Adsorption Response Time

When a vacuum pad is used for the adsorption transfer of a workpiece, the approximate adsorption response time can be obtained (the length of time it takes for the pad's internal vacuum pressure to reach the pressure that is required for adsorption after the supply valve {vacuum switching valve} has been operated). An approximate adsorption response time can be obtained through formulas and selection graphs.

However, when selecting a ZL series multistage ejector, these details do not apply. Refer to the "Time to Reach Vacuum" graph in the catalog for applicable details.

Relationship between Vacuum Pressure and Response Time after Supply Valve (Switching Valve) is Operated

The relationship between vacuum pressure and response time after the supply valve (switching valve) is operated as shown below.

Vacuum System Circuit







Pv: Final vacuum pressure

T1 : Arrival time to 63% of final vacuum pressure Pv

T2 : Arrival time to 95% of final vacuum pressure Pv

Calculating Adsorption Response Time with the Formula

Adsorption response times T_1 and T_2 can be obtained through the formulas given below.

Adsorption response time
$$T_1 = \frac{V \times 60}{2}$$

T2 : Arrival time to 95% of final vacuum pressure Pv (sec)

Piping capacity

$$V = \frac{3.14}{4} D^2 x L x \frac{1}{1000} (L)$$

- T1 : Arrival time to 63% of final vacuum pressure Pv (sec) Q1: Average suction flow rate L/min [ANR]
 - Calculation of average suction flow rate
 - Ejector
 - Q1 = (1/2 to 1/3) x Ejector max. suction flow rate L/min [ANR]
 - · Vacuum pump
 - Q1 = (1/2 to 1/3) x 55.5 x Conductance of vacuum pump [dm3/(s·bar)]
- D : Piping diameter (mm)
- L : Length from ejector and switch valve to pad (m)
- V : Piping capacity from ejector and switching valve to pad (L)
- Q2: Max, flow from ejector and switching valve to pad by piping system

Q2 = C x 55.5 L/min [ANR]

- Q : Smaller one between the Q1 and Q2 L/min [ANR]
- C : Conductance of piping [dm3/(s·bar)]

For the conductance, the equivalent conductance can be found in "8. Data: Conductance by Tube I.D. (Selection Graph (3))."