This wall-mounted, low voltage thermostat maintains room temperature by controlling the operation of heating systems. The user may program up to four time/temperature settings per 24 hour period. The thermostat stores independent heating programs for 5-day (weekday) and 2-day (weekend) periods. Three "AA" Energizer® batteries will maintain the stored program for approximately one year, if incoming power should fail. If power failure is extensive and the program is lost, after power restoration, the thermostat will automatically maintain a factory preprogrammed heating temperature of 64°F.

If in doubt about whether your wiring is millivolt, line, or low voltage, have it inspected by a qualified heating and air conditioning contractor, electrician, or someone familiar with basic electricity and wiring.

Do not exceed the specification ratings.

All wiring must conform to local and national electrical codes and ordinances.

This control is a precision instrument, and should be handled carefully. Rough handling or distorting components could cause the control to malfunction.

To prevent electrical shock and/or equipment damage, disconnect electric power to system, at main fuse or circuit breaker box, until installation is complete.

Do not use on circuits exceeding specified voltage. Higher voltage will damage control and could cause shock or fire hazard.

Do not short out terminals on gas valve or primary control to test. Short or incorrect wiring will burn out thermostat and could cause personal injury and/or property damage.
SPECIFICATIONS

ELECTRICAL DATA
Electrical Rating:
17 to 30vAC 50/60 Hz.
0.05 to 1.5 Amps
1.5 Amps Maximum Total Load (All terminals combined)

Anticipation:
Heating 2 to 40 (Reference Values)

THERMAL DATA
Setpoint Temperature Range:
40°F to 99°F (4°C to 37°C)
Operating Ambient Temperature Range:
32°F to 105°F
Operating Humidity Range:
0 to 90% RH (non-condensing)
Shipping Temperature Range:
-40°F to 150°F

APPLICATIONS
For use with:
• Standard two-wire heat-only systems
• Gas or oil fired systems
• Millivolt systems
• 3-wire zone valve systems

Do not use with:
• Multi-stage systems
• Heat pump systems
• Systems exceeding 30v AC and 1.5 Amps

ACCESSORIES
Thermostat Guard W. R. Part No. F29-0198 (clear) or F29-0238 (opaque)

INSTALLATION

NEW INSTALLATION
You should program the thermostat with batteries installed before attaching on subbase. See OPERATION GUIDE for programming instructions.

SELECT THERMOSTAT LOCATION
Proper location insures that the thermostat will provide a comfortable building temperature. Observe the following general rules when selecting a location:

1. Locate thermostat about 5 ft. above the floor.
2. Install thermostat on a partitioning wall, not on an outside wall.
3. Never expose thermostat to direct light from lamps, sun, fireplaces or any temperature radiating equipment.
4. Avoid locations close to windows, adjoining outside walls, or doors that lead outside.
5. Avoid locations close to air registers or in the direct path of air from them.
6. Make sure there are no pipes or duct work in that part of the wall chosen for the thermostat location.
7. Never locate thermostat in a room that normally warmer or cooler than the rest of the building.
8. Avoid locations with poor air circulation, such as behind doors or in alcoves.

ROUTE WIRES TO LOCATION

1. Probe for obstructions in partition before drilling 1/2" hole in wall at selected location. Take up quarter round and drill a small guide hole for sighting (see fig. 1). From basement, drill 3/4" hole in partition floor next to guide hole. In basementless buildings, drill 1/2" hole through ceiling and into partition from above.
2. Through this hole drop a light chain, or 6" chain attached to a strong cord. Snag cord in basement with hooked wire. In basementless buildings, drop cord through hole in ceiling and down partitioning; snag cord at the thermostat location.
3. Attach thermostat wire to cord and pull wire through hole in wall so that 6" of wire protrudes.

Figure 1. Routing Thermostat Wires
REPLACEMENT INSTALLATION

REMOVE OLD THERMOSTAT

1. Shut off electricity at the main fuse box until installation is complete. Verify power is off with a voltmeter.
2. Remove the front cover of the old thermostat. With wires still attached, remove wall plate from the wall.
3. If the old thermostat has a wall mounting plate, remove the thermostat and the wall mounting plate as an assembly.
4. Label each wire as you disconnect it. PULL AT LEAST SIX INCHES OF WIRE OUT OF THE WALL WHEN YOU DISCONNECT IT - DO NOT ALLOW THE WIRES TO FALL BACK INTO THE WALL.

ATTACH SUBBASE TO WALL

1. Remove the packing material from the thermostat. Place the fingers of one hand on the center top and bottom portion of the thermostat. Grasp the subbase in the other hand on the top and bottom center, and gently pull straight out (see fig. 2). The thermostat has pin and socket connectors. Forcing or prying on the thermostat will cause damage to the unit.
2. Pull wires through opening in the center of the subbase. DO NOT LET WIRES FALL BACK INTO WALL.
3. Connect wires beneath terminal screws on subbase using appropriate wiring schematic (see figs. 3 through 6).
4. Place subbase over hole in wall and mark mounting hole locations on wall using subbase as a template.
6. Fasten subbase loosely to wall, as shown in fig. 3, using two mounting screws. Place a level against bottom of subbase, adjust until level, and then tighten screws. (Leveling is for appearance only and will not affect thermostat operation.) If you are using existing mounting holes, or if holes drilled are too large and do not allow you to tighten subbase snugly, use plastic expansion plugs to secure subbase.
7. Push excess wire into wall and plug hole with a fire-resistant material (such as fiberglass insulation) to prevent drafts from affecting thermostat operation.

NOTE

All wiring diagrams are for typical systems only. Refer to equipment manufacturers’ instructions for specific system wiring information.

CAUTION

To prevent electrical shock and/or equipment damage, disconnect electrical power at the main fuse box or circuit breaker until installation is complete.

![Diagram of Thermostat System and Wiring](image-url)
ATTACH THERMOSTAT TO SUBBASE

CAUTION

POWER TO THERMOSTAT MUST BE OFF BEFORE ATTACHING THERMOSTAT TO WALL. FAILURE TO TURN OFF POWER BEFORE ATTACHING THERMOSTAT MAY CAUSE EQUIPMENT DAMAGE DUE TO RAPID COMPRESSOR CYCLING.

To attach thermostat to subbase, line up the plastic snap guides at the top of the thermostat and the six connector pins on the thermostat with the connectors near the top of the subbase. Gently pivot the thermostat down until the plastic snaps lock into place (see fig. 7). **Be gentle when attaching thermostat.** If the thermostat does not seem to be attaching to the subbase easily, make sure that the connector pins and plastic snaps are properly aligned, and that excess wire is pushed into the wall. **Damage to the thermostat may occur if force is used.**
SYSTEM CONFIGURATION

ENERGY MANAGEMENT RECOVERY (EMR)

When the EMR feature is activated, the thermostat’s microcomputer automatically calculates the time it will take to change the temperature to the next program setting. Then the thermostat will activate the heating system to change the temperature so that the desired temperature is reached at or near the beginning of the next program period (the thermostat’s microcomputer calculates 15 minutes for every 2°F temperature change). For example, assume that the thermostat is programmed to provide an overnight heating temperature of 62°F, and during the next program period, programmed to begin at 6:00 AM, the programmed temperature is 70°F. With EMR activated, the thermostat will automatically activate the heating system at 5:00 AM, so that the programmed temperature of 70°F is reached by about 6:00 AM.

The thermostat is shipped with the EMR feature inactive, which means that the thermostat will activate the heating or cooling system at, not before, the beginning of the program period (real time).

To activate the EMR function, clip wire S3 on the back of the thermostat (see fig. 8).

CHECK THERMOSTAT OPERATION

If at any time during testing the system does not function correctly, disconnect electrical power at fuse box or circuit breaker and check that all wiring is correct.

HEATING SYSTEM

1. Press SYSTEM SWITCH until HEAT is displayed (it may already be displayed).
2. Press to adjust thermostat above room temperature to call for heat. The heating system should begin to operate.

Refer to the OPERATION GUIDE if you need additional information on thermostat operation.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Refer to the Question & Answer section of the OPERATION GUIDE for information on troubleshooting the thermostat.
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