



Lockout Device for Knife Gate Valves with Handwheel Operators

Description The lockout device is designed to prevent operation of the valve.

The lockout device on knife gate valves with handwheel operators consists of a lockout, a pin and a tether that is attached to the yoke of the valve. See Figure 1.

The customer must provide a padlock or other device to secure the lockout in the locked position.

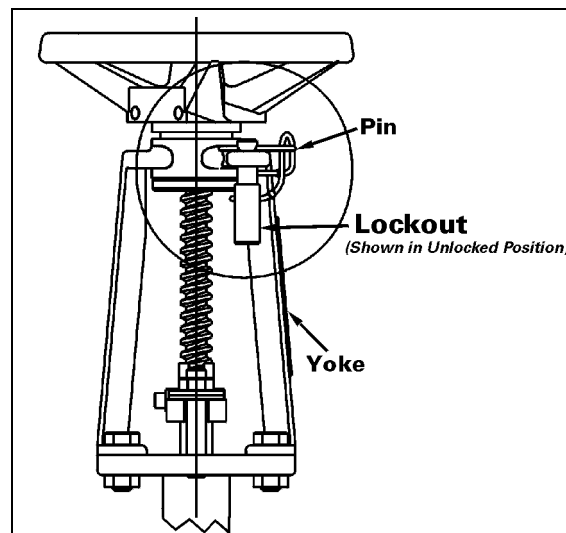


Figure 1—Lockout Device

- Operation**
- Locking the Valve***
1. Set the valve to the desired position.
 2. Pull the pin from the lockout and remove the lockout from the yoke.
 3. Insert the lockout into the hole in the yoke from the side nearest the handwheel.
 4. Lock the pin in the yoke by inserting a customer-supplied lock into the bottom hole in the lockout. See Figure 2.

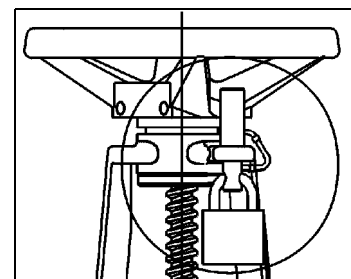


Figure 2—Locked Position

- Unlocking the Valve***
1. Remove the padlock or other locking device from the lockout.
 2. Remove the lockout from the yoke.
 3. Insert the lockout into the hole from the side nearest the valve.
 4. Place the pin into the hole in the lockout to secure it to the yoke. See Figure 3.

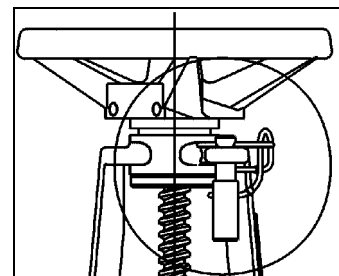


Figure 3—Unlocked Position