphs on pages 4 to 6

- \dot{V}_A = Supply air volume flow rate per air outlet
- \dot{V}_{Spez} = Actual specific volume flow rate per m^2 of floor area
- $\dot{V}_{Sp\ max}$ = Maximum specific volume flow rate per m^2 of floor area
- u = Maximum allowable indoor air velocity in m/s
- E = Coverage width
- L_E = Coverage length
- t_{min} = Minimum air outlet centre spacing
- L_A = Air outlet length

Maximum specific volume flow rate



Example of layout for the broad multiplex outlet for a classroom

Design volume flow rates to EN 15251, category 2

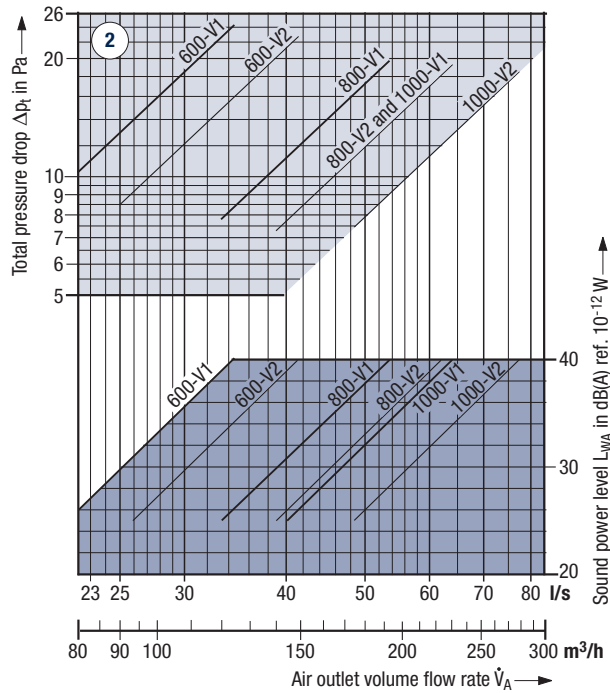
2 m^2 /person (basic value for classrooms)

- 1 Room width B = 6 m
 - 2 Room depth T = 11 m
 - 3 Total volume flow rate \dot{V}_G = 260 l/s
 - 4 Discharge height H = 4 m
 - 5 Maximum temperature difference when cooling $\Delta\vartheta_{max}$ = -10 K
 - 6 Maximum allowable indoor air velocity $u \leq$ 0.25 m/s
 - 7 Allowable sound power level L_{WA} = 40 dB(A)
 - 8 Actual specific volume flow rate \dot{V}_{Spez} = 3.9 l/(s· m^2) [from 3 : (1 · 2)]
 - 9 Volume flow rate per air outlet \dot{V}_A = 130 l/s
 - 10 \rightarrow 2-row broad multiplex outlet BF-V2-1000-V2-FC
 - 11 n = 2 units [from 3 : 9]
 - 12 $\dot{V}_{Sp\ max} = 10.3$ l/(s· m^2) [from Graph 1]
 - 13 $E = 130 : (10.3 \cdot 6) = 2.1$ m
 - 14 $t_{min} = E - L_A = 2.1$ m $- 0.94 = 1.16$ m ≈ 1.2 m
 - 15 $L_{WA} \approx 33$ dB(A) ref. 10^{-12} W [from Graph 5]
 - 16 $\Delta p_t \approx 11$ Pa [from Graph 5]
- Check of specific volume flow rate:
- 17 $\dot{V}_{Spez} < \dot{V}_{Sp\ max} = 3.9$ l/(s· m^2) < 10.3 l/(s· m^2)

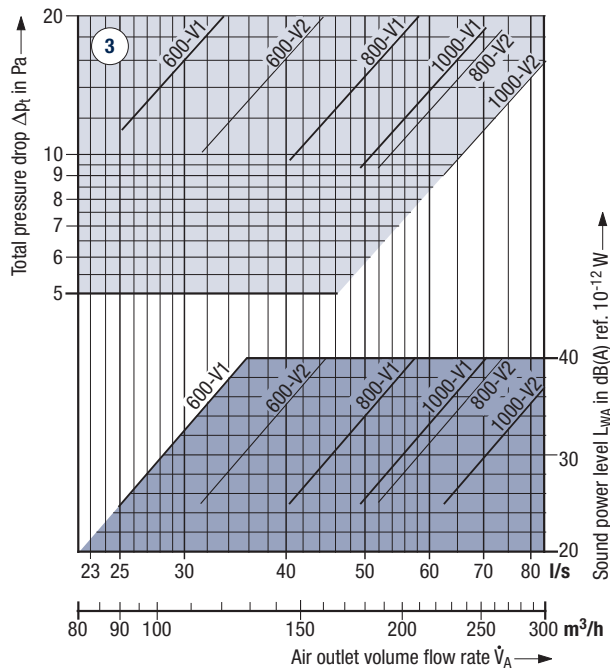
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Layout for 1-row design

Connection spigot (Connection type FL)



Fan Coil (Connection type FC)



Note:

The measured values apply to damper position 'open'. When the damper is closed, the pressure drop is 1.5 to 2.5 times higher and the sound power level rises by 1 to 3 dB(A).

Sound power levels < 10 dB are not indicated in this brochure.

1-row design											
Nominal length	V range	Air outlet volume flow rate \dot{V}_A		Pres- sure drop Δp_t Pa	Sound power level L_w in dB ref. 10^{-12} W						
		l/s	m³/h		L_{wA} dB(A)	Octave band centre frequency in Hz					
						125	250	500	1 K	2 K	4 K
Graph 2: Connection spigot (Connection type FL)											
600	V1	22	80	10	26	—	12	27	18	—	—
		28	100	16	33	—	19	34	25	—	—
		33	120	23	39	—	25	40	31	15	—
	V2	25	90	9	24	—	12	25	14	—	—
		32	115	14	32	—	21	33	22	—	—
		39	140	21	38	—	27	40	29	14	—
800	V1	33	120	8	25	—	17	26	19	—	—
		42	150	12	32	—	25	33	26	12	—
		50	180	18	38	—	31	39	32	18	—
	V2	39	140	7	25	—	19	26	19	—	—
		50	180	12	33	—	27	34	28	14	—
		61	220	18	40	—	34	41	34	20	—
1000	V1	39	140	7	24	—	15	25	15	—	—
		50	180	12	32	—	23	33	24	—	—
		61	220	18	39	—	30	40	30	15	—
	V2	50	180	8	26	—	20	27	19	—	—
		61	220	13	33	—	27	34	25	11	—
		72	260	18	38	—	32	40	31	16	—
Graph 3: Fan Coil (Connection type FC)											
600	V1	22	80	9	20	—	—	—	19	—	—
		28	100	14	30	11	16	17	28	16	—
		33	120	20	37	18	23	25	35	24	10
	V2	25	90	6	16	—	—	—	14	—	—
		32	115	11	26	12	15	18	24	11	—
		39	140	16	34	20	23	26	32	19	—
800	V1	33	120	7	17	10	11	12	15	—	—
		42	150	10	26	20	20	22	24	13	—
		50	180	15	34	27	27	29	31	20	—
	V2	39	140	5	14	—	11	11	11	—	—
		50	180	9	24	16	22	22	21	12	—
		61	220	13	32	24	30	30	30	21	—
1000	V1	39	140	6	15	—	—	12	12	—	—
		50	180	10	25	—	19	22	33	10	—
		61	220	14	34	—	27	30	31	18	—
	V2	50	180	6	15	—	14	14	12	—	—
		61	220	9	24	—	22	22	20	11	—
		72	260	12	30	—	29	29	27	18	—

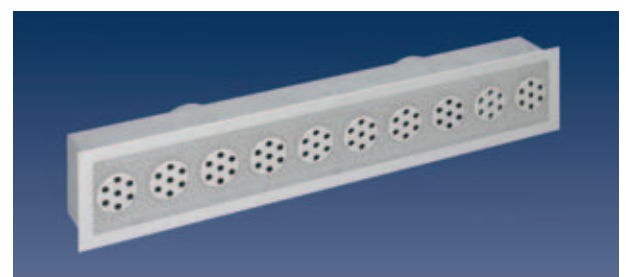
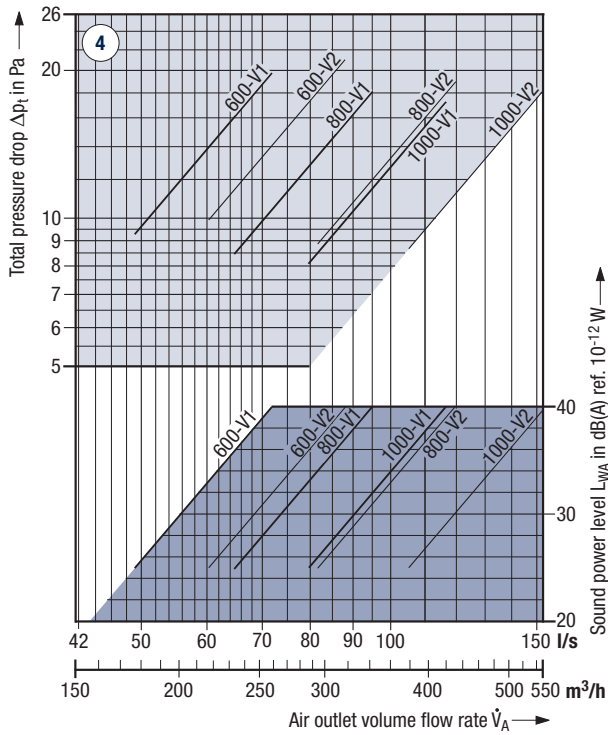


Fig. 1: Broad multiplex outlet, 1-row design, nominal length 1000, with connection spigot (connection type FL)

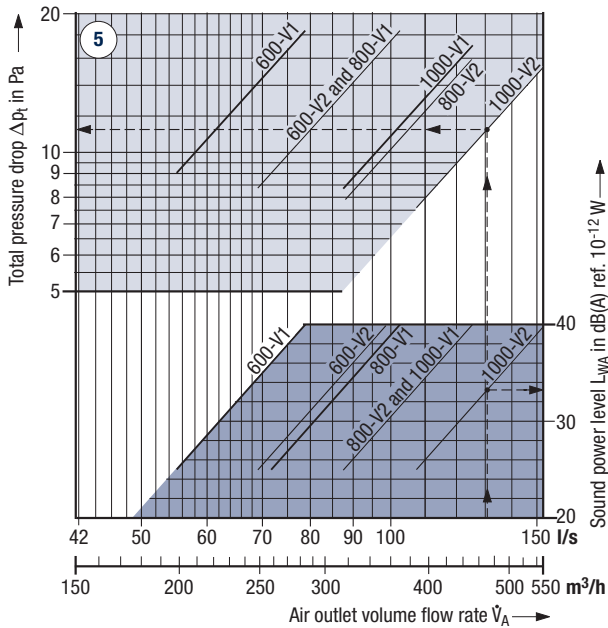
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Layout for 2-row design

Connection spigot (Connection type FL)



Fan Coil (Connection type FC)



Note:

The measured values apply to damper position 'open'. When the damper is closed, the pressure drop is 1.5 to 2.5 times higher and the sound power level rises by 1 to 3 dB(A).

Sound power levels < 10 dB are not indicated in this brochure.

2-row design											
Nominal length	V range	Air outlet volume flow rate \dot{V}_A		Pressure drop Δp_t	Sound power level L_W in dB ref. 10^{-12} W						
		l/s	m³/h		Pa	L_{WA} dB(A)	Octave band centre frequency in Hz				
				125			250	500	1 K	2 K	4 K
Graph 4: Connection spigot (Connection type FL)											
600	V1	44	160	8	21	11	12	21	16	—	—
		56	200	12	30	19	21	30	25	12	—
		67	240	17	37	26	28	37	32	19	—
	V2	50	180	7	17	—	12	18	13	—	—
		64	230	11	27	—	22	28	23	10	—
		78	280	16	35	—	30	36	30	17	—
800	V1	67	240	9	26	—	18	26	22	—	—
		83	300	14	35	—	26	35	31	15	—
		100	360	20	42	—	33	42	38	22	—
	V2	78	280	8	23	—	17	23	20	—	—
		100	360	13	33	—	27	32	30	16	—
		122	440	20	41	—	35	40	38	23	—
1000	V1	78	280	8	24	—	14	24	18	—	—
		100	360	13	34	—	24	34	28	13	—
		122	440	19	41	—	32	42	36	21	—
	V2	100	360	8	23	—	18	23	20	—	—
		122	440	12	31	—	25	31	28	14	—
		144	520	16	38	—	32	37	34	21	—
Graph 5: Fan Coil (Connection type FC)											
600	V1	44	160	6	16	—	10	12	14	—	—
		56	200	9	25	14	19	22	23	12	—
		67	240	13	33	22	26	29	31	20	—
	V2	50	180	4	12	—	10	—	—	—	—
		64	230	7	22	16	17	20	19	—	—
		78	280	11	30	24	25	28	27	17	—
800	V1	67	240	8	22	12	17	20	20	—	—
		83	300	12	32	21	26	29	29	17	—
		100	360	17	39	28	34	37	36	25	—
	V2	78	280	6	20	13	17	18	16	—	—
		100	360	10	30	23	27	28	27	17	—
		122	440	15	38	31	36	36	35	25	—
1000	V1	78	280	7	20	—	15	19	16	—	—
		100	360	11	30	—	25	29	27	15	—
		122	440	16	39	—	33	37	35	23	—
	V2	100	360	7	22	—	19	21	19	—	—
		122	440	10	30	—	28	29	27	16	—
		144	520	14	37	—	34	36	34	23	—

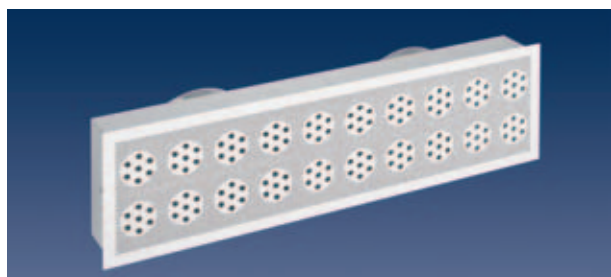


Fig. 2: Broad multiplex outlet, 2-row design, nominal length 1000, with connection spigot (connection type FL)

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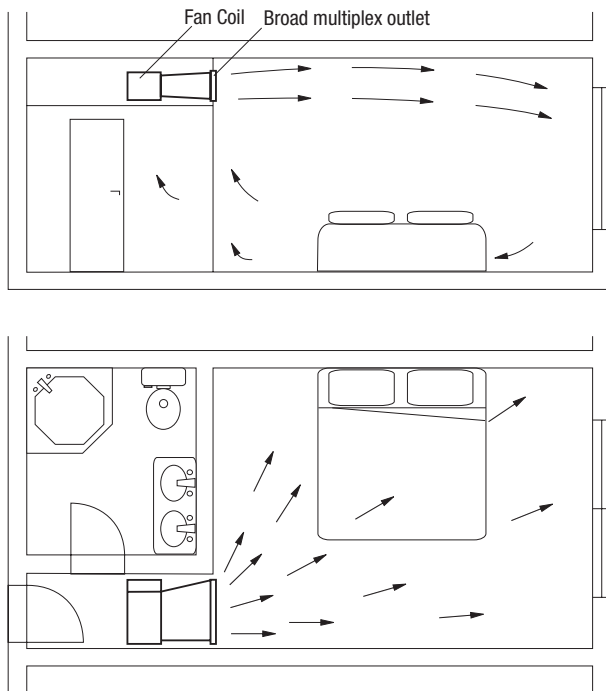


Fig. 3: Basic jet pattern with the outlet positioned close to the right wall (related to air flow direction) of a hotel room

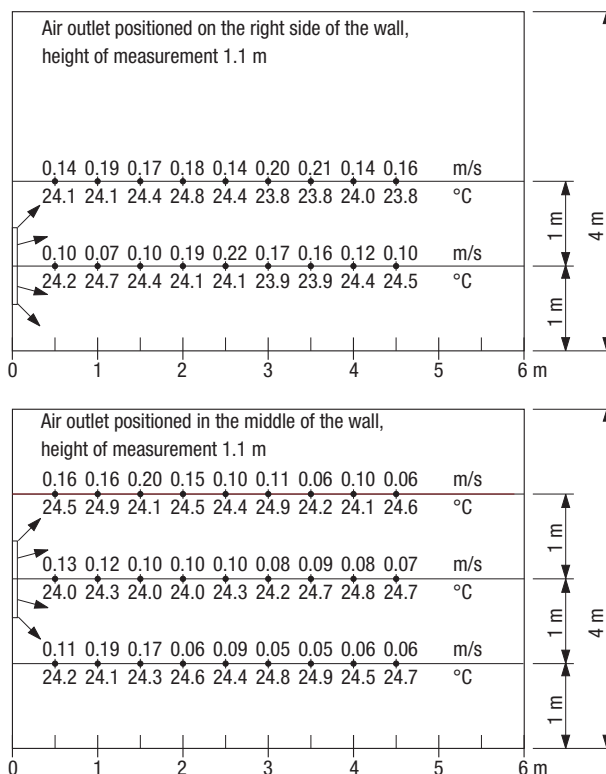


Fig. 4: Indoor air velocities and temperatures as measured in a hotel room

Air outlet volume flow rate $\dot{V} = 139 \text{ l/s}$ [500 m^3/h]

Temperature difference supply air–indoor air $\Delta\vartheta = -8 \text{ K}$

Features

- Sidewall air outlet fulfilling the high thermal comfort criteria for commercial applications to EN ISO 7730
- Perforated front plate with built-in nozzle discs in 1-row or 2-row design
- Available in 3 nominal lengths, each being split into two volume flow rate ranges
- Combined mixing/displacement ventilation system ensuring a high ventilation efficiency in the occupied zone
- The air jets can be spread out as broadly as desired by manually rotating individual nozzle discs by up to 360°
- The broad multiplex outlet may be positioned in the middle or on a side of the room wall (so-called symmetric or asymmetric arrangement)
- Maximum volume flow rate
1-row design: 75 l/s [270 m^3/h]; 2-row design: 150 l/s [540 m^3/h]
- Maximum temperature difference between supply and indoor air $\pm 10 \text{ K}$
- Low sound power level
- Low pressure drop, thus well suited for connection to fan coils
- Mounting height from 2.2 m to 4.0 m

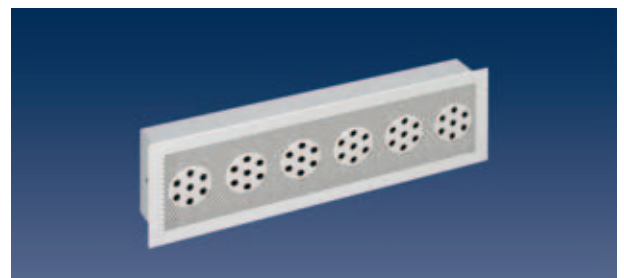


Fig. 5: Broad multiplex outlet, 1-row design, nominal length 600, for connection type FC (Fan Coil)

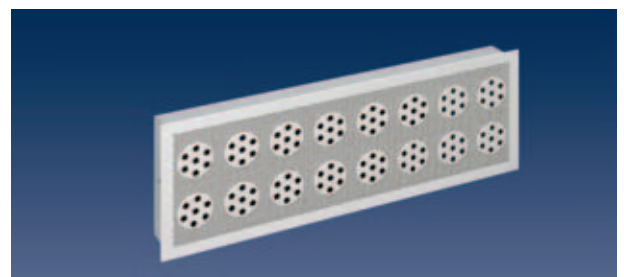
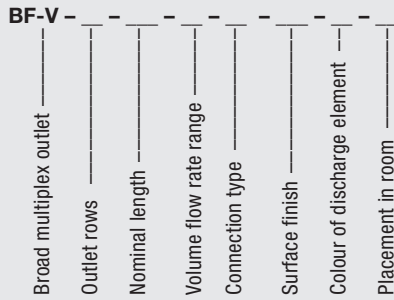


Fig. 6: Broad multiplex outlet, 2-row design, nominal length 800, for connection type FC (Fan Coil)

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Type code



Outlet rows (rows of nozzle discs)

- 1 = 1 row
2 = 2 rows

Nominal length

- 600 = length 600 mm
800 = length 800 mm
1000 = length 1000 mm

Volume flow rate range	Nominal length	1-row design		2-row design	
		Volume flow rate		Volume flow rate	
		l/s	m ³ /h	l/s	m ³ /h
V1	600	22 – 33	80 – 120	44 – 67	160 – 240
	800	33 – 50	120 – 180	67 – 100	240 – 360
	1000	39 – 61	140 – 220	78 – 122	280 – 440
V2	600	25 – 44	90 – 160	50 – 89	180 – 320
	800	39 – 61	140 – 220	78 – 122	280 – 440
	1000	50 – 75	180 – 270	100 – 150	360 – 540

Connection type

- FC = Fan Coil
FL = Flexible duct

Surface finish

- 9010 = Face painted to RAL 9010, semi-matt ¹⁾

Colour of discharge element (orifice discs) ¹⁾

- S = black similar to RAL 9005
W = white similar to RAL 9010

Placement in room ²⁾

- L = to the left
M = in the middle
R = to the right

Tender text

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Broad multiplex outlet designed for flush mounting in the upper area of a sidewall and generating a stable, spread-out supply air stream; front plate with built-in nozzle discs generating high-momentum jet bundles and with perforations discharging supply air at low turbulence; the global supply air stream can be spread out as broadly as desired, thus rapid decrease in jet velocity and temperature difference to indoor air; air outlet available for two volume flow rate ranges,

consisting of:

- perforated front plate, available in three nominal lengths, with built-in 2-part nozzle discs in 1-row or 2-row design; each nozzle disc is manually rotatable by 360°;
- connection box with open back for connection to a fan coil (FC) or with one or two spigots for connection to a flexible duct (FL) inclusive of volume flow rate damper.
- Front plate fixed to connection box by means of a clip connection.

Material:

- Front plate made of galvanized sheet metal, face painted to RAL 9010, pure white ¹⁾
- 2-part nozzle discs
 - Orifice disc made of polycarbonate PC-GF-10-V0 body-tinted in a colour similar to RAL 9010, pure white, or similar to RAL 9005, jet-black ¹⁾
 - Nozzle support made of acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene ABS-V0 body-tinted in a colour similar to RAL 9005, jet-black
- Connection box made of galvanized sheet metal

Make:

KRANTZ KOMPONENTEN

Type:

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Subject to technical alterations.

¹⁾ Other colours on request

²⁾ Air outlet viewed from the room. Unless otherwise specified in the order, the outlet setting will be for 'M' placement.