

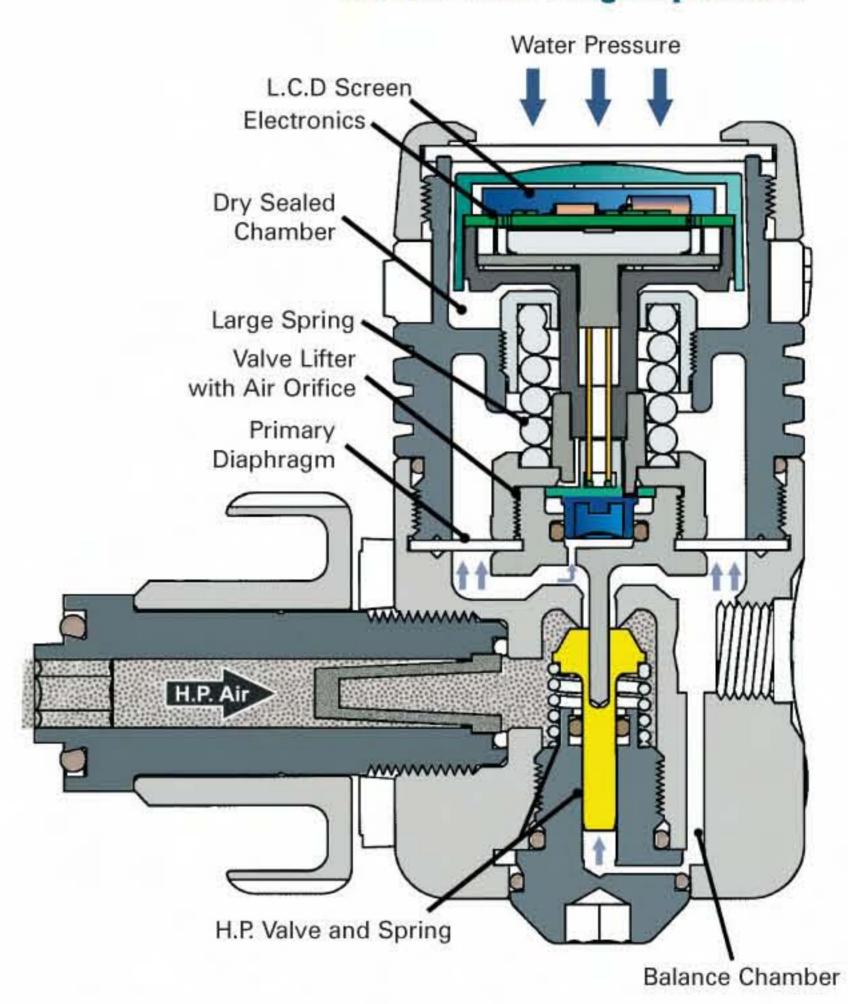
XTX STATUS TECHNICAL FEATURES

The Status is an electronic unit which gives the diver the option to visually check the condition of the first stage regulator before a dive begins. High pressure air enters through the first stage connection filter as in a conventional Apeks first stage. This exerts enough pressure on the primary diaphragm to compress the large spring and allows the H.P. Valve Spring to close the H.P. Valve, preventing further H.P. air flow. This maintains medium pressure air until the diver inhales.

In the Status first stage medium pressure is monitored and assessed by a micro-electronic computer and information is displayed on an L.C.D. screen.

An orifice in the Valve Lifter, allows the pressure sensor to detect this medium pressure. Information is transmitted to the electronics, by a newly developed load transmitter, which is protected under the cap in the dry sealed chamber. If the medium pressure falls outside the limits allowed, or usage time between servicing has been exceeded, the electronics displays this in an easy to read format.

Status First Stage Operation





Medium Pressure Air



High Pressure Air





Standard Features of the Status Range

- Maximum working pressure (H.P.):- DIN 300 bar / Yoke 230 bar
- Medium Pressure output 9.5 bar +/- 0.5 bar
- Four 3/8" UNF medium pressure ports
- · Environmental dry sealed protection
- · Balanced diaphragm design
- · EN250 certified for cold water use
- EAN compatible up to 40% and when professionally converted suitable for 100% Oxygen use



Status Display



Of the major diving incidents investigated by the HSE (Health and Safety Executive) over a three year period almost half of all regulators tested did not meet the performance requirements of the European Standard for Diving Equipment (EN250). The HSE stated that lack of maintenance, servicing and cleaning were major contributory factors. The HSE recommends the need for regular servicing and maintenance of equipment.

(Source: Performance of Diving Equipment Report. Prepared by the Health and Safety Laboratory for the Health and Safety Executive 2006.)

Apeks has developed the micro-electronics of Status specifically for the extreme underwater environment of SCUBA diving and to improve diver safety. All first stage regulators are designed to reduce the very high cylinder pressure down to a more controllable medium or interstage pressure. This medium pressure, which is the driving force of the regulator, is supplied to the second stage which in turn controls the supply of gas to the diver. Knowing the medium pressure is within its ideal operating range gives the diver full confidence that the first stage is at its optimum before every dive and only a Status regulator displays this information. You will know by quick examination of the display that your medium pressure is OK.

Another unique safety feature of the Status regulator is that it monitors the usage, in hours and calendar months, from when the regulator is first used or last serviced. The diver is informed that the first stage requires servicing by a flashing 'SVC' indicator on the LCD screen. This will occur when the regulator is initially pressurised. To keep your regulator in premium condition it is vital that this is regularly and correctly serviced.







DST STATUS

- All medium pressure ports are 3/8" so that the reversible XTX second stage can mount to any of the ports
- · Balanced for superior performance
- · An environmental dry kit comes as standard
- 4 medium pressure ports 3/8" UNF mounted on a swivel turret
- 2 high pressure ports 7/16" UNF
- · Polished chrome finish



XTX50 Second Stage

The complete XTX50 Status regulator features the DST Status first stage and the XTX50 second stage. For details of the second stage please refer to page 5 of the 'XTX Regulator Range' brochure.



DS4 STATUS

- · Compact first stage
- Balanced for superior performance
- · DS4 Status first stage comes standard with an environmental dry kit suitable for cold water diving
- 4 medium pressure ports 3/8" UNF
- 1 high pressure port 7/16" UNF
- Metal 300 bar DIN handwheel or 2 shot moulded yoke handwheel
- · Compatible to EAN 40, new, out of the box



DS4 Status first stage and XTX40 second stage. A rugged high performance regulator suitable for cold water diving. For full details of the XTX40 second stage please refer to page 6 of the 'XTX Regulator Range' brochure.



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