

FlameSpec UV-IR-F-HD

UV/IR Flame Detector



The FlameSpec UV-IR-F-HD detector offers extremely fast detection of fires and explosions, providing the extra, extremely valuable time that, in many cases, can make all the difference

Introduction

The FlameSpec-UV-IR-F-HD flame detector provides ultra-fast response, high performance and reliable detection of a large variety of fires including hydrocarbon fires (visible and non-visible). The detector addresses slow growing fires as well as fast eruptions of fire using improved UV-IR technology. The detector operates in all weather and light conditions.

The detector provides high-definition (HD) video output of the monitored area with clear imaging of a fire event and of personnel at distances up to 100 ft. (30m) allowing rescuers to know the exact situation before entering the hazardous area. It will automatically record a video of a fire event (1 min pre-alarm / up to 3 min post-alarm).

Add to that, the integral HD quality video, with event recording, on top of the proven superior capabilities of UV-IR flame detection and you have a very powerful safety tool to protect your personnel, plant and process.

Key Benefits

- High immunity to false alarm
- Ultra-fast detection mode detection within 5 milliseconds for fireballs or explosions
- Hydrocarbon flame detection. Spectrum response of IR radiation in the 4.0-5.0 micron range
- High sensitivity – up to 100 ft. (30m) for a 1 ft² (0.1m²) n-heptane pan fire
- HD video output with Automatic HD video recording of fire events. Data/Event logger – alarms, faults and other relevant events are logged to non-volatile memory
- Ethernet communication – in addition to the standard methods, such as 4-20mA and Modbus
- Built-in-Test (BIT) - Automatic and manual internal self-test of window cleanliness and the overall operation of the detector
- Window heater to avoid condensation and icing
- Tilt mounting bracket can be connected either above or below the detector
- UV and IR warning levels – 0-20mA – Current output warning when elevated UV or IR radiation is detected.

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Immunity to False Alarm

False Alarm Source	Modulated		Unmodulated	
	Distance ft. (m)	Response	Distance ft. (m)	Response
Sunlight, Direct, Reflected		No Alarm		No Alarm
Incandescent frosted glass light, 300W	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm
Fluorescent, 70W (3x23.3W)	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm
Electric arc	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm
Arc welding	10.0 (3.0)	No Alarm	10.0 (3.0)	No Alarm
Radiation heater, 2000W	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm
Halogen lamp (500W) non-shielded	10.0 (3.0)	No Alarm	10.0 (3.0)	No Alarm
Halogen lamp (1000W)	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm
Mercury vapor lamp 160Wx3	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm
Exhausts	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm
Projector led	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm
Solenoid bell	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm
soldering iron	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm
Electric Drill	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm	2.0 (0.6)	No Alarm

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Response Characteristics

Fuel	Size	Sensitivity	Distance ft. (m)	Avg Resp.Time (s)
N-Heptane	1 x 1 ft.	Extreme	98 (30)	3.2
N-Heptane	1 x 1 ft.	High	75 (23)	1.6
N-Heptane	1 x 1 ft.	Medium	49 (15)	1.4
N-Heptane	1 x 1 ft.	Low	16 (5)	0.9
Gasoline	2 x 2 ft.	Extreme	197 (60)	5.3
Gasoline	1 x 1 ft.	Extreme	98 (30)	3.4
Gasoline	1 x 1 ft.	Medium	49 (15)	2.7
Methane	32-in Plume	Extreme	59 (18)	1.6
Methane	32-in Plume	Medium	30 (9)	0.9
LPG	32-in Plume	Extreme	75 (23)	1.2
LPG	32-in Plume	High	56 (17)	1.6
LPG	32-in Plume	Medium	33 (10)	1.3
LPG	32-in Plume	Low	13 (4)	1.0
Diesel	1 x 1 ft.	Extreme	75 (23)	4.3
Diesel	1 x 1 ft.	Medium	36 (11)	1.6
JP5	1 x 1 ft.	Extreme	75 (23)	7.0
JP5	1 x 1 ft.	High	56 (17)	2.3
JP5	1 x 1 ft.	Medium	36 (11)	1.5
JP5	1 x 1 ft.	Low	16 (5)	2.6
Kerosene	1 x 1 ft.	Extreme	75 (23)	2.9
Kerosene	1 x 1 ft.	Medium	36 (11)	1.4
Methanol	1 x 1 ft.	Extreme	59 (18)	3.6
Methanol	1 x 1 ft.	High	43 (13)	1.2
Methanol	1 x 1 ft.	Medium	30 (9)	1.3
Methanol	1 x 1 ft.	Low	10 (3)	1.1
Ethanol	1 x 1 ft.	Extreme	72 (22)	4.5
Ethanol	1 x 1 ft.	Medium	31 (9.5)	1.2
Isopropanol	1 x 1 ft.	Extreme	75 (23)	2.8
Isopropanol	1 x 1 ft.	Medium	36 (11)	1.4
Polypropylene	1 x 1 ft.	Extreme	49 (15)	1.8
Polypropylene	1 x 1 ft.	Medium	23 (7)	1.7
Paper	1 x 1 ft.	Extreme	33 (10)	2.6
Paper	1 x 1 ft.	Medium	23 (7)	2.0

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FIRE DETECTION	Detection time and distance	5ms for fast burst of explosion <4s for 1 ft ² (0.1m ²) n-heptane pan fire at 0–100 ft. (0–30m)	
	Field of view (IR detection)	90° Horizontal, 80° Vertical	
	Time Delay	0–30 seconds	
	Built in Test	Automatic and Manual	
VIDEO FUNCTIONALITY	HD Video	Allows clear imaging of fire and humans at 100 ft. (30m) distance	
	Video recording of alarm events	1-minute pre-event and 3 minutes post-event.	
	System integration protocol	ONVIF (Open Network Video Interface Forum) Profile S	
ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS	Operating Voltage	24 VDC nominal (18-32 VDC)	
	Current Consumption	Standby: 180mA Maximum: 250mA all systems in operation (including window heater)	
	Conduit Entries	2x conduit entries 3/4" 14NPT or M25x1.5	
	Wiring	12-20AWG (2.5-0.35mm ²)	
OUTPUTS	Relays	Volt-free contacts rated 2A at 30 VDC Alarm – normally open Fault – normally closed	
	0-20mA (stepped) current output	3 wire and 4 wire configurations (sink and source)	
	Indication	Tri-color LED	
	Modbus	RTU compatible on RS-485	
	Digital (for video)	IP network IEEE 802.3 10Base-t	
	Composite video	NTSC or PAL	
MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS	Size	7.87 x 5.12x 5.12" (200x130x130mm)	
	Weight	Detector (Stainless Steel): 9.8 lbs. (4.4 kg) Tilt mount (Stainless steel): 5.4 lbs. (2.4 kg)	
ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS	Temperature Range	Operating: -67°F to +167°F (-55°C to +75°C) Option: -67°F to +185°F (-55°C to +85°C) Storage: -67°F to +185°F (-55°C to +85°C)	
	Humidity	Up to 99% (RH), non-condensing	
	Ingress Protection	IP66 & 68; NEMA 4X & 6P	
APPROVALS*	Explosion proof	ATEX: II 2 G D Ex db IIC T5 Gb or Ex db eb IIC T5 Gb and Ex tb IIIC T95°C Db -55°C<Ta<75°C Ex db IIC T4 Gb or Ex db eb IIC T4 Gb and Ex tb IIIC T105°C Db -55°C<Ta<85°C IECEx Ex db IIB T5 Gb -50°C≤Ta≤75°C Ex db IIB T4 Gb -50°C≤Ta≤85°C FM & FMC Class I, Div. 1, Groups B, C & D; T4 Class I, Zone 1, AEx/Ex db IIB T4 Gb T4 -50°C≤Ta≤85°C T5 -50°C≤Ta≤75°C	
	Performance	ANSI FM 3260 EN 54-10	
	Functional safety (pending)	SIL2, per IEC 61508	
	DNV GL (pending)	Standard DNVGL-CG-0339 for open deck locations Temperature class D; Vibration Class A, B and C	
	EAC CU TR		
	ACCESSORIES	Weather shield	
		Adapters for connecting different mounts	
WARRANTY	5 Years		

*Approvals in process. All products designed and tested to relevant approval standards