

# **ACV BARE BUFFER TANKS**

Job Name	
State/Province	
Engineer	
Wholesaler	
Mech. Contractor	
Model No	
Dimensional Restrictions	
Notes	

# **Standard Features:**

- 5 Year Limited Warranty
- Vertical Internal Baffle
- Lifting Lugs
- Ring Base
- ASME Sec. VIII, U Stamped Vessel
- 125 PSI Working Pressure
- Steel Tank Construction
- Red Oxide Rust Inhibitor Primer

# Optional Equipment/Features: (please indicate on page 2):

150 PSI Working Pressure 12x16 manway (300 USG and above)

160 PSI Working Pressure 4x6 handhole clean out

T&P Gauge Seismic Bracing (300 USG and above)

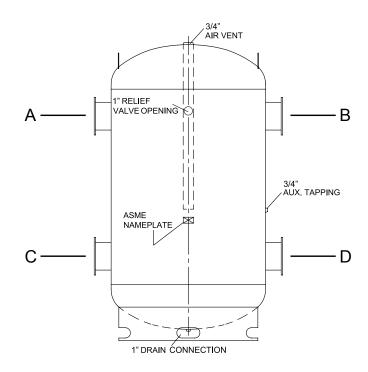
# **Special Tappings:**

NPT: Size	" Quantity
Size	" Quantity
Flanged: Size _	" Quantity
Size	" Quantity

Please indicate locations on page 2



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Base Model

<sup>\*</sup> Consult Factory For Additional Options

Standard Connections (Illustrated)		
Connection Location		Size (in)
Α	Upper - Left	
В	Upper - Right	
С	Lower - Left	
D	Lower - Right	



NPT THREAD



**BOLTING FLANGE** (FFSO, CL150)

DIR: 2000557168



# **Commercial** Storage Tanks

# **BARE BUFFER TANKS**

A. O. Smith Chilled Water Buffer Tanks are designed to create volume in a chilled water system when the system and associated piping can not provide the chiller with the volume required for efficient operation. To meet this criteria, A. O. Smith's Chilled Water Buffer Tank is an ASME certified vessel and is available in various custom configurations and tank sizes.

Chiller manufacturers recommend a specific volume of water per ton of chiller capacity to maintain water temperature stability. These recommendations range from 3 to 5 gallons of system volume per ton of chiller capacity when used in a comfort cooling application, to system volumes of 6 to 10 gallons per ton when used in a process cooling application where temperature stability is critical.

Selecting the right tank is easy. After determining how much additional volume the tank will provide, select the size and configuration of the system connections that will best connect the tank to the chilled water system.

## STANDARD FEATURES:

- Vertical Internal Baffle to encourage proper mixing of fluid
- 125 psi Working Pressure
- ASME Sec VIII, U-Stamped Vessel
- Flange or NPT Connections
- Lifting Lugs
- Red Oxide Paint

## **OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT:**

- 12" x 16" Manway (300 gallons and above)
- 4" x 6" Hand Hole
- Automatic Air Vent
- Temperature and Pressure Gauge
- 150 or 160 psi Working Pressure
- Custom connection locations

# 5-YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY



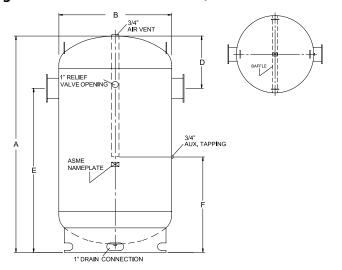


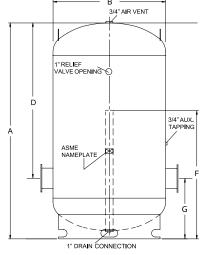


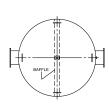
# WARNING

Use this vessel only in chilled water systems. DO NOT use in potable water systems. The installer must comply with all plumbing codes. DO NOT operate above the temperature or pressure specified on the rating plate. Failure to comply may result in personal injury, property damage, or death.

Figure 1 Buffer tank dimensions, refer to table below







# **DIMENSIONS AND SPECIFICATIONS**

	CHILLED WATER BUFFER TANK W/ UPPER OR LOWER CONNECTIONS							
MODEL NUMBER	CAPACITY USG (L)	A IN (CM)	B IN (CM)	D IN (CM)	E IN (CM)	F IN (CM)	G IN (CM)	WEIGHT LB (KG)
ACV*-120	120 (454)	56 (142)	28 (71)	20 (51)	36 (91)	19 (48)	24 (61)	298 (135)
ACV*-200	200 (757)	86 (218)	28 (71)	20 (51)	66 (168)	29 (74)	24 (61)	430 (195)
ACV*-325	318 (1,204)	76 (193)	36 (91)	23 (58)	53 (135)	25 (64)	27 (69)	533 (242)
ACV*-450	432 (1,635)	76 (193)	42 (107)	25 (64)	52 (132)	25 (64)	29 (74)	818 (371)
ACV*-500	500 (1,893)	87 (221)	42 (107)	25 (64)	62 (157)	29 (74)	29 (74)	930 (422)
ACV*-750	750 (2,839)	100 (254)	48 (122)	27 (69)	73 (185)	33 (84)	31 (79)	1,430 (649)
ACV*-1000	1,000 (3,785)	124 (315)	48 (122)	27 (69)	97 (246)	41 (104)	31 (79)	1,733 (786)

<sup>\*</sup>ACVL120 for Lower, ACVU for Upper and ACV4 for Lower and Upper Connections

## **OPTIONAL CONNECTIONS**

FLANGED CONNECTIONS	BOLT PATTERN		
3" NPT			
3" Bolt Flanged			
4" Bolt Flanged			
5" Bolt Flanged			
6" Bolt Flanged	22F 1 000 only		
8" Bolt Flanged	325 - 1,000 only		
10" Bolt Flanged			
EXTRA TAPPINGS			
1", 1-1/4", 1-1/2", 2", 2-1/2", 3", 4"			

OPTION CODE:	
ACVU-120-3NTM — M = 150 psi; 6 = 160 psi	
	T = T&P Gauge; S = Seismic; Z = T&P Gauge + Seismic*
	N = NPT; B = Bolting Flange
	Number = inch size
	4 = 4 Connections (Upper and Lower); 3 = 3 Connections**; L = Lower Connections; U = Upper Connections; C = Custom Offset Connections**

<sup>\*</sup>Seismic offered on ACV-325 models and up.

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<sup>\*\*</sup> Submittal is required for ordering.