

Electropneumatic Valves Backstage helpers under the bonnet





Small and inconspicious – but indispensable



"Backstage helpers" under the bonnet.

They are so small and unnoticeable that you have to search for them in the engine compartment. Most of them are hidden away in sections of the engine compartment that are difficult to view and to access, and where their task is often not obvious.

What switches and dimmers do in electric circuits, that's what electropneumatic valves do with high accuracy and excellent dynamics in the pneumatic system of a vehicle. In combination with a pneumatic actuator ("pressure box"), flaps and valves, such as for instance the EGR valve

or the wastegate flap on the turbocharger, can thus be actuated. Any vehicle of a more recent generation frequently even contains several electropneumatic valves.



Electric switchover valve (EUV) (highlighted) on the intake manifold of Mercedes-Benz C-Class.



Electropneumatic pressure transducer (EPW) and turbocharger in Audi A4 TDI (highlighted).



Electric pressure transducer (EDW) on an EGR valve in Opel Astra (highlighted).

Numerous electropneumatic valves are used for switching and controlling. Their field of action is everywhere anything is moved by pneumatic auxiliary energy: They are indispensable helpers when controlling pneumatic actuators, such as

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- exhaust gas flaps on the rear silencer
- radiator flaps for regulating the required cooling air (diesel engine)
- diesel regulating throttles
- hydraulic engine mountings
- EGR valves
- regulation of boost pressure on turbo chargers
- secondary-air valves

All solenoid valves have a high quality standard, are cost-effective and approved as original equipment by all vehicle manufacturers.

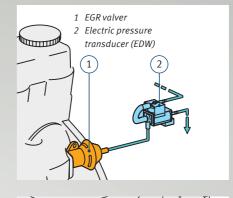
And this is how you can easily find the appropriate valve:

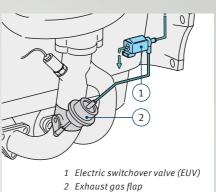
Electric valves are immediately identifiable in the Pierburg product catalogue because of a special pictogram.

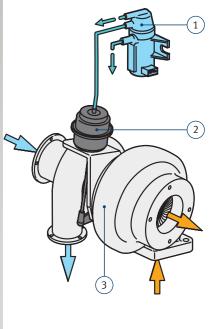
The info column also specifies the way this valve is used, for instance for actuating a turbo-charger or an EGR valve.

Numerous designations

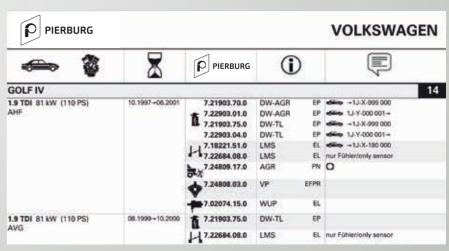
Various vehicle manufacturers as well as valve manufacturers use quite a wide variety of designations for their components.







- 1 Electropneumatic pressure transducer (EPW)
- 2 Pneumatic actuator ("Pressure/vacuum box")
- 3 VTG charger



Electric switchover valve (EUV)	Electropneumatic pressure transducer (EPW, DW)	Electric pressure transducer (EDW, DW)
Switchover valve Magnetic switchover valve (VW) Electric valves (BMW) Solenoid valve for limiting boost-pressure N75 (VW)	Electric pressure transducer Pressure transducer (VW, BMW)	Pressure transducerValve (VW)Electric valve (BMW)

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