The receiver drier provides a method to filter and dry the refrigerant. Driers are located on the high side liquid line and are in place of a low side accumulator. Desiccants vary depending on the type of refrigerant the drier was manufactured for. When replacing a drier be sure that the new drier (or accumulator) is compatible with your refrigerant. The BLOCK valve provides the ‘restriction’ required in order to change high pressure liquid refrigerant back to low pressure liquid refrigerant before entering the evaporator. **BLOCK type valves have no external equalizing or temperature sensing bulb.** These expansions valves varies in different designs but they are not interchangeable.

Please always add whenever servicing an AC system the in-line filter.