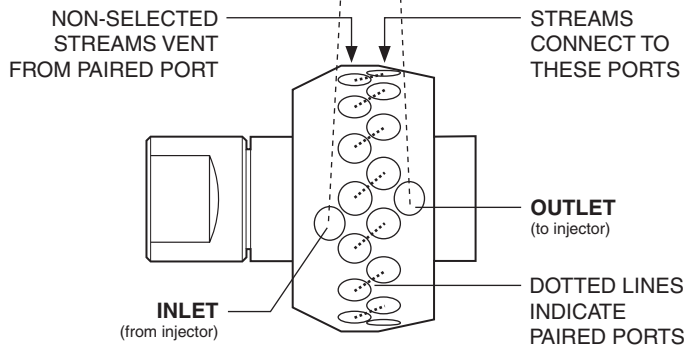
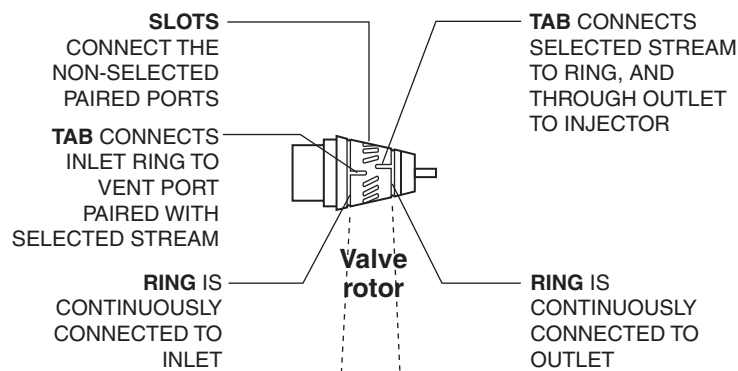
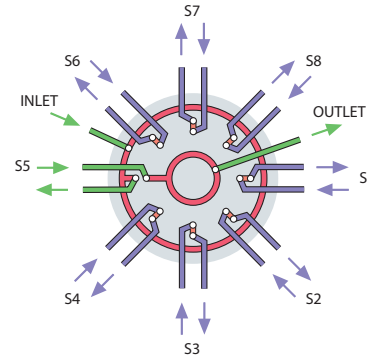


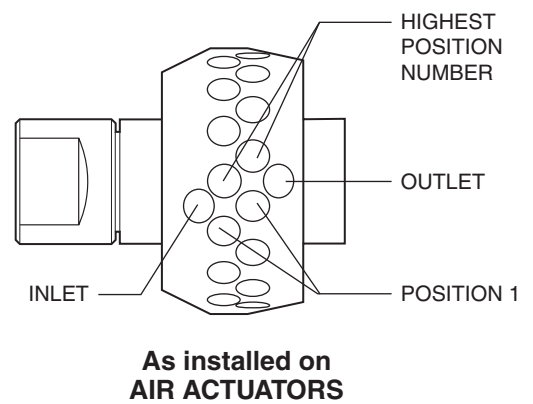
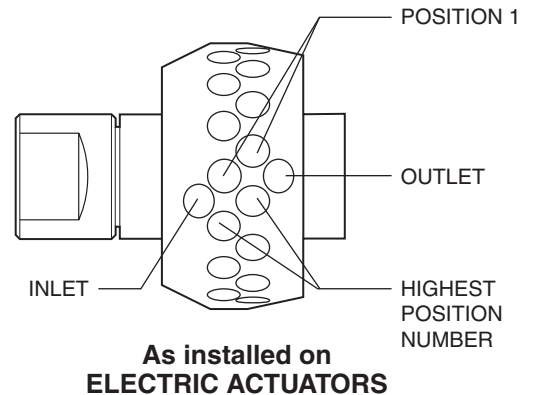


## Trapping/Flow-through Flowpath

### STF Configuration Valco low pressure selectors



**Valve body**

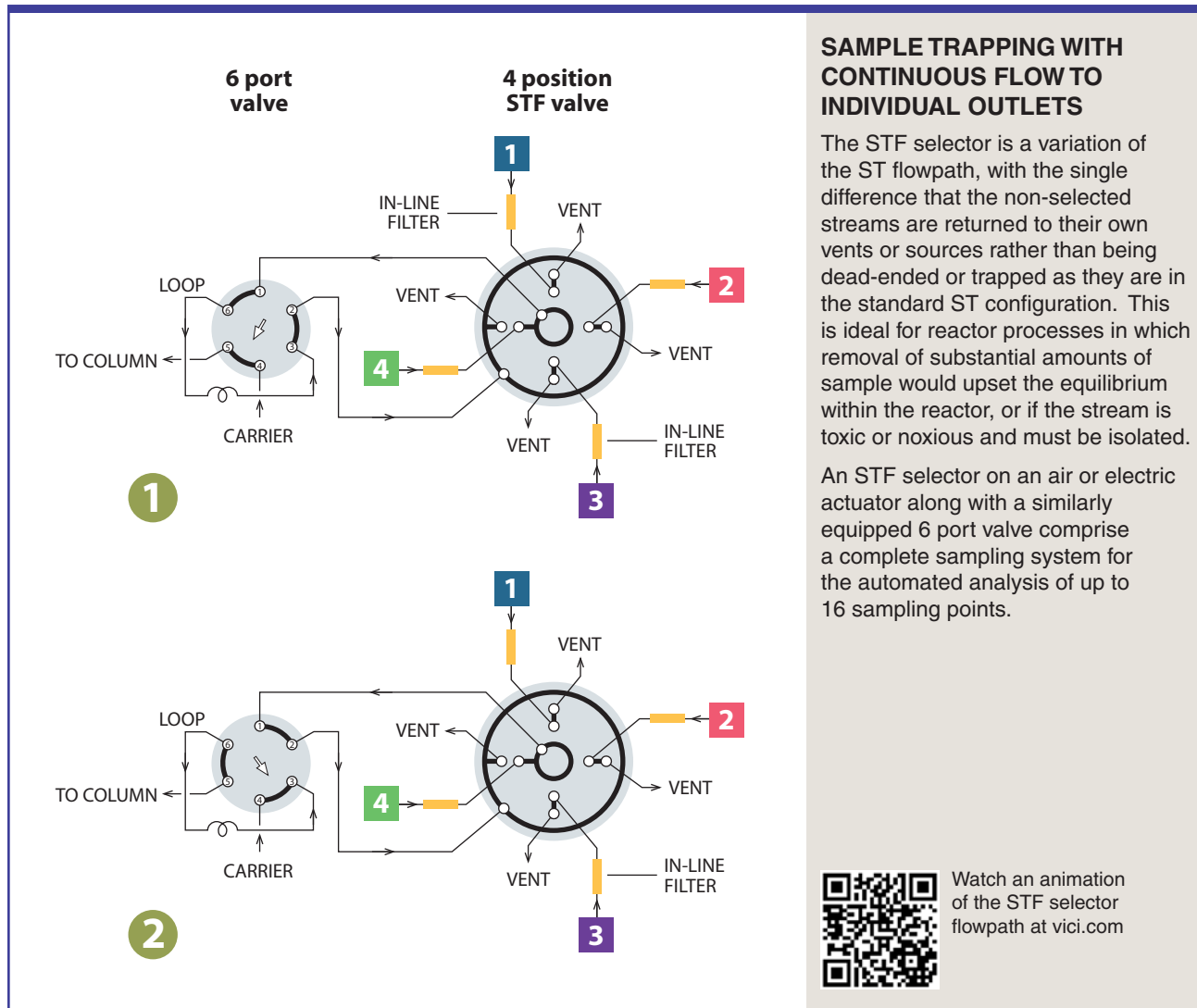


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## APPLICATION – STF FLOWPATH



### SAMPLE TRAPPING WITH CONTINUOUS FLOW TO INDIVIDUAL OUTLETS

The STF selector is a variation of the ST flowpath, with the single difference that the non-selected streams are returned to their own vents or sources rather than being dead-ended or trapped as they are in the standard ST configuration. This is ideal for reactor processes in which removal of substantial amounts of sample would upset the equilibrium within the reactor, or if the stream is toxic or noxious and must be isolated.

An STF selector on an air or electric actuator along with a similarly equipped 6 port valve comprise a complete sampling system for the automated analysis of up to 16 sampling points.



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### Additional Technical Notes

Technical notes related to cleaning and rotor replacement and to proper valve/actuator alignment can be found in the Support section of [vici.com](http://vici.com).

#### TECH TIP

Because the most common cause of valve failure is stray particulates entering the valve, we strongly recommend the use of in-line filters at sample entry points.

Our ZUFR filters feature inexpensive and easily replaceable low pressure drop filter screens (2 or 10 micron).

The filters are available in 1/16", 1/8", and 1/4" standard, reducing, and bulkhead versions.

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