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When the setpoint of the pressure sensor is exceeded, the sensor shifts removing the system control signal to the actuator shutdown valve’s pilot port. The pressure sensor valve vents, the latching actuator shutdown valve shifts to the de-energized position shutting down the process valve. When the pressure sensor signal has dropped below the high limit setpoint to a safe pressure, the system is restored by manually resetting the latch on the actuator shutdown pilot valve. A solenoid ExPilot operated actuator shutdown valve is also an option. This option is used when local or remote electrical e-stop is required. A relief valve or relief valve auxiliary port can be included as required for customer’s specifications.

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- Inconsistency in design
- Bulky, very large assemblies
- Multiple vendors for components
- Labor intensive construction
- Expensive fittings and tubing
- Difficult to remove and service
- Multiple leakage points
- Different materials

Current OPP Control Panel

Versa’s OPP Modular Package

- Competitive cost
- Four bolt mounting
- One part number for complete assembly
- One vendor
- Factory designed, assembled and tested
- Reduced fittings, tubing and labor costs
- Small in size - light in weight
- Field proven design
- Components SIL capable
- Easy component replacement and serviceability
- All 316 stainless steel