

# **COVAL** vacuum managers





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### **General Information**

COVAL's MVG series vacuum grippers fully meet integrator and end user expectations in terms of power, robustness, communication, and ease of setup and use, while they remain compact and lightweight for easier integration in a smart factory.

Their highly modular and flexible design makes them an optimal solution for handling objects of various sizes, shapes, and weights.

COVAL's next generation vacuum grippers feature CMS HDE series multi-stage vacuum pumps. These pumps have a heavy-duty design offering high reliability even in harsh environments (IP65) and a long service life, withstanding up to 50 million cycles. The modular design of these vacuum pumps contributes to their durability and allows for special configurations as well as targeted maintenance of specific parts to optimize repairability.

Next generation CMS HDE multi-stage vacuum pumps thus further increase the reliability of MVG series vacuum grippers and their adaptability.

#### **Custom Made by Design**

The modular design of the MVG series vacuum grippers with standard sub-assemblies provides great flexibility when it comes to selecting dimensions, gripping interface, and the vacuum generator to fully meet the application requirements.

Moreover, to optimize production cycles and palletization planning, MVG grippers can be equipped with several independent gripping zones (multi-zone), ensuring multiple or staggered gripping/release points.



Industry-specific applications





**NFC )))) @ IO**-Link



#### **Advantages**

- Customized formats
- Compact and lightweight
- Multi-zone
- IO-Link and NFC communication interface
- Adapts to products
- Adapts to installationEasy to install and use
- Readily available
- COVAL service

#### **Applications**

MVG series vacuum grippers offer a unique solution for handling products in different industrial sectors:

- Packaging
- Plastics
- Metal
- Glass
- Concrete/stone
- Composites
- Wood













### **Modular Vacuum Grippers**

Ultra-Lightweight and Multi-Zone Design





#### **Ultra-Lightweight and Compact Design**

The main objective in designing the MVG vacuum gripper was to reduce its footprint and weight as much as possible, while keeping a highly modular configuration to meet the needs of robotic applications.

With their patented assembly concept, MVG vacuum grippers fully meet this objective. The lightweight and strong aluminum profile frame allows for easy integration on robots. Furthermore, the vacuum connections on MVG vacuum grippers is located at the top, which makes the grippers even more compact.

The technologies and materials used in the MVG vacuum gripper's design considerably reduce the payload weight, which makes it the benchmark in its area, allowing for smaller robots to be implemented, increasing accelerations, and thus optimizing the installation for cost savings.





#### Multi-Zone

Independent gripping zones can be created on MVG vacuum grippers to ensure optimized vacuum management (higher vacuum levels, fewer leaks, and lower energy consumption). To achieve this, each zone has its own integrated or external vacuum generator.

- → Staggered grip/release points
- → Management of formats to be handled
- → Optimized palletizing layers
- → Single or multiple grip/release points

As each multi-zone application is different, COVAL will gladly assist in determining the best configuration for your process.

#### Examples of configuration:





Integrated Technologies

COVAL's MVG series lets you choose among three gripping interface technologies that can be combined to meet your vacuum handling needs: foam, suction cups, or COVAL-flex. To optimize the performance of MVG series vacuum grippers coording to the application at hand, available grip patterns have

To optimize the performance of MVG series vacuum grippers according to the application at hand, available grip patterns have various spacing and hole diameters:  $\rightarrow$  a broad range that meets all your application requirements.

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

#### "FOAM" Interface

- Handle rigid products
- Grip textured or uneven surfaces
- Flow control nozzle, airtight valve, or check valve
- 2 hole diameters (Ø 12 and 16 mm)
- 2 grip patterns

#### "SUCTION CUP" Interface

- Handle flexible products
- Wide range of options
- Flow control nozzle (various diameters)
- 4 types of standard suction cups (Ø 14, Ø 25, Ø 30 and Ø 33 mm)
- 3 grip patterns



#### "COVAL-flex" Interface

- Handle aluminum cans, canned food, glass containers, etc.
- Flexible, extremely tear-resistant interface
- Grip pattern fully customizable according to the application



#### **Grip Patterns**

#### "MINI"

- Reduced hole spacing, to grip smaller objects
- Tight grip pattern ensures a strong hold, even with randomly placed objects



#### "MEDIUM"

- A medium-tight grip pattern between mini and max
- Ideal for handling dense loads with a reduced gripping surface



#### "MAX"

- Large gripping surface to grip heavy loads
- Ideal for handling objects with a rigid gripping surface





Integrated Technologies



COVAL offers three different flow control technologies to optimize your vacuum gripper and fully address your application requirements.

The COVAL vacuum management team will gladly help you choose and configure your MVG vacuum gripper.

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#### Flow control nozzles

- Limits the leakage rate in uncovered areas
- Cost-effective solution
- Customizable calibration
- Horizontal and vertical handling

#### Airtight valves (COVAL patent) Isolates uncovered areas

Saves energy

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- Meets specific needs
- Instant gripping
- Quick release with blow-off
- Horizontal handling

#### Highly versatile applications

Check valves (COVAL patent)

■ Limits the leakage rate in uncovered

- Quick release with blow-off
- Horizontal handling

Instant gripping

areas

#### **Vacuum Generation**

#### Integrated vacuum generator, CMS HDE series

Integrating a multi-stage vacuum generator on the MVG gripper provides a comprehensive and compact gripping solution, and ensures easy integration in your process.

Options: add a vacuum and/or blow-off control valve with M12 connector and a vacuum level display (electronic vacuum switch display or vacuum gauge), or an HMI with LCD display.

Flow

rate

(NI/min)

700

1100

2200

Max.

vacuum

(%)

80

80

80

**Technical data of integrated CMS HDE series** 

multi-stage vacuum pumps

Consump-

tion

(NI/min)

220

420

#### Advantages:

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Vacuum

MVG\_\_\_\_\_**D1** 

MVG\_\_\_\_\_**D2** 

gripper

- A comprehensive solution
- 3 levels of suction power
- Option: vacuum and blow-off control
- Option: vacuum level display
- Option: IO-Link communication interface

Blow-off option





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MVG vacuum grippers can also be used with an external vacuum generator. Depending on the application, an independent generator may be required (impeller, electric vacuum pump, or CMS HD series multi-stage vacuum pump). Version GO of the MVG series vacuum grippers features a G1"-F flange to easily connect the vacuum source.

Option: add a vacuum level display (electronic vacuum switch display or vacuum gauge).

Advantages:

- Reduced weight
- Adapts to environment in which it is used
- Option: vacuum level display







#### Vacuum pump configurations by gripper length

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Integrated vacuum pump	Version	Min. gripper dimensions*					
CMSHDE50	Without control (version NVO)	450 x 260 mm					
(Version D1)	With control (versions VOC15P and VXC15P)	500 x 260 mm					
CMSHDE100	Without control (version NVO)	450 x 260 mm					
(Version D2)	With control (versions VOC15P and VXC15P)	500 x 260 mm					
2xCMSHDE <b>100</b> (Version D3)	Without control (version NVO)	900 x 260 mm					
* Dimensions are indicative and may change depending on selected options.							



Integrated

CMSHDE\_\_50

CMSHDE\_\_100

vacuum pump

Noise

level

(dBA)

59

62

65







## MVG **Modular Vacuum Grippers** Integrated Multi-Stage Vacuum Pumps



To adequately address the requirements of each application, there is a wide range of CMS HDE series multi-stage vacuum pump configurations to choose from for MVG series vacuum grippers.

#### MVG\_\_D\_NOK

CMSHDE\_**NVO**G4K multi-stage vacuum pump Without control



#### MVG\_\_D\_S1/V1K

CMSHDE\_\_**VOC15P**G4K multi-stage vacuum pump

- With vacuum and blow-off control
- Without vacuum switch
- One M12-5-pin connector
- Visual vacuum/blow-off indicators
- Digital inputs/outputs mode



Onboard installation and diagnostic tools:

Supply pressure and voltage monitoring

Vacuum network clogging detection

#### MVG\_\_D\_S2/V2K

CMSHDE\_\_**VXC15P**G4KD multi-stage vacuum pump

- With vacuum and blow-off control
- With vacuum switch and pressure sensor
- One M12-5-pin connector

straightforward settings menu

Settings keypad

- One M8 4-pin connector for the HMI (option VI)
- Digital inputs/outputs mode (SIO)/IO-Link





Digital inputs/outputs (SIO)/ **O** IO-Link M12 5-pin connector

NFC ))))

Straightforward setup and diagnostics made possible by NFC technology and COVAL Vacuum Manager mobile app.

#### **Modularity/Maintenance**

The CMS HDE multi-stage vacuum pumps have been designed to withstand the demands from all your applications and to guarantee a high level of performance. However, handling certain parts may require replacement or cleaning.

The modular design of the CMS HDE multi-stage pumps ensures easy maintenance as the functions are all easily accessible.

> 350 um pressure filter screen G3/8





### MVG Modular Vacuum Grippers Straightforward Communication



#### **Easier Integration, Use, and Diagnostics**

Designed to keep vacuum gripper use and management as straightforward as possible and thus allowing for their easy integration in your smart factory, MVG\_**S2/V2** vacuum grippers

include various features that allow for their setup, use, and diagnostics in all situations and at all levels (operators, process, networked factory).

#### Settings, Diagnostics, and Process Data



#### **CONFIGURABLE SETTINGS**

- Choice of language: EN, FR, DE, IT, or ES
- "Object gripped" control thresholds
- Automatic blow-off
- Unit of measurement for vacuum: kPa, %, mbar, inHg
- Unit of measurement for pressure: MPa, bar, psi
- Software updates



- Cycle counters (vacuum and blowoff control, objects gripped, objects lost, etc.)
- Clogging detection function
- Supply pressure and voltage monitoring
- Software version
- Product part number and serial number





Vacuum and blow-off control



- Instantaneous vacuum level
- Object gripped and object lost information
- Alarms (high/low pressure, high/low voltage)
- Instantaneous pressure level



The IO-Link system that is integrated in **CMSHDE\_VXC15X** multistage vacuum pumps ensures efficient real-time communication between MVG vacuum grippers and any higher-level protocol (EtherNet/IP, PROFINET, EtherCAT, etc.) required to monitor the production line. It can be used to control pumps, configure settings, and get feedback to ensure maximum productivity.

#### Advantages:

- Straightforward wiring, installation, and setup
- Remote setup, control, and diagnostics
- Easier preventive maintenance and vacuum pump replacement without manual setup
- Installation and diagnostic tools, and more





# **Modular Vacuum Grippers**

Straightforward Communication



#### **Mounted or Remote HMI**

To make it easier to set up and use the vacuum grippers, the MVG range includes an HMI that can be mounted on the vacuum gripper or installed remotely.

#### Advantages:

- Place the HMI on the vacuum gripper or in an easy-to-access and visible area
- Use a single HMI for several vacuum grippers
- Copy settings from one gripper to another
- Keep using the vacuum gripper even with the HMI removed

#### MVG vacuum grippers compatible with the HMI:

→ MVG\_\_S2/V2\_\_\_ versions with M8 connector



MVG\_\_\_\_VI version:

■ HMI (part no.: HMIHD1M84P) + mounting plate (HMIHD1FIXC) mounted on the vacuum gripper



#### **HMI Dialog Front Panel**



Accessory: Remote HMI (part no.: HMIHD1M84P) See accessories for HMI.



Note: all dimensions are in mm.

The HMI allows for easy and efficient reading of the vacuum gripper's operation.

The high-visibility display includes all required inputs for full operation:

- Main information is easy to read
- Multilingual: EN FR DE IT ES
- Simple and clear event messages
- Intuitive settings and diagnostics menus
- Configurable display orientation: 0 90 180 270°
- Lockable to prevent undesired changes



**Multilingual** 



# Modular Vacuum Grippers

Straightforward Communication



NFC ))))

The NFC wireless technology integrated in the HMI together with the COVAL Vacuum Manager app allow you to access and make changes to all the configuration and diagnostic functions using your mobile devices.

#### Additional functions:

- Read/write settings with the device powered off or on
- Copy settings from one gripper to another
- Save up to 5 setting configurations
- COVAL support: Send a report specifying the settings and diagnostic data to the COVAL departments to get technical support.



#### **Accessories for Remote HMI**



Note: all dimensions are in mm.



**Product Selection Guide** 

#### **Multi-Stage Vacuum Pump Control**

Where required, MVG series vacuum grippers with integrated multi-stage vacuum pump (versions D1 and D2) can be equipped with a vacuum and/or blow-off control valve to optimize object 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).

#### **Vacuum Control: Two Solutions**

Model MVG\_\_S\_: vacuum gripper featuring a vacuum pump with NC vacuum control and NC blow-off control.

In the event of power failure, vacuum is no longer generated. In the event of compressed air failure, the vacuum is no longer maintained.

- NC blow-off and vacuum control valves
- Choice of blow-off settings (only on MVG\_\_S2\_ models):
  - Controlled by external signal
  - Automatic timer from 50 to 9999 ms (advantage: saves one controller output)

**Model MVG\_\_V\_**: vacuum gripper featuring a vacuum pump with NO vacuum control and NC blow-off control.

In the event of power failure, vacuum is still generated: object is held in place  $\rightarrow$  fail-safe.

In the event of compressed air failure, the vacuum is no longer maintained.

- NO vacuum control valve
- NC blow-off control valve
- Blow-off controlled by external signal

#### **Electrical Connections**

#### MVG\_**S1/V1**:

One M12 5-pin male connector

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<sup>(1)</sup>24 V DC suction command, depending on version:



2 24 V DC suction command<sup>(1)</sup> **3** O V – GND 4 24 V DC blow-off command



#### MVG\_S2/V2:

One M12 5-pin male connector

1 24 V DC

2 24 V DC suction command<sup>(1)</sup> 🛛 3 0 V - GND

🛛 4 24 V DC object gripped DO1 – C/Q 5 24 V DC blow-off command

■ One M8 4-pin male connector → HMI



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1 24 V DC 2 RS485 (DATA+) 3 O V - GND 4 RS485 (DATA-)

🚷 : connections for 🗞 IO-Link



NO



- S: 24 V DC vacuum control V: 24 V DC vacuum off command





NC

Options, Dimensions, and Mounting Options



#### **Vacuum Level Display**

Where required, MVG series grippers can include a vacuum level display with an electronic vacuum switch or vacuum gauge:

#### Option VA - electronic vacuum switch with digital display (PSD100CPNP): MVG\_\_\_\_X\_VA

- Pressure rating range: 0 ~ -101.3 kPa
- Pressure setting range: 10 ~ -101.3 kPa
- Max. pressure: 300 kPa
- Fluid: air, non-corrosive/non-flammable gas
- Hysteresis: adjustable
- Response time:  $\leq 2.5$  ms, with anti-vibration function
- 7-segment LCD display: 2 color (red/green) main display, orange sub-display (refresh rate: 5 times/second)
- Choice of pressure unit display: kPa, MPa, kgf/cm2, bar, psi, inHg, mmHg
- Power supply voltage: 12 to 24 V DC ±10%
- Current consumption:  $\leq$  40 mA (without load)

#### Option VF - vacuum gauge (VAF11140): MVG\_\_\_\_X\_VF

- Damping: by silicone movement (patented)
- Measuring: Bourdon tube in CuSn
- Precision: cl. 2.5 (+/- 2.5% of max. scale value)
- Enclosure: black ABS
- Option VI IHM : MVG\_\_\_\_X\_VI

#### **Version GO**

The GO version of COVAL MVG series vacuum grippers (with external vacuum generator) can be mounted on all types of automated or robotic systems, using M8 spacers that slide in the grooves on the aluminum profile (fastened using M8 screws). The number of M8 spacers used depends on the vacuum gripper's size.

The D1 and D2 versions of COVAL MVG series vacuum grippers (with an integrated CMS HDE series vacuum generator) can be

mounted on all types of automated or robotic systems, using M8 spacers that slide in the grooves on the aluminum profile

The number of M8 spacers used depends on the vacuum gripper's

- Repeatability (switch output):  $\leq \pm 0.2\%$  F.S.  $\pm 1$  digit
- Electrical connection: M8 (4-pin)
- Degree of protection: IP40
- Operating temperature: 0 50  $^\circ\text{C}$
- Enclosure material: PA 6.6 20%GF















#### Min. L: 450 (without control), 500 (with control)





Note: all dimensions are in mm. Dimensions are indicative and may change depending on selected options



G1/8"-I

M8

**3D COVAL COVAL** formats compatible with the main CAD software on COVAL's website **www.coval.com** 

Version D1 or D2

(fastened using M8 screws).

size.



Note: all dimensions are in mm.





# **Modular Vacuum Grippers**

Choosing and Ordering a Gripper



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of specific applications. COVAL's sales team would be happy to provide any recommendations or further information you may require should your application be able to use any of their special features.













#### MVG200X200QF2BFHXGON0XV0

MVG vacuum gripper, 200 x 200 mm, "staggered" grip pattern layout, "max" EPDM foam gripping interface with filter, nozzles, and no integrated vacuum generator.

#### MVG500X265DVSA33JKXHXD2S1KVA

MVG vacuum gripper, 500 x 265 mm, "straight" grip pattern layout, "max" gripping interface, 1.5 bellow suction cups Ø 33 mm made of natural rubber with flow control nozzles, a CMSHDE\_100 multi-stage vacuum pump, NC vacuum and blow-off control, and electronic vacuum switch with display for vacuum level display.





#### MVG380X250QVSP14BFXHXD2V2KVI

MVG vacuum gripper, 380 x 250 mm, "staggered" grip pattern layout, "mini" gripping interface, 2.5 bellows suction cups Ø 14 mm made of 35 Shore silicone with flow control nozzles, a CMSHDE\_100\_ multi-stage vacuum pump with NO vacuum control and NC blow-off control, vacuum switch, pressure sensor, and HMI.

#### MVG1000X400QF2SXHXD3N0KVF

MVG vacuum gripper, 1000 x 400 mm, "staggered" grip pattern layout, "mini" EPDM foam gripping interface with nozzles, CMS HDE 100 multi-stage vacuum pumps without control, and vacuum gauge for vacuum level display.









#### COVAL CUSTOMIZATION



There might be situations where the standard MVG configurations available here will not match your application requirements.

COVAL can provide customized solutions, based on your operating specifications, integrating specific functions (e.g. multi-zoning) or by suggesting a gripping interface based on the COVAL range of suction cups (a wide choice of shapes, diameters and materials) to efficiently meet all your requirements.





#### MVG410X280Z01G6XHXD2S1KVA

MVG vacuum gripper, 410 x 280 mm, "straight" grip pattern layout, 6 mm-thick COVALflex gripping interface with nozzles, a CMSHDE\_100 multi-stage vacuum pump with NC vacuum and blow-off control, electronic vacuum switch with display for vacuum level display, and 4 through-holes for customer's fitting requirements.

#### MVG500X500Z01CBC85HPXHXD2S2KVI

MVG vacuum gripper, 500 x 500 mm, "straight" grip pattern layout, gripping interface with C series 1.5 bellow suction cups Ø 85 mm made of nitrile with nozzles, a CMSHDE\_100 multi-stage vacuum pump with NC vacuum and blow-off control, vacuum switch, pressure sensor, HMI, and an M12 bulkhead adapter for sensor.





#### MVG800X400Z04VS62JNXHXG0N0XVA

MVG vacuum gripper, 800 x 400 mm, "straight" grip pattern layout, gripping interface with VS series 2.5 bellows suction cups Ø 62 mm made of natural rubber with flow control nozzles, 4 independent zones equipped with an electronic vacuum switch with display, and no integrated vacuum generator.

#### MVG1200X600Z04F3BXHXGON0XVA

MVG vacuum gripper, 1200 x 600 mm, "straight" grip pattern layout, "max" 30 mm-thick EPDM foam gripping interface with nozzles, 4 independent zones equipped with an electronic vacuum switch with display, and no integrated vacuum generator.





# Technical Specifications

#### **General Specifications**

- Operating temperature: 0 to 50 °C (32 to 122 °F)
- Material of gripper: aluminum, PA 6.6 15% GF, brass, stainless steel, neoprene
- Material of foam gripping interface: EPDM
- Materials of suction cup gripping interface:
- Mini interface: 35 Shore silicone
- Medium interface: 50 Shore natural rubber
- Max interface: 50 Shore natural rubber or 35 Shore white silicone

#### **Specifications of Multi-Stage Vacuum Pumps**

- Supply: non-lubricated air, filtered to 5 microns, according to standard ISO 8573-1:2010 [3:4:4]
- Operating pressure: from 2 to 8 bar
- Optimal dynamic pressure:
- CMSHDE\_**NVO** (for MVG\_**D\_NO**\_ grippers) without control: 5.5 bar
- CMSHDE\_**S**\_/ CMSHDE\_**V**\_ with control (for MVG\_**S**/MVG\_**V**\_ grippers): 6 bar
- Pressure connection: G3/8"-F with removable 350 µm filter screen
- Max. vacuum: 80%.
- Air suction flow rate: 700 to 2200 NI/min
- Air consumption: 220 to 840 NI/min
- Noise level: CMSHDE90X**50\_\_K**: 59 dBA
  - CMSHDE90X**100\_\_K**: 62 dBA
- Degree of protection: IP65
- Max. operating frequency: 4 Hz
- Endurance: 50 million cycles
- Materials: PA GF, brass, aluminum, steel, NBR, PU, FKM
- M12 and M8 male connectors (depending on version)

#### **Integrated electronics**

- 24 V DC power supply (regulated ±10%)
- Inputs/outputs protected against reversed wiring and polarity
- Consumption: 170 mA max. (without load)

Only on models CMSHDE\_\_\_VX\_\_ installed on MVG\_\_S2 / V2 vacuum grippers:

- Vacuum measuring range: 0 to 99%
- Pressure measuring range: 0 to 10 bar
- Vacuum and pressure measurement accuracy: ±1.5% of the range, compensated for temperature
- Input/output switching mode: PNP or configurable as PNP/NPN
- Digital inputs/outputs mode (SIO) / IO-Link

#### D01 output signal

Only on models CMSHDE\_\_\_**VX**\_\_ installed on MVG\_\_**S2** / **V2** vacuum grippers:

- Configurable as PNP or NPN
- NO or NC
- Breaking capacity: 330 mA
- D01: object gripped output (factory setting 40%)

#### Diagnostic

Only on models CMSHDE\_\_\_**VX**\_\_ installed on MVG\_\_**S2** / **V2** vacuum grippers:

- Instantaneous vacuum level (unit transmitted over IO-Link: mbar)
- Available information: object gripped, object lost
- Cycle counters (vacuum, blow-off, object gripped, object lost, etc.)
- Supply pressure monitoring

- Supply voltage monitoring
- Product part number and serial number
- Software version

**Indicator** on model CMSHDE\_\_**VOC15P**\_\_ installed on MVG\_\_**S1** / **V1** vacuum grippers:

- Status LED for control functions:
  - Green LED: vacuum control
  - Orange LED: blow-off control

#### Information displayed on HMI (option VI)

- LED gripping status indicator on front panel (green: object gripped, red: object lost)
- 1.54" high-visibility color LCD display:
  - Displays vacuum level with bar graph and thresholds
  - Warns when service life has been exceeded (> 50 million cycles)
  - Explicit fault messages
  - "Suction cup" icon indicating the status of control functions:
    Green suction cup: vacuum control
    - Orange suction cup: blow-off control
  - Red suction cup: simultaneous vacuum and blow-off control
  - The display rotation can be configured as follows: 0 90 180 270°.

#### Parameter settings available with the HMI or IO-Link

Only on models CMSHDE\_\_\_**VX**\_\_ installed on MVG\_\_**S2** / **V2** vacuum grippers:

- Choice of blow-off type (only MVG\_S2):
- Controlled
- Automatic timed, adjustable from 50 to 9999 ms
- Object gripped (L1) control thresholds
- Whenever required by the application, specific threshold and hysteresis settings that are different from the initial factory settings can be defined: L1 = 40%, h1 = 10%

#### + Additional parameter settings available with the HMI

(performed with 4-key membrane keypad):

- Choice of language: EN, FR, DE, IT, or ES
- Choice of vacuum measurement unit (kPa, %, mbar, inHg)
- Choice of pressure measurement unit (MPa, bar, Psi)
- Monostable electrical manual controls

#### Communication

- 10-Link
- Revision: 1.1
- Transmission rate: COM3 230.4 kbit/s
- Min. cycle time: 1 ms
- SIO mode: Yes
- Process Data Input (PDI): 6 bytes
- Process Data Output (PDO): 1 byte
- IO device description file (IODD) available for download

#### NFC

- The COVAL Vacuum Manager mobile app is available on the following devices:
  - -Android version 8.1 and higher
  - -iOS version 13 and higher





# **MVG Modular Vacuum Grippers** Applications

Industry-specific applications























#### A TECHNOLOGICAL PARTNER ON A GLOBAL SCALE

Located in the South of France, COVAL SAS designs, produces, and markets high-performance vacuum components and systems for industrial applications in all sectors worldwide.

An ISO 9001: V2015 certified company, COVAL innovates globally in vacuum handling. Our optimized components integrate intelligent and reliable functionalities, adapt to your industrial context, and safely improve your productivity.

With a strong spirit of innovation and technological advancements, the COVAL team is now recognized as an expert in developing reliable, economical, and productive custom solutions. COVAL's references are found in major industrial sectors such as packaging, food processing, automotive, plastics, aerospace, and robotics, where vacuum handling is crucial for efficiency and productivity.

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