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### **General Information**

With the CVGL series. COVAL introduces a universal solution to the vacuum gripper: flexible, simple and economical.

Handling parts of various sizes, shapes and weights is no longer a complex, costly and time-consuming task.

With a single CVGL module, easily integrated into the process, the user can simply and safely perform random gripping of assorted parts.

#### **Advantages**

The CVGL series is composed of standard subassemblies which allow us to offer a "tailor-made" solution, meeting the specific application requirements of integrators and end users:

- Compact
- Performance Ease of use

Universal mounting

- Lightweight
- Integrated functions
- Modularity

#### **A Complete System**

Simply configure your CVGL vacuum gripper :

- 1 light and robust aluminium profile
- 1 universal mounting system
- **3** standard lengths (424, 624, 824mm)
- 3 suction levels
- 3 gripping interface technologies
- 3 standard hole/cup patterns
- 3 flow control technologies
- 2 control versions (vacuum and blow-off)
- 2 solutions for vacuum display
- + The Vacuum Manager experience of COVAL
- = YOUR CVGL SOLUTION

#### **Applications**

The CVGL series vacuum grippers offer a single solution for the handling of products in multiple industrial sectors:

- Packaging
- Plastics
- Metal
- Glass

- Concrete/stone
- Composites
- Wood...



The adaptability and the flexibility of COVAL CVGL Series vacuum grippers respond to numerous robotic applications.















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CVGL vacuum grippers can create independent gripping zones, guaranteeing optimization of vacuum management (increased vacuum level, reduced leaks and energy consumption).

- → Staggered grip/release points.
- → Management of formats to be handled.
- → Pallet Layer Optimization.
- → Simple or multiple grip/release points.

As each multi-zone application is different, we will work with you to determine the best configuration for your process.







The main design objective of the new CVGL vacuum gripper was to minimize space and weight, while maintaining a highly modular configuration, meeting the needs of robotic applications.

Thanks to COVAL's new aluminium profile, the CVGL vacuum grippers fully meet this objective. The ultra-thin profile allows for easy integration on robots.

This new profile integrates the vacuum connections on the upper part, which provides greater compactness, as well as a T-slot on the side for mounting additional accessories (sensors,...).

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The technologies and materials used in the design of the CVGL vacuum gripper considerably reduce the on-board weight. This makes the CVGL the benchmark in its field, allowing smaller robots to be used, increasing accelerations and thus optimizing the installation in order to achieve savings.

#### Mass (in kg) depending on options

GRIPPING INTERFACE	Length	Vacuum gripper without vacuum generator <b>(GO)</b>	Vacuum gripper with 1 CMSL50 vacuum generator <b>(E1)</b>	Vacuum gripper with 1 CMSL100 vacuum generator <b>(E2)</b>	Vacuum gripper with 2 CMSL100 vacuum generators <b>(E3)</b>
Foam Interface	424	1.8	2.4	2.4	_
Mini F2S / Maxi F2B type with flow control nozzles ( H version)	624	2.6	-	3.1	-
	824	3.4	-	3.9	4.5
Foam Interface	424	2.0	2.6	2.6	-
Mini F2S / Maxi F2B type	624	2.8	-	3.3	_
with airtight or check valves (E and V versions)	824	3.7	-	4.2	4.8
Suction cup Interface	424	2.2	2.8	2.8	_
Mini, Medium or Maxi type	624	3.2	_	3.6	_
with flow control nozzles (H version)	824	4.1	_	4.7	5.3

Average values shown E1/E2 : indicated weights are for SVA version (blow-off solenoid control valve + vacuum display)



Integrated Technologies

#### **Choice of Gripping Interface**

With **CVGL**, COVAL gives you a choice of 3 complementary gripping interface technologies: vacuum grippers with foam, suction cup grippers and grippers with our new "COVAL-flex" interface.

In order to optimize the performance of the **CVGL** series for different applications, the vacuum grippers are available in different gripping patterns, hole diameters, and cup sizes.

 $\rightarrow$  A broad range which meets all application requirements.

#### **"FOAM"** Interface

- Handling of rigid products.
- Gripping textured or uneven surfaces.
- Flow control nozzles, airtight or check valves.
- 2 standard hole diameters (ø12, 16mm).
- 2 standard hole patterns.
- 3 standard lengths (424, 624 and 824mm)... or custom length.

#### "SUCTION CUP" Interface

- Handling of flexible products.
- Wide range of options.
- Flow control nozzles (different diameters).
- 4 types of standard suction cups (Ø 14, Ø 25, Ø 30 and Ø 33 mm).
- 3 standard cup patterns.
- 3 standard lengths (424, 624 and 824mm)
  ... or custom length.

#### "COVAL-flex" Interface

- Handling of aluminum cans, canned food, glass containers...
- Flexible interface, extremely tear-resistant
- Hole pattern dependent upon application requirements, completely customizable

#### COVAL-flex







#### **Standard Hole/Cup Patterns**

In order to optimize the performance of the CVGL series for different applications, the vacuum grippers are available in different gripping patterns, hole diameters, and cup sizes.

#### "MINI" type

- Reduced hole spacing, allowing small, flexible pieces to be gripped.
- The multitude of gripping points guarantee a strong grip, even with random positioning of products.
- Dimensions, refer to page 11.

#### "MEDIUM" type

- An intermediate distribution of gripping points between the "mini" and "maxi" type.
- Ideal for handling dense loads with reduced gripping surface.
- Dimensions, refer to page 11.

#### "MAXI" type

- Large gripping point surfaces, allowing heavy loads to be gripped.
- Ideal for gripping parts with rigid gripping surfaces.
- Dimensions, refer to page 11.







#### **Vacuum Gripping Force**

\* Indicative force for a vacuum gripper 100% covered by the load, without safety factor, on a rigid and airtight surface.

Part number	Total length of the vacuum gripper (mm)	Force at 85% vacuum (lbf)*	Force at 45% vacuum (lbf)*
CVGL 424	424	247.3	134.9
CVGL 624	624	370.9	202.3
CVGL 824	824	494.6	269.8





**Integrated Technologies** 

#### **Flow Control Technologies**

COVAL offers 3 flow control technologies to optimize your vacuum gripper and perfectly respond to the constraints of your application.

COVAL teams will assist you in the choice and the configuration of vour CVGL vacuum gripper.



- Limits the leakage rate of uncovered zones.
- Economic solution.
- Customizable calibration.
- Horizontal and vertical handling.

#### Isolates uncovered zones.

- Provides energy savings.
- Meets specific needs.
- Instant gripping.

- Quick release to blow-off.
- Horizontal handling.

Check valves (COVAL patent)

- Limits the leakage rate of uncovered zones.
- Instant gripping.
- High versatility of applications.
- Quick release to blow-off.
- Horizontal handling.

#### **Vacuum Generation**

#### Integrated vacuum generator, CMSL Series

Integration of a multi-stage vacuum generator on the CVGL gripper provides a comprehensive and compact gripping solution, as well as easy integration in your process.

Options: integration of a vacuum and/or blowoff solenoid control valve with M12 connector and a vacuum level display (electronic vacuum switch display or vacuum gauge).

#### Advantages:

- A comprehensive solution
- 3 standard sizes
- Option: vacuum and/or blow-off control valve
- Option: visual display of vacuum level



#### Technical data of the CMSL series integrated vacuum generators

Integrated vacuum generator	Model	Consump- tion (SCFM)	Flow rate (SCFM)	Max. vacuum (%)	Sound level (dBA)
CMSL 50	CVGL <b>E1</b>	6.71	31.78	85	65
CMSL 100	CVGL <b>E2</b>	13.42	63.57	85	65
2xCMSL 100	CVGL <b>E3</b>	26.84	127.13	85	65

#### **External vacuum generator**

The CVGL vacuum grippers may also be used with an independent vacuum generator. Depending on the application, an external generator may be necessary (a blower, an electrical vacuum pump or a pneumatic generator, CMS Series). The CVGL series vacuum gripper GO version is equipped with a G1"-F flange allowing the vacuum source to be easily connected.

Option: integration of a vacuum level display (vacuum switch or vacuum gauge).

#### Advantages:

- Reduced weight
- Adaptation to user enviroment
- Option: visual display of vacuum level





#### Generator configurations by vacuum gripper length

Vacuum generator	CVGL 424	CVGL 624	CVGL 824
GO			
E1		-	-
E2			
E3	-	-	





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Control and Visualization

#### **Vacuum Generator Control**

When necessary, the CVGL series vacuum grippers with integrated vacuum generator (versions E1 and E2) can be equipped with a vacuum and/or blow-off control valve to optimize product release. This also enables cleaning of the vacuum network, flow control nozzles, check valves or airtight valves.

A vacuum switch or analog gauge is available as an option for those requiring a visual display of the vacuum level in the system (see below).

#### IMPLEMENTATION



- Option S NC vacuum control. with controlled blow-off:
- CVGL \_\_\_\_ XE \_SV \_ - 2 control signals.
- NC vacuum control valve.
- Blow-off controlled by external signal (NC control valve).
- Option V NO vacuum control. with controlled blow-off:
- CVGL\_\_\_\_XE\_VV\_
- 2 control signals.
- NO vacuum control valve.

Blow-off controlled by external signal (NC control valve).

#### **ELECTRICAL CONTROL**

- Control voltage: 24VDC (regulated) +/- 10 %.
- Current draw: 30 mA (0.7 W) vacuum or blow-off.
- Maximum usage frequency: 2Hz.
- Number of operations: 10 million cycles.

#### **ELECTRICAL M12 CONNECTION**





Max. pressure: 300 kPa.

- Hysteresis: adjustable.

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When required, CVGL series grippers can incorporate a vacuum level display with an electronic vacuum switch or vacuum gauge:

■ Option VA - electronic vacuum switch with 3-color display (PSD100CPNP): CVGL\_\_\_\_X\_\_VA

Fluid: Air, non-corrosive/non-flammable gas.

sub-display (refresh rate: 5 times/1sec.)

kPa, MPa, kgf/cm<sup>2</sup>, bar, psi, InHg, mmHg.

Power supply voltage: 12 to 24 V DC ±10%.

Current consumption:  $\leq$  40mA (without load).

Choice of pressure unit display:

Response time:  $\leq$  2.5ms, with anti-vibration function.

- Pressure rating range: 0.0 ~ -101.3 kPa. - Pressure setting range: 10.0 ~ -101.3 kPa.

7 segment LCD display : 2 color (red/green) main display, orange



- Option VF vacuum gauge (VAF11140):
- CVGL\_\_\_\_X\_\_VF
- Vacuum gauge with needle.
- Damping: by silicone movement (patented).
- Measuring: Bourdon tube in CuSn.

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- Precision: cl. 2.5 (+/- 2.5% of max. scale value).
- Frame: black ABS



24V DC

blow-off

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- 8 Repeatability (switch ouptut):  $\leq \pm 0.2\%$  F.S.  $\pm 1$  digit. 88 0 0
- Ambient temperature range: 32 to 122°F (operation).
- Material (enclosure): PA 6.6 20%GF.

Electrical connection: M8 (4-pin).



Protection: IP40.

# **CVGL Compact and Light Vacuum Grippers** Configuring a CVGL Vacuum Gripper



CVGL 4	24 I	)	VS/	43:	3 <b>JK</b>	X	H		X	<b>E2</b>	S	VA
OVERALL LENGTH					FILTER			TECHNOLO	GY			
424 mm <b>4</b>	24				Without	X	Η	Flow contro nozzles	I			
624 mm <b>6</b>	24				With filter		<b>E</b> *	Airtight valv	/es			
824 mm	24				* F, E and only with t interface	V available ioam	V*	Check valve	S			
HOLI Pattern La	E/CUP Yout				menaee			VA Gener/	CUUM Ator*			
Staggered		ב						W vacuum ger	/ithout nerator	GO		
Straight*		כ						1 x CN	ISL 50	<b>E1</b>		
* Only available for "maxi" type grippi minimum suction cup ø26mm.	ng interface w	vith						1 x CM	SL 100	<b>E2</b>		
GRI	PPING IN	TERFACES						2 x CM	SL 100	<b>E3</b>		
		ICTION CUP			-		* See p.6	table of possibl	e configu	rations		
2.5 bellows s silicone 30 Shore wi	uction cups	<b>e interface</b> : s ø 14 mm in itrol nozzles.	VS	P14	IBF			VACUUN		RATOR Trol*		
<b>"m</b> 1.5 bellows si natural rubber wi	uction cups		VS	5A2	5JI			۷	Vithout	control	N	_
1.5 bellows si natural rubber wi	uction cups		VS	A33	BJK					acuum control	_	
2.5 bellows so white silicone 35 Shore wi	uction cups	<b>be interface</b> : s ø 30 mm in itrol nozzles.	MV	53	DEK					& low-off control	S	
See "	SPECIAL V	ERSIONS" 🕹					>					-
		FOAM						NO	NO v	acuum		
Foam "mini	" type inter	face, EPDM.		F28	5					control &	V	
Foam "maxi	" type inter	face, EPDM.		F2E	}					low-off control	-	
	COV	AL-flex					* Only fo	r E1 and E2				
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<b>SPECIAL VERSIONS</b> Sometimes, there are instant lable here will not match you				ersion	s avai-					nic displa vacuum s		VA
COVAL can provide you pers tions, integrating specific fun choice of suction cups.										Vacuum	gauge	VF





Examples of Composed Part Numbers

#### CVGL424DVSA33JKXHXE2SVA

CVGL vacuum gripper length 424mm, "straight" cup pattern layout, "maxi" type gripping interface, 1.5 bellows suction cups Ø33mm in natural rubber with flow control nozzles, with 1 integrated vacuum generator CMSL 100, vaccum generator control and NC blow-off, vacuum level display with electronic display type vacuum switch.

#### CVGL424QVSP14BFXHXE2NVF

CVGL vacuum gripper length 424mm, "staggered" cup pattern layout, "mini" type gripping interface, 2.5 bellows suction cups Ø33mm in silicon 30 Shore with flow control nozzles, with 1 integrated vacuum generator CMSL 100, without vaccum generator control and vacuum level display with vacuum gauge type vacuum switch.





#### CVGL624QMVS30EKXHXGONVA

CVGL vacuum gripper length 624mm, "staggered" cup pattern layout, "maxi" type gripping interface, 2.5 bellows suction cups Ø30mm in silicon 30 Shore with flow control nozzles, without vacuum generator, and vacuum level display with electronic display type vacuum switch.

#### CVGL824QF2SXHXGONVF

CVGL vacuum gripper length 824mm, "staggered" cup pattern layout, foam"mini" type gripping interface, without filter, with flow control nozzles, without vacuum generator, with vacuum level display with vacuum gauge type vacuum switch.

#### Modular vacuum grippers MVG Series

For applications requiring customized dimensions, COVAL has developed a modular vacuum gripper, **MVG Series**.

Thanks to their modularity, the MVG vacuum grippers offer the optimal handling solution of various sizes, shapes and weights.

- Customized formats from 150x150mm to 1200x1000mm.
- Configurable gripping interface (foam, suction cups or COVAL-flex).
- Multi-zone.
- Staggered grip / release points.
- Integrated or external vacuum generator.
- Adaptable to all industry sectors.





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**DImensions and Mounting Options** 

#### **GO Versions**

#### (with external vacuum generator).

The Coval CVGL series vacuum grippers, GO version (with external vacuum generator), can be mounted on all types of automated or robotic systems.

They can be easily installed (via M8 screws) with the included rectangular nuts, sliding in the grooves of the aluminium profile. These nuts are equipped with a spring plate to hold them in position when unscrewing.

- CVGL 424 and 624 : 4 x M8 rectangular nuts.
- CVGL 824 : 6 x M8 rectangular nuts.



E1 or E2 Versions

#### (1 integrated vacuum generator, CMSL series).

The Coval CVGL series vacuum grippers, E1 and E2 versions, are mounted on all types of automated systems via M8 spacers preinstalled on sliding nuts.

- CVGL 424 and 624 : 4 x M8 spacers.
- CVGL 824 : 8 x M8 spacers.



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#### **E3 Versions**

#### (2 integrated vacuum generators, CMSL series).

The CVGL vacuum grippers, E3 version, utilizes adjustable M8 spacers.

CVGL 824 : 6 x M8 spacers.





#### Dimensions

	CVGL424	CVGL624	CVGL824
Α	424	624	824
В	408	608	808



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Gripping Interfaces and Characteristics

#### **CVGL Series with Suction Cup Gripping Interface**





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"MEDIUM" type suction cup

#### "MAXI" type suction cup gripping interface, STRAIGHT PATTERN



### "MAXI" type suction cup gripping interface, STAGGERED PATTERN



model	WVS30			
	OVAL /GL	۲		
	ļ			51.2
1	20			
Ø 30	24		17.5(f)	
			28	

NUMBER OF SUCTION CUPS PER GRIPPING INTERFACE	CVGL424	CVGL624	CVGL824
"Mini" type suction cup Ø 14 mm (Ø 16 mm max.)	150	220	297
"Medium" type suction cup Ø 25 mm (Ø 18 to 25 mm)	55	83	113
"Maxi" type, STRAIGHT pattern Ø30 or Ø33 mm suction cups (Ø36 mm max.)	33	48	63
"Maxi" type, STAGGERED pattern Ø30 or Ø33 mm suction cups (Ø36 mm max.)	28	42	58

#### **CVGL Series with Foam Gripping Interface**





"MAXI" type foam

f: foam compression

NUMBER OF GRIPPING Points per interface	CVGL424	CVGL624	CVGL824
"mini" type gripping interface Ø12 mm	98	148	198
"maxi" type gripping interface Ø16 mm	50	75	100

#### **CVGL Series with "COVAL-flex" Gripping Interface**

# COVAL-flex



#### **General Characteristics**

- Compressed air supply for CVGL vacuum grippers with generator CMS:
- $5\mu$  filtered, non-lubricated air relevant to standard ISO 8573-1:2010 [4:5:4].
- 1 supply for generator type E1 and E2 (1/4 G pressure connection).
- 2 supplies for generator type E3 (1/4 G pressure connection).
- Optimal working pressure: 6 bar (maximum pressure 8 bar).
- Blow-off: network supply pressure.
- Protection of the valve: IP 65.
- Temperature: 50 to 140°F.
- Material of the gripper: aluminium, PA 6.6 15% GF, brass, stainless steel, neoprene.
- Material of the valve: PA 6.6 15% GF, POM, PC 15% GF, brass, aluminium, NBR.
- Foam gripping interface material: EPDM.
- Suction cup gripping interface materials:
  - "mini" type interface: silicone 30 Shore.
  - "medium" type interfaces: natural rubber 50 Shore.
  - "maxi" type interfaces: natural rubber 50 Shore or white silicone 35 Shore.



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#### **A TECHNOLOGICAL PARTNER ON A GLOBAL SCALE**

Located in the southeast region of France, COVAL conceives, manufactures and globally distributes high performance, advanced vacuum automation components and systems for industrial applications in all branches.

COVAL is an ISO 9001: V2015 certified company which offers innovative solutions integrating reliable and optimized components with intelligent functionalities. The focus is to provide the most personalized and economic solution to a given application while assuring a significant improvement in the productivity and the safety for the vacuum users around the world.

COVAL has an ambition for technical excellence and innovation. As a specialist in vacuum automation, COVAL is reputed for offering reliable, personalized, cost effective and productive solutions.

The references of COVAL can be found in several industrial sectors (Packaging, Automotive Industry, Plastic, Graphic, Aeronautic...) where vacuum handling is important for high efficiency and productivity.

COVAL markets its products and services all over Europe, in the United States and South America through its subsidiaries and authorized distribution network. COVAL strives to provide customer driven solutions and gives the best possible treatment to satisfy all its clients.

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