

VF2011-00

Photoelectric Smoke Sensor



Standard Features

- Low Profile - Only 2.0" high, including base
- Simple and reliable device addressing
- Automatic compensation for sensor contamination
- Built-in fire test feature
- Uses the noise-immune Digital Communication Protocol (DCP), which utilizes interrupts for fast response to fires
- Two built-in power/alarm LEDs
- Programmable non-polling LEDs
- Non-directional smoke chamber
- Vandal resistant security locking feature
- Removable smoke labyrinth for cleaning or replacement

Note:

Bases are not included with detectors, please order separately.

Application

- The VF2011 Photoelectric Smoke Sensor is particularly suited to detecting optically dense smoke typical of fires involving materials such as soft furnishings, plastic, foam or other similar materials which tend to smolder and produce large visible smoke particles. VES's unique design allows fast response to flaming fires as well as smoldering fires while preventing false alarms.

Operation

The detection chamber consists of a light-emitting diode (LED) and photodiode arrangement. The chamber is designed such that light emitted by the LED cannot normally reach the photodiode. In the event of fire, particles of smoke enter the chamber and scatter the light. As the smoke level increases, the scattering effect increases, causing more light to hit the photodiode. The chamber contains a unique baffle design which allows smoke to enter the chamber while preventing external light from affecting the photodiode. The photodiode input level is sampled to sense smoke density.

When the smoke density exceeds a preset threshold the sensor transmits an interrupt to the fire control panel indicating a fire condition. The fire alarm control panel can adjust the sensor threshold to compensate for contamination.

Up to 127 devices are permitted on each SLC loop. A sensor address is set by a hand-held programming unit. The sensor mounts to an electronics-free base and incorporates a locking mechanism for secure installation. The base provides mounting slots, terminals for field wiring and a third contact for a remote indicator/LED. The sensor incorporates dual LEDs for easy viewing of sensor status.

Engineering Specification

The contractor shall furnish and install where indicated on the plans, photoelectric sensors VF2011 The combination sensor head and twist lock base shall be UL listed compatible with a UL listed fire alarm control panel.

The Sensor and Base shall be UL listed as compatible with the fire alarm control panel (FACP). The base shall permit direct interchange with the VES, VF2002, VF2005 & VF2011 photoelectric smoke sensor, VF2001 ionization type smoke sensor, VF2003 & VF2010 heat sensor, and the VF2008 & VF2012 Multi-Criteria sensor.

The sensitivity of the sensor shall be capable of being measured by the control panel.

The vandal-resistant, security locking feature shall be used in those areas as indicated on the drawing. The locking feature shall be optional and can be implemented when required.

Bases

The VF7001 and the VF7002 mounting bases are electronics free and are a simple rugged design with screw terminals for wiring connections. A common mounting base allows sensor interchange and maintains loop continuity when sensors are removed. A simple anti-tamper head locking system is provided which is enabled by removing a small plastic tab on the back of the sensor. Once locked, the head can be removed using a small diameter screw driver.

Technical Specifications

Operating Voltage: 17-41 VDC

Standby Current: 450µA

Alarm Current: 540µA

Transmission Method: DCP—Digital Communication Protocol

Maximum Humidity: 95% RH Non-Condensing

UL Temperature Range: 32° F to 115° F

Operating Temperature Range: 14° F to 122° F

Sensitivity Range: 0.7 - 4.0%/ FT @ 300 FPM
0.7 - 3.86%/ FT @ 2000 FPM
0.7 - 2.65%/ FT @ 4000 FPM

Air Velocity Range: 0-4000 fpm

Color & Case Material: Bone/ White - ABS Blend

Weight: 3.4 oz, (5.1 oz with 4" base)

Ordering Codes

Part number	Description
VF2011-00	Photoelectric Smoke Detector
VF7001-00	4" Mounting Base
VF7002-00	6" Mounting Base
VF7008-00	6" Sounder Base