# F TP-N-501M COMFORT

**NOT** For Use On

Multi Stage Systems

Line Voltage Systems

3 Wire Hydronic Systems

Compressors With No Built In Delay

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## **Thermostat Application Guide**

### For Use On

Most 24V Heating and A/C Systems

Gas or Oil Heat

**Electric Furnace** 

Heat Pump With NO Auxiliary Heat

**Heat Only Systems** Cool Only Systems Millivolt Systems

## **Specifications**

Power Source	. 18-30 VAC
Load Rating	
_	1.5 AMP maximum on all
	terminals combined
Operating Humidity	90% Non-condensing
	maximum
Heat anticipator range	
Cool anticipator range	
Millivolt	
Temperature range	50° - 90° F ( 10° - 32° C )



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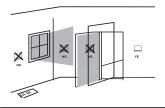
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## A trained, experienced technician must install this product.

Carefully read these instructions. You could damage this product or cause a hazardous condition if you fail to follow these instructions.

### **Wall Locations**

The thermostat should be installed approximately 4 to 5 feet above the floor. Select an area with average temperature and good air circulation.



## **Installation Tip**

Pick an installation location that is easy for the user to access. The temperature of the location should be representative of the building.



## Mercury Notice

All of our products are mercury free. However, if the product you are replacing contains mercury, dispose of it properly. Your local waste management authority can give you instructions on recycling and proper disposal.

#### Do not install thermostat in locations:

- Close to hot or cold air ducts
- That are in direct sunlight
- With an outside wall behind the thermostat
- In areas that do not require conditioning
- Where there are dead spots or drafts
- (in corners or behind doors) Where there might be
- concealed chimneys or pipes



Failure to disconnect the power before beginning to install this product can cause electrical shock or equipment damage.



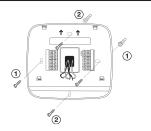
Wiring

# Private Label Badge

## Subbase Installation

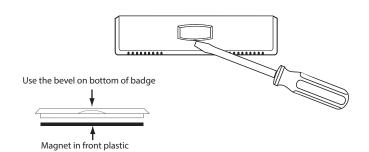
- 1 Horizontal Mount
- 2 Vertical Mount

For horizontal mount, install one left screw and one right screw. For vertical mount, install one top screw and one bottom screw.



#### Removing The Private Label Badge

Gently slide a screwdriver into the bottom edge of the badge. Gently turn the screwdriver counter clockwise. The badge is held on by a magnet in the front plastic. The badge should pry off easily. **DO NOT USE FORCE.** 



### **About The Badge**

All of our thermostats use the same universal magnetic badge. Visit the company website to learn more about our free private label program.





## **Caution: Electrical Hazard**

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## Wiring

- 1. If you are replacing a thermostat, make note of the terminal connections on the thermostat that is being replaced. In some cases the wiring connections will not be color coded. For example, the green wire may not be connected to the G terminal.
- **2.** Loosen the terminal block screws. Insert wires then retighten terminal block screws.
- **3.** Place nonflammable insulation into wall opening to prevent drafts.



## Warning:

All components of the control system and the thermostat installation must conform to Class II circuits per the NEC Code.



## Installation Tip

Do not overtighten terminal block screws, as this can damage the terminal block. A damaged terminal block can keep the thermostat from fitting on the subbase correctly or cause system operation issues.

Max Torque = 6in-lbs.

## **Terminal Designations**

- Heat pump changeover valve energized in cooling
- Heat pump changeover valve energized in heating

W Heat relay

- **RH** Transformer power for heating
- **RC** Transformer power for cooling
- **G** Fan relay
- Y Compressor relay

## Wiring Tips

#### **RH & RC Terminals**

For single transformer systems, leave the jumper wire in place between the RH and RC. Remove jumper wire for two transformer systems.

## Wire Specifications

Use 18-22 gauge thermostat wire.

Heat Pump Systems (With NO AUX or Emergency Heat) If wiring to a heat pump, use a small piece of wire (not supplied) to connect terminals W and Y.

**Wiring Diagrams Wiring Diagrams** 

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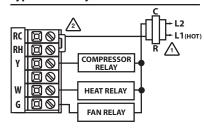
**Power supply** 

Factory-installed jumper. Remove only when installing on 2-transformer systems

Use either O or B terminals for changeover valve

Use a small piece of wire (not supplied) to connect W and Y terminals

#### Typical 1H/1C System: 1 Transformer

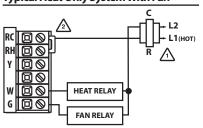


## Typical Heat Only System With Fan

Typical 1H/1C Heat Pump System

COMPRESSOR

FAN RELAY

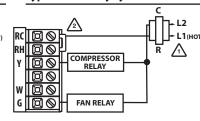


## **Typical Cool-Only System**

**Typical Heat-Only System** 

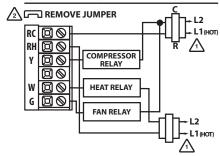
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HEAT RELAY



**Anticipator Setting** 

Typical 1H/1C System: 2 Transformer



1 HEAT - OFF

COOL

## Removing & Replacing The Front Cover

For accurate temperature control, the adjustable heat anticipator must be set correctly. The anticipator setting should match the current draw of the system in heat mode for best results.

HEAT CHANGE OVER VALVE

## **Heating Anticipator Setting**

Set the adjustable heat anticipator to match the current draw of the system in heat mode. With the thermostat wired to the HVAC system and mounted on the wall, remove the thermostat from the subbase. Place ammeter probes on the RH and W terminals. After one minute of heating runtime, the ammeter will show a steady current draw value. This current draw value in milliamps on the ammeter is the same value that the anticipator needs to be set to for best results. Set anticipator dial to match the steady ammeter reading in milliamps.



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To access heat anticipator adjustment arm, pull the cover off from the front of thermostat.

## **Replacing Application Faceplates**

Note: To access the faceplate, pull the

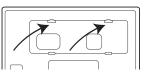
cover off from the front of thermostat.

Inside the open thermostat

To remove faceplate from the front cover, press the back of the faceplate near the edge of the front cover until the faceplate snaps out of its place. Replace different faceplate by placing the new faceplate in open space on the front of the front cover. Press the edge of the faceplate into the front of the front cover until it snaps into place.

position (Left).

Back of the front cover





**Faceplate Application Options** 

**HEAT ONLY** 

WITHOUT FAN

**HEAT ONLY** 

WITH FAN

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For HEAT ONLY without FAN:

Put the GAS/ELEC switch in the GAS

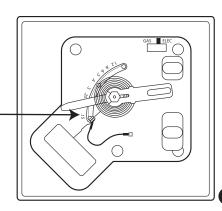
Put the FAN in the AUTO (down) position. Then pull the FAN button off the switch. The faceplate will then cover and hide the FAN switch.

## **Anticipator Settings**

Higher anticipator values will allow longer running heat cycles.

Lower anticipator values will allow shorter running heat cycles.

Note: For millivolt systems, set anticipator to its lowest setting.





**Remove Front Cover** 



