

INSTALLATION MANUAL

Multi-Position DX and Chilled Water Cooling With Hot Water Heating Multi-Position Modular Air Handler With Hot Water Heating Models: MSVT and MMVT Series With Single-Stage Cooling/Heat Pump Airflow MSVE and MMVE Series with Single and 2-Stage Cooling/Heat Pump Airflow



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SECTION 1: GENERAL

The following list includes important facts and information regarding the air handler models covered in this manual.

- 1. Air handler is rated for 115 VAC at 60 Hertz.
- 2. Air handler size varies by model.
- 3. Air handler is designed for A/C or heat pump operation.
- 4. Air handler is designed for upflow, downflow and horizontal applications.
- 5. Air handler must not be operated with the access panels removed.
- 6. Air handler is listed by ETL in the United States and Canada.

WARNING

This air handler shall only be connected to an outdoor unit suitable for the same refrigerant.

This air handler (Model Series MSVT and MSVE only) is a partial unit air conditioner, complying with partial unit requirements of Standard UL 60335-2-40 / CSA C22.2 No. 60335-2-40, and must only be connected to other units that have been confirmed as complying to corresponding partial unit requirements of Standard UL 60335-2-40 / CSA C22.2 No. 60335-2-40.

SAVE THIS MANUAL FOR FUTURE REFERENCE



MS and MM Series Multi-Position Air Handlers



This is a safety alert symbol. When this symbol is seen on labels or in manuals, be alert to the potential for personal injury. Understand and pay particular attention to the signal words **DANGER**, **WARNING**, or CAUTION.

DANGER: Indicates an imminently hazardous situation, which not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.

WARNING: Indicates a potentially hazardous situation, which if not avoided, <u>could result in death or serious injury.</u>

CAUTION: Indicates a potentially hazardous situation, which if not avoided, **may result in minor or moderate injury.** It is also used to alert against unsafe practices and hazards involving property damage.

WARNING

Improper installation may create a condition where the operation of the product could cause personal injury or property damage.

Improper installation, adjustment, alteration, service or maintenance can cause injury or property damage. Refer to this manual for assistance; or for additional information consult a qualified contractor, installer, or service agency.

<mark>▲ WARNING</mark>

FIRE OR ELECTRICAL HAZARD

Failure to follow the safety warnings exactly could result in serious injury, death, or property damage. A fire or electrical hazard may result causing property damage, personal injury or loss of life.

ACAUTION

This air handler must be installed in strict compliance with the installation instructions and any applicable local, state, and national codes including, but not limited to, building, electrical, and mechanical codes.

IMPORTANT

The Clean Air Act of 1990 bans the intentional venting of refrigerant (CFC's and HFC's) as of July 1, 1992. Approved methods of reclaiming must be followed. Fines and/or incarceration may be levied for non-compliance.

WARNING

RISK OF FIRE

This unit is equipped with a refrigerant leak detection system for safety and with electrically powered safety measures. To be effective, the unit must be electrically powered at all times after installation, other than when servicing.

<u> WARNING</u>

RISK OF FIRE

Refer to Tables 25 or 26 for the minimum floor area of the conditioned space served by this air-handler due to the use of an A2L class flammable refrigerant.





RISK OF FIRE

Do not use means to accelerate the defrosting process or to clean, other than those recommended by the manufacturer.

The appliance shall be stored in a room without continuously operating ignition sources (e.g.: open flames, an operating gas appliance, or an operating electric heater).

Do not pierce or burn.

Be aware that refrigerants may not contain an odor.

Safety Requirements

- 1. This air handler should be installed in accordance with all national and local building/safety codes and requirements, local plumbing or waste water codes, and other applicable codes. In the absence of local codes, install in accordance with the following codes.
 - Standard for the Installation of Air Conditioning and Ventilating Systems (NFPA 90A)
 - Standard for the Installation of Warm Air Heating and Air Conditioning Systems (NFPA 90B)
 - National Electrical Code (NFPA 70)
 - Canadian Electrical Code, Part I (CSA C22.2) or ANSI/NFPA No. 70
 - All local codes (State, City, and Township)

NOTE: All applicable codes take precedence over any recommendation made in these instructions. Mortex Products, Inc. assumes no responsibility for air handlers installed in violation of any code or regulation.

- 2. Refer to the air handler rating plate for the air handler model number and then refer to Figures 1 and 2 and Tables 3 and 4 for return air plenum dimensions that apply to that model number. The plenum must be installed according to the above listed codes or the instructions in this manual.
- 3. These models are not ETL listed or approved for installation into a Manufactured (Mobile) Home.
- 4. Provide clearances from combustible materials as listed under **Clearances to Combustibles**.
- 5. Provide adequate clearances for service access to the control box, indoor coil, hot water coil and blower.
- 6. Failure to carefully read and follow all instructions in this manual can result in malfunction of the air handler, death, personal injury, and/or property damage.
- 7. The air handler must be installed so the electrical components are protected from water.
- 8. Installing and servicing heating/cooling equipment can be hazardous due to electrical components.
- 9. Only trained and qualified personnel should install repair or service heating/cooling equipment. Untrained service Untrained service personnel should only perform basic maintenance functions such as cleaning of exterior surfaces and replacing the air filters. Observe all precautions in the manuals and on the attached labels when servicing this air handler. These instructions cover minimum requirements and conform to existing national standards and safety codes.
- 10. In some cases, these instructions exceed certain local codes and ordinances, especially those who have not kept up with changing home and/or HUD construction practices.
- 11. These instructions are to be followed and are the minimum requirement for a safe installation.
- 12. The capacity of the heating and cooling system should be based on an acceptable heat loss/heat gain calculation for the structure such as ACCA Manual J or other approved methods.
- 13. Confirm the power supply meets the electrical characteristics listed on the air handler rating plate. All models must be connected to a nominal 115 VAC, 1 Phase, 60-Hertz power supply. **DO NOT CONNECT THIS AIR HANDLER TO A 50 HZ POWER SUPPLY OR A VOLTAGE ABOVE 132 VOLTS.**
- 14. The field ground wire must be securely fastened to the ground lug terminal in the air handler control box.
- 15. The air handler must be attached to the supporting building structure with screws instead of relying on adhesive.
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- 17. This air handler is for use at elevations of 10,000 ft (3,048m) or less.
- 18. This air handler is not to be used by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of this air handler by a person responsible for their safety. Children must not be allowed to play with this air handler.
- 19. If the main electrical panel supplying electrical power to the air handler utilizes circuit breakers, the circuit breakers must be HACR type.
- 20. A means of disconnecting all poles of the incoming line voltage power to the air handler must be provided in the fixed field wiring within sight of the air handler unless the air handler is equipped with integral circuit breaker(s) with their ON/OFF lever(s) located on the outside of the air handler which can be used to disconnect line voltage electrical power to the air handler.

- 21. Check that cabling will not be subject to wear, corrosion, excessive pressure, vibration, sharp edges or any other adverse environmental effects. The check shall also take into account the effects of aging or continual vibration from sources such as compressors or fans.
- 22. Installation, servicing and maintenance must only be performed by qualified service personnel that are licensed by the state to install, service, and repair HVAC equipment and those who have successfully completed a course in handling, installing, commissioning, maintenance, servicing, repairing, decommissioning, and disposing of equipment using a flammable refrigerant offered by an accredited national training organization or the manufacturer of the equipment.
- 23. The use of dropped ceilings for return air is not permitted for this air handler.

24. Safely Commissioning of the System

- Ensure that the floor area is sufficient for the refrigerant charge or that the ventilation duct is assembled in a correct manner.
- Connect the pipes and carry out a leak test before charging with refrigerant.
- Check safety equipment before putting into service.
- 25. There are no approved accessories for this air handler with a potential ignition source.

Proper Safe Working Procedures for Equipment Using Flammable Refrigerants

Prior to beginning work on systems containing flammable refrigerants, safety checks are necessary to ensure that the risk of ignition is minimized. For repair to the refrigerating system, the following steps must be completed prior to conducting work on the system.

- 1) Work shall be undertaken under a controlled procedure so as to minimize the risk of a flammable gas or vapour being present while the work is being performed.
- 2) All maintenance staff and others working in the local area shall be instructed on the nature of work being carried out. Work in confined spaces shall be avoided.
- 3) The area shall be checked with an appropriate refrigerant detector prior to and during work, to ensure the technician is aware of potentially toxic or flammable atmospheres. Ensure that the leak detection equipment being used is suitable for use with all applicable refrigerants (i.e.: non-sparking, adequately sealed or intrinsically safe).
- 4) If any hot work is to be conducted on the refrigerating equipment or any associated parts, appropriate fire extinguishing equipment shall be available to hand. Have a dry powder or CO₂ fire extinguisher adjacent to the charging area.
- 5) No person performing work on a refrigerating system which involves exposing any pipe work shall use any sources of ignition in such a manner that it may lead to the risk of fire or explosion. All possible ignition sources, including cigarette smoking, should be kept sufficiently far away from the site of installation, repairing, removing and disposal, during which refrigerant can possibly be released to the surrounding space. Prior to work taking place, the area around the equipmentis to be surveyed to make sure that there are no flammable hazards or ignition risks. "No Smoking" signs shall be displayed.
- 6) Ensure that the area is in the open or that it is adequately

ventilated before breaking into the system or conducting any hot work. A degree of ventilation shall continue during the period that the work is being performed. The ventilation should safely disperse any released refrigerant and preferably expel it externally into the atmosphere.

- 7) Where electrical components are being changed, they shall be fit for the purpose and to the correct specification. At all times, the manufacturer's maintenance and service guidelines shall be followed. If in doubt, consult the manufacturer's technical department for assistance.
- 8) The following checks shall be applied to installations using flammable refrigerants:
 - the actual refrigerant charge is in accordance with the room size within which the refrigerant containing parts are installed;
 - marking to the equipment continues to be visible and legible. Markings and signs that are illegible shall be corrected;
 - refrigerating pipe or components are installed in a position where they are unlikely to be exposed to any substance which may corrode refrigerant containing components, unless the components are constructed of materials which are inherently resistant to being corroded or are suitably protected against being so corroded.

9) **Detection of Flammable Refrigerants**

Under no circumstances shall potential sources of ignition be used in the searching for or detection of refrigerant leaks. A halide torch (or any other detector using a naked flame) shall not be used.

The following leak detection methods are deemed acceptable for all refrigerant systems.

Electronic leak detectors may be used to detect refrigerant leaks but, in the case of flammable refrigerants, the sensitivity may not be adequate, or may need re-calibration. (Detection equipment shall be calibrated in a refrigerant-free area.) Ensure that the detector is not a potential source of ignition and is suitable for the refrigerant used. Leak detection equipment shall be set at a percentage of the LFL of the refrigerant and shall be calibrated to the refrigerant employed, and the appropriate percentage of gas (25 % maximum) is confirmed.

Leak detection fluids are also suitable for use with most refrigerants, but the use of detergents containing chlorine shall be avoided as the chlorine may react with the refrigerant and corrode the copper pipe-work.

NOTE: Examples of leak detection fluids are:

- bubble method,
- fluorescent method agents.

If a leak is suspected, all naked flames shall be removed/ extinguished.

If a leakage of refrigerant is found which requires brazing, all of the refrigerant shall be recovered from the system, or isolated (by means of shut off valves) in a part of the system remote from the leak. Removal of refrigerant shall be according to Step 10 below.

10) Removal and Evacuation

When breaking into the refrigerant circuit to make repairs or for any other purpose, conventional procedures shall be used. However, for flammable refrigerants, it is important that best practice be followed since flammability is a consideration. The following procedure shall be adhered to:

- safely remove refrigerant following local and national regulations;
- evacuate;
- purge the circuit with inert gas (optional for A2L);
- evacuate (optional for A2L);
- continuously flush or purge with inert gas when using flame to open circuit; and
- open the circuit.

The refrigerant charge shall be recovered into the correct recovery cylinders if venting is not allowed by local and national codes. For appliances containing flammable refrigerants, the system shall be purged with oxygen-free nitrogen to render the appliance safe for flammable refrigerants. This process might need to be repeated several times. Compressed air or oxygen shall not be used for purging refrigerant systems. (Also see **Refrigerant Recovery Requirements** below.)

For appliances containing flammable refrigerants, purging shall be achieved by breaking the vacuum in the system with oxygen-free nitrogen and continuing to fill until the working pressure is achieved, then venting to atmosphere, and finally pulling down to a vacuum (optional for A2L refrigerants). This process shall be repeated until no refrigerant is within the system (optional for A2L refrigerants). When the final oxygenfree nitrogen charge is used, the system shall be vented down to atmospheric pressure to enable work to take place.

The outlet for the vacuum pump shall not be close to any potential ignition sources, and ventilation shall be available.

11) Charging Procedures

In addition to conventional charging procedures, the following requirements shall be followed.

- Ensure that contamination of different refrigerants does not occur when using charging equipment. Hoses or lines shall be as short as possible to minimize the amount of refrigerant contained in them.
- Cylinders shall be kept in an appropriate position according to the instructions.
- Ensure that the refrigerating system is earthed prior to charging the system with refrigerant.
- Label the system when charging is complete (if not already).
- Extreme care shall be taken not to overfill the refrigerating system.
- Prior to recharging the system, it shall be pressure-tested with the appropriate purging gas. The system shall be leak-tested on completion of charging but prior to commissioning. A follow up leak test shall be carried out prior to leaving the site.

12. Refrigerant Recovery Requirements

When removing refrigerant from a system, either for servicing or decommissioning, it is recommended good practice that all refrigerants are removed safely.

When transferring refrigerant into cylinders, ensure that only

appropriate refrigerant recovery cylinders are employed. Ensure that the correct number of cylinders for holding the total system charge is available. All cylinders to be used are designated for the recovered refrigerant and labelled for that refrigerant (i.e: special cylinders for the recovery of refrigerant). Cylinders shall be complete with pressure-relief valve and associated shut-off valves in good working order. Empty recovery cylinders are evacuated and, if possible, cooled before recovery occurs.

The recovery equipment shall be in good working order with a set of instructions concerning the equipment that is at hand and shall be suitable for the recovery of the flammable refrigerant. If in doubt, the manufacturer should be consulted. In addition, a set of calibrated weighing scales shall be available and in good working order. Hoses shall be complete with leakfree disconnect couplings and in good condition.

The recovered refrigerant shall be processed according to local legislation in the correct recovery cylinder, and the relevant waste transfer note arranged. Do not mix refrigerants in recovery units and especially not in cylinders.

If compressors or compressor oils are to be removed, ensure that they have been evacuated to an acceptable level to make certain that flammable refrigerant does not remain within the lubricant. The compressor body shall not be heated by an open flame or other ignition sources to accelerate this process. When oil is drained from a system, it shall be carried out safely.

WARNING

FIRE HAZARD

For air handlers using A2L refrigerants connected via an air duct system to one or more rooms, auxiliary devices which may be a potential ignition source shall not be installed in the duct work. Examples of such potential ignition sources are hot surfaces with a temperature exceeding 1290°F (700°C) and electric switching devices.

WARNING

FIRE HAZARD

For air handlers using A2L refrigerants connected via an air duct system to one or more rooms, only auxiliary devices approved by the air handler manufacturer or declared suitable with the refrigerant shall be installed in connecting ductwork.

A WARNING

FIRE HAZARD

For air handlers using A2L refrigerants connected via an air duct system to one or more rooms with a floor area less than shown in Tables 25 and 26 based on the total system refrigerant charge, those rooms shall be without continuously operating open flames (e.g.: an operating gas appliance) or other potential ignition sources (e.g.: an operating electric heater, hot surfaces). A flame-producing device may be installed in the same space if the device is provided with an effective flame arrest.

WARNING

Hot water from a boiler used to satisfy heating requirements can be heated to temperatures of 180°F.

Parts containing hot water can scald very quickly. Use extreme caution when servicing or performing maintenance on any parts containing hot water.

▲ WARNING

RISK OF FIRE – FLAMMABLE REFRIGERANT APPLICATIONS

If any refrigerating circuit contains more than 62.6 oz (1.776 kg) of R-454B refrigerant or more than 64.6 oz (1.836 kg) of R-32 refrigerant, an unventilated area where the air-handler is installed using flammable refrigerants is installed shall be so constructed that should any refrigerant leak, it will not stagnate and create a fire or explosion hazard.

WARNING

ALWAYS SHUT OFF ELECTRICITY AT THE DISCONNECT SWITCH OR TURN OFF THE CIRCUIT BREAKERS IN THE MAIN ELECTRICAL ENTRANCE BEFORE PREFORMING ANY SERVICE ON THE AIR HANDLER.

WARNING

RISK OF FIRE – FLAMMABLE REFRIGERANT APPLICATIONS

The ductwork connected to this air-handler shall not contain an ignition source.

Auxiliary devices which may be a potential ignition source shall not be installed in the duct work. Examples of such potential ignition sources are hot surfaces with a temperature exceeding 1292°F (700°C) and electric switching devices.

Only auxiliary devices approved by the air-handler manufacturer or declared suitable with the refrigerant shall be installed in connecting ductwork.

GENERAL INFORMATION

This air handler provides the flexibility for installation in an upflow or horizontal application and may be used with or without hot water heat. The direct-drive variable speed ECM or 5-speed constant torque motors provide a wide selection of air-flow volume to match any application. The air handler can be positioned for bottom air return in the upflow position, top air return in the downflow position, or air return through the end of the air handler in the horizontal position.

NOTE: Refer to the instructions in this manual for instructions on the proper conversion to downflow or left-to-right horizontal configuration.

Maximum Operating Temperature for Heat Pump Applications For heat pump applications, the maximum outdoor temperature recommended by the manufacturer while the system is operating in the heating mode is 70°F/23.9°C.

Available Blower Motors

1. Variable Speed ECM

2.5-Speed Constant Torque

INSPECTION

As soon as the air handler is received, it should be inspected for possible damage during transit. If damage is evident, the extent of the damage should be noted on the carrier's freight bill. A separate request for inspection by the carrier's agent should be made in writing. Before installing the air handler, check the cabinet for screws or bolts which may have loosened in transit. There are no shipping or spacer brackets which need to be removed before startup.

See local Distributor for more information. Mortex Products, Inc. assumes no liability for freight damage.

Check to be sure all accessories that are required for the installation are available. Installation of these accessories should be completed before the air handler is set in place and connected to wiring, ductwork, and piping.

Cooling Only & Cooling With Hydronic Heat										
Models	M***18,24	M***25,30,36	M*VE 37,42,48,60	M*VT37,42,48,60; M*VE72						
Hort Water Coil (Rows)	2,3	2,3,4	2,3,4	2,3,4						
Blower Size-Heat (D x W)	10 X 7 (M*VE) 10 X 8 (M*VT)	10 X 7 (M*VE) 10 X 8 (M*VT)	12 X 9	12 X 10						
Unit Voltage		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	115V, 60 HZ, 1 PH							
Max. External SP (Duct), In. W.C.			0.60							
Thermostat Circuit			24 VAC, 60 Hz, 40VA							

Table 1: Hydronic Air Handler Model Specifications

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*** SVT, MVT, SVE, or MVE

		MODEL NU	MBER NOMENCI	LATURE								
MS	VT	36	15	В	862P	AA						
I	II	111	IV	v	VI	VII						
I	Series MS = Multi-Pos MM = Multi-Po	Series MS = Multi-Position Single-Piece MM = Multi-Position Modular										
II	Motor Type VT = Variable C VE = Variable S	onstant Torque peed ECM										
III	Unit Size (Cap 12 through 24 25 through 36 37 through 72	acity in MBTUI - Small Cabinet - Medium Cabin - Large Cabinet	H) et									
IV	Heating Confi 00 = Cooling C 2P = 2 Row Ho 3P = 3 Row Ho 4P = 4 Row Ho 2N = 2 Row Ho 3N = 3 Row Ho 4N = 4 Row Ho	guration nly t Water Coil With t Water Coil With t Water Coil With t Water Coil No t Water Coil No t Water Coil No	n Pump n Pump n Pump Pump Pump Pump									
v	Air Handler V A = 115 Volts	oltage										
VI	SUMMIT Indo 862P = DX Coil 8K2N = CW Co	SUMMIT Indoor Coil Configuration 862P = DX Coil Geometry, Metering Device, and Refrigerant 8K2N = CW Coil Geometry, No Metering Device										
VII	Option Code AA = Standard	Factory Options	5									

Table 2: Hydronic Air Handler Model Number Nomenclature



DIMENSIONAL DATA MULTI-POSITION AIR HANDLER HYDRONIC HEAT																	
Model	Α	В	с	D	Е	F	G	н	J	К	L	М	N	Р	R	S	т
MS**18, 24	17.50	43.00	21.00	15.63	12.50	13.50	11.00	6.75	16.75	14.00	11.00	10.75	2.00	1.50	5.00	16.10	20.20
MS**25, 30, 36	21.00	48.00	21.00	19.00	12.50	14.50	13.00	6.75	20.00	17.00	12.75	10.30	2.30	4.35	5.00	19.90	20.80
MS**37, 42, 48, 60, 72	24.50	58.88	21.75	22.25	14.25	19.75	17.25	6.75	26.00	23.00	16.75	14.35	2.30	4.35	4.50	23.50	20.70

Table 3: Air Handler Dimensional Data - MS Series



DIMENSIONAL DATA MULTI-POSITION AIR HANDLER HYDRONIC HEAT												
Model	Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	н	I			
MM**18,24	17.50	29.00	21.00	16.00	18.00	6.75	3.875	5.75	2.50			
MM**30,36	21.00	29.00	21.00	18.875	18.00	6.75	3.875	5.75	2.50			
MM**37,42,48,60,72	24.50	29.00	21.75	23.50	18.75	6.75	4.25	6.00	2.50			
Model	J	К	L	М	N	0						
MM**18,24	19.25	16.50	1.125	1.9375	16.50	20.00						
MM**30,36	19.25	16.50	1.125	1.9375	20.00	20.00						
MM**37,42,48,60,72	19.25	16.50	1.125	1.9375	23.50	20.9375						

Table 4: Air Handler Dimensional Data - MM Series

SECTION 3: LOCATION, CLEARANCES AND RETURN AIR REQUIREMENTS

WARNING

RISK OF FIRE

Refer to Tables 25 or 26 for the minimum floor area of the conditioned space served by this air-handler due to the use of an A2L class flammable refrigerant.

M WARNING

RISK OF FIRE – FLAMMABLE REFRIGERANT APPLICATIONS

If any refrigerating circuit contains more than 62.6 oz (1.776 kg) of R-454B refrigerant or 64.6 (1.836 kg) of R-32 refrigerant, an unventilated area where the air-handler is installed using flammable refrigerants is installed shall be so constructed that should any refrigerant leak, it will not stagnate and create a fire or explosion hazard.

If the air duct system connected to one or more rooms with an area less than the minimum conditioned space floor area shown in Tables 25 and 26 based on the total system refrigerant charge, that room shall be without continuously operating open flames (e.g.: an operating gas appliance) or other potential ignition sources (e.g.: an operating electric heater, hot surfaces). A flame-producing device may be installed in the same space if the device is provided with an effective flame arrest.

When flammable A2L class refrigerants are used, the minimum floor area of the conditioned space the air handler serves must comply with Tables 25 and 26 to allow a refrigerant leak to disperse and be diluted with air to eliminate the risk of the refrigerant igniting and causing an explosion and/or fire. The minimum floor area must be corrected by an altitude adjustment factor based on the building site ground level altitude. See Table 4 for the altitude adjustment factor for various altitudes and refer to the example below for how to apply the altitude adjustment factor.

Example:

Total System Charge = 2.6 kg of R-454B Altitude = 2400 m Min. Conditioned Floor Area (MCFA) from Table 25= 7.97 m² Altitude Adjustment Factor (AF) from Table 5 = 1.24 Adjusted MCFA = MCFA x AF Adjusted MCFA (@ 2400 m. altitude) = 7.97 m² x 1.24 = 9.88 m²

			Alti	tude Cor	rection Fac	tors			
Altitude (m)	0	100	200	300	400	500	600	700	800
Altitude (ft)	0	328	656	984	1312	1640	1969	2297	2625
AF	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.02	1.03	1.04	1.05	1.06	1.07
Altitude (m)	900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	1600	1700
Altitude (ft)	2953	3281	3609	3937	4265	4593	4921	5249	5577
AF	1.08	1.09	1.10	1.11	1.12	1.13	1.14	1.15	1.16
Altitude (m)	1800	1900	2000	2100	2200	2300	2400	2500	2600
Altitude (ft)	5906	6234	6562	6890	7218	7546	7874	8202	8530
AF	1.17	1.18	1.19	1.20	1.21	1.22	1.24	1.25	1.26
Altitude (m)	2700	2800	2900	3000	3100	3200	3400	3600	3700
Altitude (ft)	8858	9186	9514	9842	10171	10499	11155	11811	12139
AF	1.27	1.29	1.30	1.31	1.33	1.34	1.37	1.40	1.42

Table 5: Altitude Adjustment Factors

LOCATION

Access for servicing is an important factor in the location of any air handler. Provide a minimum of 30 inches in front of the air handler for access to the control box, indoor coil, water pump, blower, and air filters. This access may be provided by a closet door or by locating the air handler so that a wall or partition is not less than 30 inches from the front access panel. The location for the air handler is usually predetermined. Check with the owner or user for installation plans. If a location has not been decided, consider the following in choosing a suitable location.

- 1. Select a location with adequate structural support, space for service access, clearance for return and supply duct.
- 2. Normal operating sound levels may be objectionable if the air handler is placed directly over or under some rooms such as bedrooms, study, etc.
- 3. If possible, locate the air handler so ducts are about the same length to achieve even air distribution of supply and return air to and from the living spaces.
- 4. Locate air handler where electrical supply wiring can be easily routed to the main electrical panel and where electrical wiring will not be damaged.
- 5. Locate air handler where thermostat wiring can be easily routed to the thermostat and where the wiring will not be damaged.
- 6. Locate air handler where refrigerant lines can be easily routed from the indoor coil to the outdoor unit.
- 7. Locate the air handler where condensate lines can be easily routed to the outside or an available drain. Route condensate drain piping so it does not obstruct access to the air filter or access panels.
- 8. When the indoor coil is installed in a draw-through application such is the case with this air handler, it will create a negative pressure situation in the condensate drain system. To prevent condensate from being drawn into the air handlers and blower, it is recommended to trap the primary (main) and secondary (overflow) drain line. Refer to **CONDENSATE DRAIN SYSTEM** and Figure 12 in these instructions. If the secondary drain is not used, it must be capped.
- 9. The exterior surface of cabinet will sweat when an air handler is installed in a non-conditioned space such as an attic or garage. The installer must provide protection such as full size auxiliary drain pan for all air handlers installed in a non conditioned space to prevent damage from condensation runoff. It is recommended that air handlers installed in non conditioned spaces be insulated on the exterior of the entire county or local codes for insulation requirement to assure the installation complies with all codes.

CLEARANCES

This air handler is approved for 0 inches of clearance to combustible material to any part of the air handler exterior cabinet. Refer to Figures 3 and 4 and Table 6 for clearance to combustibles and for service access clearances.



MODEL	TOP (in)	PACK (in)		FRONT OF	FRONT OF FURNACE				
NIODEL	DEL TOP (IN) BACK (IN			ALCOVE (in)	CLOSET (in)				
HYDRONIC	0	0	0	30	6	0			

Table 6: Clearances to Combustibles and Service Access



RETURN AIR REQUIREMENTS

Provisions shall be made to permit the air in all rooms in the living space to return to the air handler. Failure to comply may cause a reduction in the amount of return air available to the blower, causing reduced airflow resulting in improper heating of the living space.

The return air opening can be located in the floor, on a closet front door, or in a side wall above the air handler cabinet. If the opening for the return air is located in the floor, side walls, or closet door anywhere below the air handler cabinet, a 6-inch minimum clearance between the air handler and the wall or door must be provided on the side where the return is located to provide for proper airflow. The 6-inch minimum clearance is not required if there is a return grille installed above the air handler casing providing the grille has a sufficient return air opening.

NOTE: A return duct attached to the air inlet of the air handler is required to assure the proper functioning of the refrigerant leak detection system.

NOTE: Utilizing the space above a dropped ceiling for return air is not permissible for this air handler.

For the air handler to work properly, a closet or alcove must have a certain total free area opening for the return air.

Air Handlers With 1/3 HP Blower Motor

- Minimum 200 in[©] free area opening
- Use Return Grille or Coil Cabinet

Air Handlers With 1/2 HP Blower Motor (M*V*25, 30, & 36)

- Minimum 250 in2 free area opening
- Use Return Grille, A/C Coil Cabinet, or any return grille with a minimum 250 in² free area opening.

Air Handlers With 1.0 HP Blower Motor (M*V*37, 42, 48, & 60)

- Minimum 390 in² free area opening
- Use Return Grille, or A/C Coil Cabinet, or any return grille with a minimum 390 in² free area opening.

For A/C and HP Air Handlers With 1.0 HP Blower Motor (M*VE72)

- Minimum 430 in² free area opening..
- Use return grille, or indoor coil cabinet, or any return grille with a minimum 430 in² free area opening.

Provisions must be made to permit air in the rooms and living spaces to return to the air handler. Failure to comply may cause a reduction in the amount of return air available to the blower, causing reduced air flow and improper cooling and heating of the living space.

Return Air Filters

A return air filter is necessary to prevent dust, lint, and other contaminants from accumulating on the indoor coil and interior surfaces of the air handler. Return air filter options include a return air filter grille that attaches to a wall, door, or ceiling or a filter frame that attach directly to the return opening of the air handler.

Recommended Return Air Filter Grille Size - Bottom Return Only

800 CFM – 20 X 20 Grille – 324 in² 1000 CFM – 20 X 25 Grille - 414 in² 1200 CFM – 25 X 25 Grille - 414 in² 1400 CFM – 25 X 30 Grille - 644 in² 1600 CFM – 25 X 30 Grille - 644 in² 1800 CFM – 30 X 30 Grille - 784 in² 2000 CFM – 30 X 35 Grille - 924 in² 2400 CFM – 30 X 40 Grille - 1064 in²

Air Filter Base Accessory

The SunTherm Air Filter Base Accessory is available as an alternative to a return air filter frame. The Air Filter Base Accessory can be used on the return air end of the air handler when configured in upflow position. The air filter base accessory is placed over the return plenum in the floor or closet platform opening and sealed to the plenum or platform using sealant, caulking material, and/or tape. The air handler is placed on top of the air filter base and sealed around its perimeter to prevent air leaks.

NOTE: Filter size adjustment knobs are located on both sides of the frame. Make sure the flow direction arrow on the air filter is pointing towards the air handler.



FILTER BASE ASSEMBLY KIT – FIELD INSTALLED

86ET0002 – 16"X 20" X 2" Small Cabinet 86ET0001 – 20" X 20" X 2" Medium Cabinet 86ET0003 – 20" X 24" X 2" Large Cabinet

Minimum Air Filter Size

The minimum filter size vs. CFM of airflow is shown below

 $800 \text{ CFM} = 20 \times 20 \times 1$ $1000 \text{ CFM} = 20 \times 25 \times 1$ $1200 \text{ CFM} = 20 \times 30 \times 1$ $1400 \text{ CFM} = 25 \times 30 \times 1$ $1600 \text{ CFM} = 30 \times 30 \times 1$ $2000 \text{ CFM} = 30 \times 40 \times 1 \text{ or two } 30 \times 20 \times 1$ $2400 \text{ CFM} = 30 \times 40 \times 1 \text{ or two } 30 \times 20 \times 1$

Pleated Air Filter @ 500 ft/min or Less $800 \text{ CFM} = 16 \times 16 \times 1$ $1000 \text{ CFM} = 18 \times 20 \times 1$ $1200 \text{ CFM} = 20 \times 20 \times 1$ $1400 \text{ CFM} = 20 \times 20 \times 1$ $1600 \text{ CFM} = 20 \times 25 \times 1$ $1800 \text{ CFM} = 20 \times 30 \times 1 \text{ or two } 20 \times 15 \times 1$ $2000 \text{ CFM} = 20 \times 30 \times 1 \text{ or two } 20 \times 15 \times 1$ $2400 \text{ CFM} = 25 \times 30 \times 1 \text{ or two } 14 \times 30 \times 1$

SECTION 4: AIR HANDLER ORIENTATION AND SUPPLY AIR DUCT INSTALLATION

The air handler is shipped from the factory configured to be installed in the upflow or horizontal right-to-left air-flow position. Horizontal right-to-left means that when facing the front of the air handler and the air handler is laid on its side, the supply air opening is on the left and the return opening is on the right. The air handler can be field converted to the downflow or horizontal left-to-right air-flow position.

UPFLOW APPLICATIONS

For upflow installations, the discharge air outlet is at the top of the air handler. The air handler must be installed level to permit proper condensate drainage.

Typical upflow installations will be in a closet or basement. If installed in a closet, the closet should have a platform at least 12 inches in height framed in with an opening centered in the closet that matches the return air opening on the bottom of the air handler or an air filter frame if one is installed. The return air opening can be located in the floor, on a closet door, or in a side wall next to the air handler cabinet or a return duct can be attached directly to the platform next to the air handler. If the return air opening is located in the closet door or side wall above the platform, the front of the platform must be left open and a minimum of 6 inches of clearance between the front of the platform and the closet door must be provided to allow adequate air-flow from the return air opening into the cavity below the platform. The 6 inches of clearance is not required if the return opening is installed completely below the platform allowing the return air to enter directly into the cavity below the platform or if the return duct is connected directly to the platform beside the air handler.

Joints between the air handler, air filter frame, and platform must be sealed to prevent air leakage. A return air filter grille may be used instead of a filter frame.

Connect the supply air outlet to a plenum to the top of the air handler and secure it with screws. If the air handler is installed in a basement, run supply and return duct work in accordance with local codes. Use a non-tape sealant such as mastic or an aerosol sealant to seal between the air handler and ducts to prevent air leakage.

M WARNING

RISK OF FIRE – FLAMMABLE REFRIGERANT APPLICATIONS

The following requirements are necessary to allow the flammable refrigerant mitigation system to properly dilute the refrigerant with air in the event of a refrigerant leak. The supply and return air shall be directly ducted to the space. Open areas such as false ceilings shall not be used as a return air duct.

HORIZONTAL APPLICATIONS

Horizontal applications will normally be used in an attic or crawl space. This type of installation requires the supply air plenum or duct to be connected to the supply duct flanges and a return air plenum or duct be attached to the air handler return air inlet. The supply ducts will be connected to the supply air plenum and routed through the attic to a register in each room. The opposite end of the return air duct is attached to a return filter grille housing. The filter grille is usually located in a wall, just below the ceiling or the ceiling in a hallway. Use a non-tape sealant such as mastic or an aerosol sealant to prevent leaks in the ducts and the plenum.

The MM Series air handlers are shipped to be installed without modifications for right-to-left or left-to-right supply air discharge applications.

The MS Series air handlers are shipped to be installed without modification for right-to-left supply air discharge applications.

To convert the MS Series air handler for left-to-right applications:

- 1. Remove the air handler access panels.
- 2. Disconnect the wiring harness from the refrigerant leak sensor located on the front coil's delta plate and relocate the sensor to the opposite side of the delta plate as described in SECTION 7: REFRIGERANT LEAK DETECTION SYSTEM OPERATION AND SENSOR INSTALLATION.
- 3. Remove the cooling coil.
- 4. Move the condensate drain pan to the right side.
- 5. Reinstall the cooling coil.
- 6. Reconnect the refrigerant leak sensor wiring harness to the refrigerant leak sensor.
- 7. Connect the condensate drains and refrigerant lines.
- 8. Reinstall air handler access panels.

DOWNFLOW APPLICATIONS

Downflow applications must to be installed so that the hot water pipes protruding from the top of the unit are a minimum of 12 inches above the floor.

A MM Series air handler may be installed in the downflow configuration by simply installing it with the supply air discharge pointing downward.

The MS Series air handlers may be converted to the downflow configuration using a required downflow conversion kit by following the instructions below (See Figures 6 and 7).

- 1. Remove the blower and control box access panel.
- 2. Remove indoor coil access panel and discard it. The indoor coil access panel will not be re-used.
- 3. Remove indoor coil assembly with drain pan by sliding out the front of the air handler as shown in the Figure 6.
- 4. Remove 6 screws (3 on each side of air handler), securing indoor coil support rails. Refer to Figure 7.
- 5. Flip the air handler so the discharge is on the bottom.
- 6. Re-install the indoor coil support rails in the holes provided in the air handler casing as shown in Figure 7. Use the six (6) screws that were removed in step 4 to secure the indoor coil support rails to the air handler casing.
- 7. Re-install the cooling coil in the upright position as shown in Figure 7.
- 8. Remove the new indoor coil access panel from the conversion kit and install over the indoor coil section as shown in Figure 7.
- 9. Re-install the blower and control box access panel in the upsidedown position and secure with the screws that were removed in step 1.



When Converting to Downflow Operation



SECTION 5: AIR HANDLER INSTALLATION

Prior to installing the air handler, make sure the holes are cut into the floor for the refrigerant tubing, the drain line, the electrical wiring, the thermostat wiring and the outdoor unit control wiring.

- 1. Remove the top shipping cover and corner posts.
- 2. Remove the bottom shipping cover.
- 3. Remove the blower and control box access panel.
- 4. Remove the coil compartment access panel.
- 5. Place the air handler into position.
- 6. Connect the electrical supply wires to the line voltage terminal block and connect the thermostat cable wires to the low voltage terminal block or low voltage pigtails. Re-install the coil compartment access panel.
- 7. Connect the refrigerant lines to the coil.
- 8. Re-install the blower and control box access panel.
- 9. Turn the power on to the air handler by following the procedure in the Users Information Manual.

10. Set the thermostat to the desired operating mode and temperature.

SECTION 6: REFRIGERANT & CONDENSATE PIPING, TXV, HOT & CHILLED WATER PIPING

DX Refrigerant Piping - MS Series Only

MS Series air handlers with DX type evaporator coils require liquid and suction piping sized in accordance with outdoor unit manufacturer's instructions. The evaporator coils have sweat copper connections. Refrigerant lines should be soldered with silver solder or high temperature brazing alloy. The suction line must be insulated to avoid condensate from forming and dropping off. Armaflex (or equivalent) with 3/8" (1 cm) minimum wall thickness is recommended. In severe conditions such as hot or high humidity areas, 1/2" (1.3 cm) minimum wall thickness may be required. If the outdoor unit is installed above the indoor coil, oil traps are required at equal intervals along suction line as shown in Figure 8. Horizontal suction lines should slope downward 1 inch for every 20 feet toward outdoor unit. Flow dry nitrogen through refrigerant lines during soldering operation to prevent oxidation of the interior of the copper tubes.

- Install 1 oil trap for a height difference of 15 ft to 25 ft (4.6 m to 7.6 m) between indoor and outdoor units.
- Install 2 oil trap for a height difference of 26 ft to 50 ft (7.9 m to 15.2 m) between indoor and outdoor units.
- Install 3 oil trap for a height difference of 51 ft to 100 ft (15.5 m to 30.5 m) between indoor and outdoor units.
- Install 4 oil trap for a height difference of 101 ft to 150 ft (30.8 m to 45.7 m) between indoor and outdoor units.



Figure 8: Evaporator Below Outdoor Unit Piping - MS Series Only



This following precautions must be taken for the refrigerant piping due to this air-handler being used with an A2L class flammable refrigerant.

SPECIAL PIPING INSTRUCTIONS DUE TO THE USE OF AN A2L CLASS FLAMMABLE REFRIGERANT

Piping material, pipe routing, and installation shall include protection from physical damage in operation and service, and shall be in compliance with national and local codes and standards, such as ASHRAE 15, IAPMO Uniform Mechanical Code, ICC International Mechanical Code, or CSA B52. All field joints shall be accessible for inspection prior to being covered or enclosed.

The installation of pipe-work shall be kept to a minimum.

Due to this air-handler being used with an A2L class flammable refrigerant, the refrigerant pipe-work shall not be installed in an unventilated space if that space is smaller than the minimum floor area shown in Tables 25 and 26 unless there are no joints in the pipe-work in that space (e.g.: pipework that is run in walls or between floors).

Since refrigerant line length affects the final refrigerant charge, the final refrigerant charge after field charging of the system must be noted and used when determining the minimum floor area of the conditioned space from Tables 25 and 26.

Mechanical connections shall be accessible for maintenance purposes.

For appliances using flammable refrigerants, all joints made in the installation between parts of the refrigerating system with at least one part charged, shall be made in accordance with the following:

- A brazed, welded, or mechanical connection shall be made before opening the valves to permit refrigerant to flow between the refrigerating system parts. A vacuum valve shall be provided to evacuate the interconnecting pipe or any uncharged refrigerating part.
- Mechanical connectors used indoors shall comply with ISO 14903 or UL 207 Annex A (USA only). When mechanical connectors are reused indoors, sealing parts shall be renewed. When flared joints are reused indoors, the flare part shall be refabricated.
- Refrigerant tubing shall be protected or enclosed to avoid damage.
- Flexible refrigerant connectors (such as connecting lines between the indoor and outdoor unit) that may be displaced during normal operation shall be protected against mechanical damage.
- For installations with field applied joints that are exposed in the occupied space, these joints shall be at least one of the following:
 - mechanical joints in compliance with ISO 14903 or UL 207 Annex A (USA only)
 - welded or brazed joints; or
 - joints in enclosures that vent to the unit or to the outside.

Provision shall be made for expansion and contraction of long runs of piping.

Protection devices, piping, and fittings shall be protected as much as possible against adverse environmental effects (e.g.: water collecting and freezing in relief pipes or the accumulation of dirt and debris).

Piping in refrigeration systems shall be so designed and installed to minimize the likelihood of hydraulic shock damaging the system.

After completion of field piping for split systems, the field pipework shall be pressure tested with an inert gas and then vacuum tested prior to refrigerant charging, according to the following requirements:

- The minimum test pressure for the low side of the system shall be the low side design pressure as stated on the air handler rating plate and the minimum test pressure for the high side of the system shall be the high side design pressure as stated on the air handler rating plate, unless the high side of the system cannot be isolated from the low side of the system in which case the entire system shall be pressure tested to the low side design pressure.
- The test pressure after removal of pressure source shall be maintained for at least 1 hour with no decrease of pressure indicated by the test gauge, with test gauge resolution not exceeding 5% of the test pressure.
- During the evacuation test, after achieving a vacuum level specified in the manual or less, the refrigeration system shall be isolated from the vacuum pump and the pressure shall not rise above 1500 microns within 10 min. The vacuum pressure level shall be the lesser of 500 microns or the value required for compliance with national and local codes and standards, which may vary between residential, commercial, and industrial buildings.

Field-made refrigerant joints indoors shall be tightness tested. The test method shall have a sensitivity of 5 grams per year of refrigerant or better under a pressure of at least 0.25 times the maximum allowable pressure. No leak shall be detected.

Thermal Expansion Valves (TXV) - MS Series Only

SunTherm air handlers can have a factory installed thermal expansion valve (TXV) or a TXV may be field installed. The factory and field installed TXV's for this air handler have an internal check valve making them compatible for both heat pump and cooling only applications. The TXV has an external pressure equalizer, non-adjustable superheat, and has a bleed rate of 15%.

A hard start capacitor on the outdoor unit is normally not required when a 15% bleed TXV is used, but may be necessary if compressor starting issues are encountered.

Field Installed TXV Kit Information: **R72DB0101DF**: R-32, 1.5 – 3.0 Ton, 15% Bleed, Inlet: Male Rotolock, Outlet: Female Swivel Nut

R72DB0102DF: R-32, 3.0 – 5.0 Ton, 15% Bleed, Inlet: Male Rotolock, Outlet: Female Swivel Nut

R72DB0103DF: R-454B, 1.5 – 3.0 Ton, 15% Bleed, Inlet: Male Rotolock, Outlet: Female Swivel Nut

R72DB0104DF: R-454B, 3.0 - 5.0 Ton, 15% Bleed,

WARNING

Coil is pressurized with nitrogen from the factory. Relieve pressure before installing TXV by depressing the Schrader valve on the coil manifold.

Field Installed TXV Instructions

The TXV assembly is to be installed between the flowrator distributor and the existing liquid line attached to the flowrator distributor as shown in Figure 9.

- 1. After the coil pressure has been relieved, turn the female swivel nut counter-clockwise to remove.
- 2. Remove the piston from the flowrator distributor fitting using a small diameter wire or paper clip. (ALWAYS REMOVE PISTON FROM DISTRIBUTOR BODY WHEN TXV IS INSTALLED).
- 3. Attach the TXV by connecting the female swivel nut on TXV outlet to the flowrator distributor (aligning Teflon seal first) and torque swivel nut to 10-30 ft. lbs.
- 4. Attach liquid line with female swivel nut to male Rotolock fitting on TXV inlet (Aligning Teflon seal first) and torque swivel nut to 10-30 ft. lbs.
- 5. Remove the cap from the male Schrader valve port on the coil manifold. Attach equalizer tube with 1/4" female flare nut that includes a valve depressor to the male Schrader valve port. Torque the flare nut to 10-30 ft. lb.



Field and Factory Installed TXV Instructions – Sensing Bulb, Leak Check, Evacuation

- 1. Install the TXV bulb on the suction line just outside the air handler cabinet (See Figure 10) using the two bulb clamps furnished with kit.
- 2. The bulb should be installed on the upper portion of a horizontal section of the suction line between 10:00 o'clock and 2:00 o'clock as shown in Figure 11.
- 3. If the bulb must be installed on a vertical run, the bulb should be located at least 6 inches from any bend, and on the tubing side opposite the plane of the bend. On vertical bulb installations, the bulb should be positioned with the bulb capillary tube at the top. The bulb must be insulated using thermal insulation to protect it from the effect of the surrounding ambient temperature.

4. After completing the installation of the TXV (including equalizer tube), leak check the coil and evacuate the coil through the liquid and suction line valves on the outdoor unit.



CONDENSATE DRAIN PIPING - MS Series Only

The air handler indoor coil drain pan has two ³/₄" NPT female primary and two secondary connections (left or right hand). The horizontal pan has two ³/₄" NPT female, one primary and one secondary. Condensate piping from each fitting must have a 2" minimum trap (See Figure 12) and the piping must be routed to provide enough slope for adequate drainage to a visible area. Do not pipe these two fittings together into a common drain. If a secondary drain is not installed, the secondary drain connection must be capped.



CHILLED AND HOT WATER PIPING

All water pipes must be supported independent of coils to prevent vibration and stress on coil headers. Swing joints or flexible fittings must be provided to absorb expansion and contraction strains. Rigid piping reduces the effectiveness of vibration isolators. Coil water pipes must be adequately vented in order to prevent air binding. Air handlers are provided with manual air vents mounted through the manifold panel.

Chilled Water Piping - MS Series Only

Supply and return chilled water piping to the coil should be ¾" ID up to 42,000 BTU/Hr, 1" on air handlers greater than 42,000 BTU/Hr. Water piping must always be connected so that the entering water is on the leaving air side of the coil.

Hot Water Piping

If a residential water heater is used for space heating water, do not exceed a distance of 70 feet between the air handler and the water heater. The water heater should be the quick recovery type. Air handler and water heater must be located indoors and not subject to freezing temperatures.

Total hot water piping should not exceed 140 feet. All hot water piping to the coil should be copper and $\frac{3}{4}$ " ID and 7/8" OD. CPVC or PEX piping may be used in applications where the water temperature does not exceed 150°F. It is recommended that a water isolation valve and a union be placed in the water lines to and from the coil that is near the coil for serviceability, repair or replacement of the coil.

A thermal expansion tank is recommended on any closed loop system to relieve thermal expansion due to pressure increase. **NOTE:** Refer to **SECTION 9: FILLING HEATING SYSTEM WITH WATER AND SYSTEM STARTUP** for instructions on filling the system with water, purging the air from the system, and checking for leaks once the air handler installation has been completed.

"Massachusetts requires an electronically controlled pump timer that activates the pump every 6 hours for 60 seconds and limits the distance between the water heater and air handler to 50 feet max."

WARNING

Air handler must be located so that if any connections should leak, water will not cause damage to the adjacent area. When such locations can't be avoided, a suitable drain pan should be installed under the air handler, not over $1\frac{1}{2}$ " deep, with minimum length and width at least 2" greater than the air handler dimensions and connected to an adequate drain. Under no circumstances is the manufacturer to be held liable for any water damage in connection with this air handler.

A WARNING

When system requires water at temperatures higher than required for other uses, a means such as a mixing valve shall be installed to temper the water for those uses in order to reduce the potential for a scald hazard.

WARNING

For personal safety, turn the electrical power "OFF" at the main electrical panel and at the air handler control box circuit breakers before attempting any service or maintenance operations. Homeowners should never attempt to perform any maintenance which requires opening any of the air handler access panels.

<u> WARNING</u>

Do not use Methanol water or Ethanol in any systems operating above 40°F as the flash point specified for these chemicals is only 54°F.

WARNING

Minimum Allowable Operating Temperatures – Water/Brine: Water = 36°F (2.22°C) Brine Solution = 3.2°F (-16°C) Maximum Allowable Operating Temperatures – Water/Brine: Water = 180°F (82.22°C) Brine Solution = 40°F (4.44°C)

MODEL NO.	CFM	TOTAL	SENS	LATENT	LDB	LWB	GPM	WPDS FT.	APD IN-WC
CW018A8K3	600	26,650	17,680	8,970	52.7	48.5	3.0	1.6	0.021
CW024A8K3	800	32,350	22,190	10,160	54.3	54.0	3.5	2.1	0.036
CW036A8K3	1200	41,540	30,430	11,110	56.5	56.1	4.0	3.3	0.049
CW048A8K3	1600	51,940	38,600	13,340	57.6	56.8	5.5	5.5	0.132
CW060A8K3	2000	63,750	47,340	16,410	58.0	57.0	7.0	8.4	0.195
CW072A8K3	2400	78,711	57,242	21,469	58.0	56.8	9.0	9.3	0.280

Table 7: Chilled Water "A" Coil Cooling Capacity 80/67°F EAT 45°F EWT

MODEL NO.	CFM	120° EWT 20°F Δt 65°F EDB					1	140° EWT 20°F ∆t 65°F EDB				
		BTUH	LAT	GPM	APD IN-WC	WPD FT	BTUH	LAT	GPM	APD IN-WC	WPD FT	
CW018A8K3	600	26,650	17,680	8,970	52.7	48.5	3.0	1.6	0.021	0.06	1.36	
CW024A8K3	800	32,350	22,190	10,160	54.3	54.0	3.5	2.1	0.036	0.09	2.03	
CW036A8K3	1200	41,540	30,430	11,110	56.5	56.1	4.0	3.3	0.049	0.16	3.94	
CW048A8K3	1600	51,940	38,600	13,340	57.6	56.8	5.5	5.5	0.132	0.11	7.40	
CW060A8K3	2000	63,750	47,340	16,410	58.0	57.0	7.0	8.4	0.195	0.16	9.83	
CW072A8K3	2400	78,711	57,242	21,469	58.0	56.8	9.0	9.3	0.280	0.22	12.31	

Table 8: Heating Capacity for Water "A" Coil @ 120°F and 140°F

MODEL NO.	CFM		160° EWT 20°F Δt 65°F EDB					180° EWT 20°F Δt 65°F EDB				
		BTUH	LAT	GPM	APD IN-WC	WPD FT	BTUH	LAT	GPM	APD IN-WC	WPD FT	
CW018A8K3	600	55,080	1496	56	006	205	67,556	1608	69	006	288	
CW024A8K3	800	70,700	1465	72	009	309	86,916,	1652	89	009	332	
CW036A8K3	1200	101,327	1429	103	016	468	124,762	1609	128	016	644	
CW048A8K3	1600	139,501	1454	142	011	1091	179,219	1637	176	011	1485	
CW060A8K3	2000	167,902	1424	171	016	1453	206,377	1601	212	016	1988	
CW072A8K3	2400	194,543	1397	198	022	1827	239,408	1570	246	022	2320	

Table 9: Heating Capacity for Water "A" Coil @ Coil 160°F and 180°F

MODEL	CFM	GPM	BTUH	LAT ° F	LWT°F	APD IWC	WPD FT	ROWS	FPI
	500	2.7	26,290	116.5		0.07	1.2		
	600	3.0	29,630	113.5		0.09	1.5	2	
	700	3.4	32,690	111.1		0.12	1.8		
	500	4.0	39,000	137.0]	0.10	1.2	3	
M***18	600	4.6	44,500	133.4		0.14	1.5		
	700	5.1	49,600	130.3		0.18	1.8		
-	500	4.9	47,500	152.6		0.13	2.1	4	
	600	5.6	54,740	149.1]	0.18	2.7		
	700	6.3	61,510	146	160	0.23	3.3		10
	600	3.0	29,630	113.5] 160	0.09	1.5		10
	800	3.6	35,510	108.9		0.15	2.1		
	900	3.9	38,140	107.1		0.19	2.4		
	600	4.6	44,500	133.4		0.14	1.5		
M***24	800	5.6	54,300	127.6]	0.23	2.2	3	
	900	6.0	58,700	125.7		0.28	2.5		
-	600	5.6	54,740	149.1]	0.18	2.7		
	800	7.0	67,890	143.3		0.29	4.0	4	
	900	7.6	73,928	140.7		0.35	4.6		

Table 10: Hot Water Slab Coil Heating Capacity-Boiler Loop (No Pump) - 65°F EAT 180°F EWT 20°F Δt / Small Cabinet 1.5 & 2.0 Ton

MODEL	CFM	GPM	BTUH	LAT ° F	LWT ° F	APD IWC	WPD FT	ROWS	FPI
M***25	600	3.4	33, 080	118.8		0.07	1.8		
	800	4.1	40,000	114.1]	0.11	1.1	2	
	900	4.4	43, 120	112.2		0.13	1.2		
	600	4.7	45, 530	138.0]	0.10	1.5		1
	800	5.7	56, 060	132.6		0.16	2.2	3	
	900	6.2	60, 880	130.4]	0.20	2.6		
	600	5.6	54, 160	148.2]	0.15	3.1		
	800	6.9	67, 160	142.4		0.24	4.4	4	
	900	7 .5	73, 140	139.9]	0.29	4.9		
M***30	900	4.4	42, 780	111.8]	0.14	1.2		
	1000	4.7	45, 680	110.1]	0.16	1.4	2	
	1200	5.2	51,010	107.2]	0.23	1.7	3	10
	900	6.2	60, 500	130.0]	0.21	2.5		
	1000	6.7	65, 020	128.0	160	0.25	2.9		
	1200	7 .5	73, 410	124.4		0.34	3.7		
	900	7 .5	73, 140	139.9]	0.29	4.9		
	1000	8.1	78, 830	137.7		0.34	5.2	4	
	1200	9.2	89, 455	133.7		0.46	5.7		
M***36	1000	4.7	45, 680	110.1]	0.16	1.4		
	1200	5.2	51,010	107.2]	0.23	1.7	2	
	1400	5.7	55, 830	104.8		0.29	2.1		
	1000	6.7	65, 020	128.0]	0.25	2.9		
	1200	7 .5	73, 410	124.4		0.34	3.7	3	
	1400	8.3	81,080	121.4	.4 .7 .7	0.44	1.4		
	1000	8.1	78, 830	137.7		0.34	5.2		
	1200	9.2	89, 455	133.7		0.46	5.7	4	
	1400	10.2	99, 230	130.4		0.60	6.6		

Table 11: Hot Water Slab Coil Capacity - Boiler Loop (No Pump) - 65°F EAT 180°F EWT 20°F Δt / Med. Cabinet 2.0, 2.5, 3.0 Ton

MODEL	CFM	GPM	BTUH	LAT ° F	LAT ° F	APD IWC	WPD FT	ROWS	FPI
	1000	5.4	52,500	116.4		0.09	1.6		İ
	1200	6.1	59,100	113.4		0.12	2.0	2	
	1400	6.7	65,130	110.9		0.15	2.4		
	1000	7.5	72,930	135.2		0.13	3.1		1
M***37	1200	8.5	83,040	131.8		0.18	1.1	3	
	1400	9.5	92,390	128.9		0.23	1.4		
	1000	8.8	85,910	147.2	1	0.17	1.3		1
	1200	10.1	98,890	144.0		0.23	1.7	4	
	1400	11.4	111,020	141.1		0.31	2.1		
	1200	6.1	59,100	113.4		0.12	2.0		1
	1400	6.7	65,130	110.9		0.15	2.4	2	
	1600	7.3	70,690	108.7		0.19	2.8		
	1200	8.5	83,040	131.8		0.18	1.1		1
M***42	1400	9.5	92,390	128.9		0.23	1.4	3	
	1600	10.4	101,100	126.3		0.29	1.6		
	1200	10.1	98,890	144.0		0.23	1.7		1
	1400	11.4	111,020	141.1		0.31	2.1	4	
	1600	12.6	122,430	138.6		0.39	2.5		
	1400	6.7	65,130	110.9	1	0.15	2.4		1
- M***48	1600	7.3	70,690	108.7		0.19	2.8	2	-
	1800	7.8	75,860	106.9		0.24	3.2		
	1400	9.5	92,390	128.9	160	0.23	1.4	3	
	1600	10.4	101,100	126.3		0.29	1.6		10
	1800	11.2	109,250	124.0		0.36	1.9		
	1400	11.4	111,020	141.1		0.31	2.1		1
	1600	12.6	122,430	138.6		0.39	2.5		
	1800	13.7	133,200	136.2		0.47	3.0		
	1800	7.8	75,860	106.9	1	0.24	3.4		1
	2000	8.3	80,690	105.2		0.28	3.9	2	
	2100	8.5	83,000	104.4		0.31	4.2		
	1800	9.5	92,390	128.9	1	0.36	5.2		1
M***60	2000	12.0	116,930	121.9		0.43	8.4	3	
	2100	12.4	120,600	120.0		0.46	8.9		
	1800	13.7	133,200	136.2		0.47	11.0		1
	2000	14.7	143,400	134.1		0.57	12.7	4	
	2100	15.4	147,245	132.0		0.46	13.9		
	2000	8.3	80,690	101.5		0.45	2.2		1
	2200	8.6	83,400	99.9		0.53	2.4	2	
	2400	9.0	87,300	98.6		0.61	2.6		
	2000	12.0	116,930	117.1	1	0.67	5.2		1
M***72	2200	12.3	119,560	115.1		0.79	5.8	3	
	2400	12.9	125,700	113.3		0.92	6.3		
	2000	14.7	143,400	128.9	1	0.89	9.0	İ	1
	2200	15.1	147,400	126.8		1.05	9.5	4	
	2400	16.0	155,600	124.8		1.72	10.2	1	

Table 12: Hot Water Slab Coil Capacity – Boiler Loop (No Pump) 65°F EAT 180°F EWT 20°F Δt / Large Cabinet 3.0, 3.5, 4.0, 5.0, 6.0 Ton

MODEL	CFM	GPM	BTUH 120°F	BTUH 130°F	BTUH 140°F	BTUH 150°F	BTUH 160°	APD IWC	ROWS	FPI
	500	4	13,600	16,200	18,840	21,510	24,200	0.07		
	600	4	14,890	17,760	20,660	23,600	26,570	0.09	2	
	700	4	15,990	19,090	22,230	25,410	28,620	0.12		
	500	4	18,160	21,580	25,000	28,500	32,000	0.10		
M***18	600	4	20,170	24,000	27,840	31,700	35,600	0.14	3	
	700	4	21,900	26,000	30,280	34,500	38,800	0.18		
	500	4	21,870	25,930	30,015	34,110	38,225	0.13		
	600	4	24,620	29,215	33,820	38,460	43,115	0.18	4	
	700 4		27,050	7,050 32,108 37,195 42,305 47,440 0.2		0.23		10		
	600	4	14,890	17,760	20,660	23,600	26,570	0.09		
	800 4		16,960	20,250	23,600	26,990	30,420	0.15	2	
	900	4	17,810	21,280	24,810	28,390	32,010	0.19		
	600	4	20,170	24,000	27,840	31,700	35,600	0.14		
M***24	800	4	23,400	27,900	34,300	34,160	41,600	0.23	3	
	900	4	24,800	29,500	34,300	39,160	44,000	0.28		
-	600	4	24,620	29,215	33,820	38,460	43,115	0.18		
	800	4	29,210	34,680	40,190	45,725	51,295	0.29	4	
	900	4	31,140	36,990	42,845	48,800	54,755	0.35		

Table 13: Hot Water Slab Coil Capacity - Factory Pump - 65°F EAT @ Stated EWT / Small Cabinet 1.5 and 2.0 Ton

MODEL	CFM	GPM	BTUH 120°F	BTUH 130°F	BTUH 140°F	BTUH 150°F	BTUH 160°	APD IWC	ROWS	FPI
	600	4	16,210	16,320	22,460	25,630	28,820	0.07		
	800	4	18,620	22,220	25,860	29,540	33,260	0.11	2	
	900	4	19,620	23,420	27,270	31,170	35,110	0.13		
M***25	600	4	21,010	25,000	29,030	33,090	37,190	0.10		
	800	4	24,490	29,180	33,930	38,720	43,560	0.16	3	
	900	4	25,940	30,920	35,960	41,060	46,210	0.20		
	600	4	24,840	29,415	34,005	38,605	43,200	0.15		
	800	4	29,770	35,270	40,785	46,315	51,860	0.24	4	
	900	4	31,895	37,790	43,710	49,645	55,595	0.29		
	900	4	19,620	23,420	27,270	31,170	35,110	0.13		
	1000	4	20,510	24,500	28,540	32,630	36,770	0.16	2	
	1200	4	22,050	26,350	30,720	35,150	39,630	0.22		
	900	4	25,940	30,920	35,960	41,060	46,210	0.20		10
M***30	1000	4	27,230	32,470	37,780	43,160	48,580	0.24	3	
	1200	4	29,440	35,140	40,910	46,760	52,670	0.33		
	900	4	31,895	37,790	43,710	49,645	55,595	0.29		
	1000	4	33,836	40,100	46,385	52,685	59,010	0.34	4	
	1200	4	37,260	44,165	51,104	58,065	65,045	0.46		
	1000	4	20,510	24,500	28,540	32,630	36,770	0.16		
	1200	4	22,050	26,350	30,720	35,150	39,630	0.22	2	
	1400	4	23,340	27,910	32,550	37,260	42,040	0.29		
	1000	4	27,230	32,470	37,780	43,160	48,580	0.24]
M***36	1200	4	29,440	35,140	40,910	46,760	52,670	0.33	3	
	1400	4	31,270	37,350	43,510	49,750	56,070	0.43		
	1000	4	33,836	40,100	46,385	52,685	59,010	0.34		
	1200	4	37,260	44,165	51,104	58,065	65,045	0.46	4	
	1400	4	40,195	47,660	55,150	62,670	70,220	0.60		

Table 14: Hot Water Slab Coil Capacity – Factory Pump - 65°F EAT @ Stated EWT / Med. Cabinet 2.0, 2.5, 3.0 Ton

MODEL	CFM	GPM	BTUH120°F	BTUH130°F	BTUH140°F	BTUH150°F	BTUH160°F	APD IWC	ROWS	FPI
	1000	7	26,320	31,350	36,430	41,570	46,740	0.09		
	1200	7	28,770	34,300	39,900	45,550	51,260	0.12	2	
	1400	7	30,880	36,840	42,880	48,980	55,140	0.15		
	1000	7	34,230	40,720	47,280	53,890	60,550	0.13		
M***37	1200	7	37,800	45,010	52,290	59,640	67,050	0.18	3	
101 57	1400	7	40,860	48,690	56,600	64,590	72,660	0.23		
	1000	7	39,630	47,090	54,620	62,190	69,810	0.17		
	1200	7	44,170	52,530	60,960	69,460	78,020	0.23	4	
	1400	7	48,080	57,220	66,440	75,750	85,130	0.31		
	1200	7	28,770	34,300	39,900	45,550	51,260	0.12		
	1400	7	30,880	36,840	42,880	48,980	55,140	0.15	2	
	1600	7	32,720	39,050	45,470	51,970	58,540	0.19		
	1200	7	37,800	45,010	52,290	59,640	67,050	0.18		
M***42	1400	7	40,860	48,690	56,600	64,590	72,660	0.23	3	
	1600	7	43,530	51,890	60,360	68,910	77,550	0.29		
	1200	7	44 ,170	52,530	60,960	69,460	78,020	0.23		
	1400	7	48,080	57,220	66,440	75,750	85,130	0.31	4	
	1600	7	51,490	61,310	71,230	81,250	91,340	0.39		
	1400	7	30,880	36,840	42,880	48,980	55,140	0.15		
	1600	7	32,720	39,050	45,470	51,970	58,540	0.19	2	
	1800	7	34,340	41,010	47,770	54,620	61,550	0.24		
	1400	7	40,860	48,690	56,600	64,590	72,660	0.23		
M***48	1600	7	43,530	51,890	60,360	68,910	77,550	0.29	3	10
	1800	7	45,870	54,710	63,670	72,720	81,870	0.36		
	1400	7	48,080	57,220	66,440	75,750	85,130	0.31		
	1600	7	51,490	61,310	71,230	81,250	91,340	0.39	4	
	1800	7	54,490	64,910	75,450	86,090	96,820	0.47		
	1800	7	34,340	41,010	47,770	54,620	61,550	0.24		
	2000	7	35,780	42,750	49,820	56,990	64,240	0.28	2	
	2100	7	36,450	43,550	50,770	58,080	65,480	0.31		
	1800	7	45,870	54,710	63,670	72,720	81,870	0.36		
M***60	2000	7	47,960	57,220	66,610	76,110	85,710	0.43	3	
	2100	7	48,920	58,380	67,970	77,670	87,480	0.46		
	1800	7	54,490	64,910	75,450	86,090	96,820	0.47		
	2000	7	57,160	68,120	79,200	90,400	101,710	0.57	4	
	2100	7	58,380	69,590	80,930	92,390	103,750	0.62		
	2000	7	35,780	42,750	49,820	56,990	64,240	0.45		
	2200	7	36,700	43,800	50,900	58,000	65,200	0.53	2	
	2400	7	38,000	45,300	52,600	60,000	67,500	0.67		
	2000	7	47,960	57,220	66,610	76,110	85,710	0.67		
M***72	2200	7	49,500	58,900	68,300	77,900	87,500	0.79	3	
	2400	7	51,300	61,000	70,800	80,700	90,700	0.92		
	2000	7	57,160	68,120	79,200	90,400	101,710	0.89		
	2200	7	59,200	70,400	81,600	92,900	104,400	1.05	4	
	2400	7	61,500	73,000	84,800	96,500	108,400	1.22		

Table 15: Hot Water Slab Coil Capacity - Factory Pump - 65°F EAT @ Stated EWT / Large Cabinet 3.0, 3.5, 4.0, 5.0, 6.0 Ton

SECTION 7: REFRIGERANT LEAK DETECTION SYSTEM OPERATION AND SENSOR INSTALLATION

MWARNING

This air handler is equipped with a refrigerant leak mitigation system that energizes the air handler blower motor to deliver at least the required minimum airflow (See Table 25 or 26) when the refrigerant leak detection system detects a leak. This will dilute the flammable A2L class refrigerant to a point that it no longer poses a risk of an explosion or fire. Follow the procedure "Verifying Proper Functioning of Refrigerant Leak Mitigation System" later in this section to confirm the refrigerant mitigation system is functioning as it should.

This air handler is equipped a factory installed refrigerant leak detection system consisting of a refrigerant sensor with integral relays to perform the necessary leak mitigation if a refrigerant leak if detected by the sensor. Should a refrigerant leak occur in the indoor coil, the refrigerant leak detection system will energize the indoor blower and will open the 24VAC circuit to the outdoor unit compressor contactor. The circulation of air will disperse the leaked flammable refrigerant into the conditioned space where it will be diluted to point where it can no longer be ignited by an ignition source. The indoor blower will continue to operate until 5 minutes after the concentration of the refrigerant at the sensor's setpoint drops below the sensor's setpoint. Should the concentration of the refrigerant rise above the setpoint of the sensor, the mitigation cycle will repeat until the refrigerant concentration stays below the setpoint of the sensor. The sensor pigtail marked "ALARM" will normally be energized with 24VAC when no leak is detected and will be de-energized when a leak is detected for the purpose of notifying a building management system to issue a refrigerant leak alarm.

Should the sensor fail or if the sensor wiring is damaged or disconnected, the sensor will automatically enter the mitigation mode until the sensor is replaced or the wiring is reconnected or repaired.

IMPORTANT NOTE: The outdoor unit control wiring must be connected to the refrigerant sensor "Y-CC" pigtail and the "COM" on the air handler low voltage terminal strip for the refrigerant detection system to de-energize the compressor during the leak mitigation mode of operation.

Relocating Refrigerant Sensor for Horizontal Right Discharge Applications

The refrigerant sensor is factory installed, it will be installed in the correct location for upflow, downflow, and horizontal left discharge applications only. For horizontal right applications, the sensor must be moved to the the opposite side of the coil delta plate as shown in Figure 13. Mounting holes are provided on the opposite side of the coil's front delta plate for mounting the sensor for horizontal right discharge applications as shown in Figure 13. Remove the 2 screws securing the sensor to the coil delta plate. Attach the sensor with the same two screws to the holes in the opposite side of the coil delta plate.

Important Note: The refrigerant sensor wiring harness plug must be pointing down or horizontal. If the plug is pointing up, water could collect in the plug and result in operational issues. This does

not apply to Cubic brand sensors which have a water tight plug and will be pointing up in horizontal applications.



Verifying Proper Functioning of Refrigerant Leak Mitigation System

Follow the steps below to verify the proper functioning of the Refrigerant Leak Mitigation System.

- 1. Remove the coil access panel from the front of the air handler.
- 2. Locate the black refrigerant sensor located near the bottom front of the coil assembly.

Leak Detected During Cooling Cycle

- 3. Set the thermostat to "COOL" and the fan switch to "AUTO" and lower the temperature setpoint below the indoor temperature so the system enters the cooling mode.
- 4. Confirm the outdoor unit compressor is operating.
- 5. Within 30 seconds of the compressor starting, release a small amount of refrigerant on the refrigerant sensor to activate the leak mitigation mode.
- 6. Confirm the outdoor unit compressor and fan motor shut down and the indoor blower continues to operate.
- 7. Confirm the indoor blower is energized and 24V is not present at the ORANGE air handler pigtail marked "ALARM".
- 8. Confirm the outdoor unit compressor and fan motor are reenergized approximately 5 minutes after the flow of refrigerant near the sensor has ended and that the indoor blower continues to operate.

Leak Detected During the OFF Cycle

- 9. Set the thermostat to the "OFF" position and wait until the outdoor unit compressor and fan motor stop and indoor blower stops.
- 10. Release a small amount of refrigerant on the refrigeransensor to activate the leak mitigation mode.
- 11. Confirm the indoor blower is energized and 24V is not present at the ORANGE air handler pigtail marked "ALARM".
- 12. Confirm the indoor blower shuts down after approximately 5 minutes after the flow of refrigerant on the refrigerant sensor has ended.
- 13. If the Refrigerant Leak Mitigation System does not operate as stated above, check for loose wiring connections or replace the refrigerant sensor.
- 14. Reinstall the coil access panel on the air handler.
- 15.Set the thermostat to the desired operating mode and temperature.

If the leak detection system does not function properly when subjected to the above procedure, check for miswiring of the system. If the wiring connections are found to be correct per the air handler wiring diagram, replace the sensor with an approved replacement from the manufacturer.

Leak Detection Sensor Replacement

When the refrigerant leak detection system sensor fails or reaches the end of its life, the leak detection system will enter and remain in the leak mitigation mode even though there is no refrigerant leak present. If the leak detection system continues to operate in the mitigation mode even when a refrigerant leak isn't indicated by a portable refrigerant leak detector, replace the sensor with an approved replacement from the air handler manufacturer. Disconnect the wiring harness connector from the failed sensor and remove the sensor mounting screws. Discard the failed sensor. Mount the replacement sensor in the same location as the failed sensor that was removed and connect the sensor wiring harness connector to the sensor. **IMPORTANT:** Mortex may source sensors from various manufacturers that have a different wiring harness connection. A wiring may be necessary to allow the replacement sensor to connect the sensor wiring harness. The wiring adapter will be provided with the replacement sensor. Alternate mounting holes are provided in the coil delta plate to accommodate the various approved sensors. Only use a replacement sensor approved by and provided by Mortex to assure proper operation and compatibility.

Minimum Circulating Airflow for Refrigerant Leak Mitigation

There is a minimum circulating airflow required when the refrigerant leak detection system is operating in the leak mitigation mode. This minimum depends on the total system refrigerant charge and can be found listed in Tables 25 and 26. The refrigerant mitigation system energizes the continuous fan speed on the air handler. The continuous fan CFM (I/s) may need to be increased to achieve the minimum leak mitigation circulating airflow level by changing to a different indoor blower motor speed tap or ECM motor setting that delivers the minimum mitigation airflow level. Refer to the blower performance tables and wiring diagrams in this manual to determine if this adjustment is necessary and if it is determined to be necessary to increase the continuous fan airflow level, follow the instructions in **SECTION 11: MOTOR SPEED SELECTION AND AIR HANDLER STARTUP** in this manual to make the necessary adjustment.

Refrigerant Leak Alarm Output

The coil's refrigerant leak sensor has an alarm output signal that can be used as an input to a building management system or smart thermostat to alert the homeowner or user that the refrigerant detection system has detected a refrigerant leak and is in the leak mitigation mode. There is an ORANGE low voltage pigtail wire in the sensor harness labeled "ALARM". When the sensor is powered and no refrigerant leak is detected, the ORANGE "ALARM" pigtail wire is energized with 24 VAC indicating normal operation. When the refrigerant leak detection system detects a refrigerant leak and enters the leak mitigation mode (indoor blower energized and outdoor unit disabled), the ORANGE "ALARM" pigtail wire will be de-energized (0 VAC). The ORANGE "ALARM" pigtail wire is capped with a wire nut from the factory. Remove this wire nut and connect it to the building management system or smart thermostat as required if a refrigerant leak alert is desired. The building management system or smart thermostat shall be programmed to accept the reverse logic alarm signal (24 VAC -Normal; 0 VAC - Refrigerant Leak).

If a 24 VAC output when a refrigerant leak is detected is required to activate a warning light or audible alarm, the ORANGE "ALARM" pigtail wire shall be connected to the coil of a field supplied relay with normally closed contacts and a 24 VAC coil. An 18 AWG minimum wire from the furnace 24 VAC common circuit shall be connected to the other side of the relay coil. An 18 AWG minimum wire from the furnace 24 VAC "R" transformer circuit shall be connected to the terminal for one side of the normally closed relay contacts and an 18 AWG minimum wire to the warning light or audible alarm shall be connected to terminal for the other side of the normally closed relay contacts. All field supplied wiring shall be protected from damage. When no refrigerant leak is detected, the relay will be energized and the relay contacts will be open, disconnecting the 24 VAC signal to the warning light or audible alarm. When a refrigerant leak is detected, the relay will be deenergized and the contacts will close sending a 24 VAC signal to the warning light or audible alarm.

Power Supply Wiring

The factory air handler internal wiring is complete except for the power supply and the thermostat wires. See Tables 16 and 17 for wire size, fuse/circuit breaker size, and ground wire sizes. The use of cable connectors on incoming power supply wires to relieve any strain on wiring is required. Follow the steps in the next column to connect the power supply wires.

NOTE: A means of disconnecting all poles of the line voltage power to the air handler must be provided in the field wiring within sight of the air handler.

Line Voltage Wiring Connections

- 1. Remove the blower and control box access panel.
- 2. Remove the control box cover.
- 3. Remove the appropriate size slug from the line voltage wiring entrance knockout on the left side or top of the air handler cabinet and install a strain relief bushing that will accommodate all of the power supply wires in the hole.
- 4. Strip $\frac{1}{2}$ of the insulation on the end of each wire.
- 5. Insert the wires through strain relief bushing.
- 6. Insert the black wire into the L1 screw terminal on the terminal block and tighten the set screw on the wire.
- 7. Insert the white wire into the N screw terminal on the terminal block and tighten the set screw on the wire.
- 8. Insert the green wire into the ground lug and tighten the set screw on the wire.
- 9. Tighten the screw on the strain relief bushing until the wires are securely held by the bushing.

NOTE: If sheathed cable is used, refer to NEC National Electrical Code (NFPA 70) or the Canadian Electrical Code, Part I (CSA C22.1) and local codes for additional requirements concerning supply circuit wiring. Air handler electrical data can be found in Tables 16 and 17.



🛕 IMPORTANT

All field wiring must be rated for 60°C or higher. Refer to the wiring diagrams on the air handler orl in this manual for more information.

Refer to the NEC National Electrical Code (NFPA 70) or the Canadian Electrical Code, Part I (CSA C22.1) and local codes for wiring material requirements.

AIR HANDLER MODELS									
M*VE 18, 24 M*VT 18, 24 M*VE 25, 30, 36 M*VT 25, 30, 36									
Indoor Blower Type	ECM	Constant Torque	ECM	Constant Torque					
Indoor Blower Amps	7.30	4.80	8.40	8.40					
Minimum Circuit Ampacity	9.13	6.00	10.50	10.50					
Minimum Wire Size (90°C)	#14	#14	#14	#14					
Minimum Wire Size (75°C)	#14	#14	#14	#14					
Minimum Wire Size (60°C)	#14	#14	#14	#14					
Ground Wire Size	*	*	*	*					
Maximum Overcurrent Protection Amps**	15	15	15	15					
Water Pump Amps	0.57	0.57	0.57	0.57					
MCA with Water Pump	9.84	6.71	11.21	11.21					

Table 16: Wiring Requirements – 115 VAC Hydronic 18-36 kBTU Models - Single Branch Circuit

+ Refer to the National Electrical Code Table 250-95 for Non-Sheathed Conductor Ground Wire.

* Ground conductor must be the same size and temperature rating as the other conductors listed in Table 16.

** Circuit breakers must be HACR type.

AIR HANDLER MODELS										
	M*VE 37,42,48,60	MS*T 37, 42, 48, 60	M*VE 72							
Indoor Blower Type	ECM	Constant Torque	ECM							
Indoor Blower Amps	12.80	10.90	12.80							
Minimum Circuit Ampacity	16.00	13.63	16.00							
Minimum Wire Size (90°C)	#12	#14	#12							
Minimum Wire Size (75°C)	#12	#14	#12							
Minimum Wire Size (60°C)	#12	#14	#12							
Ground Wire Size	*	*	*							
Maximum Overcurrent Protection Amps**	20	15	20							
Water Pump Amps	0.57	0.57	0.57							
CA with Water Pump	16.71	14.34	16.71							

Table 17: Wiring Requirements – 115 VAC Hydronic 37-72kBTU Models - Single Branch Circuit

+ Refer to the National Electrical Code Table 250-95 for Non-Sheathed Conductor Ground Wire.

* Ground conductor **must be the same size and temperature rating** as the other conductors listed in Table 17.

Cabinet or cabinet must be permanently grounded in accordance with the National Electrical Code or other applicable codes.

** Circuit breakers must be HACR type.





SECTION 9: THERMOSTAT WIRING AND CONNECTIONS

Thermostat Wiring

Thermostat wires connect through side of air handler and should be no smaller than 22 gauge. Refer to Table 18 for recommended wire gauge, lengths and maximum current for each wire gauge.

Max. Thermostat	Thermostat Wire	Thermostat Wire
Wire Length	Gauge	Maximum Current
0 - 100 Feet	22	3.0 Amps
0 - 125 Feet	20	3.0 amps
0 - 250 Feet	18	3.0 amps

Table 18: Low Voltage Wire Gauge and Maximum Lengths

Thermostat wires can enter through the side or top of the air handler. When bringing wiring through the top or side of the air handler, cable connectors must be installed to hold wiring in place and to relieve any strain on the wiring.

The thermostat wire colors and the typical heating/cooling connections are listed in Table 19. The thermostat wire colors and the typical heat pump connections are listed in Table 20.

Thermostat Installation

The thermostat heat anticipator must be set at 0.4 amps if the thermostat has a manual heat anticipator adjustment. This setting should be checked at the time of installation.

The thermostat may be a "self-setting" type in which no heat anticipator setting will be found on the thermostat, eliminating the need for field adjustment.

The thermostat should be located on an inside wall in an open area or hallway to more closely sense average room air, preferably where there is air movement back to air handler.

The thermostat should not be located within 3 feet of from any windows and should be 52 to 66 inches above the floor. Do not place the thermostat within 3 feet of any supply air register.

Maintenance, operating, and/or programming instructions are in the envelope shipped with the thermostat. The envelope should be given to the homeowner or user after the installation is complete.

Air Handler and Outdoor Unit With Separate Transformers

If the air-hander and the outdoor unit have separate transformers, it is important to use a thermostat with isolated heating and cooling terminals "RC" and "RH" to prevent interconnection of separate Class II 24VAC control systems. These thermostats have an "RC" terminal for cooling and an "RH" terminal for heating. Connect the outdoor unit RED wire from the "R" terminal on the outdoor unit to the "RC" terminal on the thermostat and the RED air handler pigtail wire to the "RH" terminal on the thermostat. Remove the jumper between the "RH" and "RC" terminals if one exists. If the air handler and outdoor unit using separate transformers are both connected to the thermostat single "R" terminal, or if the jumper between "RH" and "RC" is not removed, a transformer burnout can occur or either the air handler or outdoor unit control system could go into lockout mode. If an air handler and outdoor unit with separate transformers are being installed and the thermostat does not have o"RC" and "RH" terminals, a new thermostat with "RC" and "RH" terminals must be purchased and installed.

IMPORTANT: Cycle the air handler and outdoor unit separately to make sure both operate correctly.

Separate Heating and Outdoor Units With Separate Thermostats

If the home has a central heating and cooling system, but the hydronic heat and DX cooling are controlled by separate thermostats, the use of a thermostat interlock switch is required in order to prevent heating and cooling from operating at the same time.



Do not locate thermostat within three feet of any of the following items:

- 1. Supply air registers
- 2. Lights or heat lamps
- 3. Aquariums
- 4. Televisions, stereo, amplifiers, surround sound systems
- 5. Stoves or any cooking appliance
- 6. Refrigerator
- 7. Clothes washer or dryer 8. Hot water tank
- 9. Sink or near any hot water
- 10. Within 15 feet of any electric space heater
- 11. Within 2 feet of any direct sunlight

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When using separate heating and cooling thermostats, a thermostat interlock system must be provided to prevent simultaneous operation of the hydronic heat and cooling. Simultaneous operation can result in equipment overheating, equipment damage, and wasted energy.

<u>DO NOT</u> connect the YELLOW wire to the thermostat unless an outdoor unit is installed.





DESCRIPTION	LETTER CODE	AIR HANDLER PIG TAIL WIRE CONNECTION	THERMOSTAT CONNECTION	OUTDOOR UNIT CONNECTION
24 VAC	R	RED	R	N/A
Heat	W	WHITE	W	N/A
Indoor Fan	G	GREEN	G	N/A
Cooling / Opt. 1st Stage Cooling	Y /Y1	YELLOW	Y /Y1	Y /Y1
Optional 2nd Stage Cooling	Y2	BLUE	Y2	Y2
24 VAC Common	С	BROWN	С	С
Y-Out to Outdoor Unit	Y-CC	WHITE	N/A	Y/Y1
Refrigerant Leak Alarm	ALARM	ORANGE	See Thermostat Instructions	N/A

Table 19: Typical Heat / Cool Thermostat Wire Color Colors and Low Voltage Connections

DESCRIPTION	LETTER CODE	AIR HANDLER PIG TAIL WIRE CONNECTION	THERMOSTAT CONNECTION	OUTDOOR UNIT CONNECTION
24 VAC	R	RED	R	R
Heat	W	WHITE	E (Thermostat) W (Air Handler)	See Outdoor Unit Instructions
Indoor Fan	G	GREEN	G	N/A
Cooling / Opt. 1st Stage Cooling	Y /Y1	YELLOW	Y /Y1	Y /Y1
Optional 2nd Stage Cooling	Y2	BLUE	Y2	Y2
24 VAC Common	С	BROWN	С	С
Heat Pump Reversing Valve Solenoid (Most Outdoor Unit Brands)	о	N/A	0	O See Outdoor Unit Instructions
Heat Pump Reversing Valve Solenoid (Some Outdoor Unit Brands)	В	N/A	В	B See Outdoor Unit Instructions
Y-Out to Outdoor Unit	Y-CC	WHITE	N/A	Y/Y1
Refrigerant Leak Alarm	ALARM	ORANGE	See Thermostat Instructions	N/A

Table 20: Typical Heat Pump Thermostat Wire Colors and Low Voltage Connections

Typical Heating/Cooling Thermostat Wiring Connections

- 1. Remove blower/control box access panel.
- 2. Remove the control box cover.
- 3. Insert the low voltage wire cables from the thermostat and outdoor unit through the 9/16" diameter hole located in the top or right side of the air handler and into the control box. Place the ends of these cables next to the air handler low voltage terminal block (LVTB) or air handler low voltage pigtails. Secure these cables in the 9/16" diameter hole with a strain relief to prevent wire connections from being pulled apart.
- 4. Strip $\frac{1}{2}$ " of the insulation on the end of each thermostat cable wire.
- 5. Connect the RED (24 VAC) wire from the thermostat cable to the "R" screw terminal on the LVTB or to the RED air handler pigtail with a wire nut.
- 6. Connect the WHITE wire from the thermostat cable to the "W" screw terminal on the LVTB or to the WHITE air handler pigtail with a wire nut.
- 7. Connect the GREEN (indoor fan) wire from the thermostat cable to the "G" screw terminal on the LVTB or to the GREEN air handler pigtail with a wire nut.
- 8. For M*VT models (constant torque motor), connect the YELLOW (cooling) wire from the thermostat to the "Y" screw terminal on the LVTB.
- 9. For M*VE models (ECM motor), connect the YELLOW wire from the thermostat to both the YELLOW "Y1" and BLUE "Y2" air handler pigtails with a wire nut for single-stage cooling applications to assure full nominal airflow. For 2-stage cooling applications, connect the wire from the thermostat "Y1" terminal to the YELLOW "Y1"air handler pigtail and connect the wire from the thermostat "Y2" terminal to the BLUE "Y2" air handler pigtail.
- 10. Connect the two BROWN (24 VAC common) wires from the thermostat and outdoor unit cables to the "C" screw terminal on the LVTB or to the BROWN air handler pigtail with a wire nut.
- 11. If a refrigerant leak alert is desired and a building management system or smart thermostat capable of providing that alert is being used, removed the wire nut from the end of the ORANGE pigtail wire labeled "ALARM" and connect it to the appropriate

building management system or smart thermostat connections. See "Refrigerant Leak Alarm Output" on page 24 for additional information.

Typical Heat Pump Thermostat Wiring Connections

- 1. Remove the blower / control box access panel.
- 2. Remove the control box cover.
- 3. Insert the low voltage wire cables from the thermostat and outdoor unit through the 9/16" diameter hole located in the top or side of the air handler and into the control box. Place the ends of these low voltage cables next to the air handler low voltage terminal block (LVTB) or low voltage pigtails. Secure these cables in the 9/16" diameter hole with a strain relief to prevent wire connections from being pulled apart.
- 4. Strip $\frac{1}{2}$ of the insulation on the end of each thermostat wire.
- 5. Connect the RED (24 VAC) wire from the thermostat cable to the "R" screw terminal on the LVTB or to the RED air handler pigtail with a wire nut.
- 6. Connect the WHITE (emergency heat) wire from the thermostat's "E" terminal to the "W" screw terminal on the air handler LVTB or to the WHITE air handler pigtail. If applicable, also connect the wire from the outdoor control board that calls for supplemental heat during the defrost cycle to the "W" terminal on the air handler LVTB or to the WHITE air handler pigtail. Refer to the outdoor unit installation instructions for additional information.
- 7. Connect the GREEN wire from the thermostat "G" terminal to the "G" screw terminal on the LVTB or to the GREEN air handler pigtail with a wire nut.
- 8. For M*VT models (constant torque motor), connect the YELLOW (cooling) wire from the thermostat to the "Y" screw terminal on the LVTB.
- 9. For M*VE models (ECM motor), connect the YELLOW wire from the thermostat to both the YELLOW "Y1" and BLUE "Y2" air handler pigtails with a wire nut for single-stage cooling applications to assure full nominal airflow. For 2-stage cooling applications, connect the wire from the thermostat "Y1" terminal to the YELLOW "Y1" air handler pigtail and connect the wire from the thermostat "Y2" terminal to the BLUE "Y2" air handler pigtail.

- 10. Connect the BROWN (24 VAC common) wire from the thermostat "C" terminal and the wire from the outdoor unit "C" terminal or 24 VAC common pigtail to the "C" screw terminal on the LVTB or to the BROWN air handler pigtail with a wire nut.
- 11.Connect the wire (reversing valve solenoid) wire from the thermostat "O" or "B" terminal with the wire from the "O" or "B" terminal or pigtail on the outdoor unit with a wire nut. Refer to the outdoor unit installation instructions for additional information.
- 12. If a refrigerant leak alert is desired and a building management system or smart thermostat capable of providing that alert is being used, removed the wire nut from the end of the ORANGE pigtail wire labeled "ALARM" and connect it to the appropriate building management system or smart thermostat connections. See "Refrigerant Leak Alarm Output" on page 24 for additional information.

Thermostat Heat Anticipator

Some thermostats have a heat anticipator that must be set to 0.4 in order to function correctly. If the heat anticipator setting is too low the air handler will short cycle. If the heat anticipator setting is too high the air handler will run long cycles thus causing the temperature to overrun the temperature setting. This will cause the homeowner to feel hot by the time the blower completes its cycle and then too cold by the time the air handler cycles on again.

IMPORTANT NOTES FOR HYDRONIC AIR HANDLERS

- 1) The YELLOW wire from the thermostat "Y" terminal must connect to the "Y" terminal on the electronic hydronic control board and the "Y" signal wire (typically YELLOW) from the outdoor unit compressor contactor must connect to the "CC" terminal on the control board. The thermostat "Y" signal is passed from the "CLin" terminal to the "CLout" terminal with a factory installed jumper wire. The CLout terminal is connected to the "CC" terminal internally in the control board. The jumper between the CLin and CLout terminals allows the "Y" signal to reach the CC terminal on applications without a compressor lockout switch. For applications where a compressor lock-out switch has been installed, this jumper is replaced with the two wires from the lock-out switch.
- 2) If the YELLOW wire from the thermostat "Y" terminal on a hydronic air handler is not connected to the hydronic control board Y terminal, the indoor blower motor will not operate in the cooling or heat pump heating mode which will result in no cooling and frosting up of the indoor coil in the cooling mode or no heating and excessive compressor head pressures in the heat pump heating mode.

SECTION 10: BLOWER PERFORMANCE

Model Number	Motor HP	Volts 1 Ph. 50/60 Hz.	Motor Code	Blower Wheel	Speed Tap	CFM @ 0.10" ESP	CFM @ 0.20" ESP	CFM @ 0.30" ESP	CFM @ 0.40" ESP	CFM @ 0.50" ESP	CFM @ 0.60" ESP		
					1	710	626	552	436	429	376		
M*VT18					2	848	788	732	646	552	537		
M*VT24	0.50	115	VJ1	10 X 8	3	908	844	789	747	678	570		
Hydronic					4	1076	1020	972	899	808	667		
					5	1187	1111	1040	962	842	691		
					1	911	839	788	717	695	590		
M*VT25					2	1030	909	909	842	766	761		
Hydronic	0.75	115	VK1	10 X 8	3	1080	1023	976	920	849	780		
Heat					4	1158	1104	1038	985	917	861		
					5	1254	1203	1146	1093	1035	973		
					1	1018	973	935	902	858	808		
M*VT30					2	1065	1022	989	958	923	880		
Hydronic	0.75	115	VK1	10 X 8	3	1154	1118	1082	1051	1020	984		
Heat					4	1269	1231	1191	1166	1135	1111		
					5	1358	1326	1294	1270	1237	1210		
					1	1158	1121	1086	1053	1024	994		
M*VT36				K1 10 X 8	2	1267	1236	1199	1166	1140	1105		
Hydronic	0.75	115	VK1		3	1358	1327	1290	1260	1236	1204		
Heat						4	1608	1545	1483	1414	1332	1255	
					5	1643	1589	1512	1431	1351	1279		
							1	1240	1202	1145	1088	1027	975
M*VT37					2	1344	1307	1254	1202	1161	1096		
Hydronic	1.00	115	VX1	12 X 10	3	1409	1369	1324	1278	1237	1175		
Heat					4	1504	1453	1414	1373	1312	1273		
					5	1589	1558	1504	1462	1409	1373		
					1	1445	1395	1354	1306	1251	1215		
M*VT42					2	1522	1479	1440	1391	1344	1296		
Hydronic	1.00	115	VX1	12 X 10	3	1603	1571	1518	1484	1431	1381		
Heat					4	1692	1650	1615	1575	1530	1484		
					5	1805	1758	1722	1681	1638	1595		
					1	1592	1560	1511	1473	1430	1376		
M*VT48					2	1691	1658	1627	1576	1540	1494		
Hydronic	1.00	115	VX1	12 X 10	3	1789	1750	1717	1677	1631	1592		
Heat					4	1888	1847	1817	1771	1739	1695		
					5	2162	2091	2031	1950	1880	1796		
					1	1564	1523	1482	1421	1381	1336		
M*VT60					2	1653	1607	1564	1511	1477	1435		
Hydronic	1.00	115	VX1	12 X 10	3	1734	1701	1653	1618	1572	1523		
Heat					4	1895	1849	1818	1773	1730	1683		
					5	2151	2085	2015	1939	1870	1776		

 Table 21: M*VT Blower Performance Chart – Hydronic Heat Models - Constant Torque Motors With Hot Water Coil - Without Air Filter

 Note: For MMVT Series modular air handlers, the ESP in the table assumes a typical cooling coil has been installed on the air handler.

Model Number	Nominal Tons	Motor HP	Volts 1 Ph. 50/60 Hz	Motor Code	Blower Wheel	Jumper	CFM @ 0.10"	CFM @ 0.20"	CFM @ 0.30"	CFM @ 0.40"	CFM @ 0.50"
M*VE18,24	1.5	0.33	115	VG	10X7	A	884	884	884	880	880
Hydronic	&					В	799	792	789	789	789
Heat	2.0					С	691	691	691	691	690
						D	589	589	589	589	584
M*VE25,30,36	1.5	0.50	115	VH	10 X 7	А	1294	1255	1200	1137	1058
Hydronic	Thru					В	1131	1104	1075	1082	1023
Heat	3.0					С	974	942	909	853	831
						D	808	769	736	702	657
M*VE37,42,48,60	3.0	1.00	115	VI	12 X 9	А	2001	1994	1994	1987	1972
Hydronic	Thru					В	1820	1820	1820	1804	1796
Heat	5.0					С	1587	1599	1604	1604	1604
						D	1385	1385	1385	1385	1385
M*VE72	6.0	1.00	115	VW	12 X 10	А	2132	2119	2091	2077	2063
Hydronic						В	1921	1901	1901	1886	1886
Heat						С	1724	1724	1724	1724	1707
						D	1508	1508	1508	1488	1488

Table 22: M*VE Blower Performance Chart – Hydronic Heat Models - ECM Motors (Y1+Y2, W) With Hot Water Coil - Without Air Filter

Notes: 1) For single-stage cooling/heat pump systems, connect the wire from the "Y" thermostat terminal to both the "Y1" and "Y2" air handler low voltage pigtails to assure full nominal airflow.

2) "Y1" CFM (1st stage cooling/heat pump heating) is approximately 70% of the values shown in Table 22.

3) Continuous fan CFM is approximately 50% of the values shown in Table 22.

4) For MMVE Series modular air handlers, the ESP in the table assumes a typical cooling coil has been installed on the air handler.

SECTION 11: BLOWER MOTOR SPEED SELECTION

Notice: The factory motor speed tap settings are appropriate for most applications. Refer to the blower performance tables in Section 10 of this manual before changing the motor speeds from the factory settings.

WARNING

This air handler is equipped with a refrigerant leak mitigation system that energizes the air handler blower motor to deliver at least the required minimum airflow (See Table 25 or 26) when the refrigerant leak detection system detects a leak. This will dilute the flammable A2L class refrigerant to a point that it no longer poses a risk of an explosion or fire. Follow the procedure "Verifying Proper Functioning of Refrigerant Leak Mitigation System" later in this section to confirm the refrigerant mitigation system is functioning as it should.

Motor Speed Change - ECM Motor

- 1. Turn off the circuit breaker to the air handler at the main electrical panel and move the local air handler disconnect switch to the "OFF" position.
- 2. Remove the blower / control box access panel and remove the control box cover.
- Changing the heating mode blower motor speed is accomplished by moving the "HEAT" jumper pins to one of the following settings. A = High Speed, B = Medium High Speed, C = Medium Speed, and D = Low Speed.
- 4. Changing the cooling mode blower motor speed is accomplished by moving the "COOL" jumper pins to one of the following settings.
- 5. A = High Speed, B = Medium High Speed, C = Medium Speed, and D = Low Speed. The **ADJUST** pin can be used to either increase or decrease the blower air-flow by 10% 12% and will affect both the heating and cooling air-flows by the same percentage. Placing the jumper in normal setting will result in no increase or decrease in air-flow. The + setting will increase the air-flow by 10% -12%. The setting will decrease the air-flow by 10% 12%.
- 6. The PROFILES jumper pins are used for blower motor ON and OFF delays. See Climate Profiles in the back of the SERVICE AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL for this air handler to determine the proper setting for the climate where the air handler is being installed..
- 7. Reinstall the control box cover and blower / control box access panel.
- 8. Turn on the circuit breaker to the air handler at the main electrical panel and move the local air handler disconnect switch to the **"ON"** position.
- 9. Set the thermostat to the desired mode and temperature.

Control Board Flash Code

The ECM control board has a CFM flash code when the air handler is operation to indicate the current CFM.

- Flashes once per 100 CFM.
- To determine the selected CFM, count the number of flashes between pauses and multiply by 100.

• The flash sequence is followed by a 10 second OFF period signifying the end of the flash code and the flash sequence then starts over.

Note: Since blower external static pressure will be reduced when the blower access panel is removed, blower RPM will be lower than normal to maintain the selected CFM.

MWARNING

To avoid personal injury or property damage, make certain that the motor leads cannot come into contact with noninsulated metal components of the air handler.

CAUTION

The **test** setting on the ADJUST jumper pins must not be used except for trouble shooting to determine if the blower operates.

- 1. Common C1
- 2. W/W1
- 3. Common C2
- Delay Tap Select
 Cool Tap Select
- 5. Cool 6. Y1
- 7. Adjust Tap Select
- 8. Output –
- 9. Reversing Valve (Heat Pump Only)
- 10. Humidistat (BK)
- 11. Heat Tap Select
- 12. 24 VAC (R)
- 13. 2nd Stage Heat (EM/W2)
- 14. 2nd Stage Cool (Y/Y2)
- 15. Fan (G)
- 16. Output +

Table 23: ECM Motor Control Connector Terminals





Example of the flash code:

The air handler is operating at 1400 CFM. The flash sequence will be 14 one-second flashes, 0.1 seconds apart, followed by a 10 second pause before the flash sequence starts over.

Dehumidification Mode

The ECM control board has a jumper pin (OP1) to enable or disable the de-humidification mode. If the OP1 jumper is set to the ON position, humidification mode is enabled and a 24 VAC signal from a dehumidification capable thermostat or humidistat must be present at the HUM terminal on the ECM control board when the humidity is below the humidity set point.

Important: The humidistat contacts must open when humidity is above the set point which will remove 24 VAC from the HUM terminal and reduce the air-flow by 30%.

The dehumidify LED on the control board will be lit when the motor is running at the reduced "dehumidify" air-flow.

If the dehumidification mode is not desired by the homeowner, the OP1 jumper pin must be placed in the OFF position to disable dehumidification.

Motor Speed Change – Constant Torque Motor

- 1. Turn off the circuit breaker to the air handler at the main electrical panel and move the local air handler disconnect switch to the "OFF" position.
- 2. Remove the blower / control box access panel.
- Locate the BLACK and RED wires connected to two of the 1–5 speed tap terminals on the motor terminal block (See Figure 21).
- The BLACK wire is for HIGH speed and the RED wire is for LOW speed. Connect the BLACK and RED wires to the desired speed taps.
- 5. Reinstall the blower / control box access panel.
- 6. Turn on the circuit breaker to the air handler at the main electrical panel and move the local air handler disconnect switch to the "ON" position.
- 7. Set the thermostat to the desired mode and temperature.

TERMINAL	CONNECTION				
С	Speed Tap Common - 24 VAC Common				
L	Supply Voltage - 115 VAC				
G	Ground Connection				
N	Supply Voltage - Neutral				
1	Low Speed Tap - 24 VAC Input				
2	Medium - Low Speed Tap - 24 VAC Input				
3	Medium Speed Tap - 24 VAC Input				
4	Medium - High Speed Tap - 24 VAC Input				
5	High Speed Tap - 24 VAC Input				

Table 24: Constant Torque Motor Terminal Connections



SECTION 12: FILLING HEATING SYSTEM WITH WATER AND SYSTEM STARTUP

Filling Hydronic Heating System With Water and Purging Air From System

- 1. Fill and pressurize the water heater and water coil.
- 2. Check for water leaks and seal any leaks that are found.
- 3. Turn the water heater on and set water temperature at 130°F for now.
- 4. Vent air from the water tank by opening a hot water spigot or faucet.
- 5. Vent and flush the supply and return water lines by attaching a hose to the volume purge valve and running purge water to a safe location. Run approximately 5 gallons of water at a high flow rate to purge.
- 6. Switch the air handler power disconnect switch to the "ON" position.
- 7. Switch the air handler circuit breakers in the main electrical panel to the ON position.
- 8. Set the thermostat HEAT/COOL switch to the HEAT position and adjust the set point above the room temperature to call for heat. The fan and water pump (provided a water pump is present) should start simultaneously. The water coil should be warm after a few minutes of operation.
- 9. The air handler is rated for water temperatures of 130°-180°F. Set water heater temperature at design temperature and take proper safeguards for water usage at supply points per local codes and safety considerations.

NOTE: If CPVC or PEX hot water tubing is used, do not set the water temperature above 150°F.

10. Set thermostat HEAT/COOL switch to the OFF position.

Cooling System Startup

- 1. Set the thermostat FAN Switch to the ON position to enable the continuous fan mode.
- 2. Check for air leaks at all duct connections and seal any leaks that are found.
- 3. Set the thermostat FAN switch to the AUTO position.
- 4. Set the thermostat HEAT/COOL switch to the COOL position and adjust the set point below the room temperature to enable the cooling mode.
- 5. Check for proper cooling operation per the outdoor unit installation and operating manual.
- 6. Set the thermostat to the desired operating mode and adjust the temperature for comfort conditions.

Verifying Proper Functioning of Refrigerant Leak Mitigation System

A test to confirm the proper functioning of the refrigerant leak mitigation system must be performed at the final system checkout. Follow the procedure below to perform that test.

- 1. Remove the coil access panel from the front of the air handler.
- 2. Locate the black refrigerant sensor located near the bottom front of the coil assembly (see Figure 12).

Leak Detected During Cooling Cycle

- 3. Set the thermostat to "COOL" and the fan switch to "AUTO" and lower the temperature setpoint below the indoor temperature so the system enters the cooling mode.
- 4. Confirm the outdoor unit compressor is operating.
- 5. Within 30 seconds of the compressor starting, release a small amount of refrigerant on the refrigerant sensor to activate the leak mitigation mode.
- 6. Confirm the outdoor unit compressor and fan motor shut down and the indoor blower continues to operate.
- 7. Confirm the indoor blower is energized and 24V is not present at the air handler pigtail marked "ALARM".
- 8. Confirm the outdoor unit compressor and fan motor are reenergized approximately 5 minutes after the flow of refrigerant near the sensor has ended and that the indoor blower continues to operate.

Leak Detected During the OFF Cycle

- 9. Set the thermostat to the "OFF" position and wait until the outdoor unit compressor and fan motor stop and indoor blower stops.
- 10. Release a small amount of refrigerant on the refrigerant sensor to activate the leak mitigation mode.
- 11. Confirm the indoor blower is energized and 24V is not present at the air handler pigtail marked "ALARM".
- 12. Confirm the indoor blower shuts down after approximately 5 minutes after the flow of refrigerant on the refrigerant sensor has ended.
- 13. If the Refrigerant Leak Mitigation System does not operate as stated above, check for loose wiring connections or replace the refrigerant sensor.
- 14. Reinstall the coil access panel on the air handler.
- 15.Set the thermostat to the desired operating mode and temperature.

If the leak detection system does not function properly when subjected to the above procedure, check for miswiring of the system. If the wiring connections are found to be correct per the air handler wiring diagram, replace the sensor with an approved replacement from the manufacturer using the following procedure.

Leak Detection Sensor Replacement

When the refrigerant leak detection sensor fails or reaches the end of its life, the leak detection sensor will enter and remain in the leak mitigation mode even though there is no refrigerant leak present. If the leak detection system continues to operate in the mitigation mode even when a refrigerant leak isn't indicated by a portable refrigerant leak detector, replace the sensor with an approved replacement from the air coil manufacturer. Disconnect the wiring harness connector from the failed sensor and remove the sensor mounting screws. Discard the failed sensor. Mount the replacement sensor in the same location as the failed sensor that was removed and connect the sensor wiring harness connector to the sensor. Verify the proper function of the refrigerant leak mitigation system using the **"Verifying Proper Functioning of Refrigerant Leak Mitigation System"** above.

IMPORTANT: Mortex may source sensors from various manufacturers that have a different wiring harness connection. A wiring adapter may be necessary to allow the replacement sensor to connect the sensor wiring harness. The wiring adapter will be provided with the replacement sensor. Alternate mounting holes are provided to accommodate the various approved sensors. Only use a replacement sensor approved by and provided by Mortex to assure proper operation and compatibility.

Only the following refrigerant sensor kits may be used for Mortex products:

R-32 Refrigerant: R68ALL001 R-454B Refrigerant: R68ALL002

IMPORTANT: The refrigerant sensor wiring harness plug must be pointing down or horizontal. If the plug is pointing up, water could collect in the plug and result in operational issues. This does not apply to Cubic brand sensors which have a water tight plug and will be pointing up in horizontal applications.

SECTION 13: WIRING DIAGRAMS







Figure 23: M*VE 18 - 36 / ECM 2.3 – With Pump – No Choke







Figure 25: M*VE 37 - 72 / ECM – With Choke - No Pump



Figure 26: M*VT 18 – 36 / Constant Torque Motor – With Pump - No Choke



Figure 27: M*VT 18 – 36 / Constant Torque Motor – No Pump - No Choke







Figure 29: M*VT 37 - 60 Constant Torque Motor – With Choke - No Pump

Total System Refrigerant Charge (kg)	Total System Refrigerant Charge (oz)	Total System Refrigerant Charge (Ib)	Min. Area of Conditioned Space (m²)	Min. Area of Conditioned Space (ft²)	Min. Air-Flow (meter³/hr)	Min. Air-Flow (liter/s)	Min. Air-Flow (CFM)
1.776 kg or less	62.6 oz or less	3.91 lb or less	No Minimum	No Minimum	No Minimum	No Minimum	No Minimum
1.78	63	3.92	5.47	59	180	50	106
1.92	68	4.22	5.88	63	194	54	114
2.05	72	4.52	6.30	68	208	58	122
2.19	77	4.82	6.72	72	222	62	131
2.32	82	5.12	7.14	77	236	65	139
2.46	87	5.42	7.56	81	249	69	147
2.60	92	5.72	7.97	86	263	73	155
2.73	96	6.02	8.39	90	277	77	163
2.87	101	6.32	8.81	95	291	81	171
3.00	106	6.62	9.23	99	305	85	179
3.14	111	6.92	9.65	104	318	88	187
3.28	116	7.22	10.06	108	332	92	195
3.41	120	7.52	10.48	113	346	96	204
3.55	125	7.82	10.90	117	360	100	212
3.69	130	8.12	11.32	122	374	104	220
3.82	135	8.42	11 74	126	387	108	228
3.96	140	8.73	12 15	131	401	111	220
4 09	144	9.03	12.13	135	415	115	250
4.33	149	9.33	12.99	140	479	119	257
4.25	15/	0.63	12.55	140	442	172	252
4.57	154	9.05	12.02	144	442	125	200
4.30	159	9.93 10.22	14.24	149	430	127	209
4.04	164	10.25	14.24	155	470	124	277
4.//	108	10.03	14.00	108	484	134	285
4.91	173	10.83	15.08	162	498	138	293
5.05	1/8	11.13	15.50	167	511	142	301
5.18	183	11.43	15.92	1/1	525	146	309
5.32	188	11./3	16.33	1/6	539	150	31/
5.45	192	12.03	16./5	180	553	154	325
5.59	197	12.33	17.17	185	567	157	333
5.73	202	12.63	17.59	189	580	161	342
5.86	207	12.93	18.01	194	594	165	350
6.00	212	13.23	18.42	198	608	169	358
6.14	216	13.53	18.84	203	622	173	366
6.27	221	13.83	19.26	207	636	177	374
6.41	226	14.13	19.68	212	649	180	382
6.54	231	14.43	20.10	216	663	184	390
6.68	236	14.73	20.51	221	677	188	398
6.82	240	15.03	20.93	225	691	192	407
6.95	245	15.33	21.35	230	705	196	415
7.09	250	15.03	21.//	234	/ 18	200	423
7.22	200	16.73	22.19	239	732	205	431
7.50	200	16.53	22.00	243	740	207	439
7.50	269	16.83	23.02	240	700	211	455
7.77	235	17.13	23.86	252	787	213	463
7.90	279	17.43	24.28	261	801	223	471
8.04	284	17.73	24.69	266	815	226	480
8.18	288	18.03	25.11	270	829	230	488
8.31	293	18.33	25.53	275	843	234	496
8.45	298	18.63	25.95	279	856	238	504
8.59	303	18.93	26.37	284	870	242	512
8.72	308	19.23	26.78	288	884	246	520
8.86	312	19.53	27.20	293	898	249	528
8.99	317	19.83	27.62	297	911	253	536

TABLE: 25: MINIMUM CONDITIONED SPACE AREA & AIR-FLOW FOR R-454B REFRIGERANT INSTALLATIONS

NOTES: 1. Applies to fixed ducted systems with continuous air-flow or refrigerant detection systems only.

2. Based on LFL of 0.296 kg/m³

Total System Refrigerant Charge (kg)	Total System Refrigerant Charge (oz)	Total System Refrigerant Charge (lb)	Min. Area of Conditioned Space (m²)	Min. Area of Conditioned Space (ft²)	Min. Air-Flow (meter³/hr)	Min. Air-Flow (liter/s)	Min. Air-Flow (CFM)
1.836 kg or less	64.6 oz or less	4 04 lb or less	No Minimum	No Minimum	No Minimum	No Minimum	No Minimum
1.84	65	4.06	5.47	59	180	50	106
1 98	70	4 36	5.87	63	194	54	114
2 11	75	4 66	6.28	68	207	58	122
2.11	79	4 96	6.68	72	220	61	130
2.25	84	5.26	7.08	76	220	65	138
2.50	89	5.20	7.00	81	247	69	145
2.52	94	5.86	7.49	85	247	72	153
2.00	00	6.16	8 30	89	200	76	161
2.75	102	6.16	8.50	04	274	80	160
2.55	105	6.76	0.11	08	207	80	103
2.00	100	7.06	0.51	102	214	05	177
3.20	110	7.00	9.51	102	214	01	103
3.34	110	7.30	9.91	107	327	91	195
3.47	125	7.00	10.32	111	341	95	200
3.01	127	7.96	10.72	115	354	98	208
3./5	132	8.26	11.13	120	36/	102	216
3.88	137	8.56	11.53	124	381	106	224
4.02	142	8.86	11.94	128	394	109	232
4.15	147	9.16	12.34	133	407	113	240
4.29	151	9.46	12.74	137	421	117	248
4.43	156	9.76	13.15	142	434	121	255
4.56	161	10.06	13.55	146	447	124	263
4.70	166	10.36	13.96	150	461	128	271
4.83	171	10.66	14.36	155	474	132	279
4.97	175	10.96	14.77	159	487	135	287
5.11	180	11.26	15.17	163	501	139	295
5.24	185	11.56	15.57	168	514	143	302
5.38	190	11.86	15.98	172	527	146	310
5.51	195	12.16	16.38	176	541	150	318
5.65	199	12.46	16.79	181	554	154	326
5.79	204	12.76	17.19	185	567	158	334
5.92	209	13.06	17.60	189	581	161	342
6.06	214	13.36	18.00	194	594	165	350
6.20	219	13.66	18.41	198	607	169	357
6.33	223	13.96	18.81	202	621	172	365
6.47	228	14.26	19.21	207	634	176	373
6.60	233	14.56	19.62	211	647	180	381
6.74	238	14.86	20.02	216	661	184	389
6.88	243	15.16	20.43	220	674	187	397
7.01	247	15.46	20.83	224	687	191	405
7.15	252	15.76	21.24	229	701	195	412
7.28	257	16.06	21.64	233	/14	198	420
7.42	202	10.30	22.04	237	727	202	428
7.50	20/	16.96	22.45	242	754	200	444
7.83	276	17.26	23.26	250	767	213	452
7.96	281	17.56	23.66	255	781	217	460
8.10	286	17.86	24.07	259	794	221	467
8.24	291	18.16	24.47	263	808	224	475
8.37	295	18.46	24.87	268	821	228	483
8.51	300	18.76	25.28	272	834	232	491
8.65	305	19.06	25.68	276	848	235	499
8.78	310	19.36	26.09	281	861	239	507
8.92	315	19.66	26.49	285	874	243	514
9.05	319	19.96	26.90	290	888	247	522

TABLE 26: MINIMUM CONDITIONED SPACE AREA & AIR-FLOW FOR R-32 REFRIGERANT INSTALLATIONS

NOTES: 1. Applies to fixed ducted systems with continuous air-flow or refrigerant detection systems only. 2. Based on LFL of 0.306 kg/m³

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