

# Slot diffusers

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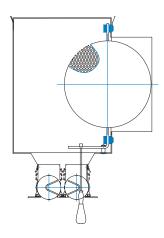
#### **Application**

LD-13 and LD-14 slot diffusers are designed for the supply of air in rooms with floor to ceiling heights of 2.5 to 4 m for supplying either cold or warm air, in particular in applications where air conditioning comfort demands are stringent. Due to their high induction rate and rapid decrease of temperature difference, these diffusers are also suitable for variable systems.

#### **Description**

LD-13 and LD-14 slot diffusers are designed in 1, 2, 3 and 4-slot versions. Diffuser face plate consists of anodised aluminium sections with built-in cylindrical deflectors made of plastics. Deflectors allow continuos adjustment of discharged air direction within the 360° range as well as control of supply air flow rate. The cylindrical deflectors also allow full shutting of the diffuser. The slot diffuser plenum box is made of galvanised sheet steel and has a flow rate control damper built in its inlet spigot, to allow fine adjustment of the desired air flow rate.

# Control schematic of the spigot volume control damper







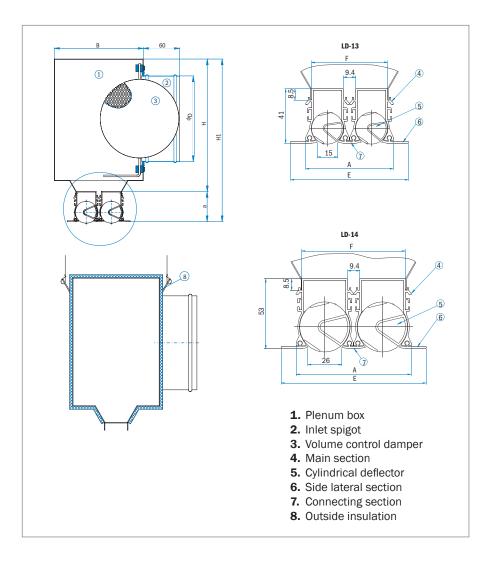








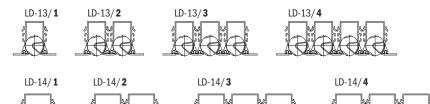






#### Slot diffuser types

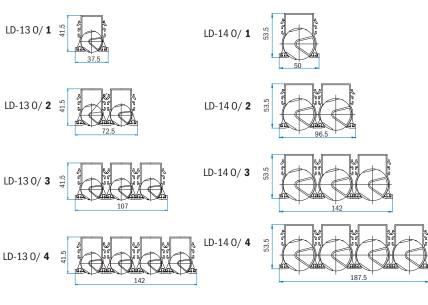
- Single-slot (designation LD-13,14/1)
- Two slots (designation LD-13,14/2)
- Three-slots (designation LD-13,14/3)
- Four-slots (designation LD-13,14/4)



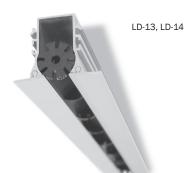
# Slot diffusers LD-13 0, LD-14 0

#### **Narrow version**

The narrow slot diffuser differs from the conventional slot diffuser construction as regards its mounting to the ceiling or wall. The conventional slot diffuser has a L-cross-section mounting sleeve which remains visible and may, in certain applications, interfere with aesthetic requirements. The narrow design has eliminated this deficiency as well as introduced improved structural rigidity due to its reinforced sleeve. The product is thus suitable for installation in cooling suspended ceilings as well.



# LD-13 O, LD-14 O



#### Standard lenghts L

LD-13 and LD-14 slot diffusers are available in standard lengths ranging from L=300 to L=2000 mm, with a 100 mm step. In cases where longer diffusers are required, they can be joint together by means of (rail-type) connecting plates. Plenum boxes are also available in standard lengths ranging from 300 mm to 2000 mm.

#### **Special orders**

On customer's request slot diffusers can be made in other dimensions. End seals and longitudinal sections are painted in any RAL scale colour according to the customer's request. As standard, cylindrical deflectors are black or white, on the customer's request, they can be coloured in any RAL scale colour. Non-standard colours and extra components are to be ordered separately.

#### LD-13

No. of slots	н	H1	В	Α	E	F
1	220	261	95	33	57.5	24.4
2	230	271	129	67	92	58.2
3	250	291	162	101	126.5	92.0
4	290	331	196	135	161.5	125.8

#### LD-14

No. of slots	Н	H1	В	Α	E	F
1	233.5	287	106	44	69	35.3
2	253.5	307	150	89	115	80
3	293.5	347	195	133	161.5	124.7
4	318.5	372	240	178	206.5	169.4

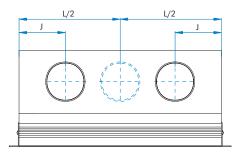


# Number and diameter of inlet spigots

L	300 do 1000		1100 do 1500		1600 do 2000	
No of close	Number and diameter of inlet spigots					
No. of slots	LD-13	LD-14	LD-13	LD-14	LD-13	LD-14
1	1 x 98	1 x 123	2 x 98	2 x 123	2 x 123	2 x 138
2	1 x 138	1 x 158	2 x 123	2 x 138	2 x 138	2 x 158
3	1 x 158	1 x 198	2 x 138	2 x 158	2 x 158	2 x 198
4	1 x 198	1 x 223	2 x 158	2 x 198	2 x 198	2 x 223

#### **Position of inlet spigots**

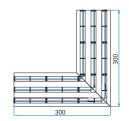
Number of inlet spigots	Standard length	Position of spigots
1	300 - 1000	L/2
2	1100 - 1500	J = 300
2	1600 - 2000	J = 400



#### Slot diffuser face plate designs

Slot diffuser face plates are made of linear or angular ended sections, which allow the diffusers to be joined at different angles. Angular ended sections are not fitted with air direction controls.





#### **Cylindrical deflectors**

Cylindrical deflectors are an important components of a slot diffuser. They allow adjustment of both air flow rate and direction. Cylindrical deflectors are made of plastics. As standard, they are black or white.

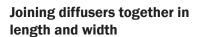


#### **End seals**

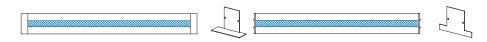
End seals are components of the diffuser face plate. They are available in two designs:

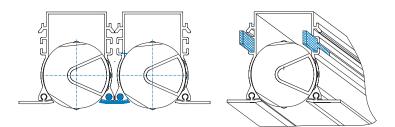
- as an angle piece (E on both ends,
  ET on one end only) or
- plates (F on both ends, FT on one end only).

The connecting strip-section has no end angle pieces or plates seals (designation T).



Joining in width (into diffusers with multiple slots) requires special strip sections, while joining in length requires connecting plates (the total length of combined diffusers is not limited).

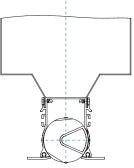




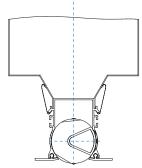


# Fixing of the plenum box onto LD-13, LD-14 diffusers

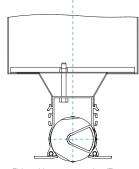
- With self-tapping screws (designation  ${\bf U}$ )
- With spring clamps (designation S)
- With a cross-member (designation Z)







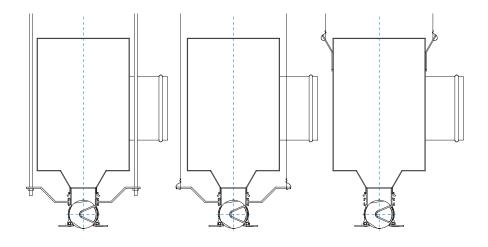




Fixing with a cross-member (Z)

#### **Installation methods**

- With a threaded bar (designation R)
- With a wire (designation **R**)
- With suspension brackets on the plenum box (designation **P**)
- With special fixing elements (designation R)
- With springs (designation N)





Installation with



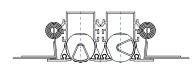
Installation with wire (R)



Installation with

suspension bracket (P)

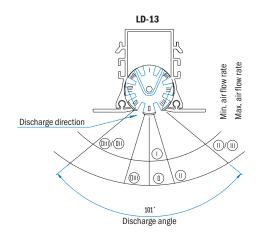
Installation with special fastening elements (R)

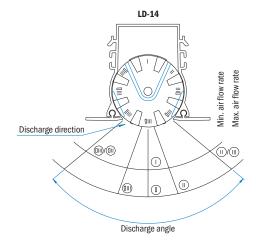


Installation with springs into ducts (N)

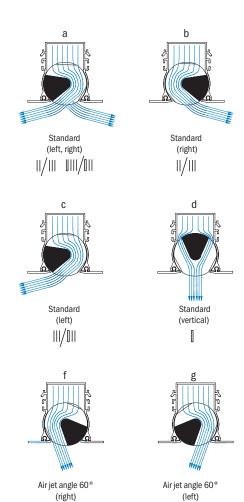


## Types of air discharge









#### Slot diffuser with actuator controlled discharge direction

Slot diffusers with actuator controlled discharge direction are suitable for summer-winter air supply applications. The desired direction of air jet is achieved by means of an electric actuator which moves a slider. Manual adjustment is therefore not necessary. Compared with standard slot diffusers, air flow rate is reduced by 50 %. There are two options for the Belimo electric motors:

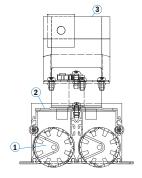
LH 24A-SR100 and LH-24A-MP100. The first operates at 24V AC/DC, the second within the range of 0-10V or 0-32V. Their travel distance is 100 mm, for which 150 s is required.

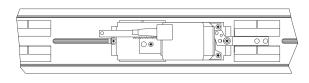
#### **Component parts**

- 1. Slot diffuser
- 2. Deflector
- 3. Electric actuator

In case the discharge angle is to be adjustable by means of an electric actuator (winter-summer application), this requirement shall be specified in the ordering form.

\* Motor version on customer's request.



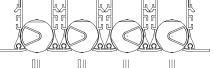


Top view

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#### **Every second row**

1. Adjustment of deflectors for warm air supply



## **Every second row**

2. Adjustment of deflectors for cold air supply



# **Ordering key** LD-13/1/B/E/K/M/S/P/I/g L=1700 Length L=300, 400, 500, ..., 2000 (single piece) Type of air discharge (a, b, c, d, e, f, g) 15 Thermal insulation (polyethylene), 5 mm thick, on the outside of the plenum box 19 Sound and thermal insulation (from -40 °C to 105 °C), 9 mm thick, on the outside of the plenum box (synthetic rubber based material) 119 Sound and thermal insulation (from -40 °C to 105 °C), 19 mm thick, on the outside of the plenum box (synthetic rubber based material) N Installation with spring clamps – without plenum box (LD-13 and LD-14 only) P Installation of the plenum box with hangers R Installation with brackets built in the basic section **Z** Fixing of the diffuser to the plenum box with a cross-member **S** Fixing of the diffuser to the plenum box with spring clamps U Fixing of the diffuser to the plenum box with self-tapping screws M Volume control damper K Plenum box E End sealing on both ends ET End sealing on one end F End plate on both ends FT End plate on one end T Rail-type without end sealings and plates **B** Black deflectors W White deflectors 1 Number of slots 2 3 LD-13 Slot diffuser LD-14 LD-13 0 Narrow slot diffuser LD-140 • Please specify the deflector colour in your order.

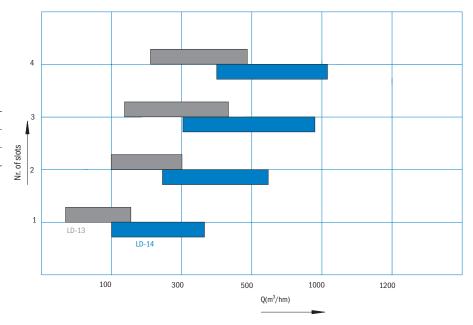
- · Standard eloxal colour of the aluminium section is the original aluminium colour. Other colours shall be specified in the order.
- For the LD-13 0 and LD-14 0 type, the following end seals are available: F, FT and T.
- When installing in cooling ceilings, consult the manufacturer.
- In the case the slot diffuser is ordered complete with plenum box, the air jet configuration is set as shown on the drawing on page 184.
- Versions with insulation on the inside of the plenum box are also available.



# Fast selection diagram: $L_{WA} < 35 \text{ dB(A)}$

#### **Technical specifications for one-slot** diffuser, per meter of lenght, at horizontal discharge

	A(m²)	Q(m³/h)	L <sub>wa</sub> (dB)
LD-13	0.0092	135	34
LD-14	0.0136	210	28



# **Definition of symbols**

Q (m³/hm) Air flow rate to length x (m) Horizontal distance to the wall

H (m) Room height

L(m) Throw distance (L=H1+x) VL (m/s) Air velocity at the throw

distance L

 $\Delta t_{z}(K)$ Temperature difference betwe-

en the supply and room air

 $\Delta t_L(K)$ Difference between the core

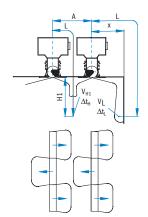
and room air temperature  $% \label{eq:condition}%$ 

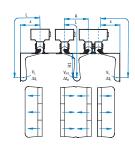
Pressure drop Δp (Pa) Sound power level  $L_{WA}(dB(A))$ 

 $V_{H1}(m/s)$ Air velocity at the distance  ${\rm H1}$ A, B (m)

Distance between diffusers, in length and in width

Throw distance H1 (m)



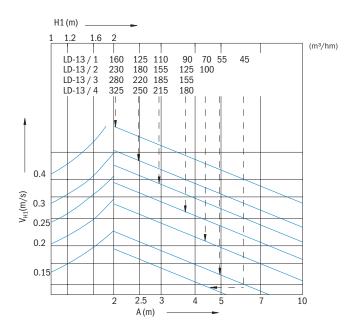


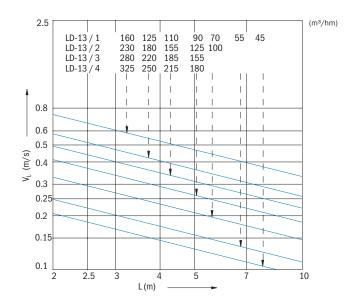
(m<sup>3</sup>/hm)



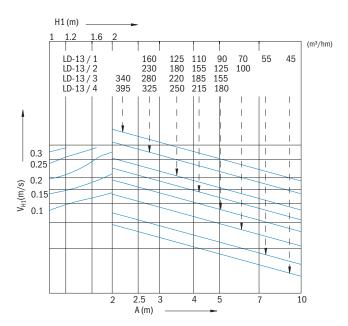
#### Air velocity diagrams for LD-13, at different throw distances

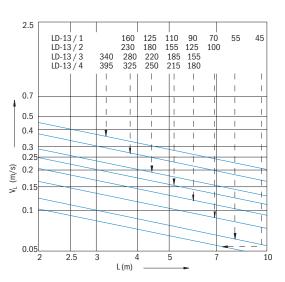
#### One or two sided horizontal discharge





#### Alternate sided horizontal discharge

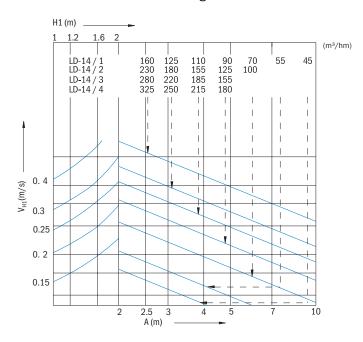


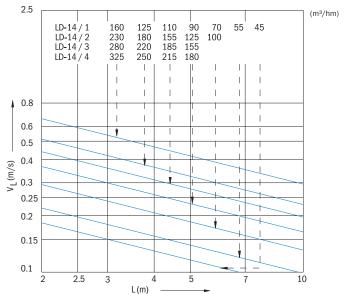




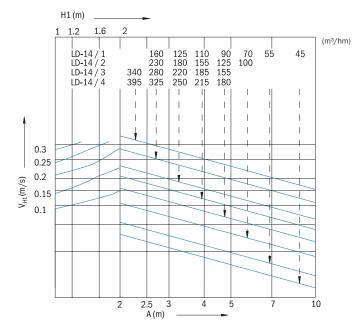
## Air velocity diagrams for LD-14, at different throw distances

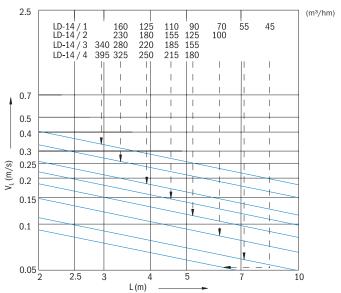
#### One or two sided horizontal discharge





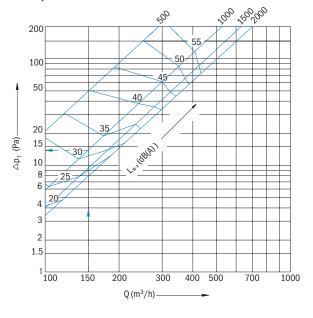
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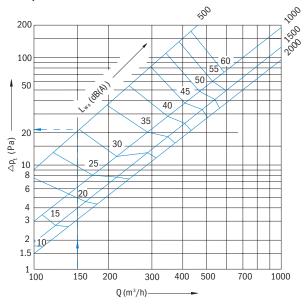




#### LD 13/1



#### LD 13/2



#### Correction factors applicable to LD-13/1

Type of discharge	Vertical		Horiz	ontal
Flow rate control damper	Open	Closed	Open	Closed
L=500	x 1	x 1.44	x 0.87	x 1.34
L=1000	x 1	x 3.30	x 0.85	x 3.02
L=1500	x 1	x 5.26	x 0.84	x 4.47
L=2000	x 1	x 7.37	x 0.81	x 5.68

#### Correction factors applicable to LD-13/2

Type of discharge	Vertical		Horiz	ontal
Flow rate control damper	Open	Closed	Open	Closed
L=500	x 1	x 1.91	x 0.86	x 1.79
L=1000	x 1	x 5.91	x 0.70	x 5.31
L=1500	x 1	x 9.88	x 0.58	x 8.67
L=2000	x 1	x 14.10	x 0.47	x 11.99

# **Example**

 $Q = 150 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$ 

L = 1000 mm

 $\Delta p_t = 14 \text{ Pa (vertical; damper opened)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t$  = 14 x 3.30 = 46.2 Pa (vertical; damper closed)

 $\Delta p_t = 14 \times 0.85 = 11.9 \text{ Pa (horizontal; damper opened)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t = 14 \times 3.02 = 42.3 \text{ Pa (horizontal; damper closed)}$ 

 $L_{WA} = 32 dB(A)$ 

# **Example**

 $Q = 150 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$ 

L = 500 mm

 $\Delta p_t = 22 \text{ Pa (vertical; damper opened)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t$  = 22 x 1.91 = 42.0 Pa (vertical; damper closed)

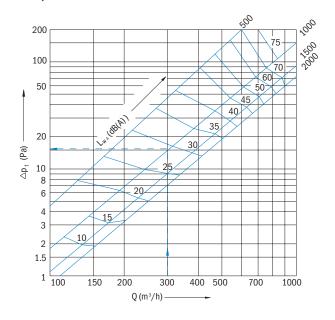
 $\Delta p_t = 22 \times 0.86 = 18.9 \text{ Pa (horizontal; damper opened)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t = 22 \times 1.79 = 39.4 \text{ Pa (horizontal; damper closed)}$ 

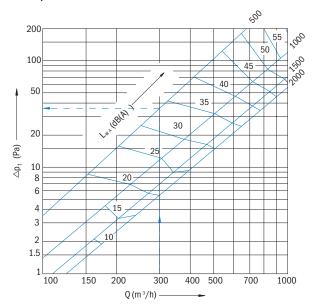
 $L_{WA} = 30 \text{ dB(A)}$ 



#### LD 13/3



#### LD 13/4



#### Correction factors applicable to LD-13/3 $\,$

Type of discharge	Vertical		Horizontal	
Flow rate control damper	Open	Closed	Open	Closed
L=500	x 1	x 2.37	x 0.84	x 2.24
L=1000	x 1	x 8.52	x 0.56	x7.59
L=1500	x 1	x 14.50	x 0.32	x 12.86
L=2000	x 1	x 20.82	x 0.18	x 18.29

#### Correction factors applicable to LD-13/4

Type of discharge	Vertical		Horizontal	
Flow rate control damper	Open	Closed	Open	Closed
L=500	x 1	x 3.08	x 0.70	x 2.91
L=1000	x 1	x 11.07	x 0.47	x 9.87
L=1500	x 1	x 18.85	x 0.27	x 16.72
L=2000	x 1	x 27.07	x 0.15	x 23.78

#### **Example**

 $Q = 300 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$ 

L = 1000 mm

 $\Delta p_t = 15 \text{ Pa (vertical; damper opened)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t = 15 \times 8.52 = 127.8 \text{ Pa (vertical; damper closed)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t = 15 \times 0.56 = 8.4 \text{ Pa (horizontal; damper opened)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t = 15 \times 7.59 = 113.8 \text{ Pa (horizontal; damper closed)}$ 

 $L_{WA} = 29 \text{ dB(A)}$ 

# **Example**

 $Q = 300 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$ 

L = 500 mm

 $\Delta p_t = 35 \text{ Pa (vertical; damper opened)}$ 

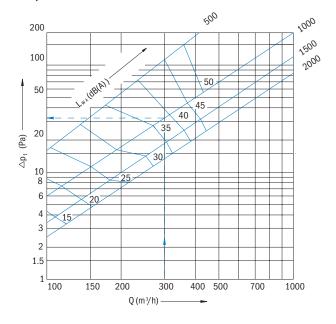
 $\Delta p_t$  = 35 x 3.08 = 107.8 Pa (vertical; damper closed)

 $\Delta p_t$  = 35 x 0.70 = 24.5 Pa (horizontal; damper opened)  $\Delta p_t$  = 35 x 2.91 = 101.8 Pa (horizontal; damper closed)

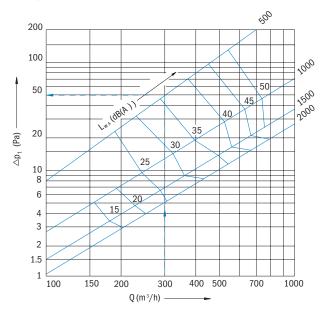
 $L_{WA} = 33 \text{ dB(A)}$ 



#### LD 14/1



#### LD 14/2



#### Correction factors applicable to LD-14/1

Type of discharge	Vertical		Horizontal	
Flow rate control damper	Open	Closed	Open	Closed
L=500	x 1	x 1.81	x 0.76	x 1.31
L=1000	x 1	x 3.83	x 0.42	x 3.23
L=1500	x 1	x 5.80	x 0.28	x 5.11
L=2000	x 1	x 7.87	x 0.19	x 7.07

#### Correction factors applicable to LD-14/2

Type of discharge	Vertical		Horizontal	
Flow rate control damper	Open	Closed	Open	Closed
L=500	x 1	x 2.11	x 0.53	x 1.59
L=1000	x 1	x 8.84	x 0.29	x 7.96
L=1500	x 1	x 15.36	x 0.20	x 14.14
L=2000	x 1	x 22.32	x 0.14	x 20.70

# **Example**

 $Q = 300 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$ 

L = 1000 mm

 $\Delta p_t = 33 \text{ Pa (vertical; damper opened)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t$  = 33 x 3.83 = 126.4 Pa (vertical; damper closed)

 $\Delta p_t = 33 \times 0.42 = 14.0 \text{ Pa (horizontal; damper opened)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t = 33 \times 3.23 = 107.0 \text{ Pa (horizontal; damper closed)}$ 

 $L_{WA} = 38 \text{ dB(A)}$ 

#### **Example**

 $Q = 300 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$ 

L = 500 mm

 $\Delta p_t = 47 \text{ Pa (vertical; damper opened)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t$  = 47 x 2.11 = 99.2 Pa (vertical; damper closed)

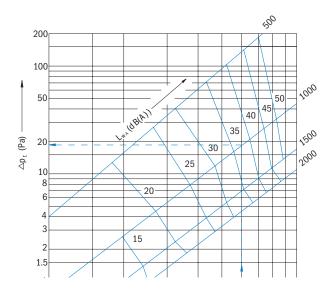
 $\Delta p_t = 47 \times 0.53 = 24.9 \text{ Pa (horizontal; damper opened)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t = 47 \times 1.59 = 74.7 \text{ Pa (horizontal; damper closed)}$ 

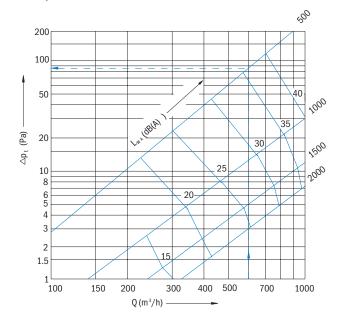
 $L_{WA} = 36 \text{ dB(A)}$ 



#### LD 14/3



#### LD 14/4



#### Correction factors applicable to LD-14/3

Type of discharge	Vertical		Hor	izontal
Flow rate control damper	Open	Closed	Open	Closed
L=500	x 1	x 2.41	x 0.33	x 1.87
L=1000	x 1	x 13.86	x 0.19	x 12.69
L=1500	x 1	x 24.92	x 0.16	x 23.17
L=2000	x 1	x 36.76	x 0.13	x 31.33

#### Correction factors applicable to LD-14/4

Type of discharge	Vertical		Horizontal	
Flow rate control damper	Open	Closed	Open	Closed
L=500	x 1	x 3.14	x 0.28	x 2.43
L=1000	x 1	x 18.02	x 0.15	x 16.50
L=1500	x 1	x 32.34	x 0.13	x 28.12
L=2000	x 1	x 47.79	x 0.10	x 39.63

#### **Example**

 $Q = 600 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$ 

L = 1000 mm

 $\Delta p_t = 18 \text{ Pa (vertical; damper opened)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t = 18 \times 13.86 = 249.5 \text{ Pa (vertical; damper closed)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t = 18 \times 0.19 = 3.4 \text{ Pa (horizontal; damper opened)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t = 18 \times 12.69 = 228.4 \text{ Pa (horizontal; damper closed)}$ 

 $L_{WA} = 38 dB(A)$ 

# **Example**

 $Q = 600 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$ 

L = 500 mm

 $\Delta p_t = 70 \text{ Pa (vertical; damper opened)}$ 

 $\Delta p_t$  = 70 x 3.14 = 219.8 Pa (vertical; damper closed)

 $\Delta p_t$  = 70 x 0.28 = 19.6 Pa (horizontal; damper opened)

 $\Delta p_t = 70 \times 2.43 = 170.1 \text{ Pa (horizontal; damper closed)}$ 

 $L_{WA} = 36 dB(A)$