

Victoreen® 942A-200

Universal Digital Ratemeter

Operators Manual

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Section 1 Introduction

1.1 General Description

The Victoreen 942A-200 Universal Digital Ratemeter (UDR), when connected to a beta or gamma sensitive scintillation detector, or a GM process probe, comprises a monitoring system which operates in the range of 10 to 10⁷ counts per minute (CPM). The UDR provides display, control, and annunciator functions for the monitoring system.

Standard features for the instrument consist of a five-digit display of the CPM value and a multicolored bargraph indicator that covers the entire range of the UDR. The bargraph will change color in the event of an alarm condition. Front panel alarm indicators and rear panel output relays for alarm annunciation are also included. Front panel pushbuttons are provided to display alarm limit setpoints and high voltage value, for alarm acknowledgment, and the activation of a check source function. The 942A-200 UDR provides an interface for a solenoid operated check source. The 942A-200 provides 120 VAC to the Check Source relay to actuate the check source solenoid at the J1 connector. Refer to Figure 1-1 for a general view.

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The Loop Drawing 942A-100-106 provided in Appendix A is intended to provide generic information on the UDR. Refer to the specific project Loop Diagram provided with your UDR radiation monitoring system for specific information on the hardware provided.

Analog outputs of 0 to 10 VDC and 4 to 20 mA are provided for recording and computer monitoring. The 0 to 10 VDC output may also be used to drive a remote meter.

All electronics required to interface to the Victoreen 943 series radiation detectors are included within the 942A-200 UDR. These electronics consist of a high voltage power supply, low voltage detector power supply, and detector input signal conditioning. The system also includes a detector shutdown feature on overrange to prevent damage to the detector and to preclude the possibility of on-scale readings in very high radiation fields due to radiation effects on the electronics.

The following paragraphs describe the available options. A separate manual, for each option, is available with more detailed information. Listed below are the option boards currently available. Refer to Section 1.3 for currently available modifications and to Appendix C for the Bill of Materials.

- 1. 942-200-75: ANALOG OPTION INPUT BOARD Contains four separate channels for analog input. A 0 to 10 VDC input or 4 to 20 mA input can be selected independently for each channel using the jumpers and switches provided on the board. Possible inputs to the board include: temperature, pressure, flow, or simulated radiation.
- 942-200-80: COMMUNICATIONS LOOP OPTION BOARD Designed to enable a EIA RS-232C standard communications link between Victoreen's ratemeter and a user computer system or CRT terminal, with baud rates ranging from 50 baud to 19200 baud. An asynchronous communication interface adapter is utilized to format the data and control the interface.

The Victoreen communications interface also provides the necessary circuitry to allow interconnecting to a standard Victoreen communication link. This interface allows multiple UDRs to share a common six-wire cable to a main central processor unit.

- 3. 942-200-90: SINGLE CHANNEL ANALYZER (Americium REGULATOR) Designed to provide two independently adjustable windows for the discrimination of radiation pulses using the voltage peak analysis technique. Used with an Americium configured system. (When used with an Americium 231 doped sodium iodine crystal, provides the ability to automatically adjust the detector high voltage to compensate for photomultiplier tube gain changes due to ambient temperature variations.)
- 942-200-95: ANALOG OUTPUT BOARD Designed to provide a user selectable single output voltage of: 0 -10 VDC, 0 -5 VDC, 0 -1 VDC, 0 -500 mV DC, 0 -100 mV DC, 0 -50 mV DV, or 0-10mVDC.
- 942-200-95M1: DUAL ANALOG OUTPUT BOARD Designed to provide two user selectable output voltages. Output #1 is either 0 -5 VDC, or 0 -10 VDC, while output #2 is either 0 -10 mV DC, 0 -50 mV DC, 0 -100 mV DC, 0 -500 mV DC, or 0 -1 VDC.
- 6. S157033A2: Line Filter/Surge Suppressor Assembly Designed to provide EMI/RFI protection for the 942A series digital ratemeter and 943 series scintillation detectors. The assembly consists of two (2) separate and independent line conditioning circuits that provide filtered AC power to each 942A series ratemeter. The S157033A2 is designed to mount in the center section of the 948B-1A-5 rack Chassis, to provide EMI/RFI protection for two (2) 942A series digital ratemeters. The major active components of the S157033A2 are two (2), 960SS-200 Surge suppressor circuit boards, two (2), 92-9015-A Line Filters, and two (2) 14-235 ferrite cubes. The S157033A2 also contains AC line and neutral fuses to protect the internal circuitry from over voltage conditions.

1.2 Application

The 942A-200 UDR can be used with all Victoreen 943 series beta scintillation detectors, 943 series gamma scintillation detectors, and 843-251 series GM process probes. The detector, when connected to the UDR, will comprise a single channel digital process monitoring system. Table 1-1 is a list of compatible 943 series detectors. The UDR may also be used with older style Victoreen detectors. Please contact Fluke Biomedical, Radiation Management Service at 440.248.9300 for additional information.

Detector	Туре	Crystal	End Window/Crystal Configuration (dia/size)
943-15	Alpha Detector	Zn S	Aluminized Mylar/2 in
943-25	Beta Detector	Hi-Temp Plastic	Aluminized Mylar/2 in
943-25T	Beta Detector	Hi-Temp Plastic	Titanium/2 in
943-25TA	Beta Detector	Hi-Temp Plastic 10:1 Attenuation	Titanium/2 in
943-25TB	Beta Detector	Hi-Temp Plastic 100:1 Attenuation	Titanium/2 in
943-26*	Beta Detector	Hi-Temp Plastic	Aluminized Mylar/2 in
943-26T*	Beta Detector	Hi-Temp Plastic	Titanium/2 in
943-35	Gamma Detector	Nal (TI)	Stainless Steel/1.5 x 1 in
943-36	Gamma Detector	Nal (TI)	Aluminum/1.5 x 1 in
943-36CS	Gamma Detector W/integral Check Source	Nal (TI)	Stainless Steel/1.5 x 1 in

Table 1-1.943 Series Detectors Compatible with 942A-200 UDR	Table 1-1.943	Series Detectors	Compatible with	942A-200 UDR
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943-36H	Gamma Detector (High Temp)	Nal (TI)	Aluminum/2 in
943-37	Gamma Detector	Nal (TI)	Stainless Steel/2 x 2 in
943-237A	Gamma Detector	Nal with Americium	Stainless Steel/2 x 2 in

Detector Housing is stainless steel unless otherwise noted: * Carbon Steel Housing

1.3 Specifications

General specifications for the 942A-200 UDR are listed below. The 942-200 is rated for nuclear applications, and any repairs to it by personnel not qualified to ANSI 45.2.6 1978, Skill Level II will void the nuclear rating.

If a problem develops, the UDR can either be returned to the factory for service, or repaired by a qualified technician.

General Specifications for the 942A-200 UDR

Main Display	Seven Segment – Three digits with backlighted units display and floating decimal points. Five-digit exponential setpoint entry
Bargraph Display	Three segments per decade, 10 to 10 ⁷ CPM (24 segments total, green to normal; amber for WARN and RED for high)
Alarm Indicators	HIGH Alarm (Red LED) – Flashing until acknowledged WARN Alarm (Amber LED) – Flashing until acknowledged RATE Alarm (Red LED) – Flashing until acknowledged (optional) FAIL Alarm (Red LED) – Does not flash, is not manually acknowledged RANGE Alarm (Red LED) – overrange/underrange – Does not flash
Display Selection	HV, High Voltage value HIGH, High Alarm limit WARN, Warn Alarm limit RATE, Rate-of-Rise limit (OPTIONAL)
Check Source	Activates with associated green LED indicator
Alarm Ack.	Alarm acknowledgement, resets alarm relay outputs and causes alarm indicators to go to a steady on state after acknowledgement. Internal jumper causes alarms to be reset automatically when system returns to normal operation (no operator input required).
Power ON/OFF	Alternate action pushbutton
Relay Outputs	HIGH Alarm – 2 sets. SPDT rated 5 A @ 120 VAC (one set 120 VAC powered for use with optional local alarm) WARN Alarm – 2 sets. SPDT rated 5 A @ 120 VAC RATE Alarm – 2 sets. SPDT rated 5 A @ 120 VAC FAIL Alarm – 2sets. SPDT rated 5 A @ 120 VAC
High Voltage	Variable from 450 to 1500 VDC @ 0.2 mA
Detector Power	± 15 V @ 20 mA

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Recorder/Computer Outputs	Two 4 to 20 mA (500 Ω load max. each), and one 0 to 10 VDC (1 K Ω load min.), logarithmic scaled to the ratemeter range (from 1 to 6 decades)
Remote Alarm Ack Input	Optically isolated DC input
Detector Input	Digital pulse train. Detector may be located up to 1500 feet from the ratemeter. Individually adjusted upper and lower level discriminators limit MeV response to desired range. 50 ohm input impedance.
Statistical Accuracy	Statistical accuracy is user selectable at 2%, 5%, 10%, or fixed at a one second update. Count time automatically adjusts per selected accuracy and count rate.
UDR Electronic Accuracy response	\pm 1% of the displayed value (± 1 digit), exclusive of detector energy
Rate-of-rise Alarm (Optional)	Provides an alarm (Red LED), momentary display select, and relay output when rate-of-rise exceeds the rate-of-rise set point.
Dimensions (H x W x D)	3.5 x 5.6 x 13.5 in (8.9 x 14.2 x 34.3 cm)
Weight	Approximately 3.7 lbs (1.67 kg)
Power	120/240 VAC \pm 10%, 50/60 Hz, 28 watts (240 VAC optional)
Operating Temperature	32°F to 122°F 0°C to + 50°C
Relative Humidity	0 to 99% non-condensing
Compatible Detectors	943-XX Series Scintillation Detectors 843-251X Series GM Detectors



Figure 1-1. 942A-200 Universal Digital Ratemeter, Front Panel



Figure 1-1A. 942A-200 Universal Digital Ratemeter, Rear Panel

1.4 Auxiliary Equipment

Model Number	Description
942-TS	UDR Test Set
948A-50-5	Local Alarm/Meter
948-1	Rack Chassis (Three Bay)
948-1A	Rack Chassis (Two Bay, 5.8 in. Wide)
948B-1-5	Rack Chassis (Two Bay, Standard Width)
948B-1A-5 mounting)	Rack Chassis (Two Bay, Standard Width, with Surge Suppressor
948A-2	Blank Panel
948-3	Table Top Enclosure
948-10 S157033A2	Panel Adapter Line Filter/Surge Suppressor

Modification	Description/Modification
942A-200-M1	Relocated "DIGIT", "VALUE", & "ENTER" switches, remove power switch, add 5 VDC LED to front panel.
942A-200-M2	Modified to operate with 843-20/30 series detectors.
942A-200-M3	Modified to operate with 843-20/30 series detectors, Two High Alarm setpoints.
942A-200-M4	Modified to operate with 843-20/30 series detectors, 942-200-90; Single Channel Analyzer (AM Regulator) installed.
942A-200-M5	942-200-75; 4-Channel Analog Input Option, 942-200-80; RS-232 Communication Option, UDR to adjust the radiation readings by compensating for pressure changes at the skid, Check Source relay to remain energized for three minutes, software for historical file transfer, display in µCi/cc, and key lock for data entry.
942A-200-M6	942-100-90; Single Channel Analyzer (AM Regulator).
942A-200-M7	942-100-75; 4-Channel Analog Input Option.
942A-200-M8	942-200-95-M1; Dual Analog Output Option; (0-5 VDC and 0-10 mVDC).
942A-200-M9	942-200-80, RS-232 Communication Option.
942A-200-M10	Readout in mREM/Hr.
942A-200-M11	942-200-75; 4-Channel Analog Input Option, 942-200-80; RS-232 Communication Option, 942-100-90; Single Channel Analyzer (AM Regulator).
942A-200-M12	942-200-80; RS-232 Communication Option (TWO), 942-200-75; 4-Channel Analog Input Option.
942A-200-M13	942-200-80, RS-232 Communication Option & µCi/cc readout.
942A-200-M14	Modified to operate with 843-2/3 series detectors.
942A-200-M15	942-200-95-M1; Dual Analog Output Option; (0-5 VCD and 0-10 mVDC), & 942-200- 75; 4-Channel Analog Input Option, UDR to adjust the radiation readings by compensating for pressure changes at the skid.
942A-200-M16	942-200-80; RS-232 Communication Option, 942-200-75; 4-Channel Analog Input Option.
942A-200-M17	942-200-80; RS-232 Communication Option, 942-200-75; 4-Channel Analog Input Option, 942-200-95-M1; Dual Analog Output Option.
942A-200-M18	942-200-80; RS-232 Communication Option (TWO), 942-200-75; 4-Channel Analog Input Option, µCi/cc readout, software for historical file transfer and print to Gulton Microprint 20 printer, utilize the rate-of –rise relay as a second alarm relay, all boards sprayed with conformal coating, and key lock for data entry.
942A-200-M19	942-200-80; RS-232 Communication Option, 942-200-95-M1; Dual Analog Output Option.
942A-200-M19A	942-200-80; RS-232 Communication Option, 942-200-95-M1; Dual Analog Output Option, 5 second extended mute after CS operation.
942A-200-M20	942A-100 back panel, 942-200-80; RS-232 Communication Option.
942A-200-M21	Readout in mREM/Hr and interface for SCAN RAD™ software.
942A-200-M22	Standard UDR with a front panel signal input BNC connector, utilized for test purposes.
942A-200-M23	Standard UDR to provide S95251A outputs.
942A-200-M24	942-200-75; 4-Channel Analog Input Option, 942-200-80; RS-232 Communication Option, 942-100-90; Single Channel Analyzer (AM Regulator). Operator selectable slope setpoint and percent efficiency setpoint, CPM/CF readout.
942A-200-M25	Reserved.
942A-200-M26	Standard UDR modified to use a 943-70 Liquid Scintillation Detector and LSD-100 Line Driver.
942A-200-M27	942-200-90; Single Channel Analyzer, µCi/cc readout.

Table 1-3.942A-200 Modifications

942A-200-M28	942-200-80, RS-232 Communication Option, ScanRad communication capability.

Modification	Description/Modification
942A-200-M29	942-200-80, RS-232 Communication Option, ScanRad communication capability,
	firmware for interface with a 943-60 neutron detector.
942A-200-M30	Revised rear panel wiring to match 942-100 (S15173A2).
942A-200-M31	Special, 8.45 in wide front panel to mount Digit, Value, Enter, and Function Switch and
	909465-1 Recorder Output PC board.
942A-200-M32	Special, 8.45 in wide front panel to mount Digit, Value, Enter, and Function Switch,
	909465-1 Recorder Output PC board, and 942-200-90 SCA board.
942A-200-M33	942-200-90; SCA board, 942-200-80 RS-232 board and µCi/cc display.
942A-200-M34	942-200-80, RS-232 board and Historical Data Storage.
942A-200-M35	942-200-90; SCA and SF8013A210 Backlight Insert, Counts/sec.
942A-200-M36	942-200-95-M1; Analog Output board and 120-ohm signal input resistor for 843-20
	detector.
942A-200-M37	Front panel BNC Signal Input Jack and DPDT Switch, RATE Push button functions as
	TRIP TEST switch, 0-10mV analog output, RANGE alarm to trip when CPM drops
	below 9 CPM, and FAIL alarm to trip 10 seconds after RANGE alarm.
942A-200-M38	Front panel BNC Signal Input Jack and DPDT Switch, RATE Push button functions as
	TRIP TEST switch, 0-10mV analog output.
942A-200-M39	942-200-80, RS-232 and 942-200-90 SCA boards.
942A-200-M40	942-200-80; RS-232 board, 942-200-90 SCA board, µCi/cc display insert, and RATE
	relay to follow ALARM relay operation.
942A-200-M41	942-200-80, RS-232 board and ScanRad firmware.
942A-200-M42	942-200-80, RS-232 board, 942-200-75 Analog Input board and ScanRad firmware.
942A-200-M43	942-200-80, RS-232 board, 942-200-75 Analog Input board, and 942-200-90 SCA
	board.
942A-200-M44	942-100-23D; µCi/ml display and remove impedance matching resistor R54, to permit
	use of a second UDR as a remote display.
942A-200-M45	Adds 92-2003-7A; Gain adjust pot, 942-100-23D µCi/ml display, and functions as a
	remote display for 942A-200-M44.
942A-200-M46	Firmware change; Change UNDERRANGE limit from 10 to 1 CPM and FAIL time from
	5 to 30 minutes.
942A-200-M47	942-200-75; Analog Input board.
942A-200L	942-200-90; SCA, 942-200-95-M1 Analog Output board, 942-200L-20 Front Panel,
	with RATE button changed to TEST, TEST firmware, and LED Check Source wiring
	modification.
942A-200L-M1	942-200-80; RS-232 board, 942-200-95-M1 Analog Output board, 942-200L-20 Front
	Panel, with RATE button changed to TEST, TEST firmware, 90-807 RS-232 Line
	Driver, and LED Check Source wiring modification.
942A-200L-M2	942-200-80; RS-232 board, 942-200-90 SCA board, 942-200L-20 Front Panel, with
	RATE button changed to TEST, TEST firmware, 90-807 RS-232 Line Driver, and LED
	Check Source wiring modification.
942A-200L-M3	942-200-80, RS-232 board, Auxiliary Check Source output wiring modification, and
	LED Check Source wiring modification.

NOTE

Consult Fluke Biomedical for specific details about each option.



Figure 1-2.942A-200 UDR Ordering/Part Number Matrix.

1.5 Recommended Spare Parts

Part Number	Description	Used On
942-100-15	Front Panel Assembly	-
105-37-1	Ribbon Cable, 18C, Front Panel (5 Required)	-
92-7027-A	Fuse F2, 1 AMP	-
92-9042-A	Jumper Block (10 required)	-
67-80-37P	Receptacle, P1, I/O, 37 Pin	-
67-80-14S	Receptacle, P2, Detector, 14 Pin	-
67-80-4P	Receptacle, P3, Power, 4 Pin	-
92-9106-A	MHV Bulkhead Receptacle, P4, HV	-
92-9074-A	BNC Bulkhead Receptacle, P5, Signal	-
68-15	Receptacle, P6, Aux, 24 Pin	-
68-15	Receptacle, P7, RS 232	-
942A-100-4	Mating Connector Kit	-
942-200-50	Power Supply	-
942-100-70	Relay PC Board Assembly	-
82-73-1	Relay	-
942-200-60	H.V. PC Board Assembly	-

Table 1-5. Recommended Spare Parts List for the 942A-200 Universal Digital Ratemeter

1.6 Receiving Inspection

Upon receipt of the unit:

- 1. Inspect the carton(s) and contents for damage. If damage is evident, file a claim with the carrier and notify Fluke Biomedical at 440.248.9300.
- 2. Remove the contents from the packing material.
- 3. Verify that all items listed on the packing list have been received and are in good condition.

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If any of the listed items are missing or damaged, notify Fluke Biomedical.

1.7 Storage

Storage of Victoreen instruments must comply with Level B storage requirements as outlined in ANSI N45.2.2 (1972) Section 6.1.2(.2). The storage area shall comply with ANSI N45.2.2 (1972) Section 6.2 Storage Area, Paragraphs 6.2.1 through 6.2.5. Housekeeping shall conform to ANSI N45.2.3 (1972).

Level B components shall be stored within a fire resistant, tear resistant, weather tight enclosure, in a well-ventilated building or equivalent.

Storage of Victoreen instruments must comply with the following:

- 1. Inspection and examination of items in storage must be in accordance with ANSI N45.2.2 (1972) Section 6.4.1.
- 2. Requirements for proper storage must be documented and written procedures or instructions must be established.
- 3. In the event of fire, post-fire evaluation must be in accordance with ANSI N45.2.2 (1972), Section 6.4.3.
- 4. Removal of items from storage must be in accordance with ANSI N45.2.2 (1972), Sections 6.5 and 6.6.

Section 2 Operation

2.1 Installation

Installation consists of mounting the equipment, making the required electrical connections, and entering the desired set points.



Remove all power prior to installing the UDR.

UDR Mounting

The UDR is a self-contained unit that can be mounted in four different ways.

CAUTION

When Installing the UDR in enclosed panels or cabinets, ensure that the maximum operating temperature (122° F) is not exceeded. The total heat load should be calculated to determine whether cooling by natural convection or forced ventilation (i.e. fans) is required. The heat load for a single UDR Is approximately 96 BTU/hr.

NOTE

Where more than four units are to be mounted in a cabinet, it is recommended that the center position in each chassis be left blank to facilitate the flow of cooling air through the cabinet.

NOTE

For seismic applications, the rear of the chassis must be supported, or the sides of the chassis must be fastened together. For further Information, contact Fluke Biomedical.

- The first mounting utilizes a 19-inch rack chassis adapter, Victoreen 948-1. This configuration requires 3.5 inches of rack height and can be used to mount up to three UDRs side by side. A blank filler panel, Victoreen 948-2, is available to cover unused mounting positions. Refer to drawing GEL-948-1 for mounting dimensions.
- The second mounting consists of a single channel tabletop enclosure, Victoreen 948-3. Dimensions for the enclosure are 4.5 inches high by 6.8 inches wide by 14.9 inches deep. Refer to drawing 948-3-5 for mounting dimensions.

- 3. The third mounting consists of a panel mount enclosure, Victoreen 948-9. Cutout dimensions for this enclosure are 3.75 inches high by 6.45 inches wide; the outside dimensions for the enclosure are 4.0 inches high by 6.7 inches wide by 13.7 inches deep. Refer to drawing 948-9-5 for mounting dimensions.
- 4. The fourth mounting utilizes the Victoreen 948-10 Rack Chassis Adapter to mount a 956A- 200 UDR into an existing Victoreen analog ratemeter rack chassis. Refer to drawing GEL-948-10 for mounting dimensions.

The UDR is simply inserted into the selected mounting enclosure and secured using the front panel pawl fastener.

Electrical Interface



Ensure all power is off prior to connecting the field wiring

Electrical interconnections are performed using the mating connector kit, Victoreen part number 942A-100-4, and by using the connector input/output assignments provided in Appendix A, and the loop drawing 942A-100-106 provided in Appendix B. Termination instructions for coaxial connections can be found in Appendix C.

Connector pins should be soldered to customer furnished cable, using 60/40 tin/lead resin core solder.

2.2 Setup

To place the system in operation, the following steps should be performed:

NOTE

Ensure you have read and fully understand Section 3 prior to continuing.

- 1. Verify that jumpers and DIP switches on the UDR, are set for the operational features desired. Refer to Section 2, Table 2-1.
- 2. Apply power to the unit. The bargraph will illuminate momentarily followed with a momentary actuation of the digital value display. The unit will then begin to display the ambient radiation at the detector location.



Calibration constant and detector deadtime value are obtained from the factory calibration data sheet for each particular detector.

- 3. Detector dependent set points such as analog outputs, Range, Overrange limit, calibration constant, detector deadtime value, and channel dependent setpoints such as alarm limits may now be verified and if required, modified using the procedures outlined in Section 2.11.
- 4. Electronic adjustments affecting calibration are factory set and should not be readjusted for initial operation unless the UDR has been in storage for more than one year. If the Unit has been in storage for more than one year, the electronic calibration described in Section 4 should be performed.

2.3 Operation

Operation of the 942A-200 UDR consists of operator functions and configuration functions. All operator functions are performed using the front panel shown in Figure 1-1. Configuration functions are performed using internal switches and/or jumpers, which are accessible with a partial removal of the UDR from the mounting enclosure. Calibrations involving trim pots are described in Section 4.

2.4 Operator Functions

Normal Operation

If the measured radiation field is within the range of the detector during power-up, the CPM value will be displayed as a three digit number: M.MMEN, where M = 0 to 9 with a single digit exponent N, where N = 0 to 9 and can be either positive or negative. For example, 2.97 x 10⁴ would be displayed as 2.97E4. The bargraph will display the value on the fixed CPM scale and any indicator lights which are on (ON/OFF, CHECK SOURCE) should be green, providing the operator with a visual indication of normal operation.

WARN/HIGH/RATE Alarms



The RATE alarm is implemented as an option at the time of purchase.

If the measured radiation field increases above the WARN alarm limit, the WARN alarm indicator will turn on flashing (amber color), the bargraph will change color to amber, and the WARN alarm relay will deactivate. If the measured radiation field increases above the HIGH or RATE alarm limit, the HIGH or RATE alarm indicator will turn on flashing (red color), the bargraph will change color to red, and the high or rate alarm relay will de-activate.



Normal WARN, HIGH and RATE alarm relay operation is fail safe, if the relay is normally energized, and de-energized when the alarm condition is active. Non-failsafe relay operation for the HIGH, WARN, and RATE alarms is available as an option at time of purchase.

The UDR can be configured to automatically reset the alarm relays and alarm indicators, or it can hold the alarm relays energized and flash the alarm indicators until the alarm acknowledge (ALARM ACK) pushbutton is pressed. If the ALARM ACK pushbutton is pressed while the alarm condition still exists, the indicators will go to a steady state, and the relays will remain energized until the alarm condition returns to normal.

Upon resumption of normal operation, the relays and alarm indicators will de-energize. The bargraph color will always indicate the current status; green for normal, amber for warn, and red for a high alarm.

Front panel pushbuttons labeled HIGH, WARN, and RATE can be used to display the respective alarm set points.

Range Alarm

If the measured radiation field is below a minimum range of 1.00E1 CPM, the front panel display will indicate 0.00E0 CPM, the bargraph will extinguish and the RANGE alarm indicator will illuminate in red,

(the minimum range is adjustable and is defaulted to 10 CPM). When the measured radiation field increases into the range of the detector, the RANGE alarm indicator will extinguish and normal operation will begin.

If the measured radiation field goes above the overrange set point, the RANGE alarm indicator will illuminate and the front panel display will indicate EEEEE. The maximum range of the detector used is determined by the overrange set point. When the measured radiation field returns within the maximum operating range of the detector and the condition is acknowledged, the RANGE alarm indicator will extinguish and normal operation will resume. In the event the detector output exceeds the electronic antijam circuit trip level, the anti-jam fuse will open and the fail relay will change state to indicate a monitor not in service condition. Replacement of the fuse will be required in order to return the ratemeter to normal operation.

Fail Alarm

There are several equipment failure conditions that can produce a FAIL alarm and in some cases an error display. The fail condition is true whenever any equipment failure is detected and false when no equipment failures are detected. When a fail condition occurs, other than power failure, the red FAIL alarm indicator illuminates and the fail relay coil de-energizes.

To return the channel to normal operation after a FAIL alarm, the condition, which caused the alarm, must be located and corrected.

Check Source

The check source pushbutton and electronics are provided to verify detector operation. To operate the check source, press the CHECK SOURCE pushbutton and hold it down. The Check Source LED will illuminate, and the radiation value will increase. Releasing the check source pushbutton will allow normal UDR operation. An internal configuration jumper allows alarms to be activated air deactivated in the check source mode. The analog outputs are forced to their low scale value during a check source operation.

Firmware Version

This system requires a PROM for UDR operation. For the part number and the latest revision of the PROM, see the UDR Factory Test Data Sheet.

2.5 Operational Modes

Normal Operation, Rate

The UDR is in normal operation when the UDR function switch (see "Parameter Entry" Section 2.11) is in any position except 8, and the Check Source button is OFF. During normal operation, the display shows the dose rate data received from the detector in counts per minute (CPM). The bargraph will also show the present CPM value. The color of the illuminated segments is green when the CPM rate is below the WARN setpoint, amber when the CPM rate is above the WARN setpoint and below the HIGH setpoint, and red when the CPM rate is above the HIGH setpoint. The analog outputs are active while the UDR is in RATE MODE, and all alarms are enabled.

Alarm Inhibit

Alarms are inhibited in situations where an alarm trip would be meaningless because the UDR is not in a normal measurement mode (i.e., when the UDR is in the Check Source, Calibrate, or Data Entry Mode). During Alarm Inhibit, new alarm trips cannot occur and old alarms cannot be reset. When the inhibit period is over, alarm trips and resets are enabled again. Alarm inhibit conditions are discussed in the following paragraphs.

Data Entry Mode

Data Entry Mode is selected by pressing the ENTER pushbutton while the rotary FUNCTION switch is in a valid setpoint position (see "Parameter Entry" Section 2.11). The selected setpoint is displayed in exponential format (e.g. 1.00E2) with the left most digit flashing. If the FUNCTION switch is not in a setpoint position, pressing the ENTER button has no effect. Refer to Table 2-2 for FUNCTION switch positions.

In the Data Entry Mode, all alarms are inhibited. The bargraph and analog outputs hold at their previous values. The check source and alarm acknowledge functions are inoperative.

Check Source Mode

The check source pushbutton and electronics are provided to verify detector operation. To operate the check source, press the CHECK SOURCE pushbutton and hold it down. The 110 VAC check source relay will energize, the check source indicator will illuminate (green), and the check source solenoid will expose the source by removing it from the source capsule shielding.

The radiation value will be displayed on the front panel. Releasing the check source pushbutton will return the source capsule to its shielded position and extinguish the check source indicator, allowing normal UDR operation. After approximately 10 seconds, the displayed value will begin to indicate ambient radiation. An internal configuration jumper allows alarms to be activated or muted if alarm limits are exceeded by the check source radiation value.

The bargraph operates the same way as it does during normal operation.

The analog outputs are at low scale during Check Source operation.

2.6 Calibration (Scaler) Mode Operation

Calibrate mode for the UDR is entered by turning the rotary set point switch to position 8 and pressing the ENTER button.

The current calibration time set point is displayed in seconds, with the first digit flashing to indicate the edit mode. The bargraph will turn off, high and warn conditions will clear, and the radiation unit light (backlights) will turn off. The calibration set point may be edited, but will reset to 60 seconds whenever the unit is turned off or the functional switch is moved from position 8.

Once the desired calibration time is set, pressing the ENTER button will start the calibration. The display will go to zero, the backlights will begin to flash, and the Norm, Warn, and Fail relays will change state. The UDR will count for the entered calibration time, displaying the current summation of counts per second. When the calibration is completed, the final summation of counts for the calibration time is displayed and the backlights will be steady on.

Another calibration can then be executed by pressing the ENTER key, and the system will again display the calibration time for editing. A calibration in process can be stopped by pressing the ENTER key. Calibrate mode can be aborted at any time by moving the rotary switch to a position other than position 8. If this is done while the calibration time is being displayed for editing, press the ENTER key to exit the calibration mode. Once the calibration mode is exited, the UDR will do a reset and continue normal operation.

NOTE

When the calibrate mode is initiated, the Alarm, Warn, and Fail relays change state de-energize to indicate the monitor is in a non-operational state. The calibration mode can also be entered with the UDR in the check source mode of operation. Move the rotary switch to position 8 and press the check source button. While holding down the check source button, press the ENTER button. The calibration mode will then start, and the check source button can be released. The check source light will remain on, indicating that the check source relay is energized. The check source condition will clear when the calibrate mode is exited.



It is not recommended that solenoid operated check sources be left energized for extended periods of time in this mode.

The bargraph will turn off during calibration operation.

The analog outputs are at Low Scale during calibration operation.

2.7 Alarms

The alarm functions provided by the UDR include HIGH, WARN, FAIL, and RANGE. The HIGH, WARN, and FAIL alarms drive relay contact outputs. Some operating modes of the UDR disable alarms. The user is cautioned to read and fully understand Section 3.

Alarm Logic Types

Alarm logic defines whether the alarm is reset manually or automatically and whether alarm relay coils are energized or de-energized in normal operation.

Standard alarm reset logic for the UDR is manual reset for the HIGH, WARN, and RANGE alarms, and auto reset for the FAIL alarm. Failsafe operation is also standard.

Manual Reset

When an alarm trips, the relay coil goes to its abnormal position. The indicator flashes until the alarm is acknowledged by pressing the ALARM ACK button on the UDR. The indicator then remains steady on until the alarm condition becomes false. At that time, the alarm resets by turning the indicator off and returning the contact to its normal energized position.

Auto Reset

When an alarm trips, the contact goes to its abnormal position. The indicator goes steady on. When the alarm condition becomes false, the alarm automatically resets, returns the relay coil to normal position, and turns the indicator off.

Auto reset may be selected for the HIGH and WARN alarms by removing jumper JP3-3 from the UDR main board.

Standard relay operation for the UDR is fail-safe. When the unit is powered, the relay coil energizes. If power is lost to the relay coil, or an alarm condition occurs, the relay de-energizes, giving a trip indication. This logic provides fail-safe operation for the alarm function.

HIGH Alarm

The HIGH alarm condition is "true" when the display CPM rate is greater than or equal to the HIGH alarm set point and "false" for all other conditions.

The standard logic for the HIGH alarm is fail-safe, manual reset.

When the HIGH alarm is tripped, the red HIGH alarm indicator begins flashing, the bargraph goes to red, the HIGH alarm relay coil de-energizes, and the UDR sets its auxiliary output high. When the alarm is acknowledged, the HIGH alarm indicator goes steady on and the UDR sets its auxiliary output low. The auxiliary output on the UDR can be used to drive a remote alarm/alarm indicator.

WARN Alarm

The WARN alarm condition is "true" when the display CPM rate is greater than or equal to the WARN alarm set point and "false" for all other conditions.

The standard logic for the WARN alarm is fail-safe, manual reset.

When the WARN alarm is tripped, the amber WARN alarm indicator begins flashing, the bargraph goes to amber, the WARN alarm relay coil de-energizes. When the alarm is acknowledged, the WARN alarm indicator goes steady on. The auxiliary output on the UDR can be used to drive a remote alarm/alarm indicator.

Rate-of-Rise Alarm (Optional), 942A-200-M1 thru 942A-200-M10 (When Implemented)

If the measured radiation field exceeds the rate-of-rise alarm limit (expressed as a percentage change per hour, %/hr), the following will occur: The RATE alarm indicator will illuminate in red, the bargraph will change color to red and the rate-of-rise alarm relay will de-energize.

942A-200-M11 and Subsequent (When Implemented)

Rate-of-Rise for 942A-200-M11 and subsequent UDRs is determined by continuously storing the CPM value in a buffer and comparing it to current CPM values, 20 minutes later. If the current CPM value exceeds the value taken 20 minutes prior by a predetermined CPM and the WARN setpoint has been exceeded, then the Rate-of-Rise alarm function will be initialized and the RATE LED on the front panel will illuminate, the bargraph will change color to red or amber (*depending on the CPM*), the HIGH or WARN LED will illuminate (*depending on the CPM*), and the rate-of-rise alarm relay will de-energize.

ALL Other 942A-200 UDRs (When Implemented)

When the ALARM ACK pushbutton is pressed, the RATE indicator will operate as described in paragraph "Alarm Reset."

A front panel pushbutton labeled RATE can be used to display the current rate-of-rise alarm set point value. This value is preset at the factory to 1.00E1.

When provided, a detailed description of the Rate Alarm and relay operation is supplied in a separate manual appendix.

RANGE Alarms

The overrange is true when the CPM rate is greater than or equal to the overrange set point or the preamplifier is sending an output pulse greater than the UDR electronics Anti-Jam circuit setpoint. The condition is false when neither of the above conditions is true.

When the OVERRANGE alarm is tripped, WARN and HIGH alarm logic is tripped, the red RANGE indicator illuminates steady on, the bargraph illuminates red, and the display reads EEEEE.

The OVERRANGE alarm must be reset by pressing the acknowledge pushbutton when the overrange condition is false (i.e. radiation level returns to a value below the overrange setpoint). The OVERRANGE alarm will not reset automatically, at a later time, after the acknowledge pushbutton is pressed as it does for the HIGH and WARN alarms.

If auto reset is selected for HIGH and WARN alarms, these will reset automatically, but the overrange display will remain until the acknowledge pushbutton is pressed. In addition, if the detector output is above the electronic anti-jam circuit threshold, the anti-jam circuit will be activated, opening the anti-jam fuse on the UDR. This causes the fail relay to change state, indicating a non-operational mode. To return to normal operation, the ambient radiation must be reduced, and the anti-jam fuse replaced.

The underrange condition is "true" when the CPM rate is below the underrange setpoint and "false" for all other conditions. The RANGE indicator illuminates, the bargraph is off, and the display reads 0.00 CPM

when the underrange condition is true. The Alarm, Warn, and Fail relays are not affected by the underrange alarm.

FAIL Alarms

Several equipment failure conditions are monitored which produce a FAIL alarm and in some cases an error message. The fail condition is "true" whenever any equipment failure is detected and "false" when no equipment failures are detected. When a fail condition occurs, other than power failure, the red FAIL alarm indicator illuminates and the fail relay coil de-energizes.

The FAIL alarm logic is always fail-safe, auto reset.

The following are the fail alarms included in the 942A-200 UDR:

- 1. NO COUNT Failure
- 2. POWER Failure
- 3. MPU Failure (hardware)
- 4. Anti-Jam Trip

No Count Failure

If no pulses are received by the UDR for five minutes, a no count failure is detected. A no count alarm usually indicates a failure in the detector or UDR detector high voltage supply. The UDR display, however, may read zero for five minutes or more without a low signal fail alarm. This is because the preamplifier is reporting a non-zero dose rate that is below the low range value. The No Count failure alarm can be disabled by removing jumper JP3-4 from the UDR main board.

Power Failure

If power is lost to the UDR, the bargraph, alarm indicators, and the display are blanked (turned off). The HIGH, WARN, and FAIL relay coils de-energize.

MPU Failure (Watchdog Timer)

If the fail timer circuit, U47, which checks the MPU (main processor) function is allowed to time out (because of a hardware failure), a failure condition will be indicated.

Anti-Jam Trip

Should the detector output exceed the UDR anti-jam circuit threshold, the anti-jam fuse opens and the fail logic will illuminate the FAIL LED, and de-energize the Fail relay.

2.8 Configuration Functions

The UDR contains a series of eleven hardware jumpers and up to nine user specified set points that affect operation of the unit.

The jumpers are designated as JP1 and JP2, JP3-1 through JP3-5, and JP4 through JP7. Refer to the main circuit board assembly drawing located in Appendix B of this manual for jumper locations. The functions affected by JP1 through JP7 are described in the following paragraphs and shown in Table 2-1.

Microprocessor Reset

Jumper JP1 permits local reset of the microprocessor without cycling AC power.

PROM Type

Jumper JP2 must be installed in position 2-3 for use with the 27256 PROM installed.

Count Time Selection (Statistical Accuracy)

The user can specify the statistical accuracy of the displayed radiation value with the use of JP3-1 & JP3-2. This statistical accuracy selection affects count time and consequently, the update time of the display. Refer to Table 2-1 for additional information.

Alarm Reset (Acknowledge)

- 1. JP3-3 OUT The unit resets alarm indicators and alarm relays after the radiation value falls below the set point without regard to the alarm acknowledge pushbutton.
- 2. JP3-3 IN The unit maintains the alarm indicators and alarm relays in the alarm state until the alarm acknowledge pushbutton has been pressed and the radiation value falls below the set point. If the alarm acknowledge pushbutton is pressed while the radiation value is still above the set point, the flashing indicator will go to a steady state ON condition.

The UDR is normally shipped from the factory with JP3-3 in.

No Counts Fail Alarm

- 1. JP3-4 IN The unit will go into a FAIL mode after five minutes with no counts from the detector.
- JP3-4 OUT The unit will not go into a FAIL mode when there are no counts from the detector. The UDR is normally shipped from the factory with JP3-4 in. Note that other conditions that cause a Fail Alarm are not affected by this jumper setting.

Inhibit Alarms (Check Source Operation)

- 1. JP3-5 OUT The alarms will become active during check source operation if alarm limits are exceeded.
- 2. JP3-5 IN Alarms are inhibited during check source operation, but if the unit is in an alarm condition when the check source is activated, it will remain in the alarm condition.

The UDR is normally shipped from the factory with JP3-5 in.

Input Pulse Selection

Jumper JP4 is set to position 2-3 for GM detector inputs. Position 1-3 is provided for use with other detectors.

Input Shield Polarity

Jumper JP5 is set to position 2-3 for GM detector inputs. Position 1-2 is provided for use with other detectors.

Anti-Jam Selection

Jumper JP6 is normally installed in position 1-2. Position 2-3 bypasses the anti-jam fuse for test purposes. Removing the Jumper disables the anti-jam circuit for test purposes.

Detector Type

Jumper JP7 is set to position 2-3 for a GM detector input. Position 1-2 provided for use with a scintillation detector.

2.9 Jumper Selectable Options

NOTE

The unit must be turned off when changing jumpers.

Table 2-1.942A-200 Option Jumpers (Refer to drawing 942-200-10, Appendix A, for
Jumper Location)

Jumper	Function	Position	Operation
-			•
JP1	Microprocessor Reset	Out	Normal Operation (factory) Momentary
			connect to reset microprocessor without
		IN	cycling AC power Not Applicable
JP2	PROM Type	1-2	PROM 27128
		2-3	PROM 27256 (factory)
JP3-	Statistical Accuracy	Out/Out	2% Accuracy – 9604
1/JP3-2	(It should be noted that this	Out/In	5% Accuracy – 1537 Target Counts
	accuracy refers only to the	In/Out	10% Accuracy – 384 Target Counts
	statistical interpretation of	In/In	Fixed one second display update (factory)
	detector counts, and not detector		
	accuracy)		
JP3-3	Alarm Acknowledge	In	Manual Acknowledge (factory)
	C C	Out	Automatic
JP3-4	Fail Alarm	In	Enable No Counts Fail Alarm (factory)
		Out	Inhibit No Counts Fail Alarm
JP3-5	Check Source Alarm	In	Alarm Inhibited (factory)
		Out	Alarm Enabled
JP4	Input Pulse Selection	1-2	- Input Pulse (Scintillation Detectors)
		2-3	(factory)
			+ Input Pulse (GM Detectors)
JP5	Shield Polarity Selection	1-2	+ Shield for Negative Pulse (factory)
		2-3	- Shield for Positive Pulse (GM)
JP-6	Anti-Jam Fuse Selection	1-2	Enable for Normal Operation (factory)
		2-3	Anti-Jam Circuit fuse bypassed (testing)
		Out	Anti-Jam Circuit Disabled (for testing only)
JP7	Detector Type for Anti-Jam	1-2	Scintillation (factory)
	Circuit Timing	2-3	GM Tube

2.10 UDR Function Switch/Function

Table 2-2.	UDR Function Switch RDS1 Positions/Function (Refer to drawing 942-200-10,
Ap	pendix A, for Function Switch Location)

Switch Position	Function
0	Selects HIGH Alarm Setpoint
1	Selects WARN Alarm Setpoint
2	Selects Resolving Time (Tau) Limit
3	Selects Analog Full Scale Limit
4	Selects Overrange Limit
5	Selects Calibration Constant
6	Background Subtract
7	Selects Analog Low Scale
8	Selects Calibrate Mode
9	Selects Underrange Value

2.11 Parameter Entry

Parameter entry is accomplished using a sixteen position rotary switch labeled FUNCTION and three momentary pushbutton switches labeled ENTER, VALUE, and DIGIT. These switches are located on the right side of the main circuit board and are accessible by partially removing unit from its mounting case.

The FUNCTION switch is used to select the parameter to be entered. Table 2-3 defines the switch positions and a description of each parameter can be found in the following paragraphs.

Switch Position	Setpoint	Units	Factory Setting
0	High Alarm Limit	CPM	1.00E5
1	Warn Alarm Limit	СРМ	1.00E3
2	Resolving Time (Tau)	Minutes/count	0.00E0
3	Full Scale Value	СРМ	1.00E7
4	Overrange	СРМ	1.00E7
5	Conversion Constant	-	1.00E0
6	Background Subtract	СРМ	0.00E0
7	Low Scale Value	СРМ	1.00E1
8	Calibration Mode	Seconds	6.0E1
9 For M1 thru M10	Rate of Rise	%/hr	1.00E1
9** For M11 and subsequent	Peak CPM, (W2)	СРМ	1.00E1
A thru F	Not Used		

Table 2-3. Function Switch Entry Parameters

** When implemented, the Rate-of Rise for 942A-200-M11 and subsequent UDRs is determined by continuously storing the CPM value in a buffer and comparing it to current CPM values, 20 minutes later. If the current CPM value exceeds the value taken 20 minutes prior by a predetermined CPM and the WARN setpoint has been exceeded, then the Rate-of-Rise alarm function will be initialized and the RATE LED on the front panel will illuminate.

To enter a parameter, the FUNCTION switch is set to the desired position and the following steps are performed:

In the event it is necessary to re-enter all of the default setpoints, the UDR EPROM memory may be reinitialized by turning the UDR power off, then depressing the ENTER pushbutton at the same time the power on switch is depressed.

1. Press the ENTER pushbutton. The current value of the parameter, selected by the FUNCTION switch will be displayed on the front panel. The leftmost digit of the value will be flashing. The value is displayed in the format shown below:

M.MMEN

This format expresses the form of M.MM x EN, where M is a whole number from 0 to 9, E designates a positive or negative exponent, and N represents the exponent value from 0 to 9. A negative exponent is expressed as a minus (-) character in the E position.

- 2. The value of the flashing digit can be incremented by pressing the VALUE pushbutton.
- 3. The flashing digit can be moved one place to the right by pressing the DIGIT pushbutton.
- 4. When the desired value has been entered into the display, pressing the ENTER pushbutton causes the displayed value to be entered into memory for permanent storage. The new parameter value is now effective.

2.12 Setpoint Descriptions

High Alarm Limit, Switch Position 0

This parameter is entered in units of CPM in the exponential format described above. The high alarm limit set point can be set to any value desired. When the display value exceeds this limit, the UDR will go into a HIGH alarm state. The HIGH alarm limit must be greater than or equal to the WARN alarm and the underrange limit. It must be less than or equal to the overrange limit.

Warn Alarm Limit, Switch Position 1

This parameter is entered in units of CPM in the exponential format described above. The warn alarm limit set point can be set to any value desired, but must be lower than the high alarm limit set point. When the displayed value exceeds this limit, the UDR will go into a WARN alarm state. The WARN alarm limit must be greater than or equal to the low scale value and less than or equal to the HIGH alarm limit.

Rate Alarm Limit (optional)

Resolving Time (Tau), Switch Position 2

This parameter is entered in units of minutes per count. The actual value to be entered is a function of the individual detector and is supplied with the detector calibration data sheet. If a complete system is installed, this setpoint is factory entered.

Analog Full Scale Value, Switch Position 3

This value is the dose rate at which the analog output is 10 volts or 20 milliamperes. This value must be an even power of 10 that is at least 1 decade higher than the analog low scale value. An even power of 10 is a number of the form 1.00EX, where X equals -9 to +9. This parameter is entered in units of CPM and sets the upper value of the analog outputs. This value must be set to exact decade values. Example: 1.00E4 is acceptable, 2.00E4 is not.

Overrange, Switch Position 4

This parameter is entered in units of CPM. It is normally set for the upper limit value of the detector used (for a 943-xx series detector, this value is normally 1.00E7). When the measured radiation value exceeds this set point, the unit goes into a range alarm state. The overrange limit must be greater than or equal to the HIGH or WARN setpoints.

Calibration Constant, Switch Position 5

This parameter is a detector dependent value that is used to convert counts per minute (CPM) to Ci/cc. The actual value to be entered is supplied with the detector. The units are normally Ci/cc per counts per minute. If a complete system is installed, this setpoint is factory entered.

Background Subtract, Switch Position 6

This parameter is entered in units of counts per minute (CPM). The value entered is subtracted from the radiation value calculated by the microprocessor, and the net result is displayed. The alarm limit checks and analog output conversion are both processed based on the net count rate displayed, the background subtracted value. The background subtract value does not affect the bargraph display, which is processed based on the gross count rate.

Analog Low Scale Value, Switch Position 7

This value is the dose rate at which the analog output is 0 volt or 4 milliamperes. This value must be an even power of 10 that is at least 1 decade lower than the analog full-scale value. An even power of 10 is a number of the form 1.00EX, where X equals -9 to +9. This parameter is entered in units of CPM and sets the lower range of the analog outputs. This value must be set to exact decade values. Example: 1.00E-1 is acceptable, 2.00E-1 is not.

Calibrate Mode, Switch Position 8

This function permits use of the UDR as a scaler, by entering a fixed counting time, and displaying the integrated counts during this period. The units are entered in seconds.

Underrange Limit, Switch Position9

This parameter is normally set to the low range limit of the detector used, and is entered in CPM.

2.13 Setpoint Error Codes

If, after entering a setpoint or upon power-up, an error code is displayed, it may be due to incorrect setpoints. If error code E0002 or E0008 is displayed, all alarms are inhibited. Refer to Table 2-4 for a listing of error codes.

Code E0001 indicates that the display value is negative. Usually this means that the setpoint PROM is bad or needs to be initialized. To initialize the setpoint memory to the default values, power up the UDR with the ENTER button held down. If initializing the setpoint memory does not help, then the setpoint PROM is defective or there is a hardware malfunction.

Code E0002 indicates that a setpoint entry error has occurred (e.g. High alarm setpoint is set above the overrange value). All setpoints should be checked for agreement with the setpoint descriptions.

The appearance of either code may indicate that the setpoint memory has not been initialized.

Code E0007 (optional) indicates the setpoint selected is not used.

Code E0008 indicates that the analog output setpoints are invalid.

The error codes clear when the initiating condition is corrected.

Error Codes	Function
E0001	Negative display data
E0002	Invalid setpoint value (s)
E007	Invalid Function (Optional)
E0008	Invalid analog scale values
EEEEE	Overrange Condition

Table 2-4. 942A-200 Error Codes

2.14 Analog Output

The analog outputs are a logarithmic function of the current UDR reading. The outputs are scaled by the Full Scale Value and Low Scale Value, positions 3 and 7 respectively of the FUNCTION switch. An 8-bit DAC is used to convert the displayed dose rate to a 4-20 mA or 0-10 VDC output on connector P6 (on the rear panel). Output current or voltage is calculated using the following equations (shown below):

$$P = \log (R/LSV) / [\log (FSV) - \log (LSV)]$$

and

V =

P(VMax - VMin) + VMin or I = P(IMax - IMin) + IMin

where:

P = Percent of scale, expressed in a decimal number

R	 Current reading 	
LSV	= Low Scale Value	
FSV	= Full Scale Value	
V	 Voltage output 	
I	= Current output	
VMax	 Maximum voltage available (usually 10 VDC) 	
IMax	 Maximum current available (usually 20 mA) 	
VMin	 Minimum voltage available (usually 0 VDC) 	
IMin	 Minimum current available (usually 4 mA) 	

If the current reading (R) is greater than the full-scale value (FSV) the output is limited to the MAX value (typically 10 VDC or 20 mA).

As an example:

Assume:	LSV = 1E-1, FSV = 1E7, R = 1E3, IMax = 20 mA, and IMin = $4mA$	IMax = 20 mA, and IMin =	mA.
Then:	P = [log (1E3/1E-1)] / [log (1E7) -log (1E-1)]	-log (1E-1)]	
	= log (1E4) / log (E8)		
	= 4/8 = 0.5		
and:	I = 0.5 (20mA - 4mA) + 4 mA		
	= 0.5 (16 mA) + 4 mA		
	= 12 mA		

To aid in calibrating the analog output, the high scale or low scale setpoint may be set to zero to force the output high or low. If the low scale setpoint is set to zero, the analog output goes to low scale. If the high scale value is set to zero, the analog output goes to full scale. If both are set to zero, the output goes to full scale. Error code E0008 will be displayed if either setpoint is set to zero. The procedure for calibrating the analog outputs is contained in Section 4.

2.15 Software Calculations

The 942A-200 UDR requires setpoints to be entered which are inherent to each particular detector. The following explains the calibration constant and resolving time.

Calibration Constant

The first of these set points is a calibration constant. The calibration constant converts the detector pulse rate into a CPM value, using the following equation:

Where:	
vvnere:	

The value of K is supplied with the detector.

Resolving Time (Tau)

This constant is a correction for the resolving time of the detector. As the radiation field that the detector is viewing increases, the detector cannot count every pulse, because some are in coincidence or are so close together that two pulses may look like one. To correct for this non-linearity, the resolving time is corrected for by the following equation:

	CPM	= Ro
		1 - (Ro x Tau)
Where:	CPM	= the true count rate
	Ro	= the observed count rate (the sum of the 60 most recent 1 second values
	Tau	= the resolving time in minutes/count

The value of Tau is supplied with the detector and is found on the detector calibration data sheet.

Section 3 Theory of Operation

3.1 Functional Description

The 942-200 UDR is composed of five circuit board assemblies, mounted within the unit. These circuit boards provide input/output, display and control for the UDR. Each circuit board is described in detail in the following sections and accompanied by a block diagram where applicable. Schematic diagrams are located in Appendix A. Figure 3-1 is a system block diagram.

3.2 Main Circuit Board (942-200-13, Appendix A)

The main circuit board contains the microprocessor, memory, analog output, signal input, and control circuitry. Some of the circuitry located on the circuit board may not be installed depending on the model. The following paragraphs explain the operation of the circuits in detail. Figure 3-2 is a block diagram of the main circuit board.

Microprocessor

The 6802/6808 (U15) is a monolithic 8-bit microprocessor with 16-bit memory addressing. The 6802/6808 contains a crystal controlled internal clock oscillator and driver circuitry.

A 4 MHz crystal is utilized with the internal clock circuitry to obtain 1 MHz operation. The (E) enable pin on the MPU supplies the clock for both the MPU and the rest of the system. Figure 3-3 is a typical timing diagram for write and read cycles.

The read/write output signals the memory/peripherals that the MPU is in a read (high) state or a write (low) state. The normal standby state is read (high).

The valid memory address (VMA) output indicates to peripheral and memory devices that there is a valid address on the address bus.

The address bus outputs (AD - A15) provide for addressing of external devices.

The data bus (DO - 07) is bi-directional and is used for transferring data between the MPU and memory/peripheral devices. The data bus will be in the output mode for a write cycle and in the input mode for a read cycle.

The Interrupt Request Input (IRQ), when low, requests that an interrupt sequence be generated within the MPU. The processor will wait until it completes the current instruction that is being executed before it recognizes the request. Various internal registers are stored on the stack before a branch to the interrupt vector is carried out. When the interrupt routine has completed, the registers are restored and the MPU continues to execute the program. The IRQ input is not utilized on the main circuit board; however, it is provided to the external bus connector to be used by IRQ generating devices located on the option boards.

The reset input (active low) is used to restart the MPU from a power down condition, (restart from a power failure or an initial start-up). A low to high transition on this input signals the MPU to begin the restart sequence.

The non-maskable interrupt (NMI) input, upon detection of a low-going edge, requests that a nonmaskable interrupt sequence is generated within the MPU. As with the interrupt request signal, the processor will complete the current instruction being executed before it recognizes the NMI signal. Various internal registers are stored on the stack before a branch to the NMI vector occurs. Upon completion of the NMI routine, the internal registers are restored and program execution continues.



Figure 3-1. System Block Diagram



Figure 3-2. Page 1 of 3 Block Diagram - Main Circuit Board



Figure 3-2. Page 2 of 3 Block Diagram - Main Circuit Board



Figure 3-2. Page 3 of 3 Block Diagram - Main Circuit Board

ldent Number	Characteristics	Symb ol	MC6802NS MC6802 MC6808		MC68A02 MC68A08		MC68B02 MC68B08		Unit
			Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
1	Cycle Time	^t cyc	1.0	10	0.667	10	0.5	10	μs
2	Pulse Width, E Low	PWEL	450	5000	280	5000	210	5000	ns
3	Pulse Width, E High	PWEH	450	9500	280	9700	220	9700	ns
4	Clock Rise and Fall Time	^t r, ^t f		25		25		20	ns
9	Address Hold Time	^t AH	20		20		20		ns
12	Non-Muxed Address Valid Time	^t AV1 ^t AV2	16 	 270	100 		50 		ns
17	Read Data Setup Time	^t DSR	100		70		60		ns
18	Read Data Hold Time	^t DHR	10		10		10		ns
19	Write Data Delay Time	^t DDW		225		170		160	ns
21	Write Data Hold Time	^t DHW	30		20		20		ns
29	Usable Access Time (See Note 4)	^t ACC	605		310		235		ns

Table 3-1. Bus Timing Characteristics



Figure 3-3. Read/Write Timing Diagram

Notes

- 1. Voltage levels shown are $^{v}L \le 0.4 \text{ V}$, $^{v}H \le 2.4 \text{ V}$, unless otherwise specified.
- 2. Measurement points shown are 0.8 V and 2.0 V, unless otherwise noted.
- 3. All electricals shown for the MC6802 apply to the MC6802NS and MC6808, unless otherwise noted.
- 4. Usable access time is computed by: 12 + 3 + 4 17.
- 5. If programs are not executed from on-board RAM, TAV1 applies. If programs are to be stored and executed from on-board RAM, TAV2 applies. For normal data storage in the on-board RAM, this
6. extended delay does not apply. Programs cannot be executed from on-board RAM when using A and B parts (MC68A02, MC68A08, MC68B02, MC68B08). ON-board RAM can be used for data storage with all parts.

Reset Circuitry

The reset circuit generates a 650 ms wide low pulse to the MPU reset input and various external registers. The R1/C1 network generates a delayed trigger pulse to the U10 multi-vibrator. Upon power up, C1 charges through R1. When approximately 1.4 volts is reached, U11-8 goes low triggering U10, U10-4 goes low, U10-13 goes high; this condition is held for 650 ms. When U10 delay is complete, U10-4 returns high and U10-13 returns low. The low to high transition on U10-4 signals the MPU to begin a reset sequence. JP1 - Reset Pins, on the circuit board, may be shorted to initiate an MPU reset for troubleshooting purposes.

Clocks

The system clock is generated by the MPU using a 4 MHz crystal. The system clock, from which others are derived, is an output on the MPU pin 37 and operates at 1 MHz.

NMI Clock

The NMI clock is generated by U30, U31, and U32, which are dual decade counters. The 1 MHz system clock is applied to the U30-1 input. U30 is a divide by 100 counter, while U31 is a divide by 50 counter, with respect to the input frequency. Therefore. U30-9's output is 10 kHz and U31-9's output is 200 Hz. U32 is connected for operation as a divide by 25 counter, which produces an 8 Hz output on U32-9.

Write Cycle Clock

The Write Cycle Clock is generated by U19. The 1 MHz system clock is applied to the U19A-2 input, which is adjusted via VR13 for a -225 ns delay from the falling clock edge. The second stage of U19B produces a 225 ns output pulse width. Figure 3-4 is the timing diagram for the write cycle clock. Signals SHORT 02 and /SHORT 02 are buffered by U18 to produce WRITE 02 and /WRITE 02 that are used by the system.



Figure 3-4. Write Cycle Clock Timing Diagram

Address Drivers

Line drivers U12 (low order addresses) and U13 (high order addresses) provide signal buffering and capability to drive 15 TTL's unit loads for the address bus. The output drives are all internal devices utilizing address signals on the main circuit board as well as the J3 option interface bus connector for additional circuit boards.

Data Transceivers

Data transceiver U16 is an octal tri-state bi-directional transceiver that provides drive capability to the data bus. The MPU data I/O signals are connected to U16 "A" ports. U16 "B" ports drive the data bus under control of the read/write signal. When U16-11 is low, data is transferred from the "B" ports (internal bus)

to the "A" ports (MPU data). When U16-11 is high, data is transferred from the "A" ports (MPU data) to the "B" ports (internal bus) during a write cycle.

Data transceiver U73 provides buffer and drive capability to the external data bus interface, available for optional circuit boards on J3. Data direction is controlled by the read/write line on U73-11 providing U73-9 (bus enable) is low, which enables port-to-port data transfer to occur. The bus enable signal is generated by the option board/boards when they are addressed by the MPU. When U73-11 is low, for a read cycle, data is transferred from the external bus to the internal bus. When U73-11 is high, for a write cycle, data is transferred from the internal bus to the external bus.

Control Signal Buffer

Line driver U18 provides a signal drive for all system control signals and clocks utilized by circuitry within the main circuit board.

Line driver U74 provides the drive for control lines and clock signals for external circuitry utilizing the J3 option interlace connector.

Address Decoding

The master decoder (U14) is an open-collector 32 x 8-bit bipolar PROM. Address lines A15, A14, A13, and A12 as well as read/write are used to decode memory and I/O addresses in 4K hex blocks. Table 3-2 lists the output signals from U 14.

U14 Pin	Signal Name	Address	Read/Write
9	PROM 8000	8000-FFFF	Read Only
7	Spare	Spare	
6	RAM 2000	2000-3FFF	Read/Write
5	RAM 0000	0000-1FFF	Read/Write
4	I/O	4000-4FFF	Read/Write
3	RAM Write	0000-3FFF	Write Only
2	RAM Read	0000-3FFF	Read Only
1	5000 Block	5000-5FFF	Read/Write

Table 3-2. Output Signals (U14)

/PROM 8000 directly drives the enable pins of the PROM (U23). /RAMREAD, /RAM000 and /SPARE are logic OR'd with /CLOCK from U18 via logic or circuits U17B, C and D. /RAM READ drives the RAM output U21 and U22 /CE (chip enable) pins. /RAM 0000 and /RAM 2000 act as chip selects for the appropriate RAM. /RAM WRITE is logic OR'd with /WRITE 02 (from U18) by U17, and is connected to the write enable pins on the RAMS. The /5000 Block output signal is applied to line driver U74A and for connection to J3, the optional interface connector.

The I/O output signal is applied to major function decoder U1 that is a 1 of 8 decoder. U1 utilizes address lines A5, A6, A7, and A8 as well as /CLOCK to generate outputs that are decoded in 32 hex blocks starting at address 4000. Table 3-3 lists U1 outputs, their functions and addresses.

	Address State			Address	Function	
A 8	A7	A6	A5	Audress	Function	
0	0	0	0	4000	Register Select	
0	0	0	1	4020	Bargraph	
0	0	1	0	4040	ACIA (Communication Interface)	
0	0	1	1	4060	SCA (Analyzer)	
0	1	0	0	4080	GPIB (General Purpose Interface Bus)	
0	1	0	1	40A0	(Spare)	
0	1	1	0	40C0	(Spare)	
0	1	1	1	40E0	(Spare)	

Table 3-3. U1 Outputs

Address 4000 is further decoded by the write register decoder (U2) and the read register decoder (U34). The bargraph output, address 4020, is further decoded by U5 (Table 3-4). The remaining output address (4040 through 40E0) is provided to the optional interface connector for use by external option circuit boards.

Read Register Decoding

Decoding for READ registers within the main circuit board is performed by U34, which is a 1 of 8 decoder. Control signals for U34 are REG SELECT, and READ/WRITE (active high) as well as address A1, A2, and A3. U34 decodes address per output, starting with 4000 and ending with 400E.

These outputs are active low. Table 3-4 lists the READ register, the assigned function and the address.

Ac	Address State		Hex Address	Function	
A3	A2	A 1	nex Address	Function	
0	0	0	4000	Switch Interface	
0	0	1	4002	Data Entry	
0	1	0	4004	Gross Counter Low	
0	1	1	4006	Gross Counter High	
1	0	0	4008	Sensitivity Select	
1	0	1	400A	(Spare)	
1	1	0	400C	(Spare)	
1	1	1	400E	(Spare)	

Table 3-4. Control Signal Address Decoding (U34)

The following paragraphs describe the operation of each of these registers.

Data Entry (Read Only)

Octal buffer U36 functions as an interface to supply the status of the switches for data entry to the internal data bus address (4002). The data entry read functions are shown in Table 3-5. The function switch logic is shown in Table 3-6.

Table 3-5. Data Entry Read Functions

Data Bit	Function
D0	Enter Switch (Active Low)
D1	Value Select Switch (Active Low)
D2	Digit Select Switch (Active Low)
D3	(Not Used)
D4	D4 – D7 (16 position function switch,
D5	see Table 2-11)
D6	
D7	

Hex Data	D7	D6	D5	D4	Position	Function
F	1	1	1	1	0	High
E	1	1	1	0	8	Calibrate Mode
D	1	1	0	1	1	Warn
С	1	1	0	0	9	Undefined
В	1	0	1	1	4	Overrange
А	1	0	1	0	С	Undefined
9	1	0	0	1	5	Calibration Constant
8	1	0	0	0	D	Undefined
7	0	1	1	1	2	Resolving Time
6	0	1	1	0	А	Undefined
5	0	1	0	1	3	Full Scale Value
4	0	1	0	0	В	Undefined
3	0	0	1	1	6	Background Subtract
2	0	0	1	0	E	Undefined
1	0	0	0	1	7	Low Scale Value
0	0	0	0	0	F	Undefined

Table 3-6.	Function Switch Logic
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PROM

The Programmable Read Only Memory is typically a 27256 that is a UV erasable 32K x 8-bit PROM. U23, which responds to address 8000-FFF, is always present. U23 contains the operating program for the UDR (firmware). Jumper JP2 is normally set from 2 - 3. By setting JP2 from 2 - 3, A14 is applied to pin 27 of U23 that allows the use of a 27256 PROM (32K x 8).

RAM

Dynamic Random Access Memories (U21) is utilized for temporary data storage. U21 J which responds to address 0000-1 FFF (8K x 8-bit) is always present. U22 is provided for future RAM expansion, and will respond to address 2000-3FFF. Data stored in the RAM is lost on power down.

E^2

Sixteen (16) monitor specific, operator entered setpoints are stored in 64 bytes of electrically erasable memory (E²). U33 provides storage for the setpoints (256 bytes max.). The 16 setpoints are loaded serially into PROM memory (U23) upon power up. U35 is an 8-Bit control register to permit transferring information to and from the data Bus setpoint.

Read -Write Cycles

A read cycle is performed by sequencing /RAM 0000 and /RAM READ, while /RAM WRITE is held high (inactive). The address (A0 - A12) are latched by the failing edge of /RAM 0000. Data becomes valid approximately 250 ns later.

A write cycle is performed by sequencing /RAM 000 and /RAM WRITE, while holding /RAM READ high (inactive). Identical to the read cycle, the address (A0 - A12) is latched by the falling edge of /RAM 000. Data is stored into RAM on the failing edge of /RAM WRITE.

Write Register Decoding

Decoding for write registers within the main circuit board is performed by U2, which is a 1 of 8 decoder. Control signals for U2 are /REGSELECT, /WRITE 02 and /R/W (active high), as well as addresses A01, A02, and A03. U2 decodes two addresses per output, starting at 4000, and ending with 400E. These outputs are active low. Table 3-7 lists write registers, their assigned function and address.

A	Address State		Hex	Function
A3	A2	A1	Address	Function
0	0	0	4000	Status Indicators
0	0	1	4002	E ² PROM
0	1	0	4004	D/A Converter
0	1	1	4006	Display Control
1	0	0	4008	Display Data
1	0	1	400A	Counter Control
1	1	0	400C	Relay Control
1	1	1	400E	(Spare)

Table 3-7.Write Register Functions

The following paragraphs describe the operation of each of these registers.

Counter Control (Write Only)

The counter control register (U43) is an 8-bit register with clear, and responds to address 400A. Upon initial power-up (/RESET), the system resets all outputs low. The /COUNTER CONTROL initiates data transfer to the register. Table 3-8 lists the counter control register write functions.

NOTE

Data written into U43 remains at the outputs until a reset occurs or new data is written.

 Table 3-8.
 Counter Control Register Write Functions

Data Bit	Function
D0	Counter Clear
D1	Counter Enable
D2	HV Shutdown
D3	HV Select (used to digitize HV)
D4	Clear Switch Latch
D5	Not Used
D6	Not Used

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D7 Not Used

Relay Control Register (Write Only)

The Relay Control Register (U44) is an 8-bit register with clear, and responds to address 400C. Upon initial power-up (/RESET), the system reset signal sets all outputs low. Data written into U44 remains at the outputs until a reset occurs or new data is written by /RELAY Control. Table 3-9 lists relay control write functions.

Date Bit	Function	
D0	Fail Relay and Indicator	
D1	Check Source Relay	
D2	Warn Relay	
D3	Alarm Relay	
D4	Rate-of-rise Relay (optional)	
D5	Remote Indicator	

With the exception of the fail bit (D0), all outputs are applied to U48, which is an inverting open collector driver. The outputs of U48 drive, (via the J2 connector) up to five (5) electromechanical relays located on the relay circuit board 942-100-70. The relays are used to indicate high, Warn, Fail, or Auxiliary (optional) alarm or to operate a remote check source.

Watchdog Timer

The fail bit D0 is used as an input to U47-3 a retriggerable monostable multivibrator which, when set highlow-high once per second, causes output U47-6 to remain low. Should this high-low-high sequence fail to occur (under MPU control), U47 will time out and set U47-6 high, causing the fail indicator on the panel and the fail relay to de-activate. U48 also drives the remote indicator (when used) on the front panel.

Bargraph (Write Only)

The bargraph addresses are decoded by U5, which is a 1 of 8 decoder. Control line inputs to U5 are /R/W, /WRITE 02, and /Bargraph. When the bargraph address is selected (4020-4025), U5 further decodes the addresses listed in Table 3-10.

Α	Address State		Hex	Function	Driver
A3	A2	A1	Address	Function	Driver
0	0	0	4020	Green 1-10	U55, U56
0	0	1	4021	Green 11-20	U57, U58
0	1	0	4022	Green 21-24	U59
0	1	1	4023	Red 1-10	U50, U51
1	0	0	4024	Red 11-20	U52, U53
1	0	1	4025	Red 21-24	U54

Table 3-10. Bargraph Write Address

The outputs of U5 drive the latch enable pins on U50-U59 in pairs as shown in Table 3-11. U50-U59 are BCD-to-7 segment latch/decoder/drivers. Each drives five LEDs (either red or green) with the exception of U54 and U59 that drive four LEDs segments each. BCD to bargraph decoding is accomplished by latching data into the appropriate device to turn on the required bargraph segments. Segment decoding is shown below:



 Table 3-11.
 BCD/Baragraph Segments

BCD Character	Segment(s)
1	с
7	c, a
3	c, a, g
9	c, a, g, f
8	c, a, g, f, e
A-F	None

Assume that all bargraph segments are off. Example: Write hex data 38 to bargraph address 4020. Data 38 is stored, low byte (8) in U55 and high byte (3) in U56. Data (8) in U55 causes the code for an 8 to be output, which drives all five output segments. The result is that the first five green LEDs turn on. Data (3) in U56 causes the code for a 3 to drive segments c, a, and g connected to that device. The result is that the first 3 of 5 segments associated with U56 will turn on green.

Status Indicators (Write Only)

The status register (U60) is an 8-bit register with clear, and responds to address 4000. Data written into U60 remains at the outputs until a reset occurs (/RESET) or new data is written (/STATUS INDICATORS). Upon initial power-up, the system reset signal sets all outputs low. The status indicator write functions are listed in Table 3-12.

Data Bit	Function	Indication
D0	Check Source Indicator	D7
D1	Rate-of-Rise (when applicable)	D36
D2	Overrange Indicator	D35
D3	Warn Indicator	D33
D4	High Alarm Indicator	D32
D5	%/hr Backlight (942)	D6
D6	Volts Backlight (942)	D4
D7	CPM Backlight (942)	D5

 Table 3-12.
 Status Indicator Write Functions

U60 outputs, when high, control U61 inverter/driver to activate the appropriate front panel status indicators.

U60 outputs, when low, control U61 to deactivate the appropriate front panel status indicators.

Display Control (Write Only)

Registers U71 and U72 are 8 bit registers that respond to addresses 4006 and 4008 and are used to control and display data on the front panel 7-segment displays. Five digits are used along with two spare digit drive signals. The display control register (U71) is an 8-bit register, utilizing four data bits (D0-D3). The display data register (U72) is also an 8-bit register utilizing five data bits (D0-D4). Both U71 and U72 outputs are reset (low) upon initial power-up.

U71 is used to select the digit to be written as well as to set the WRITE bit input to U75, the display controller. U72 is used to enter the data to be written and a decimal point for the selected digit.

U75 is a universal eight-digit 7-segment LED driver controller used with common anode devices. Address inputs (A0-A2), supplied by U71, are used to select the digit as shown below:

Table 3-13. Digit Select

A2	A1	A0	Selects
0	0	0	Digit 1
0	0	1	Digit 2
0	1	0	Digit 3
0	1	1	Digit 4
1	0	0	Digit 1 Digit 2 Digit 3 Digit 4 Digit 5





Data inputs D0-D3 and the decimal point, supplied by U72, are used to enter data in the selected digit as shown in Table 3-14.

Table 3-14. Hex Data (Written to Address 4008)

Hex Data	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	А	В	С	D	Е	F
Display Character	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	-	Е	н	L	Ρ	(BLANK)

The display controller contains all necessary circuitry including address decoding, static RAM, and multiplex oscillator for interdigit blanking.

Digital to Analog Converter and Output Circuitry (Write Only)

The D/A converter (U82) is an 8-bit buffered multiplying device that responds to address 4004. Data is written and latched by U82 when /DAC, which is tied to /CS (clear to send) and /WR (write) are active (low). The converter is configured for unipolar operation with a voltage reference of + 10 VDC. Below is the digital to analog conversion table with the voltage measured at U82-1 referenced to ground.

MSB	LSB	ANALOG OUTPUT
1111	1111	-10 VDC
1000	0000	-5 VDC
0000	0001	-0.039 V
0000	0000	0 V

Table 3-15. Digital to Analog Conversion

U81 operational amplifier 1 buffers the converter output to drive the three analog output circuits. This voltage is also provided to J4, analog option connector. J4 is provided with the necessary supply voltages to configure a custom analog output range for special applications (i.e. 10 mV to 50 mV) using the P/N 942-200-95 Analog Output Circuit Card. U81 operational amplifier 3 provides the user with a 0 - 10 volt analog output. VR1 is the zero adjustment and VR2 is the gain adjustment for the 0 - 10 volts output.

The circuitry comprised of U80 operational amplifiers 1 and 2, as well as U81 operational amplifier 2, provides a 4 - 20 mA user output. VR7 is adjusted to obtain a 4 mA reading on the output, and VR4 is adjusted to obtain a 20 mA reading on the output. U81 operational amplifier 2 and Q1 are configured as a constant current source controlled by the output of U80 operational amplifier 1. The positive feedback circuitry, comprised of R41 and R43, ensures that the output current will remain constant regardless of the output load impedance. The maximum load impedance is 500 ohms.

The circuitry comprised of U80 operational amplifiers 3 and 4 as well as U81 operational amplifier 4 provides a second 4 - 20 mA user output. Operation is identical to the circuitry previously described in this section. VR6 is adjusted to obtain a 4 mA reading at the output and VR5 is adjusted to obtain a 20 mA reading at the output.

Gross Counter (Read Only)

The gross counter is a 16-bit configuration. Octal buffer/drivers U40 (4004) and U41 (4006) interface the low and high counter bytes to the data bus from U45 and U46 respectively. Dual module 16 counters (U45, U46) accumulate counts from the signal processing circuitry over a program controlled sample period and make this data available to the MPU. A high level on U45 pins 2 and 12, and U46 pins 2 and 12 cause the counters to clear in anticipation of a sample being initiated. A low level activates the counters to accept pulses from the signal processing circuitry. Maximum count for a sample period is 32,768. When this count is achieved, U46 pin 8 goes high which causes the pulse counting to stop. This condition is recognized by the MPU as an indication of counter overflow.

Option Jumper Sensitivity Select (Read Only)

Octal buffer U42 functions as an interface to provide the status of the sensitivity selection jumpers, mode jumpers, anti-jam bit data, and serial data from E² PROM to the internal data bus and MPU. U42 responds to address 4008 and is controlled by /SENSITIVITY SELECT. The sensitivity read functions are listed in Table 3-16. The accuracy is shown in Table 3-17.

Data	Bit	Function
D0		Serial data from E ² PROM
D1		Anti-Jam
D2		(Not used)
D3	JP3-5	(IN) Inhibit alarms during check source operation
		(OUT) Alarms active during check source operation
D4	JP3-4	(IN) Fails in five minutes with no counts
		(OUT) Does not fail

Table 3-16. Optional Jumper Sensitivity Select Read Functions

D5	JP3-3	(OUT) Auto alarm acki normal (IN) Manual Reset	nowledge, after counts return to
D6	JP3-2	Sensitivity select;	JP3 jumper IN MPU reads low (0)
		JP3 ju	Imper OUT MPU reads high (1)
D7	JP3-1	Sensitivity select:	JP3 jumper IN MPU reads low (0)
		JP3 ju	Imper OUT MPU reads high (1)

 Table 3-17.
 Option Jumper Sensitivity Selections (Accuracy)

JP3-1	JP3-2	Selection
IN	IN	Fixed 1 second update
IN	OUT	10% (384 target counts)
OUT	IN	5% (1537 target counts)
OUT	OUT	2% (9604 target counts)

Switch Inputs

Octal inverting buffer U62 functions as an interface to provide the status of the front panel control switches to the internal data bus and MPU. U62 responds to address 4000 and /SWITCH INTERFACE. The switch input bit assignments are listed in Table 2-18.

Data Bit	Function
D0	Alarm Acknowledge (Latched)
D1	Check Source (Latched)
D2	(Spare)
D3	(Spare)
D4	Rate-of-Rise
D5	Warn Alarm
D6	High Alarm
D7	High Voltage

 Table 3-18.
 Switch Input Bit Assignments (U62)

When a switch is pressed, the appropriate input to U62 is pulled low. When U62 is read by the MPU, a high (1) is available on the data bus. When no switches have been pressed, all outputs (U62) will be low when read. U63 A and B are D type flip-flops, that latch switch data from the check source and alarm acknowledge switches. The MPU controls the clear switch latch signal to reset U63A and B. The circuit comprised by S1, D1, and R11 is a remote alarm acknowledge. R11 is selected to allow a 20 mA signal to flow through the S1 infrared diode when a given voltage is present on the J9 remote acknowledge input. When this voltage is present, the S1 infrared diode is forward biased, causing the S1 phototransistor to conduct. This effectively forces a low (0) to U63-10, setting the alarm acknowledge bit.

Option Board Bus

The option board bus is available on connector J3. All address, data, and control signals are provided to allow various digital/analog circuit boards to directly interface to the main circuit board. Decoded signals for the single channel analyzer option (two channels), asynchronous communications interlace adapter option, and the general-purpose interface bus option is available on the option board interface connector.

Signal input Circuitry

Detector input pulse circuitry consists of an input buffer, high/low discriminators, signal detection, anti-jam and signal multiplexer circuits. The following paragraphs describe circuit operation in detail.

Buffer Amplifier

The detector input is connected to J6. The input impedance is 50 ohms to match the signal cable and the detector's output impedance. Jumpers JP4 and JP5 are used to select the proper pulse polarity as shown below.

Jur	nper	Function	Remarks
JP4	1-2	Pulse Polarity (Input)	For negative input (factory set)
JP4	2-3	Pulse Polarity (Input)	For positive input
JP5	1-2	Pulse Polarity (Shield)	For negative input (factory set)
JP5	2-3	Pulse Polarity (Shield)	For positive input

Table 3-19. Input Polarity Jumpers

The detector input signal (with appropriate polarity jumpers installed) is applied to unity gain buffer amplifier U90. VR8 is used to fine adjust for unity gain. Regardless of input signal polarity, U90-6 outputs positive going pulses. VR9 is a zero offset adjust for U90. The buffer amplifier output is provided to the J7 connector (for use by analyzer option circuitry) as well as the high and low discriminators. TP-1 is available as a test point for this pulse.

Discriminators

The low level discriminator is comprised of comparator U91 device 2 and associated circuitry. VR11 is used to set the trip threshold. The adjustment range is 50 mV to 1 volt, which can be measured at the low discriminator test jack. As the positive pulse, applied to the input, passes through the trip threshold, the output (U91-6) is forced low. When the pulse returns through the trip threshold, the output U91-6 returns high and is ready to accept another input pulse. Pulses below the trip threshold do not trigger the output.

The high discriminator is comprised of comparator U91 device 1 and associated circuitry. VR10 is used to set the trip point. The adjustment range is 3.5 to 7.5 volts, which can be measured at the high discriminator test jack. As the positive pulse, applied to the input, passes through the trip threshold, the output (U91 device 1) is forced low. When the pulse returns through the trip threshold, the output (U91 device 1) returns high and is ready to accept another input pulse. Pulses below the trip threshold do not trigger the output.

The normal factory setting are: Low Disc.: 0.500 VDC

High Disc.: 7.000 VDC

Figure 3-5 shows signal "A" below both discriminators, signal "B" between discriminators, and signal "C" above discriminators.



Figure 3-5. Discriminator Setting

- a = This pulse is below the low discriminator voltage and is not passed.
- b = This pulse is above the low discriminator voltage and below the upper discriminator voltage, and is passed to the counters.
- c = This pulse is above the upper discriminator and is not passed.

Signal Detection

The circuitry comprised of flip-flop U93 and inverters U11 and U94 utilize the low discriminator and high discriminator outputs to ensure that only input signals which peak between the discriminators are made available to the gross counters.

When U93A-2 counter enable is brought high, under software control (Counter Enable) to initiate a sample period, and the low discriminator threshold is exceeded, a positive going edge on U93A-3 clocks a high into flip-flop U93A-5. Assuming the high discriminator has not been exceeded, when the input pulse returns through the low discriminator threshold, a positive going edge on U93B-11 clocks the high on U93B-12 to the output U93B-9. A delayed positive pulse produced by the R/C network (R80/C35) on U93B-13 allows the flip-flop output U93B-9 to remain high until the delayed pulse on U93B-13 returns low, which resets the output U93B-9 low. U93B-9 is connected to the signal multiplexer circuitry as described below.

When an input pulse exceeds both the high and low discriminators, the high (U93A-5) clocked by the transition through the low discriminator is reset by the low (U91A-1) resulting from the transition through the high discriminator. This action causes no pulse to be generated at U93B-9.

Signal Multiplexer

The signal multiplexer comprised of U101, U102, and U94 allows the MPU to select either the radiation pulse or the frequency output representing the high voltage to be input to the gross counters. When counter enable is active (high), the signal detection circuit output (representing radiation) is routed to the gross counters. When HV SELECT is active (high), the high voltage frequency HVf is routed to the gross counters. The outputs connected to pull-up resistor R81, are open collectors allowing the most significant bit of the counters to force this node low, effectively terminating the pulse input to the counters and indicating an overflow condition.

Anti-Jam Circuitry

The anti-jam circuitry allows for the detection of rapid increase in pulses (due to a rapid increase in radiation at the detector) and provides a bit to the sensitivity select register. A detector will reach a point, in a very high radiation field, when it will no longer provide pulses, but conducts continuously. The absence of pulses would normally indicate a low radiation field, when in actuality this is not the case. The purpose of the anti-jam circuit is to detect that this situation is about to occur, and to indicate it to the MPU. The MPU will then shut down the high voltage.

The input to the anti-jam circuit is provided by the low discriminator output (U91B-6). JP7 selects detector type, 1-2 for scintillation detectors and 2-3 for GM type. Q3 turns ON/OFF with input pulses, which allows C39 to charge to an average DC level. VR12 (adjustment range 0 to 1.6 volts) is used to adjust the trip threshold on comparator U92-2. When the repetition rate of the input pulse causes C39 to charge and the DC level to exceed the threshold, comparator output U92-1 (low in normal operation) is forced high. When this occurs, U96A-2 goes high (U96A-1 is high after power-up) U96A-3 goes low and U96B-4 goes high. Diode D9 effectively latches this circuit in the jam mode. That is, if C39 discharges (due to absence of input pulses) and U92-1 goes low, D9 becomes forward biased which holds U96-2 high. The high, now on U96B-4 causes Q4 to turn on driving Q5 on, forcing U96C-8, & 9 node to ground. In normal operation, JP6 is in position 1-2 allowing high current flow through F1 (1/20 Amp fuse) causing it to blow. R82 will now hold U96C-8, & 9 node at ground, causing U96C-10 (anti-jam bit) to be active (high). At this point, normal operation can only be achieved by replacing fuse F1. Jumper JP6 - position 2-3 is for test purposes only and allows fuse F1 to be removed from the circuit and R79 provides pull-up to +5 volts. In this mode, cycling of power resets the anti-jam circuit. R93/C41 on U96A-1 provides a delay from power-up to inhibit false tripping of the anti-jam circuit.

Voltage to Frequency Converter

The V/F converter (U100) monitors the high voltage supply and outputs a frequency to the signal multiplexer, allowing the MPU to determine and display the detector high voltage. The input to the V/F circuit is provided in a 1000:1 ratio by the HV supply board. VR3 adjusts the gain of the converter. A 1-

volt (representing 1000 volts) causes a frequency output of 10 kHz. Likewise, a 0.6-volt input (representing 600 volts) produces a frequency of 6 kHz. Therefore, f out = V in x 10,000.

High Voltage Supply Schematic (942-200-63, Appendix A)

The high voltage is utilized in a scintillation detector by the photomultiplier tube (typical range 750 volts to 1500 volts) or by a GM detector (typical range 500 volts to 650 volts). The adjustment range of the HV supply is 300 VDC to 1800 VDC. The HV output is short circuit proof in that it will current limit the oscillator section within ten seconds of the output being shorted. The board plugs into the main circuit board at the J8 connector.

R5 and associated circuitry provide the DC voltage adjustment to U1 - C. U1 device 3-10, normally held at ground by R17, allows an error input in applications using an Americium regulator. The output U1-C-8 will vary under control of either R5 or the error input voltage. Table 3-20 shows the effect of the error input voltage on the high voltage.

+1 Volt	(HV) +135 Volts
+2.5 Volts	(HV) +335 Volts
-1 Volt	(HV) –135 Volts
-2.5 Volts	(HV) –335 Volts
+10 mV	(HV) +1.35 Volts

Table 3-20. Error Input Voltage Range

Operation amplifier U1-A drives transistor Q1 which in turn drives the oscillator section transistor Q2, the transformer primary and feedback windings, and associated circuitry. As R5 is adjusted to increase the high voltage, U1-C-8 voltage increases which causes U1-A to increase transistor Q1 base current. This increases the emitter/collector current, raising the voltage on the emitter. As this control voltage increases, the voltage developed across the transformer primary also increases. The transformer secondary increases in voltage, which causes the high voltage output to increase. The voltage quadrupler operation is illustrated in Figure 3-6.

R2 is a 1000:1 voltage divider that provides feedback to control the high voltage. U1-B is used as a buffer between the 1000:1 divider and the 1000:1 output signal utilized by the V/F converter on the main circuit board. This output signal is also utilized by U1-A to regulate the high voltage and is sent to the HV test jack. The SHUTDOWN signal (provided by the controller), when low, has no effect on the high voltage. When the SHUTDOWN signal goes high, Q3 conducts causing Q1 to turn off. This action forces the oscillator to turn off, effectively shutting down the high voltage.

Short circuit protection is provided by the positive temperature coefficient thermistor (PTC). The PTC resistance in normal operation is nominally 5 ohms. When the high voltage output is shorted, the control circuitry U1-A attempts to maintain regulation by increasing the base drive for transistor Q1. Excessive current flows through the PTC, causing the internal temperature to increase. As the temperature increases, the PTC resistance also increases dramatically. The effect is that the control voltage to the oscillator is decreased to a minimum level.

The response of the PTC is approximately ten seconds. Removal of the short circuit condition results in restoration of the high voltage to the preset level.



Figure 3-6. High Voltage Output (800 VDC)

Relay Circuit Board (942-100-70, Appendix A)

The relay circuit board contains five independently controlled mechanical relays, high alarm, warn alarm, auxiliary alarm, fail and check source. Each relay provides two Form C sets of contacts. For the check source and high alarm relays, a single Form C set of contacts is available for customer use. Interconnection is from J2 on the relay board to J2 on the main circuit board. The control signals (active low) and + 15 volts common are provided. The relays typically perform the following functions:

- K1: Auxiliary (optional)
- K2: Check Source
- K3: Fail
- K4: Warn
- K5: Alarm

The relay contacts are provided to the user via rear panel connector P1, with the exception of the check source via detector connector P2. See specifications for contact ratings. Varistors (V1-V16) provide transient protection across the contacts.

Front Panel Circuit Board Schematic (942-100-15, Appendix A)

The front panel circuit board consists of the 7-segment display, backlights, status indicators, switches, and bargraph assembly. The front panel interfaces to the main circuit board via interconnecting row 100, 200, and 300. The main power switch also mounts to the front panel circuit board. Refer to Figure 3-7 for a view of the front panel.

Circuit Description (Front Panel Circuit Board)

The 7 segment displays are controlled by the display controller as described in "Display Control." The bargraph is controlled by the circuitry described in "Bargraph (Write Only)." The status indicators are described in "Status Indicators (Write Only)." Switches are described in "Switch Inputs."

		И.	MN		N	VOLTS CPM % / h	; 	
	НУ		HIGH	WARN	RAT	Ē		ALARM ACK.
6₹ ₩ 1	10	10 ²	10 ³			10 5	CPN 10 ⁷ MODE VICTO	L 942A

Figure 3-7. Front Panel, 942A-200

Power Supply (942-200-50 and 942A-200-55)

The UDR power supply is rated at +5 volts @ 3 amps, +15 volts @ 2.0 amps, and -15 volts @ .5 amps. The input is user selectable at 115 VAC (92 to 132 VAC) or 230 VAC (180 to 264 VAC). The power supply is designed to meet safety requirements UL/CSA/VDE. EMI emissions comply with FCC/Class B requirements.

The AC input to the power supply may range from 90 to 204 VAC @ 50.60 Hz. The 956A, however, must be configured for use at 125 VAC, 50/60 Hz as a factory option.

The power supply provides all internal UDR voltages as well as detector supply voltages. All outputs are protected with automatic recovery upon removal of overload or short circuit condition.

Optional Circuit Boards

Option circuit boards are installed into the 50-pin J3 connector available on the main circuit board. As many as three option boards may be stacked into the J3 bus. The following paragraphs describe the available options. A separate manual, for each option board, is available with more detailed information. Listed below are the option boards currently available. Refer to Table 1-3 for currently available modifications and to Appendix C for the Bill of Materials.

- 1. 942-200-75: ANALOG OPTION INPUT BOARD Contains four separate channels for analog input. A 0 to 10 VDC input or 4 to 20 mA input can be selected independently for each channel using the jumpers and switches provided on the board. Possible inputs to the board include: temperature, pressure, flow, or simulated radiation.
- 2. 942-200-80: COMMUNICATIONS LOOP OPTION BOARD Designed to enable a communications link between Victoreen's ratemeter and a user computer system or CRT terminal, with baud rates ranging from 50 baud to 19200 baud. An asynchronous communication interface adapter is utilized to format the data and control the interface.

The Victoreen communications interface also provides the necessary circuitry to allow interconnecting to a standard Victoreen communication link. This interface allows multiple UDRs to share a common six-wire cable to a main central processor unit.

3. 942-200-90: SINGLE CHANNEL ANALYZER (Americium REGULATOR) - Designed to provide two independently adjustable windows for the discrimination of radiation pulses using the voltage peak analysis technique. Used with an Americium configured system. When used with an Americium - 231 doped sodium iodine crystal, provides the ability to automatically adjust the detector high voltage to compensate for photomultiplier tube gain changes due to ambient temperature variations. (A separate channel is utilized to regulate system gain via the high voltage supply. This channel is locked to an Americium pulse within the detector and is used to maintain a constant gain.)

This channel includes a 16-bit counter. The counter control and sample period functions under MPU control. A selector switch allows the user to select channel display on the front panel.

- 942-200-95: ANALOG OUTPUT BOARD Designed to provide a user selectable single output voltage of: 0 -10 VDC, 0 -5 VDC, 0 -1 VDC, 0 -500 mV DC, 0 -100 mV DC, 0 -50 mV DV, or 0-10m VDC.
- 942-200-95M1: DUAL ANALOG OUTPUT BOARD Designed to provide two user selectable output voltages. Output #1 is either 0 -5 VDC, or 0 -10 VDC, while output #2 is either 0 -10 mV DC, 0 -50 mV DC, 0 -100 mV DC, 0 -500 mV DC, or 0 -1 VDC.

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Section 4 Maintenance, Calibration and Troubleshooting

4.1 Maintenance

The 942A-200 Universal Digital Ratemeter (UDR) is designed to operate for extended periods of time with no scheduled maintenance required. If a problem develops, trouble shoot the UDR per Section 4.3 and the drawings in Appendix B.

4.2 Calibration

Table 4-1 lists the electronic adjustments for the UDR. The procedures for making these adjustments are described in the following paragraphs. Procedures for calibration of the detector are provided in the detector instruction manual.

Adjustment	Purpose
VR1	Zero Adjust/0 – 10 Volt Analog Output
VR2	Gain Adjust/0 – 10 Volt Analog Output
VR3	Gain Adjust V/F Converter (used to set frequency)
VR4	20 mA Adjust/4 – 20 mA Volt Analog Output #1
VR5	20 mA Adjust/4 - 20 mA Volt Analog Output #2
VR6	4 mA Adjust/4 – 20 mA Volt Analog Output #2
VR7	4 mA Adjust/4 – 20 mA Volt Analog Output #1
VR8	Gain Adjust/Signal Input Op Amp
VR9	DC Offset Adjust/Signal Input Op Amp
VR10	High Discriminator Adjustment
VR11	Low Discriminator Adjustment
VR12	Anti-Jam Threshold Adjust
VR13	Write Cycle Clock Adjust
HV Supply R5	High Voltage Adjust

Table 4-1. Electronic Adjustments

0 -10 Volt Output (Factory Set, 942-100-6, Appendix A)

- 1. Disconnect the detector.
- 2. Set the DVM to the 20 V range.
- 3. Connect the positive lead of the DVM to P6-5, and the negative lead to P6-6.
- 4. Adjust VR1 for a DVM reading of 0.00 volts.

Prior to entering the value in step 5, note the previous setting.

- 5. Set the function switch to position 3 (overrange) and enter 0.00E0.
- 6. Adjust VR2 for a DVM reading of 10.00 volts.
- 7. Enter the original full-scale value set point for position 3.
- 8. Repeat steps 3 7 as necessary for verification.
- 9. When no further adjustment is necessary, restore the overrange value to the previous setting.

4 - 20 mA Output #1, Output #2 (Factory Set)

NOTE

The adjustments for output number 2 are shown in parentheses ().

- 1. Disconnect the detector.
- 2. Set the DVM to the 20 mA range.
- 3. Connect the positive lead of the DVM to P6-1 (P6-3) and the negative lead to P6-2, (P6-4).
- Adjust VR7 (VR6) to obtain a DVM reading of 4.00 mA. It may be necessary to adjust VR4 (VR5) slightly.

Prior to entering the value in step 5, note the previous setting.

- 5. Set the function switch to position 3 (full scale value) and enter 0.00E0.
- 6. Adjust VR4 (VR5) for a 20.00 mA reading on the DVM.
- 7. Enter the original full-scale value set point for position 3.
- 8. Repeat steps 3 7 as necessary for verification.
- 9. When no further adjustment is necessary, restore the overrange value to the previous setting.

V/F Converter Adjustment HV (Factory Set)

- 1. Set the DVM to the 2-volt range.
- 2. Connect the positive lead of the DVM to the HV test jack and the negative lead to ground.
- 3. Depress the HV switch on the front and wait for the HV reading to stabilize (about 2 seconds). The front panel reading should be 1000 times the DVM reading.
- 4. Adjust VR3, if necessary to obtain the correct reading. Repeat step 3 until the adjustment is completed.

Signal Input DC Offset and Gain Adjustment (Factory Set)

- 1. Disconnect the detector signal input.
- 2. Set the DVM to the 1-volt range.
- 3. Connect the positive lead of the DMV to TP-1 (labeled PULSE on the edge of the printed circuit board) and the negative lead to the ground test jack.
- 4. Short the signal input connector on the rear panel (P5)
- 5. Adjust VR9 for a DVM reading of 0.000 volts.
- 6. Disconnect the DVM and connect an oscilloscope (to channel 2) positive lead to TP-1 and the negative lead to the ground test jack.
- 7. Disconnect the short on the signal connector, on the rear panel (P5).
- 8. Connect a signal generator to P5.
- 9. Connect an oscilloscope to channel 1 to monitor the signal generator output.
- 10. Adjust the signal generator output to obtain a 1 microsecond negative going pulse, with a -1 volt amplitude at a 1 kHz repetition rate.
- 11. Adjust VR8 to obtain unity gain. A -1 volt input should produce a +1 volt output pulse.

High and Low Discriminator Adjustments

Refer to the appropriate detector calibration procedure.

Anti-Jam Threshold Adjustment (Factory Set)

This adjustment is dependent on the type of detector used. Potentiometer VR12 is used to adjust the DC level measured at R94. Table 4-2 shows the DC adjustment values necessary for each detector type unless otherwise specified.

Test Pulse Width	Detector Type	DC Value at R94	Equivalent CPM	Jumper J7
1 microsecond	943 Series	1.170 V	1.5 x 10 ⁷	1 to 2
(250 kHz)	Gamma Family	1.170 V	1.5 X 10	1102
800 ns	943 Series	0.950 V	1.5 x 10 ⁷	1 to 2
(250 kHz)	Beta Family	0.950 V	1.5 X 10 ⁻	1 10 2
10 microsecond	843-251 Series	0.000 \/	3 x 10 ⁶	2 to 3
(50 kHz square wave)	GM Probe Family	0.900 V	3 X 10°	2103

Table 4-2. Anti-Jam Threshold Adjustment

Write Cycle Clock Adjustment (Factory Set)

- 1. Connect the channel 1 oscilloscope (x10 probe) to U19-2 (clock).
- 2. Connect the channel 2 oscilloscope (x10 probe) to U19-12 (short 02).
- 3. Adjust VR13 to obtain:



HV Supply Adjustment

R5 adjusts the detector high voltage, and the HV test jack allows a 1000:1 voltage measurement to be read. For the 942A-200 Universal Digital Ratemeter, refer to the appropriate detector calibration data sheet included with each detector for specific high voltage settings.

4.3 Troubleshooting

WARNING

Extreme care must be used when troubleshooting a system that has power applied. All standard troubleshooting precautions apply.

WARNING

Once a problem has been located, remove all power before continuing with the repair.

CAUTION

Personnel performing the troubleshooting/repair must be qualified to ANSI 45.2.6, 1978, Skill Level II.

Personnel performing the following procedure must be familiar with the operation of the monitoring system and the location of each piece of equipment used in the system.

If a problem develops, verify that the voltages at connection point inputs and outputs are present and that all wiring is secure. Refer to Appendix B and C for drawings and parts lists. If a PROM requires replacement, specify the board revision level when ordering the part.

NOTE

Improper set point entry can discontinue UDR operation. This includes the alarm set point, underrange set point, overrange set point, analog output low scale value, and analog output high scale value.

i.e., if the HI alarm set point is entered above the overrange set point, the UDR will display error Message E0004 and the communications firmware will transmit the message <IMPROPER SET POINT - UNIT HAS BEEN TAKEN OUT OF SERVICE>.

If a problem cannot be resolved by using the drawings in the Appendix while applying the troubleshooting instructions found in this manual, please contact Fluke Biomedical at 440.248.9300.

Appendix A Connector Designations

A.1 Connector Designations

NOTE

The following connector designations apply to the standard 942A-200. Refer to the Project Specific Loop Diagram, or Modification Instructions, for all other 942A-200 variations.

Table A-1.Connector P1 - Input/Output

Pin	Signal	Internal Connection
1	Rate of Rise Relay – Common (optional)	Relay Board K1-A
2	Rate of Rise Relay – N.O. (optional)	Relay Board K1-B
3	Rate of Rise Relay – N.C. (optional)	Relay Board K1-C
4	Rate of Rise Relay – Common (optional)	Relay Board K1-D
5	Rate of Rise Relay – N.O. (optional)	Relay Board K1-F
6	Rate of Rise Relay – N.C. (optional)	Relay Board K1-E
7	Fail Relay - Common	Relay Board K3-A
8	Fail Relay – N.O.	Relay Board K3-B
9	Fail Relay – N.C.	Relay Board K3-C
10	Fail Relay – Common	Relay Board K3-D
11	Fail Relay – N.O.	Relay Board K3-F
12	Fail Relay – N.C.	Relay Board K3-E
13	Warn Relay – Common	Relay Board K4-A
14	Warn Relay – N.O.	Relay Board K4-B
15	Warn Relay – N.C.	Relay Board K4-C
16	Warn Relay – Common	Relay Board K4-D
17	Warn Relay – N.O.	Relay Board K4-F
18	Warn Relay – N.C.	Relay Board K4-E
19	Alarm Relay – Common	Relay Board K5-A
20	Alarm Relay – N.O.	Relay Board K5-B
21	Alarm Relay – N.C.	Relay Board K5-C

• N.O. - Normally Open

• N.C. - Normally Closed

Pin	Signal	Internal Connection
22	Spare	
23	Spare	
24	Spare	
25	+ Remote Acknowledge	Main Circuit Board J9-1
26	- Remote Acknowledge	Main Circuit Board J9-2
27	Spare	
28	Spare	
29	Spare	
30	Spare	
31	Spare	
32	Spare	
33	Spare	
34	Spare	
35	Spare	
36	Spare	
37	Spare	

 Table A-1.
 Connector P1 - Input/Output

• N.O. - Normally Open

• N.C. - Normally Closed

Table A-2. Connector P2 - Detector Connector

Pin	Signal	Internal Connection
1	Detector + 15 Volt Supply	Power Supply +15 VDC
2	Detector - 15 Volt Supply	Power Supply -15 VDC
3	Supply Ground	Power Supply Ground
4	Transmit +	Communications Board Option
5	Transmit -	Communications Board Option
6	Receive +	Communications Board Option
7	Receive -	Communications Board Option
8	Loop Voltage +	Communications Board Option
9	Loop Voltage -	Communications Board Option
10	* 0 – 10 V Analog Output	Main Circuit Board J5-6
11	Ground	Main Circuit Board J5-9
12	Check Source N.O. (L)	Relay Board K2-B (L)
13	Check Source 120 VAC (N)	120 VAC (N)
14	Alarm N.C. (L)	Relay Board K5-E (L)

• L - Line

• N - Neutral

• * 0 - 10 V Selected for remote meter or P6-5, P6-6.

Pin	Signal	Internal Connection
1	120 VAC – LINE	Line Fuse (F2)
2	120 VAC – Neutral	Power Supply 120 VAC (N)
3	Safety Ground	Chassis

Table A-3.Connector P3 - Power Input

Table A-4. Connector P4 - Detector High Voltage

Connector	Signal
P4	High Voltage

Table A-5.Connector P5 - Detector Signal Input

Connector	Signal
P5	Input Signal

Table A-6. Connector P6 - Auxiliary I/O

Pin	Signal	Internal Connection
1	4-20 mA output	Main circuit board J5-8
2	GND	Main circuit board J5-7
3	4-20 mA output	Main circuit board J5-6
4	GND	Main circuit board J5-5
5	*0-10 V analog output	Main circuit board J5-10
6	GND	Main circuit board J5-9
7	Analog output option	Main circuit board J5-4
8	GND	Main circuit board J5-3
17	Chan 4+	Analog input option board J2- 1
18	Chan 4-	Analog input option board J2- 2
19	Chan 3+	Analog input option board J2- 3
20	Chan 3-	Analog input option board J2- 4
21	Chan 2+	Analog input option board J2- 5
22	Chan 2-	Analog input option board J2- 6
23	Chan 1+	Analog input option board J2- 7
24	Chan 1-	Analog input option board J2- 8

Pin	Signal
1	Protective Ground
2	Transmit Data
3	Receive Data
4	Request to Send (RTS)
5	Clear to Send (CTS)
6	Data Set Ready (DSR)
7	Signal Ground
8	Receive Line Signal Detect/Data Carrier Detector
20	Data Terminal Ready

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal	
1	A0	2	A1	
3	A2	4	A3	
5	A4	6	A5	
7	A6	8	A7	
9	A8	10	A9	
11	A10	12	A11	
13	A12	14	A13	
15	A14	16	A15	
17	D0	18	D1	
19	D2	20	D3	
21	D4	22	D5	
23	<u>D6</u>	24	<u>D7</u>	
25	<u>BUS ENA</u> BLE	26	IRQ	
27	W <u>RI</u> TE 02	28	<u>CLO</u> CK	
29	<u>R/W</u>	30	<u>NMI</u>	
31	<u>RESE</u> T	32	<u>5000 BLOCK</u>	
33	<u>40E0</u>	34	4080	
35	<u>40A0</u>	36	<u>4080 (GPIB)</u>	
37	4060 (TWA)	38	<u>4040 (ACIA)</u>	
39	-15V	40	-15 V	
41	GND	42	GND	
43	GND	44	GND	
45	+ 15 V	46	+15 V	
47	+ 5 V	48	+5 V	
49	+ 5 V	50	+5 V	

Position	Jumper	Description
OUT	JP1	Reset
2-3	JP2	Standard 27256 PROM
IN	JP3-1	Fixed 1 Second Update
IN	JP3-2	Fixed 1 Second Update
IN	JP3-3	Latches alarms until acknowledged
IN	JP3-4	Gives fail condition without counts, in five minutes
IN	JP3-5	Alarms do not respond to check source counts
1-2	JP4	Negative Input Pulse
1-2	JP5	Negative Shield Polarity
1-2	JP6	Anti-Jam Active
1-2	JP7	Anti-Jam scintillation type detector

Table A-9. Standard Jumper Placement

Table A-10. UDR Jumper Settings

Jumper	Connect	Description
JP1	-	Momentary connect resets microprocessor
JP2	1-2	PROM type 27128
JP2	2-3	PROM type 27256
JP3-1	IN/OUT	Accuracy selection
JP3-2	IN/OUT	Accuracy selection
JP3-3	IN/OUT	Alarm reset control, manual/automatic
JP3-4	IN/OUT	Low count fail control, enable/inhibit
JP3-5	IN/OUT	Alarm when check source is on, inhibit/enable
JP4	1-2	Negative input pulse selection
JP4	2-3	Positive input pulse selection
JP5	1-2	Positive shield (for negative pulse)
JP5	2-3	Negative shield (for positive pulse)
JP6	1-2	Anti-Jam fuse enable – Normal Operation
JP6	2-3	Anti-Jam fuse disable – Test Only
JP7	1-2	Scintillator detector type for anti-jam
JP7	2-3	GM tube circuit timing

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Appendix B Applicable Drawings and Bill of Materials

B.1 Applicable Drawings

Drawing Number	<u>Description</u>
GEL-942A	General Equipment Layout
942A-100-6	Wiring Diagram
942A-100-106	Loop Diagram
942A-200-5	Main Assembly
942-200-10	Ratemeter Main Assembly
942-200-13	Schematic Diagram
942-200-60	HV Power Supply Assembly
942-200-63	Schematic, High Voltage Power Supply
942A-100-20	Front Panel Assembly
942-100-15	Front Panel Circuit Board Assembly
942A-100-30	Rear Panel Assembly
942A-200-55	Power Supply Bracket Assembly
942-100-70	Relay Circuit Board Assembly
GEL948-1	Dimensional Outline, Three Bay Chassis
948-1-5	Rack Chassis Dimensional Outline, Three Bay
948B-1A-5	19" Wide Rack Chassis, Two Bay
948-3-5	Table Top Mounting Enclosure
948-9-5(TAB)	Panel Mount Enclosure
948A-2-5	Blank Panel Assembly
GEL948-10	Panel Adapter, Dimensional Outline
50-100-TAB	Cable Specification

B.2 Applicable Bill of Materials

Part Number	Description
942A-200	Ratemeter
942A-200-5	Main Assembly
942-200-10	Ratemeter Main Assembly
942-200-60	HV Power Supply Assembly
942-100-15	Front Panel Circuit Board Assembly
942A-100-20	Front Panel Assembly
942A-200-55	Power Supply Bracket Assembly
942A-100-30	Rear Panel Assembly
942-100-70	Relay Circuit Board Assembly
948-1-5	Rack Chassis Dimensional Outling, Three Bay
948A-2-5	Blank Front Panel Assembly
948B-1A-5	Rack Chassis Assembly with Bracket
948-10-5	Adapter UDR/Rack Chassis

Appendix C Cable Termination Instructions

C.1 Cable Termination Instructions

The procedures and instructions provided in Appendix D are provided for reference in terminating the field cables to the Digital Ratemeter (UDR). Mating connectors are provided in the P/N 942A-100-4 Mating Connector Kit, provided with the UDR. The instructions provided below are based on the use of P/N 50-100 Multi-conductor cable. For other customer-supplied cables, the same basic procedures, modified for the specific cable used, may be utilized.

Detector Field Cable Preparation (P2)

Prior to terminating the cable, the interior layout of the control room panel or cabinet must be evaluated to determine field cable routing, support, service loop space, and, where EMI/RFI protection is required, drain wire grounding. Note that to withdraw the UDR from the chassis for access to the monitor set point entry controls, the UDR field cables must include a service loop of a minimum of 6 inches in length. To permit complete removal of the UDR from the front of the panel or cabinet, a 21-inch, minimum, service loop is needed. In order to determine the actual length of stripped cable that will be needed, or that can be accommodated in the specific panel or cabinet, it is suggested that the cable be temporarily installed in the cabinet, following the actual routing that will be used.

Prior to stripping the outer cable jacket, a 4-inch length of 0.75 I.D. shrinkable tubing (provided by the user) should be slid over the 0.675 in cable jacket. The shrink tubing will be used to seal and protect the end of the cable after the termination process is completed. To prepare the cable for termination, a minimum of 7 inches of the cable outer jacket must be stripped off the cable. This will allow for the stripping of approximately one inch from the various conductors, and provide 6 inches of actual service loop cable. In addition, for EMI/RFI protection, the drain wire must be terminated to an earth ground within the control room panel or cabinet. The length of the drain wire will be based on the distance between the UDR rear panel and the ground location. The length of cable jacket to be stripped will then be based on the distance to the drain wire grounding point.

Once the cable outer jacket is stripped to the proper length, the aluminum tape shield and mylar binder may be removed, taking care not to damage the No. 20 AWG drain wire. The drain wire may then be separated from the remaining conductors, for routing and termination at the grounding point.

Next, the HV and Signal coaxial cables may be separated from the bundle, followed by the single conductors wires that are required for the specific application, and the polyester filler cord. Refer to the project specific detector loop drawing, or the generic detector loop drawing, 942A-200-106, provided in Appendix B for actual conductors to be used.

The polyester filler cord may now be removed. Cut the cord as close to the outer jacket as possible.

The cable should now be routed to the rear panel of the UDR, following the actual path that will be used. Ensuring a minimum of 7 inches of conductors is provided for the UDR service loop, the excess conductor length may now be removed. Any unused conductors may be cut away, or coiled for future use. To protect the single conductors from abrasion, and provide a finished look to the cable, a 5-inch length of heat shrinkable tubing, or sleeving, may be placed over the single conductors. For controlled environment applications, it is not required to apply heat to this shrink tubing. Termination instructions for each connector are provided below.

HV Connector Notes (P4)

The High Voltage Connector, P4, uses the RG59B/U conductor in the 50-100, or equivalent, multiconductor cable. The high voltage (HV) connector, P/N 30-92-1, uses a female, solder type contact, and is normally supplied by Kings Inc. Consult Kings Cabling Procedure CP-1000 for the appropriate assembly instruction for the Kings Inc. 1705-14 SHV connector. A minimum of 6 inches of cable between the end of the HV connector and the cable end is required.

BNC Signal Connector Notes (P5)

The Signal Connector, P5, uses the RG 58C/U conductor in the P/N 50-100, or equivalent, multiconductor cable. The BNC connector provided, P/N 30-4, uses a male, solder type contact, and is normally supplied by Amphenol. Consult the Amphenol Assembly Instruction C25, enclosed for the appropriate assembly instruction for the Amphenol 31-2 connector. A minimum of 6 inches of cable between the end of the BNC connector and the cable end is required.

UDR Connector Notes (P2)

The Detector Connector, P2, uses the single conductors in the P/N 50-100, or equivalent, multi-conductor cable. The Tyco Electronics /AMP Circular Plastic Connectors (Series CPC) are utilized for the UDR rear connector, P2. This connector utilizes male, push-in, solder type connector pins, terminating single conductors from the multi-conductor cable. To prevent damage to these conductors, it is recommended that a 5 inch length of shrink tubing, or sleeving, be installed over the conductors, from the unstripped end of the multi-conductor cable and into the strain relief of the detector backshell clamp. The shrink tube will protect the conductors from abrasion.

To terminate this connector, slide the Connector Shell/Clamp over the conductors. The conductors are then stripped to the length specified (0.156 in, 14 – 30 AWG). Prior to soldering, check to ensure a minimum of 6 inches of service loop conductor is provided. The connector pins are then soldered to the male connector pins provided and inserted into the appropriate location in the connector plug (Refer to the applicable project Detector Loop Drawing). The Shell/Clamp is then threaded onto the detector plug, and the backshell strain relief clamp is securely tightened. For controlled environment applications, it is not required to apply heat to this shrink tubing. For additional information, consult the appropriate manufacturer assembly instruction procedure provided.

Detector Cable Completion

Once all of the connectors are terminated, a ring-out of the completed wiring should be performed. After the integrity of the cable has been verified, heat may be applied to the shrink tubing that has been placed over the end of the multi-conductor cable.

Auxiliary Connectors

UDR Connector Notes (P1 and P3)

The Alarm Output connector, P1, and AC Power connector, P3, normally uses a customer supplied multiconductor cable.

Where an EMI/RFI Surge Suppression panel, P/N S157033A2, or equivalent, is provided, the AC Power cable to be connected to P3, is supplied with the Surge suppressor panel.

The Tyco Electronics /AMP Circular Plastic Connectors (Series CPC) are utilized for the UDR rear connectors, P1 and P3. These connectors utilize female, push-in, solder type connector pins, terminating single conductors from various field cables. Follow the general instructions stated above for cable routing. A minimum of 6 inches of service loop is required for access to the UDR function/data entry switches. For front of panel removal, a service loop of 21 inches, minimum, is required. To prevent damage to these conductors, it is recommended that a 5-inch length of shrink tubing or sleeving be installed over the conductors, from the unstripped end of the multi-conductor cable and into the strain relief of the detector backshell. The shrink tube will protect the conductors from abrasion.

To terminate this connector, slide the Connector Shell/Clamp over the conductors. The conductors are then stripped to the length specified (0.156 in, 14 - 30 AWG). Prior to soldering, check to ensure a

minimum of 6 inches of service loop conductor is provided. The connector pins are then soldered to the female connector pins provided and inserted into the appropriate location in the connector plug (Refer to the applicable project Detector Loop Drawing). The Shell/Clamp is then threaded onto the detector plug, and the backshell strain relief clamp is securely tightened. For controlled environment applications, it is not required to apply heat to this shrink tubing. For additional information, consult the appropriate manufacturer assembly instruction procedure provided.

Analog Input Connector Notes (P6)

The P6 connector is a 24 pin, male, solder type connector. Amphenol manufactures the UDR rear connector, P6. The maximum size wire for this connector is 22 AWG. These connectors utilize single, or twisted pair conductors from various field cables, and are normally provided by the customer. Follow the general instructions stated above for cable routing. A minimum of 6 inches of service loop is required for access to the UDR function/data entry switches. For front of panel removal, a service loop of 21 inches, minimum, is required. The cable jacket is first stripped to a length of approximately 0.8 inches. This will permit using the cable jacket in the strain relief provided. If single conductors, to protect the conductors from abrasion. The wires are then stripped to a length 0.07 - 0.09 inches, and soldered to the pins on the connector body, and secured using the fasteners provided. Finally, the screws on the connector body strain relief are securely tightened. For controlled environment applications, it is not necessary to apply heat to the shrink tubing. For additional information, consult the appropriate manufacturer assembly information provided.

RS-232 Connector (P7)

The P7 connector is a 25-pin d-type, male, solder type connector. AMP manufactures the UDR rear connector, P7. The maximum size wire for this connector is 20 AWG. These connectors utilize single or twisted pair conductors from various field cables, and are normally provided by the customer. Follow the general instructions stated above for cable routing. A minimum of 6 inches of service loop is required for access to the UDR function/data entry switches. For front of panel removal, a service loop of 21 inches, minimum, is required. The cable jacket is first stripped to a length of approximately 0.8 inches. This will permit using the cable jacket in the strain relief provided. If single conductors are used, it is recommended that shrink tubing or sleeving be installed over the conductors, to protect the conductors from abrasion.

The wires are then stripped to a length 0.07 - 0.09 inches, and soldered to the pins on the connector assembly. The connector pins are then inserted into the appropriate location in the connector. The connector pin assembly is then inserted between the two halves of the connector body, and secured using the fasteners provided. For controlled environment applications, it is not necessary to apply heat to the shrink tubing. For additional information, consult the appropriate manufacturer assembly instruction procedure provided.

The following documents and connector identification information is included herein. The Vendor part number for each connector is the number in parenthesis, provided in column one.

Location	P/N	Document	Description
P1	67-81-37S	AMP, 408-7593	Alarm Output Connector Plug, 37 pin,
	(206150-1)	Instruction Sheet	Female
	67-83-2S	and 114-10038	Connector pin, Female, Solder, 16-18
AWG			
	(66181-1)	Application	
	67-82-37	Specification	Connector Shell/Clamp
	(207774-1)		
P2	67-81-14P	AMP, 408-7593	Detector Connector Plug, 14 pin, Male
	(206044-1)	Instruction Sheet	
AWG	67-83-3P	and 114-10038	Connector pin, Male, Solder, 16-18
	(66180-1)	Application	
	67-82-14	Specification	Connector Shell/Clamp
	(206322-1)		
P3 Female	67-81-4S	AMP, Inc. IS 6917	AC Power Connector Plug, 4 pin,
	(206060-1)	Instruction Sheet	
AWG	67-83-2S	and 114-10038	Connector pin, Female, Solder, 16-18
	(66181-1)	Application	
	67-82-4	Specification	Connector Shell/Clamp
	(206062-1)		
P4	32-92-1	CP-1001, Kings Cabling	High Voltage Connector, SHV,
	(1705-14)	Procedure, CP-1000,	Female solder contact pin
P5	30-4	Assembly Instructions – C25,	Signal Connector, BNC,
	(31-2)	Amphenol, BNC Connector	Male solder contact pin
P6	68-23	Amphenol Micro-Ribbon	Analog Output Connector, 24 pin,
	(57-30240)	Connector, General Configura	tion Male, solder contacts
		57 Series	
P7	68-27	AMPHENOL 17 RR Series	Original Poke-Home d-sub,
	(17-20250)	D-Subminiature Connector	17 Series, Male solder contacts
	with		
	780121	Cable Clamp Kit, HD-20	Cable Clamp

(745833-7)	Shielded Cable Clamp,	
	IS-6609	

UDR, P1, P2, AND P3 CONNECTORS

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1. INTRODUCTION

This specification covers the requirements for application of AMP Circular Plastic Connectors (CPC). The connectors are available in various shell sizes and standard or reverse sex configurations. The four series available include standard, high, and power density connectors, and a combination standard and power density connector.

The CPCs are designed for use with various contacts. Applicable wire sizes range from 30 to 8 AWG and can be crimped with hand tools or by automatic machines.

Figure 1 shows typical products (Series 1) and their features. The terms identifying the features are used throughout this specification.



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2. REFERENCE MATERIAL

2.1. Customer Assistance

Product Part Number 206060 and Product Code 5029 are representative of the AMP Circular Plastic Connectors. Use of these numbers will identify the product line and expedite your inquiries through an AMP service network established to help you obtain product and tooling information. Such information can be obtained through a local AMP Representative (Field Sales Engineer, etc) or, after purchase, by calling the CUSTOMER HOTLINE at the top of page 1.

2.2. Engineering Drawings

Customer drawings for specific products are available from the service network. The information contained in the Customer Drawings takes priority if there is a conflict with this specification or with any technical documentation supplied by AMP incorporated.

2.3. Specifications

AMP Product Specifications provide performance test information. AMP Application Specifications provide application requirements and reference materials.

Product Specifications:

108-10024 - CPC Connectors 108-10037 - Type XII Contacts

108-10042 --- Type III+ Contacts 108-12011 - Subminiature COAXICON* Contacts

Application Specifications:

114-10000 --- 20DF (Series 2) Contacts

114-10004 - Type III+ (Series 1) Contacts 114-10005 - Type XII (Series 3) Contacts

2.4. Instructional Material

AMP Instruction Sheets contain detailed assembly instructions and repair procedures. The CPC Connectors and Accessories are covered in IS 7593 and IS 7582. Instruction Sheets pertaining to crimping the various contact types used in CPCs are listed in Figure 2. IS 7347, IS 1216, IS 6736, IS 9404, IS 7508 and IS 7276 cover insertion and extraction procedures. AMP Customer Manuals CM 1983, CM 5128, CM 5253, CM 5651 and Application Instruction Sheet AI 8040 provide information for machine set-up and operation procedures.

		CONTACT TYPE		. /
TYPE III+	20 DF	20 DM		
IS 6610 IS 7	586 IS 6695	IS 7516	IS 2024-2	IS 2085
IS 6614 IS 7	773 15 6769		IS 2024-3	15 2723
IS 7414 IS 7	942 19 7521		IS 2095	15 6310
IS 7574	IS 7954 IS 7799•	\bigvee		\checkmark

Solder Pot Contact

Fig. 2. Instruction Sheets for Hand Crimping Tools

2.5. Soldering Information

AMP Corporate Bulletin No. 52 is available upon request and can be used as a guide in soldering. This bulletin provides information on various flux types and characteristics along with the commercial designation and flux removal procedures. A checklist is attached to the bulletin as a guide for information on soldering problems.

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REQUIREMENTS 3.

3.1. Mounting Holes and Panel Cutouts Not Applicable

Dimensions and layout for mounting holes and panel cutouts are shown in Figure 3.



	ARRANGE- MENT NO.	SEX	A MAX	В ±.015	C ±.010	D ±.010	E MAX	F <u>+</u> .010	G <u>+</u> .025	H +.007 000	J	THREAD SIZE
	11-4	Rev Std	1.070	.420	.094	0.687	.740	.844	1.125	.125	0.840	5/8-24 UNEF-2A
	13–9	Std	1.350	.420	.094	0.812	.879	.969	1.281	.125	0.979	3/4-20 UNEF-2A
SERIES 1	17-14 17-16	Rev Std	1.070	.420	.094	1.050	1.110	1.125	1.4 3 5	.150	1.210	15/16-20 UNEF-2A
	23-24	Std	1.350	.520	.156	1.438	1.510	1.438	1.750	.150	1.610	1-3/8-18 UNEF-2A
	23-37	Rev Std	1.070	.520	.156	1.438	1.510	1.438	1.750	.150	1.610	1-3/8-18 UNEF-2A
	118	Std Rev	0.809	.420	.094	0.688	0.630	.844	1.125	.125	0.840	5/824 UNEF-2A
SERIES 2	<u>11–9</u> 17–28	Std Std Rev	0.809	.420	.094	1.050	0.943	1.125	1.435	.150	1.210	15/16-20 UNEF-2A
	23-57 23-63	Rev Std	0.924	.420	.156	1.438	1.515	1.438	1.750	.150	1.610	1-3/8-18 UNEF-2A
	17–3	Std	1.635	.420	.094	1.050	1.110	1.125	1.435	.150	1.210	15/16-20 UNEF-2A
SERIES 3	23-7	& Rev	1.635	.520	.156	1.438	1.510	1.438	1.750	.150	1.610	1-3/8-18 UNEF-2A
SERIES 4	23-16M 23-22M	Std	1.635	.520	.156	1.438	1.510	1.438	1.750	.150	1.610	1-3/8-18 UNEF-2A

NOTE: The first number of the Arrangement No. represents the dimension (in sixteenths) over the threads; the number after the hyphen represents the number of circuits per connector.

Fig. 3. Mounting Requirements

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.281 (A)

.344(B)

.219(C)

.125(D)

.219(E)

Cable Jacket

Short Wire

Long Wire

Senter Conductor

3.2. Wire Size and Preparation

Jacketed or discreet wire may be used with this product. Jacketed cable will provide more protection from damage. Look for information on jacketed cable sealing kits in IS 7582.

Contacts are available for the wire sizes specified. Frepare wire for crimping by stripping insulation according to dimensions in Figure 4. DO NOT nick, scrape, or cut the stranded or solid wire conductor during stripping operation.



Fig. 4. Wire Preparation

XIII

Subminiature COAXICON

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Coaxial Cable

Twisted Pair

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3.3. Loading Contact into Housing

Normally an insertion tool is not required to insert contacts into housings. However, if the wire bundle is large or the individual wires are fragile, the use of an insertion tool is recommended. Refer to Paragraph 5.

3.4. Shield and Strain Relief

If wire at the rear of the housing is subjected to strain, use of a strain relief will prevent damage to the contacts, wires, and housing.

A. Strain Relief Kits

Several types and sizes of strain relief kits are available. Shield and strain relief kits include a shield, strain relief clamps, and two self-tapping screws. They can be attached to the plug and/or receptacle of free-hanging or panel-mounted connectors. Flexible strain relief boots and grippers are used with jacketed cable (or firmly taped discreet wires) to provide wire protection and prevent contact pullout when severe cable-angle applications are encountered, or when connectors are frequently disconnected and reconnected. See Figure 5. Heat shrink sealing boots can also provide a splash-proof strain relief for jacketed cable. See Paragraph 3.4. B.



If a strain relief is used on the connector, the wires may be dressed to an angle at the end of the strain relief. However, without use of a strain relief, the wires should not be dressed closer than 2.50 inches from the back of the housing. To prevent damage to contacts and/or housing, avoid exerting stress on wire.



Fig. 5. Strain Relief Kits

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B. Boots and Seals - FOR INFORMATION

Rubber boots are available and can be used with jacketed cable to provide splash-proof connections for Series 1 and Series 3 connectors. Heat shrinkable sealing boots are available for use with Jacketed cable. They will provide an environmentally sealed wire to-connector system and can be used with plugs or receptacles. A jacketed cable seal will also provide an environmentally sealed connection for jacketed cable. Peripheral seals (for receptacles only) are recommended for use in sealing splash-proof applications, or where connectors will be subject to vibration. Instruction material is included in shipments.



Fig. 6. Boots and Seals - NoT_SullLiEO

When no strain relief is used and wires need to be tied off, tie-off distance should be 2.00 in. minimum for up to 12 circuits and 3.00in. minimum for 12 circuits or more. Supporting the cable with wire harness tie-off will avoid strain on the contact retention system, and will prevent contact back-out or failures. See Figure 7.



Fig. 7. Wire Tie-Off

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3.6. Contact Crimp Criteria $-N_o \int APP I: CAB IE$ Contacts must be crimped to a designated height. Refer to Application Specification for particular type of contacts.

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3.7. Connector Application

Receptacle connectors are available with mounting flanges for front or rear panel-mount applications, and without flanges for free-hanging applications. Refer to Paragraph 2.4 for applicable instruction sheets on mounting connectors. Square flange receptacles which are preloaded with square posted contacts are available.

3.8. Soldering and Cleaning (Solder Pot Contacts Only)

A. Flux Selection

Solder pot contacts must be fluxed prior to soldering. Selection of flux must be compatible with the solder method used, and safety requirements.

B. Cleaning

Removal of fluxes, residues, and activators is mandatory. Cleaning procedures will depend on the type of flux used.



Consideration must be given to toxicity and safety requirements recommended by the solvent manufacturer.



Consult your local AMP Representative for suitable cleaning solvents that can be used with these connectors.

C. Drying

When drying cleaned assemblies, make certain the temperature limitations of -55° to 105° C are not exceeded. Excessive temperatures may cause housing degradation.

D. Soldering Guidelines

Refer to Paragraph 2.4. for instruction material that is available for establishing soldering guidelines.

3.9. Repair

CAUTION

Care must be exercised to prevent damage to coupling rings of free-hanging connectors.

A. Coupling Ring Replacement

In the event it becomes damaged, the coupling ring, an integral part of the plug housing, can be replaced. Look for instruction sheet information under Paragraph 2.4 of this document.

B. Contacts

Crimped wire contacts as well as solder pot contacts are repairable. Find instructions in applicable IS sheet listed under Paragraph 2.4.

4. QUALIFICATIONS

The AMP Circular Plastic Connector is recognized under the Component Program of Underwriters' Laboratories, Inc., for 250-Volt service, File No. E28476. Each CPC Assembly has a UL flammability rating of 94 V-1. They are CSA certified under File No. LR7189. Some connectors are recognized for 600-Volt service. Consult AMP Incorporated for more details.

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5. TOOLING - FOR INFORMATION

AMP Hand Crimping Tools and Applicators are available for applying crimp type contacts, also Insertion Tools and Extraction Tools assist in assembly and repair. Instruction Sheets and Applicator Instructions, describing tool operations, are packaged with the tool. See Figure 9.



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CONTACT TYPE	WIRE SIZE (AWG)	HAND TOOL NUMBER	INSTRUCT. MATERIAL	CONTACT TYPE	WIRE SIZE (AWG)	APPLICATOR NUMBER	INSTRUCT.							
		90066-7	IS 6510			466598-2								
	30-20	90225-2	IS 7414		30-20	466585-3								
		90282-1	IS 7586	1		466321-4								
11+		90067-4	-4 IS 6613	1 1	2624	466908-2	1							
	24–16	24-16	24-16	90067-5	IS 6614	1 1		466323-4	1					
		90310-2	IS 7942	i		466907-2	1							
	18-14	90310-3	IS 9387	10+	24-20	466324-2	1							
		90312-1	IS 7694			466942-1	1							
		90374-1	IS 7954			466383-2	1							
0005	28–24	90302-1	IS 7634			466325-2	1							
20DF		90265-1	IS 7521		18-16	466906-1	1							
	26-22	90406-1	IS 6709	1 1		466752-2	1							
	22-18	90405-1	IS 6695			466958-1	1							
20DM	24-20	601966-1	IS 7516		18-14	466326-4	AI 8040							
	16	90145-2 •	IS 7175			466923-2	CM 5128							
	16-12	90382-2	IS 6561			466423-1	1							
XII	14-12	90145-1 •	IS 7175	1 1		466423-2								
	108	10.0	90140-1 •	IS 7175			466901-1	1						
		90384-1	IS 6510		28-24	466758-1								
	28			466758-2										
	(Twisted Pair/							(Twisted Pair/			1 1		466963-1]
	Solid)	69690 •		Γ	26-22	567036-1								
	26	09090			20-22	567036-2]							
SUB-MINI- COAXIAL	(Twisted Pair/		IS 2024-3			466422-1								
COAMAL	Solid or Stranded)			20DF	24-20	466422-2								
	28	69690-1 •				466900-1								
	(Twisted Pair/		69690-2•				466506-1							
	Stranded)	09090-2			28-24	466506-2								
	30	69690-2 •		§		466903-1	CM 5651							
	(Twisted Pair/	69710-1	IS 2095			466505-1	AI 8040							
	Solid)	03/10-1	10 2000		24-20	466505-2	CM 5128							
	he lised with Han	d Tool Assem	bly 69710-1			466902-1	CM 5651							
 Dies to be Used with Hand Tool Assembly 69710–1 or Pneumatic Tool 69365, CM 1983 				1 1	22-18	567033-1	A1 8040							
	r / Crimper Applica				22-10	567033-2	CM 5128							
	APEMATIC* Strippe		Aschine	20DM	24-20	599406-7†	CM 5253							
	ng a Funnel			XII	16-12	466425-2	AI 8040							
						466425-1	CM 5128							
					10-8	567021-2								

Fig. 9. Tooling (end) NoT ApplicABLE

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Figure 1

1. INTRODUCTION

This instruction sheet covers the assembly procedures for the AMP Circular Plastic Connectors (CPC) listed in Selection Charts 1 through 4. Typical connector configurations are shown in Figure 1.

Assembly procedures for CPC accessories—such as shield and strain relief, environmental sealing, keying plugs, and coupling rings—are covered on instruction sheet 408–7582.

Read this sheet carefully, and applicable referenced material, before assembling connectors, installing accessories, or panel mounting a connector.

Reasons for reissue are provided in Section 7, REVISION SUMMARY.

2. DESCRIPTION

There are four connector series. Series 1 connectors (Selection Chart 1) are available in four shell sizes

(11, 13, 17, and 23) and accept Type III+, and Subminiature COAXICON* contacts. Series 2 connectors (Selection Chart 2) are available in three shell sizes (11, 17, and 23) and accept size 20 DM (screw machined) and 20 DF (precision formed) contacts. Series 3 connectors (Selection Chart 3) are available in two shell sizes (17 and 23) and accept Type XII power contacts. Series 4 connectors (Selection Chart 4) are available in one shell size (23) and accept a mixture of Type XII contacts from series 3 and size 16 contacts previously mentioned for Series 1 connectors.

The connector designator indicates the size and contact positions of the connector. For example, 11/4 - size 11, meaning the outside diameter in 16ths of an inch as measured across the coupling threads, and contact positions 4, meaning the number of contact cavities in the connector.

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	SERIE	S 1 CONNEC	TORS	BEAGINE		SERIE	S 2 CONNEC	TORS	
DES	SEX	HOU	SING	RECOMMENDED CONTACTS			HOU		RECOMMENDED
DES	SEX	DESCR	PART NO.	CONTACTS	DES	SEX	DESCR	PART NO.	CONTACTS
11/4	Std	Plug	206060-1	• P3	11/8	Std	Plug	205838-1	
		Rcpt (PM)	206061-1	Type III+ and	11		Rcpt (PM)	205841-1	Size 20 DF
		Rcpt (FH)	206153-1	Subminiature		*	Rept (FH)	205841-2	and 20 DM
	Rvs	Plug	206429-1	COAXICON Contacts		Rvs	Plug	206434-1	(See Figure 3)
		Rcpt (PM)	206430-1	(See Figure 2)			Rcpt (RM)	206433-1	(See 408-1379 and
*	. *	Rcpt (FH)	206430-2	(See 408-1379 and		*	Rcpt (FA)	206433-2/	Catalog 82021)
13/9	Std	Plug	206708-1	Catalog 82021)	11/9	Std	Plug	206485-1	
		Rcpt (PM)	206705-1				Rcpt (PM)	206486/1	
+	+	Rept (FH)	206705-2		+		Rcpt (FH)	206486-2	
17/14	Rvs	Plug	206044-1	< P2	17/28		Plug	205839-3	
		Rcpt (PM)	206043-1				Rcpt (PM)	205842-3	
+	+ 1	Rcpt (FH)	206043-3		1 1	•	Rcpt (FH)	206152-1	
17/16	Std	Plug	206037-1			Rvs	Plug	206039-1	
		Rcpt (PM)	206036-1				Rcpt (PM)	206038-1	
+		Rcpt (FH)	206036-3		*		Rcpt (FH)/	206038-2	\land
23/24		Plug	206837-1		23/57		Plug /	206437-1	
23/24		Rcpt (PM)	206838-1				Rcpt (PM)	206438-1	
23/37		Plug	206150-1	- PI		+	Rcpt (FH)	206438-2	
1		Rcpt (PM)	206151-1		23/63	Std	Plug	205842-1	
	• • •	Rcpt (FH)	206151-2				Ropt (PM)	205843-1	
	Rvs	Plug	206305-1		. *	*	Rcpt (FH)	205843-2	+
	1	Rcpt (PM)	206306-1				Sel	ection Chart	2
	L	Rcpt (FM)	206306-2				001		-
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		Sele	ction Chart	1	DES		HO	USING	
	CEDIE	3 CONNEC	TORC		DES	SEX	UESCH	PART NO.	CONTACTS
- 4	SERIES			RECOMMENDED	23/13M	Std	Plug	211824-1	
DES	SEX	HOU		CONTACTS			Rcpt (PM	211825-1	Type XII and
470		DESCR	PART NO.			1 1	Rcpt (FH	1825-2	Size 16 Multimate
17/3	Std	Plug	206037-2	Type XII	23/16M	Std	Plug	207485-1	(See Figures 2 and 4)
		Rcpt (RM)	206036-2/	(See Figure 4)			Rcpt (PM) 207486-1	(See 408-1379 and
		Rept (FH)	206207-1	(See 408-1379 and		+	Ropt (FH	207486-2	Catalog 82021)
	Rvs	Plug	206426-1	Catalog 82021)	23/22M	Sta	Plug	206612-1	
		Rcpt (PM)	206425-1	Catalog 62021)		11	Rcpt (PM) 206613-1	
1		Rcpt (FH)	206425-2	k I	<u> </u>	1 1	Rcpt (FH	206613-3	
23/7	Std	Plug	206136-1		• III+ an	d Subr	niniature COA	XICON Contac	rts
		Bept (PM)	206137-1				6 -	action Char	• 4
		Rcpt (FH)	206137-2				56	ection Char	. 4
	Bus	Plug	206226-1		Each re	ecept	acle has p	olarizina kev	s to assure proper
	•	Rcpt (PM)	206227-1						tion, contact
		Rcpt (FH)							

Selection Chart 3

There are two connector styles, standard and reverse sex. Standard plugs have a **flush** mating face and standard receptacles have a **recessed** mating face. Reverse sex connectors are just the opposite — plugs have a **recessed** mating face and receptacles have a **flush** mating face. Note that socket contacts should be installed in a connector that has a **flush** mating face.

Receptacle connectors are available with mounting flanges for FRONT or REAR panel mount (PM) applications, and without mounting flanges for free hanging (FH) applications.

3. CONNECTOR SELECTION

each connector.

Using the Selection Charts and Section 2, DESCRIPTION, determine the appropriate connectors to be used by the following method:

- 1. Determine application requirements (Series 1, 2, 3, or 4).
- 2. Determine number of contact positions required. 3. Determine which connector style (standard or reverse) is desired.

4. Select plug housing. Determine whether or not panel mount application is to be used and select applicable receptacle housing.

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Amphenol® Micro-Ribbon® connectors

57 series

general configuration — UDR P6 B192 57 series solder termination IRM P/N 68-23 (AMPHENOL 57-30240)

description

Micro-Ribbon connectors offer a fast, economical and distinctively different method of achieving electrical interconnection.

The heart of the connector is the ribbon contact, selectively plated gold over nickel on a copper alloy base.

With contacts designed to mate easily and positively, the 57 series Micro-Ribbon connector delivers electrically and mechanically sound interconnections time after time.

Exceptionally versatile, 57 series Micro-Ribbon connectors are available in rack and panel, cable to panel, cable to cable and printed circuit types.

features

- Copper alloy contacts, selectively plated gold-over-nickel for excellent current-carrying characteristics.
- UL 94 VO rated diallyl phthalate dielectric per MIL-M-14G Type MDG, for operation at up to 700 volts D.C. (sea level) without shorting or flashover. Resists cracking or chipping and has low moisture absorption.
- Float bushings on receptacles allow .020" radial float, for easy mating.
- Zinc-plated steel outer shell, with clear chromate finish, for corrosion resistance.
- Wide, flat mating surfaces, pressed tightly together by flexing action of both contacts, for electrical continuity.
- Positive mating action that wipes contacts clean, removing film or foreign matter, for low contact resistance.
- Solder cup type contact tails (for easy wire attachment) and pin style tails (for printed circuit board attachment) both are available. A high barrier between contact rows also is available.
- A trapezoidal-shape shell that assures correct polarity.



Component

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general specifications

Current Capacity	5 amps per contact
Voltage Rating	
Operating Temperature	e55°C to +105°C -67°F to +221°F
Wire Sizes	Solid: 22-gauge maximum Stranded: 24-gauge maximum
Contacts	Selectively plated 20 microinches gold over 50 microinches nickel on a copper alloy base
Dielectric	Diallyl phthalate per MIL-M-14G Type MDG
Shells	Zinc-plated steel with clear chromate coating; trapezoidal shape for polarization.

connector deviations (1,000 piece m.o.q)

Deviation Number	Deviation Description for 57/157 Series Connectors
(398)	Connector shells and steel hardware nickel plated
(424)	Contacts fully plated, 30 microinches gold select over 50 microinches nickel.
(438)	Gold flashed contacts on mating area, 50 microinches min. nickel underplate.
(441)	Tin plated shells
(448)	Contacts selectively plated, 30 microinches min. gold on mating area, 50 microinches min. nickel underplate
(450)	Contacts selectively plated, 50 microinches min. gold on mating area, 50 microinches min. nickel underplate

NOTE: Not all part numbers are available in all deviations. To verify availability contact the factory directly, or your local manufacturer's representative or distributor. Check with factory for other deviations not listed above.

connector deviation ordering information

To order a deviation of a catalog miniature-ribbon connector, add one of the listed deviation numbers in parenthesis to the catalog part number. Example: To order 57-10500 with tin plated shells, request 57-10500 (441). NOTE: Only one deviation number can be applied to a catalog part number at a time.

57 series $P_{g} \ge q \ge 2$

57 series cable-to-panel connectors

side cable entry type





top cable entry type





dimensions

	14 Contacts				10 10 17 A 10 344 7 PM	ntacts	50 Contacts	
C. Contra	In.	mm	In.	mm	In.	mm	 CVP (Construction) 	
Α	1.417	35.992	1.842	46.787	2.352	59.741	2.947	74.854
В	1.770	44.958	2.195	55.753	2.705	68.707	3.300	83.820
C	.910	23.114	1.335	33.909	1.845	46.863	2.440	61.976
D	.850	21:59	.830	21.08	.910	23.11	1.000	2.54
E	1.665	42.29	1.645	41.78	1.725	43.82	1.815	46.10
F	.348	8.84	.473	12.01	.648	16.46	.772	19.61
G	.348	8.84	.473	12.01	.500	12.7	.500	12.7

NOTE: All dimensions are reference.

order information

Contacts	Plugs: Top Cable Entry Part Number	Plugs: Side Cable Entry Part Number	Receptacle Mating Connection With Spring Latches Part Number
14	57-30140	57-50140	57-40140
24	57-30240	57-50240	57-40240
36	57-30360 (screwtype hood)	57-50360 🌧	57-40360
36	57-30360-18 (snap on hood)	0`	t - state a special sp
36		-0	57-40360-9 (high barrier)
50	57-30500	57-50500	57-40500
50	57-30500-3 (high barrier)	4	57-40500-4 (high barrier)

STRIP JACKET 0. 80 4- 0-1 IN STRIP CONCUCTORS 0.08 4- 0-01 IN

5161 original Poke-Home[®] d-sub^{IRM} ^{F/N} 68-27 17 series (17-20250)

WPI original poke-home blocks can accept the wide range of contact types described on this page.

Poke Home[®] d-sub connectors

A removable contact type connector that meets most commercial requirements. The connector is available with crimp type contacts, solder type, and printed circuit types in both .023 and .040 inch diameter pintails. The .040 pintail is available in two lengths or with right angles.



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Standard crimp type contacts TUT 17-766-2 dard solder type cont .517 .501 ID 17-784-2 17 765.2 Pintail contacts for P.C. mounting .547 .531 E 17-552-2 17-551-2 Right angle .040 dia. pintails .023 dia. pintait **** a de fie 651 -.635 17-1198-2 (short), 17-1207-2 (long), pin 17-1208-2 (short), 17-1209-2 (long) socket Optional contacts .691 _ . .675 17-1005 17-1006 Over-size crimp barrel co cts for 16 ga, win -17-553-2:.659 13-1-17-556-2:.643 13-2-17-556-4:.553 17-553-4:573 (SEE IS 6609 For CABLE CLAMP KIT)

specifications

Temperature ranges: -67° F (-55° C) to +257° F (+125° C) Current rating: 7.5 A Voltage rating: 500 VAC (RMS) at sea level 150 VAC (RMS) at 90,000 feet Dielectric: Zytel 101 nylon per Mil M-20693

Shells: Steel clear chromated over zinc. Gold iridite finish available on request per QQP416A Type II

Contacts: Crimp - gold over nickel plated copper alloy

Solder - gold over nickel plated copper alloy

Wire size: Solder: up to #20 Crimp #20, #22, and #24AWG

contact arrangements

o	0	0		0		• []•
9 contacts	15 contacts	3 25 co	ntacts	37 contact	5	50 contacts
	Number			ptacle with t Bushings	Plug	TOP
	9	17-300)-1	17-785	17-301-1	
	15	17-302	-1	17-793	17-303-1	a iF
	25	17-304	-1 1	17-789	17-305-1	CABIE
	. 37	17-306	i-1	17-797	17-307-1	INT
	50	17-308	3-1 1	7-1001	17-309-1	TACKEL
		ove have zinc plated ck nples: 17-300-2, 17-78			sh, add one numbe	CARIF. CARIF. TACKET 0.60 H-0.1, N
		Crimp Includes specif standard crin	ied number of	Solder Type Includes specified number of standard solder contacts		STRIP
	Number of Contacts	Receptacle Socket Contacts	Piug Pin Contacts	Receptacle Socket Contacts	Plug Pin Contacts	- STRIP - CONDUCTORS
	9	17-10090-1	17-20090-1	17-10090	17-20090	
	.15	17-10150-1	17-20150-1	17-10150	17-20150	1 − 0.°8
	25	17-10250-1	17-20250-1	17-10250	17-20250	
	37	17-10370-1	17-20370-1	17-10370	17-20370	
	50	17-10500-1	17-20500-1	17-10500	17-20500	+1-0.0/in
						7-0-11
		Includes spec		ard Type pintail contacts inse	erted in place	
	Number of		Plug	Receptacle	Plug	
	Contacts	With 17-551-02		With 17-556-XX		x
	Contacts	Socket Contacts		Socket Contacts		
		and the second se	17-20090-11	17-10090-13-XX	and the second sec	-
	9	17-10090-11	17-20090-11	17-10090-13-XX		
	15 25	17-10150-11	17-20150-11	17-10150-13-XX		
		17-10250-11	17-20230-11	17-10230-13-XX		
	37 50	17-103/0-11	17-20500-11	17-10500-13-XX		
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	Connectors ca crimping med	an also be ordered withon hines. Contact sales offic	ut contacts for use will re-nearest you.	In bulk packed contacts	in semi-automatic	

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1. INTRODUCTION

This Instruction Sheet (IS) covers the use of AMPLIMITE HD-20 Shielded Cable Clamp Kits with available ferrules listed in Figures 2 and 8, and grommets listed in Figure 14.



All dimensions on this sheet are in inches. Do not scale drawings.

Read these instructions carefully before using cable clamp kits and ferrules.

2. DESCRIPTION (Figure 1)

Each shielded cable clamp kit consists of two symmetrical cable clamps which contain strain-relief bars. Each kit also includes two captive screws, two fillister head screws, and two nuts.

The cable clamps are designed to provide electromagnetic shielding and strain relief for braid- and/or foil-type (with drain wire) shielded cables. The cable clamps may be used on cables fitted with split-ring or crimp ferrules, on cables without ferrules, or on cables fitted with grommets.

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Refer to Paragraph 3 when using cable without ferrules, to Paragraphs 5 and 6 for installation of cable clamps on cable with ferrules, and to Paragraph 7 for installation of cable clamps on cable with grommets.

Cable clamps are available in five sizes for AMPLIMITE connectors with corresponding contact positions (9, 15.25.37, and 50 for HD-20, and 15, 26, 44, 62 and 78 for HD-22).

Refer to Figures 2 and 8 to determine appropriate cable clamp kit relative to cable diameter, AMPLIMITE connector size, and type of ferrule (if used) for the cable.

Refer to Figure 14 to determine appropriate grommet set and cable clamp kit relative to cable diameter.



If cable diameter is too small to fit properly into strain relief, apply heat-shrinkable tubing before working braid over cable jacket to build up the outside diameter of the cable. The inside diameter of the heatshrinkable tubing should be no more than twice the outside diameter of the cable. See Figure 3.

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SIZE	RECM	FERF	RULES	STRAIN	RELIEF
CONNECTOR (HD-20/HD-22)	WIRE RANGE (OD)•	INNER	OUTER	ZINC DIE CAST	PLATED
	.190240	1-745129-81	745130-8	745171-5	745854-1
1	.190240	1-745129-6	745130-8	745171-1	745854~3
(9 Posn/15 Posn)	.230280	3-745129-4	1-745130-6	745171-5	745854-1
	.320370	1-745129-7	1-745130-0	745171-5	745854-
	.190240	2-745129-11	745130-8	1-745172-3	747099-1
	.190240	1-745129-8	745130-8	745172-1	747099-3
.2	.230280	3-745129-2	1-745130-6	1-745172-3	747099~
(15 Posn/26 Posn)	.300350	2-745129-0	745130-9	1-745172-3	747099-
	.315365	1-745129-7	1-745130-0	745172-1	747099-3
	.380430	1-745129-9	1-745130-1	1-745172-3	747099-
	.190240	2-745129-1	745130-8	745173-3	745833-
	.230280	3-745129-2	1-745130-6	745173-3	745833-
3	.300350	2-745129-0	745130-9	745173-3	745833-
(25 Posn/44 Posn)		2-745129-41	745130-9	745173-1	745833-
	200 420	1-745129-9	1-745130-1	745173-3	745833-
	.380430	2-745129-31	1-745130-1	745173-1	745833-
	.170530	2-745129-2	1-745130-2	745173-1	745833-
	.190240	2-745129-1	745130-8	745174-4	747100-
	.230280	3-745129-2	1-745130-6	745174-4	747100-
4	.300350	2-745129-0	745130-9	745174-4	747100-
(37 Posn/62 Posn)	000 400	1-745129-9	1-745130-1	745174-4	747100-
	.380430	2-745129-71	1-745130-1	745174-1	747100-
	.465525	2-745129-6	1-745130-2	745174-1	746100-
	.590650	2-745129-5	1-745130-3	745174-1	746100-
	.190240	1-745129-8	745130-8	745175-6	1-747098-
	.300350	2-745129-4	745130-9	745175-4	747089-
<i>E</i>	.315365	1-745129-7	1-745130-0	745175-6	1-747089-
5	.380430	2-745129-3	1-745130-1	745175-4	747089-
(50 Posn/78 Posn)	470 690	2-745129-2	1-745130-2	745175-4	747089-
	.470530	3-745129-01	1-745130-2	745175-1	747089-
	.600650	2-745129-9	1-745130-3	745175-1	747098-
	.700750	2-745129-8	1-745130-4	745175-1	747098-

. MAXIMUM CABLE DIAMETER ASSUMES A MINIMUM INSULATION THICKNESS OF .060".

1 INDICATES FERBULES WITH REDUCED NECKS.

Fig. 2

3. ATTACHING CABLE CLAMP ASSEMBLY (Figure 3)

A. Braided Shield Cable (Without Ferrule)

1. Strip cable jacket from end of conductors. Refer to the chart in Figure 7 for the cable jacket strip length for HD-20 and HD-22 connectors.

2. Push braided shield away from conductors to form a bulge at base of outer cable jacket. Work braided shield back over outer jacket. It may be necessary to unweave shield and place strands over outer jacket (strands should be spread evenly over outer jacket).

3. Install tape or heat-shrinkable tubing without sealant to secure loose strand ends to cable until cable clamps are installed. The braid should be exposed 9/16 in. between tape or tubing and con-

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ductors. See Figure 3. Refer to Instruction Sheet IS 2607 for proper application of tubing. Use an electric heat gun as the heat source.

4. Terminate conductors with contacts and insert contacts into rear of connector or terminate to connector per the appropriate document listed in Figure 4.

5. Position one half of cable clamp on cable and connector. Ensure that flange of connector is behind flange gripper of clamp and that braided shield of cable is in strain relief grooves of clamp.

6. Position the other half of clamp on top of cable and start the two fillister head screws and nuts on the clamps.

7. Insert captive screws into mounting holes. Alternately tighten the fillister head screws until the two clamp halves bottom on each other.

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Fig. 3

Excess braided shield may be left secured or may be trimmed off directly behind clamps with a sharp shield trimming tool. Take care not to nick or cut conductors. If heatshrinkable tubing was used to secure braid, do NOT trim the tubing.

B. Foil Shield Cable (Without Ferrule)

1. Strip the cable jacket from end of conductors. Refer to the chart in Figure 7 for the cable jacket strip length for HD-20 connectors.

2. Unwrap foil shield from cable and wrap it around outer jacket. Wrap drain wire around foil. Ensure that conductive side of foil is facing outward.

3. Secure ends of foil and drain wire with tape or heat-shrinkable tubing until clamps are installed. Leave 9/16 in. of foil exposed between tape or tubing and conductors.

4. Terminate conductors with contacts and insert contacts into rear of connector or terminate to connector per the appropriate document listed in Figure 4.

CONNECTOR TYPE	AMP DOCUMENT
HDP-20 Crimp Snap	IS 7514
HDP-20 Solder Cup	IS 9193
HDE-20 All Plastic	IS 6621
HDE-20 Metal Shell	IS 6645
HDP-22	Application Specification 114-10001

Fig. 4

5. Position one half of cable clamp on cable and connector. Ensure that flange of connector is behind flange gripper of clamp and that foil shield of cable and the drain wire are in strain relief grooves of clamp.

6. Position the other half of the clamp on top of cable and start the two fillister head screws and nuts on the clamps.

7. Insert captive screws into mounting holes.

8. Alternately tighten the fillister head screws until the cable clamp halves bottom on each other.



Excess foil may remain secured with tape or may be trimmed directly behind clamp with a sharp trimming tool. Take care not to nick or cut conductors. If heat-shrinkable tubing was used to secure fail, do NOT trim the tubing.

LATCHING BLOCKS (Figure 5)

The MPLIMITE cable clamps may be mounted to a connector-mounted block or a panel-mounted block.



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Fig. 6

Cable clamps may be used with latching blocks (208101, 745007, 745245, and 745286) by removing mounting screws and replacing them with spring latches (745255-2). Refer to IS 9130 and to Figure 5 of this document for proper assembly of spring latches.



Refer to the chart in Figure 8 for the proper ferrule for the cable and for the AMPLIMITE connector you are using, and proceed as follows:

1. Cut the cable to the desired length and slide the ferrule onto the cable.

2. Strig cable jacket from end of conductors. Take gare not to nick or cut braid. Refer to the chart in Figure 6 for the cable jacket strip length for HD-20 and HD-22 connectors.

CABLE JACKET STRIP LENGTH FOR HD-20/HD-22 CONNECTORS									
CONNECTOR STYLE	POSN HD-20/ HD-22	GROMMET/ FERRULE STYLE	STRIP LENGTH DIM.• (Inches)	MASS TERM HAND TOOLING DIM. (Tooling Ident.)	CONNECTOR STYLE	POSN HD-20/ HD-22	GROMMET/ FERRULE STYLE	STRIP LENGTH DIM.• (Inches)	MASS TERM HAND TOOLING DIM. (Tooling Ident.)
HDE-20	9	None/Grommet	1.00-1.50	J	HDP-20/-22	9/15	Crimp Style	1.90-2.10	
HDE-20	9	Split Ring	1.00-1.50	J	HDP-20/-22	15/26	None/Grommet	1.00-1.50	
HDE-20	9	Crimp Style	1.90-2.10	F	HDP-20/-22	15/26	Split Ring	1.00-1.50	
HDE-20	15	None/Grommet	1.00-1.50	J	HDP-20/-22	15/26	Crimp Style	1.90-2.10	-
HDE-20	15	Split Ring	1.00-1.50	J	HDP-20/-22	25/44	None/Grommet	1.10-1.60	-
HDE-20	15	Crimp Style	1.90-2.10	F	HDP-20/-22	25/44	Split Ring	1.10-1.60	
HDE-20	25	None/Grommet	1,30~1.60	J	HDP-20/-22	25/44	Crimp Style	2.20-2.40	_
HDE-20	25	Split Ring	1.30-1.60	J	HDP-20/-22	37/62	None/Grommet	1.10-1.60	-
HDE-20	25	Crimp Style	1.90-2.10	F	HDP-20/-22	37/62	Split Ring	1.10-1.60	-
HDE-20	37	None/Grommet	1.40-1.70	J	HDP-20/-22	37/62	Crimp Style	2.20-2.40	_
HDE-20	37	Split Ring	1.40-1.70	J	HDP-20/-22	50/78	None/Grommet	1.10-1.60	-
HDE-20	37	Crimp Style	2.20-2.40	F	HDP-20/-22	50/78	Split Ring	1.10-1.60	
HDP-20/-22	9/15	None/Grommet	1.00-1.50	_	HDP-20/-22	50/78	Crimp Style	2.20-2.40	
HDP-20/-22	9/15	Split Ring	1.00-1.50						

•NOTE: The strip length dimension range is designed to accommodate a variety of cable designs. In order to determine the proper strip length, before beginning production runs, consideration must be given to the flexibility and type of wire, bundling of wire due to circuit arrangement, and other like factors. In any case, the ferrule placement discussed in the assembly procedures must be per Figure 10 for split ring ferrules and per Figure 11 for crimp ferrules.

. Mass termination hand tooling dimension pertains to HDE connectors ONLY.

Fig. 7

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SIZE CONNECTOR	CABLE	SPLIT-RING	STRAIN RELIEF 180° CABLE EXIT			
(HD-20/HD-22)	RANGE (OD)	FERRULE	ZINC DIE CAST	PLATED PLASTIC		
1	.160200	745508-2	745171-2	745854-5		
(9 Posn/15 Posn)	.210240	745508-3	745171-1	745854-3		
	.330370	745508-6	745171-5	745854-1		
2	.185225	745508-3	745172-3	747099-7		
-	.240300	745508-4	745172-2	747099-5		
(15 Posn/26 Posn)	.335375	745508-6	745172-1	747099-3		
	.390430	745508-1	745172-3	747099-1		
	.240280	745508-4	745173-5	745833-9		
3	.310350	745508-5	745173-4	745833-7		
(25 Posn/44 Posn)	.390430	745508-1	745173-3	745833-5		
	.440480	745508-1	745173-2	745833-3		
	.490530	745508-9	745173-1	745833-1		
	.310350	745508-5	745174-5	747100-9		
4	.390430	745508-1	745174-4	747100-7		
(37 Posn/62 Posn)	.460500	745508-8	745174-3	747100-5		
	.535575	1-745508-0	745174-2	747100-3		
	.610650	1-745508-1	745174-1	747100-1		
	.335375	745508-6	745175-6	1747098-1		
-	.410450	745508-7	745175-5	747098-9		
5 (50 Dana (30 Dana)	.485525	745508-9	745175-4	7470987		
(50 Posn/78 Posn)	.560600	1-745508-0	745175-3	747098-5		
	.635675	1-745508-1	745175-2	747098-3		
	.710750	1-745508-2	745175-1	747098-1		

Fig. 8

NOTE

3. If using braided cable, fold braid back over cable without splitting or slicing the braid. If using foil cable with a drain wire, cut the foil to the jacket and remove foil. Wrap the drain wire once around the ferrule, making supe that the drain wire is NOT left in the slotted opening in the ferrule. If using cable with born foil and braid, cut foil to jacket and remove toil after folding braid back over jacket. Slide ferule under braid to end of cable jacket.

4. Trim excess brain or drain wire to approximately .60 in. from and of cable jacket.

5. Terminate conductors with contacts and insert contacts into rear of connector or terminate to connector per the appropriate document listed in Figure 4.

6. Position one half of cable clamp on cable and connector. Ensure that flange of connector is behind flange gripper of clamp and that ferrule is positioned against inner strain relief bar of cable clamp (see Figure 10).

7. Position other half of cable clamp on top of cable and secure with attaching hardware.

6. CRIMP FERRULE ASSEMBLY (Figure 9)

Refer to the chart in Figure 2 for the proper ferrule for the cable and for the AMPLIMITE connector you are using, and proceed as follows: 1. Silde outer ferrule over cable.

2. Strip cable jacket from end of conductors. Be careful not to cut braid. Befer to the chart in Figure 7 for the cable jacket strip length for HD-20 and HD-22 connectors.

before crimping ferrules

Crimp ferrules are for use with

cables with braided shield ONLY. They are not for use with foll shield cable. If a cable with both braid and foil is being used, remove the foil

3. Cut braid approximately 1/2 in. from end of cable jacket.

4. Flare braid and side inner ferrule under it. Do NOT unweave braid. Make sure that inner ferrule butts against cable jacket.

5. Slide outer førrule over inner ferrule.

6. Place the cable assembly into AMP Hand Crimping Tool 543344-1, equipped with Die Assembly 542013-[], if orimping manually. See Instruction Sheet IS 9318, packaged with the die set, for specific crimping instructions. The hand crimping tool is described in IS 9315. If using an applicator in an automatic machine, consult the appropriate applicato instruction (AI) sheet or consult your local AMP representative.

7. Crimp the ferrules and remove crimped assembly from crimping dies. Trim excess braid from between the two ferrules. Take care not to nick or cut conductors.

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Fig. 9

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Terminate conductors with contacts and insert contacts into rear of connector or terminate to connector per the appropriate accument listed in Figure 4.

9. Position one half of cable clamp on cable and connector. Ensure that flange of connector is behind flange gripper of clamp and that inner ferrule is positioned between the two strain-relief bars of the clamp (see Figure 11).

10. Position other half of clamp on top of cable and secure with attaching hardware.



7. GROMMET ASSEMBLY (Figure 13)

Refer to the chart in Figure 14 to select the proper cable clamp kit with grommets for the cable you are using and proceed as follows:

1. Cut the cable to the desired length and slide the grommet onto the cable.

2. Strip cable jacket from end of conductors. Take care not to cut foil or brand. Refer to chart in Figure 7 for the cable jacket strip length for HD-20 and HD-22 connectors.

3. If using braided cable, fold braid back over cable without splitting or slicing braid. If using foil



Fig. 11

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Fig. 12

cable, cut foil to jacket and remove foil. If using cable with both foil and braid, cut foil to jacket and remove foil after folding braid back over jacket.

4. Trim excess braid or drain wire to approximately .60-in. from end of cable jacket.

5. If using cable with braid, slide grommet under braid to end of cable jacket. It using cable with drain wire, slide grommet to end of cable jacket and fold drain wire over grommet.



Fig. 13

6. Terminate conductors with contacts and insert contacts into rear of connector or terminate the connector per the appropriate document listed in Figure 4.

7. Position one half of cable clamp on cable and connector. Ensure that flange of connector is behind flange gripper of clamp and that grommet edge is positioned against inner strain relief bar of cable clamp (see Figure 12).

8. Position other half of cable clamp on top of cable and secure with attaching hardware.

CONNECTOR	CABLE	180º STRAIN RELIEF				
SIZE	RANGE	SHIEL	UNSHIELDED			
HD-20/HD-22	(OD)	ZINC DIE CAST	PLATED	UNPLATED PLASTIC		
1 9 Posn/15 Posn	.185–.320	745171-5	745854-1	748678-1		
2 15 Posn/26 Posn	.185–.320	745172-1	747099-3	748678-2		
3 25 Posn/44 Posn	.190–.470	745173-1	745833-1	748678-3		
4 37 Posn/62 Posn	.190470	745174-3	747100-5	748678-4		
5 50 Posn/78 Posn	.190~.470	745175-4	7470987	748678-5		



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