

WFSR-F

WATERFLOW ALARM SWITCH WITH RETARD



Stock No. 1010080

UL, CUL and CSFM Listed, FM Approved and NYMEA Accepted, CE Marked

Dimensions: 59/16"H x 3 1/2"W x 5 7/8"D

(14,1cm H x 8,9cm W x 14,9cm D)

Weight: 1.5 lbs. (3,3 kg.)

Enclosure: Cover - Die-cast with textured red powdercoat finish

Base - Die-cast aluminum Pressure Connection: 1/2" Male NPT

Pressure Adjustments: Factory adjusted to operate between 4

and 8 PSI (0.27 and 0,55 BAR) on rising

pressure

Maximum system pressure: 175 PSI (12,1 BAR) Contact Ratings: Two Sets of SPDT (Form C) 15.0 Amps at 125/250VAC 2.0 Amps at 30VDC Resistive

Conduit Entrances: Two knockouts provided for 1/2" conduit Environmental Specifications: 40°F to 120°F (4,5°C to 49°C)

NEMA 4 Enclosure - when used with proper conduit fittings

Caution: This device is not intended for applications in explosive

environments.

Service Use: Automatic Sprinkler NFPA-13

One or two family dwelling NFPA-13D Residential occupancy up to four stories NFPA-13R

National Fire Alarm Code NFPA-72

Tamper: Cover incorporates tamper resistant fasteners that require a special key for removal. One key is supplied with each device. For optional cover tamper switch kit, order Stock No. 0090018.

WATERFLOWALARMSWITCHWITHRETARDFORSUPERVISION OF WETALARM CHECKVALVE: The Model WFSR-F is a pressure operated switch with an adjustable, instantly recycling pneumatic retard to prevent false alarms due to water pressure variation. The WFSR-F is connected into the alarm port of a wet sprinkler system alarm check valve (see " WARNING", page 2).

INSTALLATION: A male 1/2" NPT pipe fitting is provided for connection to the alarm port of the alarm check valve. No additional mounting or support is required. Allow 5" (12,7cm) to the front of the unit for removal of the cover. Install with the pressure connection down.

TESTING: Operation of the unit is checked by opening the by-pass test valve or inspector's test valve. The frequency of the inspection and testing for the Model WFSR-F and its associated protective monitoring system should be in accordance with applicable NFPA Codes and Standards and/or authority having jurisdiction (manufacturer recommends quarterly or more frequently).

WFSR-F FIG. 1 TO SPRINKLERS

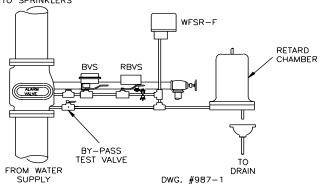
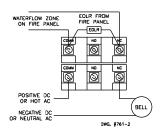


FIG. 2

TYPICAL ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS





Note: For supervised circuits see "Switch Terminal Connections" drawing and caution note (Fig. 4).

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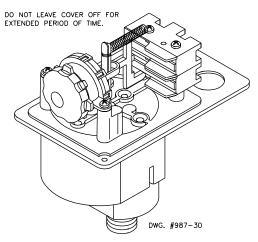
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FIG. 3

Retard Adjustment:

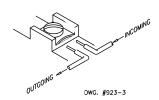
To change time turn knob (either direction) for desired time delay. Use the minimum amount of retard necessary to prevent false alarms, a "B" setting is usually adequate for this. Factory set at "B".



APPROX. RETARD SETTINGS (IN SEC.) 0 A B C D E 0 10-25 20-40 35-55 50-70 60-90

FIG. 4

SWITCH TERMINAL CONNECTIONS CLAMPING PLATE TERMINAL

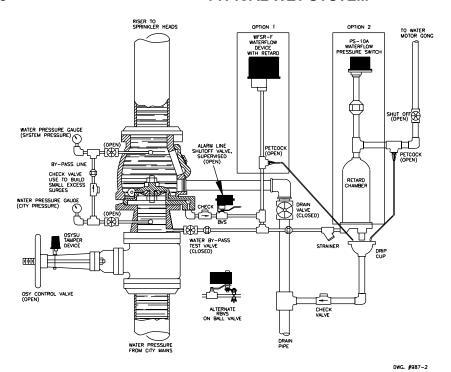


CAUTION:

An uninsulated section of a single conductor should not be looped around the terminal and serve as two separate connections. The wire must be severed, thereby providing supervision of the connection in the event that the wire becomes dislodged from under the terminal.

FIG. 5

TYPICAL WET SYSTEM



WARNING

Use teflon tape sealant only. Apply only to male threads of connectors.

Use of pipe cement voids warranty as this material may obstruct pressure aperture resulting in loss of alarm signal.

Device must be installed before any shut off valve on alarm port line unless it is supervised by a supervisory switch such as POT-TER Model BVS.

The system should be tested on a quarterly basis or more frequently to insure proper operation.

APPLICATION WARNING!

Due to the possibility of unintended discharges caused by pressure surges, trapped air, or short retard times, waterflow switches that are monitoring wet pipe sprinkler systems should not be used as the sole initiating device to discharge AFFF, deluge, or chemical suppression systems.