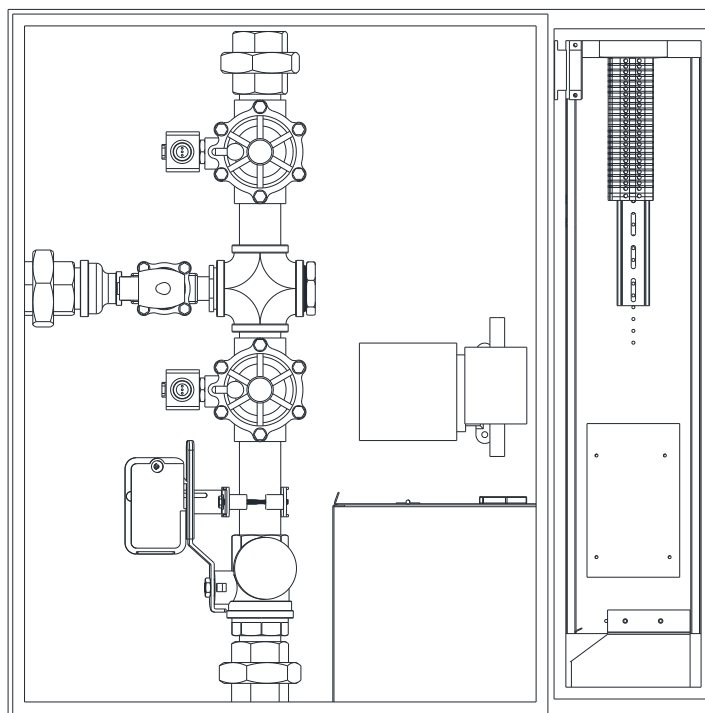


# CORE Protection Fire System for Pollution Control Unit Installation, Operation, and Maintenance Manual



## **RECEIVING AND INSPECTION**

Upon receiving unit, check for any interior and exterior damage, and if found, report it immediately to the carrier. Also check that all accessory items are accounted for and are damage free.

## **WARNING!!**

Installation of this module should only be performed by a qualified professional who has read and understands these instructions and is familiar with proper safety precautions. Improper installation poses serious risk of injury due to electric shock and other potential hazards. Read this manual thoroughly before installing or servicing this equipment. **ALWAYS** disconnect power prior to working on module.

## **ONLY CORE CERTIFIED PERSONNEL MAY INSTALL OR PERFORM MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS ON CORE SYSTEMS.**

**Save these instructions.** This document is the property of the owner of this equipment and is required for future maintenance. Leave this document with the owner when installation or service is complete.

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## WARRANTY

This equipment is warranted to be free from defects in materials and workmanship, under normal use and service, for a period of 24-months from date of shipment. This warranty shall not apply if:

1. The equipment is not installed by a certified CORE qualified installer per the MANUFACTURER'S installation instructions shipped with the product.
2. The equipment is not installed in accordance with federal, state and local codes and regulations.
3. The equipment is misused or neglected, or not maintained per the MANUFACTURER'S maintenance instructions.
4. The equipment is not operated within its published capacity.
5. The invoice is not paid within the terms of the sales agreement.

The MANUFACTURER shall not be liable for incidental and consequential losses and damages potentially attributable to malfunctioning equipment. Should any part of the equipment prove to be defective in material or workmanship within the 24-month warranty period, upon examination by the MANUFACTURER, such part will be repaired or replaced by MANUFACTURER at no charge. The BUYER shall pay all labor costs incurred in connection with such repair or replacement. Equipment shall not be returned without MANUFACTURER'S prior authorization and all returned equipment shall be shipped by the BUYER, freight prepaid to a destination determined by the MANUFACTURER.

## INSTALLATION

It is imperative that this unit is installed and operated with the designed airflow and electrical supply in accordance with this manual. If there are any questions about any items, please call the service department at **1-866-784-6900** for warranty and technical support issues.

**WARNING: DO NOT RAISE PCU BY THE DOORS, FILTER FRAMES, OR UTILITY CABINET. USE ALL LIFTING LUGS PROVIDED WITH A SPREADER BAR OR SLING UNDER THE UNIT.**

When the PCU is installed above or near a finished space, the installing contractor should protect the finished space to prevent water damage in the event of a fire system discharge or when regular cleaning is performed on the unit.

## Mechanical

### **WARNING: APPLY THE APPROPRIATE WATER PRESSURE AND TEMPERATURE TO ALL FITTINGS TO PREVENT LEAKAGE AND COMPONENT FAILURE**

Ensure there is 36 Inches of service clearance to the front of the panel. The panel shall also be located in an accessible area where the audible and visual alarms can be heard and seen.

#### **Plumbing Connections**

Several field plumbing connections are required for proper Pollution Control Unit CORE operation. It is recommended that all plumbing connections be sealed with pipe dope. Use care not to contaminate the interior surfaces of the water lines when plumbing the unit, as small particulate can clog the orifices of the spray nozzles.

1. Incoming plumbing connections are connected via 1 1/2" NPT pipe, or equivalent copper tubing, at the bottom of the control cabinet. A strainer is to be installed upstream of all solenoid valves, located at the bottom of the control cabinet. This connection must be able to provide at least 30 psi at the panel gauge plus the pressure drop of the PCU and pipe leading to the PCU. The maximum operating pressure at the control package is 70 psi, with the maximum static pressure being 125 psi. This must be connected to a water supply line immediately downstream from the building main shut-off valve or a fire sprinkler system. This main valve must be continuously supervised. If the CORE water supply is connected to the building sprinkler system, it is preferred that the connection be from the main sprinkler riser, or a branch line as long as the CORE system is calculated in the overall sprinkler system capacity. For domestic water supply if other appliances are connected to the CORE water supply line, those appliances must be operated during the CORE system testing, and taken into consideration when calculating the size of the waterline pipe.
2. The connection to the Pollution Control Unit is made via 1 1/2" NPT pipe, or equivalent copper tubing, from the top of the cabinet to the Pollution Control Unit. **This line must be sloped back to the CORE panel to ensure the lines drain 1/4" per one (1) foot. Stainless Steel, Copper or Steel Pipe Only.**
3. There is also a 1 1/2 inch drain connection that must be piped. This allows the control package to test the incoming water pressure during flow conditions. This should be piped back into the building drain system.
4. Once all supply and drain lines are connected, remove one of the nozzles and flush the lines.
5. The drains on the Pollution Control Unit should be connected back to the building grease interceptor or an approved drain. If PCU assembly has Multiple Modules, the drain line must be 2.5 inch NPT pipe minimum. **This must be sloped away from the PCU 1/4" per one (1) foot and sized to handle the fire system water volume. Stainless Steel, Copper or Steel Pipe Only.**
6. Unions must be field installed before and after the PCU CORE control cabinet.

**NOTE: Water pressure may not drop below 20 psi at the inlet to the nozzles, and a minimum of 15 psi at the last nozzle while the Pollution Control Unit is spraying. Operating pressure may not rise above 70 psi in the control cabinet when the Pollution Control Unit is spraying. If the operating pressure is greater than 70 psi, a water regulator must be connected. Max water static pressure is 125 psi.**

#### **IMPORTANT!!**

CORE Protection water connection requires a supervised supply line. This must be connected immediately downstream from the building main shut-off valve. A minimum water pressure of 20 psi (while the Pollution Control Unit is spraying) must be achieved at the PCU. Use the chart below to determine the pipe pressure loss between the CORE package and the PCU.

### Piping Loss Calculation for Wall Mount CORE Protection Fire System

To ensure proper operation of the CORE Protection Fire System, a minimum of 30 psi water pressure during spraying must be achieved at the Pollution Control Unit panel with a minimum of 20 psi at the PCU inlet. For this to occur, proper sizing of the water line is required. Use the following steps to calculate the piping minimum size.

1. Use **Table 4** on **page 6** to determine the CORE water flow rate.
2. Minimum PCU inlet operating pressure is 20 psi, with the PCU-CORE minimum gauge pressure of 30 psi. Subtract the minimum panel pressure of 30 psi from the available PSI at the panel pressure gauge. Maximum panel operating pressure is 70 psi. This will be your maximum allowable pressure drop for field installed pipes between the panel and the PCU.
3. Most fittings add an equivalent pipe length to the total run. Use **Table 1** to calculate the equivalent pipe length for installed fittings. If you have multiple fittings of one type, simply multiply the number below by the total number of the fitting and add to the total run length.
4. To calculate the total flowing pressure drop between the panel and the PCU, take the total equivalent length found in step 3 and add the total linear field installed pipe length. Multiply this number by the value found in the table below, Pressure Drop (psi) per Equivalent Foot of Waterline. (Gallons per minute is determined in step 1) This will be the friction pressure drop between the PCU and the panel.
5. Add in the pressure drop due to gravity. This must be evaluated to overcome any rise in pipe elevation between the panel and the PCU. There is 0.43 psi/ft of vertical rise of pressure drop.
6. Now, compare the maximum allowable pressure drop from step 2 to the calculated pressure drop from step 3-5. If the calculated pressure drop exceeds the maximum allowable pressure drop, increase the pipe size and recalculate steps 2 and 5. Continue this step until the calculated pressure drop is below the maximum allowable.
7. The panel contains (2) 1 1/2 inch solenoids, one normally open, and one normally closed, each with a Cv Flow Factor of 22.5. To calculate the pressure drop in psi through the panel, use this formula: **Panel Pressure Drop = Flowrate<sup>2</sup> / 253.125**, where Flowrate is in gallons per minute. The pressure drop in the panel, downstream of the gauge is half of the calculated entire panel pressure drop.

**Table 1 - Equivalent Pipe Length For Various Pipe Fittings**

Pipe Size Inches	45° Elbow	90° Elbow	Tee Thru Run	Tee Thru Branch
<b>3/4"</b>	0.97	2.10	1.40	4.10
<b>1"</b>	1.23	2.60	1.80	5.30
<b>1 1/2"</b>	1.90	4.00	2.70	8.00
<b>2"</b>	2.40	5.20	3.50	10.40

**Table 2 - Pressure Drop (psi) per Equivalent Foot of Waterline - Pipe Size**

Gallons per Minute	Waterline Pipe Size (psi per foot of pipe)			
	3/4"	1"	1 1/2"	2"
5	0.028	0.008	0.001	0.000
10	0.102	0.029	0.004	0.001
15	0.216	0.062	0.008	0.001
20	0.368	0.105	0.014	0.002
25	0.556	0.159	0.022	0.003
30	0.779	0.223	0.030	0.004
35	1.036	0.296	0.040	0.006
40	1.327	0.379	0.052	0.008
45	1.650	0.472	0.064	0.009
50	2.005	0.573	0.078	0.011
55	2.391	0.684	0.093	0.014
60	2.809	0.803	0.110	0.016
65	3.257	0.931	0.127	0.019
70	3.736	1.068	0.146	0.021
75	4.244	1.213	0.166	0.024
80	4.782	1.367	0.187	0.027
85	5.350	1.529	0.209	0.030
90	5.946	1.700	0.232	0.034
95	6.572	1.879	0.256	0.037
100	7.226	2.066	0.282	0.041
105	7.909	2.261	0.309	0.045

**Discharge Coefficient for PCU**

The discharge coefficient, or "K Factor", is used to calculate the actual GPM through the system when the incoming pressure is different than what is specified in the table below. This K factor can be applied to the completed Pollution Control Unit assembly. The formula below will provide the Gallons per Minute discharge rate of the PCU fire system.

$$\text{Total Flowrate} = K \text{ Factor} \times \text{Pressure}^{0.44}$$

$$\text{Individual Valve Pressure Drop} = F^2 / C_v^2$$

(Cv Value for a single valve is 22.5)

**Table 3**

FIRE SYSTEM DISCHARGE COEFFICIENT (K-FACTOR)						
PCU SIZE		# OF MODULES				
		1	2	3	4	5
PCU	1	2.0	3.6	5.2	6.8	8.4
PCU	2	2.8	4.8	6.8	8.8	10.8
PCU	3	2.8	4.8	6.8	8.8	10.8
PCU	4	4.0	6.4	8.8	11.2	13.6
PCU	5	4.4	7.2	10.0	12.8	15.7
PCU	6	4.4	7.2	10.0	12.8	15.7
PCU	7	6.1	9.0	14.9	19.2	23.8

**Table 4**

FIRE SYSTEM WATER CONSUMPTION BASED ON PCU SIZE IN GPM						
PCU SIZE		# OF MODULES				
		1	2	3	4	5
PCU	1	7.5	14	20	26	32
PCU	2	11	18	26	33	41
PCU	3	11	18	26	33	41
PCU	4	15	24	33	42	51
PCU	5	17	27	38	48	59
PCU	6	17	27	38	48	59
PCU	7	23	34	56	72	89

### **Field Pipe Pressure Drop Calculation Example:**

Wall mount panel installed with 30 feet of 3/4" linear pipe between panel and unit. There are two 90 degree elbows installed in the pipe run and the pipe run has a vertical rise of 15 feet. A size 6 PF-HE-HE-OC-OC Pollution Control Unit is attached to the package.

Size 6 PCU-PF-HE-HE-OC-OC (5 modules) = 59 gpm

Operating pressure required at PCU = 20 psi.

Operating pressure at panel gauge = 50 psi.

Allowable pressure drop between panel gauge and unit: 50 psi – 20 psi = **30 psi**

Equivalent length of pipe = 30 + 2 \* 2.10 = 34.20 feet

Friction Pressure Drop through pipe = 34.20 \* 2.809 = 96.07 psi

Gravitational Pressure = 0.43 psi/ft \* 15 feet = 6.45 psi

Panel pressure drop downstream of gauge = (59 gpm<sup>2</sup> / 253.125) / 2 = 6.87 psi

Total Pressure Drop in Field Pipe between panel gauge and unit = 96.07 + 6.45 + 6.87 = **109.39 psi**

Allowable pressure drop = 30 psi

**This system will not work correctly because calculated pressure drop is greater than allowable pressure drop. Pipe size will need to be change to 1-1/2 inch diameter.**

### **Re-calculate with 1 1/2 inch pipe instead of 3/4" pipe:**

Equivalent length of pipe = 30 + 2 \* 4.00 = 38.00 feet

Friction Pressure Drop through pipe = 38.00 \* 0.110 = 4.18 psi

Gravitational Pressure = 0.43 psi/ft \* 15 feet = 6.45 psi

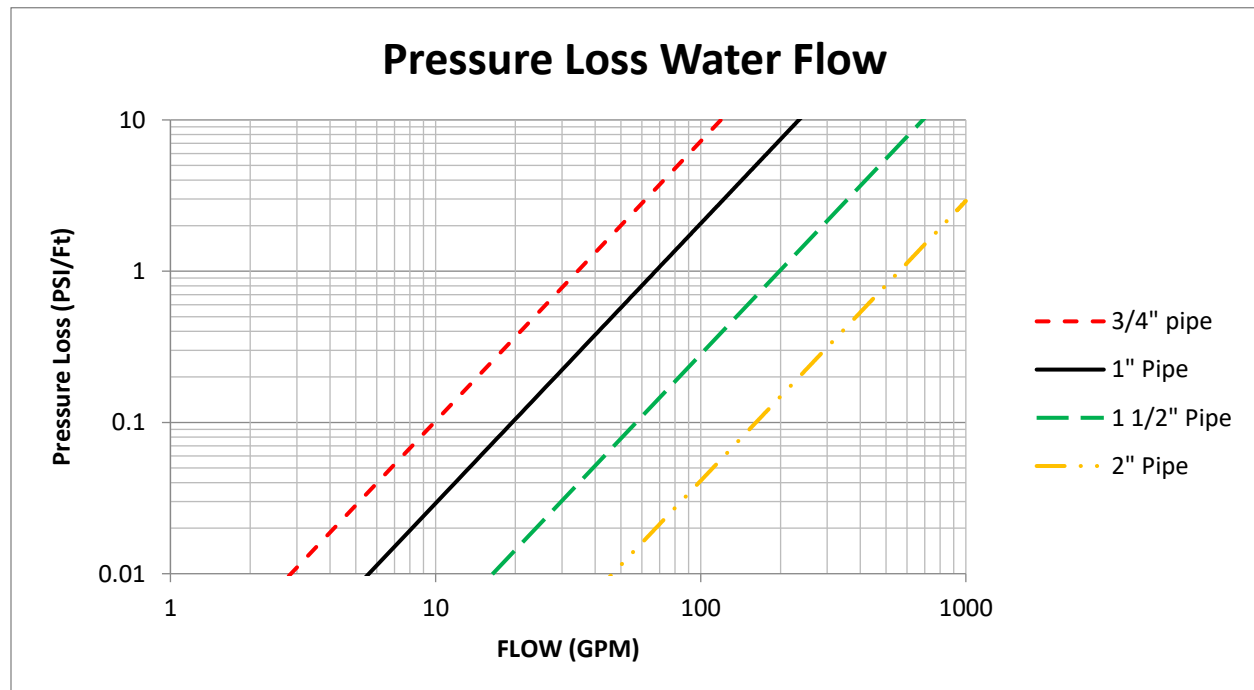
Panel pressure drop downstream of gauge = (59 gpm<sup>2</sup> / 253.125) / 2 = 6.87 psi

Total Pressure Drop in Field Pipe between panel gauge and unit = 4.18 + 6.45 + 6.87 = **17.50 psi**

Allowable pressure drop = 30 psi

**This system will work correctly because calculated pressure drop is less than allowable pressure drop.**

### **Pressure Loss Through Typical Water Pipe Chart**



## Electrical

### **WARNING!!**

**Disconnect power before installing or servicing control. High voltage electrical input is needed for this equipment. This work should be performed by a qualified electrician.**

Before connecting power to the control, read and understand the entire section of this document. As-built wiring diagrams are furnished with each control by the factory, and are attached either to the door of the unit or provided with the paperwork packet.

Electrical wiring and connections should be done in accordance with local ordinances and the National Electric Code, ANSI/NFPA 70. Be sure the voltage and phase of the power supply and the wire amperage capacity is in accordance with the unit nameplate.

**Table 5 - Copper Wire Ampacity**

<b>Wire Size AWG</b>	<b>Maximum Amps</b>
14	15
12	20
10	30
8	50
6	65
4	85

### **ATTENTION: LOW-VOLTAGE DC OR SIGNALING WIRE SHOULD BE ROUTED IN SEPARATE CONDUIT FROM ALL AC SOURCES.**

1. Always **disconnect power** before working on or near this equipment. Lock and tag the disconnect switch or breaker to prevent accidental power up.
2. **120V AC** should be wired to terminals **H1** and **N1**. **H1** and **N1** should not be connected to a shunt trip breaker.
3. The maximum distance between the Pollution Control Unit CORE Protection System and a Hood CORE Protection System is 1000 feet. Shielded twisted pair cable must be used for this connection.
4. Make certain that the power source is compatible with the requirements of your equipment. The system wiring schematic identifies the **proper phase and voltage** of the equipment.
5. Before connecting control to power source, verify power line wiring is de-energized.
6. Secure the power cable to prevent contact with sharp objects.
7. Do not kink power cable and never allow the cable to come in contact with oil, grease, hot surfaces or chemicals.
8. Pollution Control Unit mounted firestats will need to be wired. The firestats should be wired to terminal blocks as indicated on the wiring schematic. Verify connections on wiring schematic.
9. Before powering up the system, make sure that the interior of the control is free of loose debris or shipping materials.
10. If any of the original internal wire supplied with the system must be replaced, it must be replaced with type THHN wire or equivalent.
11. The battery must be plugged into the connector labeled J1 on the CORE printed circuit board after wiring is complete.
12. It is recommended to use Belden #6320UL, 18 Gauge, plenum rated wire for the supervised loop.
13. It is recommended to use Belden #88760 for the CORE interlock network and CAT-5 for Modbus communications.
14. All exterior wiring connections to the PCU must be run inside liquid tight conduit. This includes the supervised loop and airflow switch wiring.

### **IMPORTANT!!**

**CORE Protection battery backup produces output power even when main power is disconnected from system. When performing major electrical service to the control, the battery backup must be disconnected then reconnected before commissioning.**



### Wiring Distance Limitations

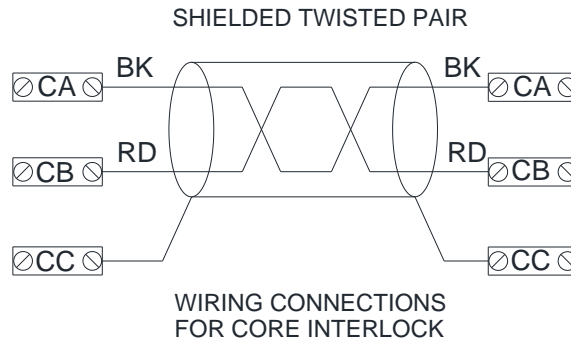
Wire size is an important consideration when making the connections between the CORE Protection Fire System and a gas valve. The chart to the right should be consulted to verify wire gauge.

Wiring connections to remote CORE Protection Fire Systems must be done using shielded twisted pair wire. The maximum length of this connection is 1000 feet.

**Table 6 - Maximum Distance between CORE System and Remote Gas Valve**

Wire Gauge	Distance in feet
12	1049
14	660
16	414
18	260
20	164
22	103
24	64

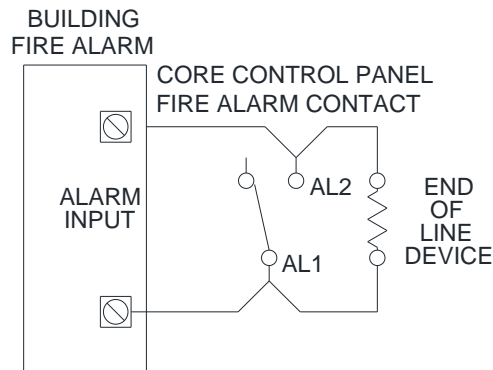
**Figure 1 – Interlock Network**



### Fire Alarm Contacts

The CORE Protection Fire System is equipped with normally open contacts that can be connected to the premise Fire Alarm Control Panel (FACP) (terminals **AL1** and **AL2**). During a fire condition the contacts will close and trigger the premise FACP to initiate a general fire alarm.

**Figure 2 – Wiring Connections for Fire Alarm Contact**



## Fire Group

Fire Groups are for the purpose of using multiple CORE systems, and grouping specific CORE systems together. This will allow the user the ability to assign different zones for independent activation.

In order to set a fire group, you will need to set the CORE board dip switch setting to:

Dip Switch Position		Fire Group Number
6	7	
Open	Open	1
Closed	Open	2
Open	Closed	3
Closed	Closed	4

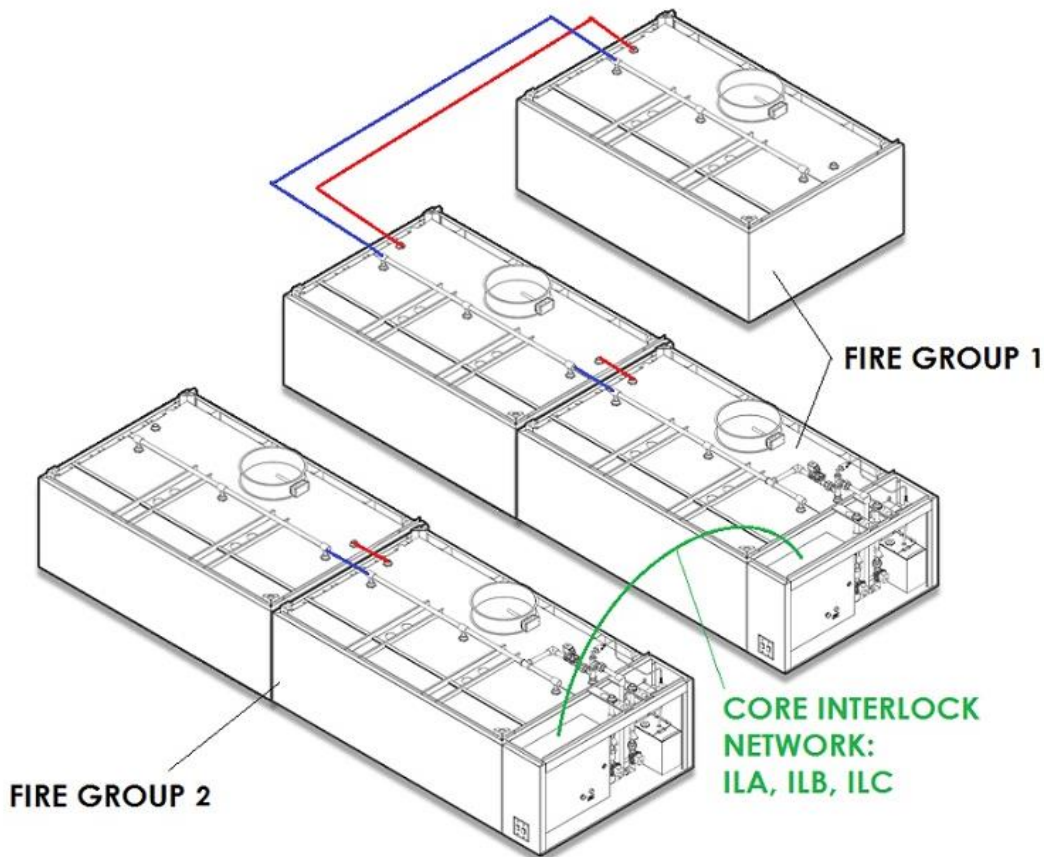
**NOTE: Every panel with matching fire group settings (dip switches 6 and 7) will activate simultaneously in a fire condition.**

An example of different zones on separate fire groups, but still connected via the interlock network. In the example, when 2 Fire groups (01 and 02) are assigned on the CORE boards, and if a fire condition exists in any one group, it will NOT activate the other fire group although both are connected to the same interlock network.

- Fire Group 01 CORE board dip switch setting on the Hood and PCU will be set to: Switch 6 OFF, and Switch 7 OFF.
- Fire Group 02 CORE board dip switch setting will be set to: Switch 6 ON, and Switch 7 OFF.

See [Typical CORE Dip Switch Arrangement](#) on **page 21** for setting multiple system CORE boards.

**Figure 3 – Fire Groups**



# OPERATION

Prior to starting up or operating the system, check all fasteners for tightness. Ensure that the wiring is installed properly and that all nozzles and panels are installed.

## CORE Protection Fire System

In the event of a Pollution Control Unit fire or a fire leading to the Pollution Control unit, CORE Protection is activated.

If the Pollution Control Unit Firestat senses a temperature hotter than its internal setpoint, an electric signal is sent to the CORE Fire System Cabinet. An electric water solenoid is energized allowing the flow of water to the Pollution Control Unit mounted manifold. At the same time, surfactant is continually injected into the water stream to help suppress the fire.

Once the fire system is activated, a "Fire System Activated" light is illuminated on the CORE Fire System Cabinet and an audible alarm sounds. A timer is also energized upon fire system activation. The timer is factory set for 15 minutes and keeps the water spray system running for a minimum of 15 minutes. This is necessary to help extinguish all remaining duct fire potential.

The fire system is electrically operated and thus requires a battery backup system. The battery backup will automatically energize upon a loss of power. The battery backup will monitor the fire system circuit for a minimum of 24 hours and be able to operate the fire system circuit for a minimum of 30 minutes. Once power is restored, the battery will automatically recharge.

## CORE Protection Test Mode Overview

The CORE Protection System has an integrated option for testing. This test mode, when active, will shut down the PCU coverage solenoid and prevent the water from spraying on the filters. It will allow activation of the fire system including the discharge water through the drain solenoid, audible alarm, shunt trip breaker (if applicable) and shut-down of appliances via gas valve reset relay. This mode will also activate any additional CORE package attached to the system, including any hood mounted CORE Protection systems and other Pollution Control Unit CORE Protection systems.

Please note that the appliances must be started before test mode is entered on any CORE Protection package for proper demonstration of this function.

## CORE Protection Reset Overview

There are multiple actions required to reset the fire system. First, the duct Firestat must be cooled to below its internal set point. Once the firestats reset, the timer will automatically stop the fire system once its time duration has ended. An alternative method to bypassing the timer is to press the fire system reset button. This will de-energize the timer and reset the system.

**NOTE: The Firestat must be cool and the remote manual actuation device (push/pull station) must be reset for this button to work.**

**After a fire, full inspection by a certified professional must be conducted prior to restarting the fire system.**

# CORE Protection Fire System Option Start Up

## Special Tools Required

- AC Voltage Meter
- Standard Hand Tools
- Hand-held Heat Source
- Silicone Lubricant, Danco 88693
- Surfactant (Part Number WWDETER for 4 Gallons, WWDETER-1G for 1 Gallon)
- Supervised Loop Wire (Belden Part Number 6320UL or similar)

## Jobsite Qualifications – Pre-installation CORE Protection Fire System

1. Verify the source for the CORE water supply (domestic or sprinkler), and determine the pressure drop from the connection at the source to the connection at the CORE manifold inlet.
2. Verify the proper amount of water pressure and flowrate is available for CORE Protection. Should the operating and static pressures exceed our maximum listing, correctly identify and size a pressure reducing valve.
3. Verify if a shutoff valve will be required on the CORE supply line.

## Start Up Procedure – CORE Protection Fire System

1. Check all nozzles to make sure they are installed and tight.
2. Open the water valve to the control package.
3. Fill surfactant tank with surfactant. The “Add Surfactant” light should not be on. Prime the surfactant pump with the push-button on the face of the control package.
4. The CORE Protection water connection must be minimum 1 1/2” pipe and must be supervised. This must be connected to a water supply line immediately downstream from the building main shut-off valve or a water fire system. This main valve must be continuously supervised. If other appliances are connected to the CORE water supply line, those appliances must be operated during the CORE system testing, and taken into consideration when calculating the size of the waterline pipe. Supply lines must be equipped with a strainer upstream of all CORE solenoid valves.
5. The fire system must be tested to ensure proper operation in the event of a fire.
6. Verify CORE Protection nozzle caps are easily removed. If nozzle caps stick on the nozzles during a fire system discharge, apply silicone lubricant to the O-ring. Use Danco 88693 lubricant.
7. Ensure there are no supervision faults being reported by the “Fire System Activated” light and that the light flashes one brief flash every 3 seconds, indicating the CORE system is armed and ready.
8. Ensure that the maximum water static pressure on the panel is less than 125 psi.
9. Verify exterior conduit is liquid tight.

**NOTE: Activating a PCU CORE system will also activate any other CORE, PCU or HOOD fire system that is connected to the same fire group. Ensure that all other systems are ready to be tested by placing the system panels in the test mode and ensuring hood filters and drains are in place.**

### Start Up Procedure – Battery Back Up

1. Place the PCU CORE panel in “Test Mode”. Place any other CORE system in “Test Mode”, if applicable.
2. Remove **120V AC** to the CORE Fire Protection control panel by shutting down the circuit breaker to the panel. After a few seconds, the “Fire System Activated” light will flash a power failure supervision fault code (11 flashes followed by a pause).
3. Heat the Firestat with a hand-held heat source. The use of a torch or flame, is strictly prohibited.
4. Verify that the operating panel pressure is **30 psi** minimum plus piping pressure drop, and **70 psi** maximum.
5. Verify that surfactant is constantly being injected into the water stream.
6. If all of the above is confirmed, reset the fire system by pressing the button on the face of the CORE Fire Protection control package.
7. Reset the circuit breaker applying power to the PCU panel.
8. Place the PCU CORE panel in “Armed Mode”. “Fire System Activated” light will begin flashing one brief flash every **3 seconds**, indicating the CORE system is armed and ready.

### Start Up Procedure – Final

1. Refill surfactant tank in CORE Fire Protection control package.
2. Verify that the “Fire System Activated” light is flashing one brief flash every 3 seconds, indicating the CORE system is armed and ready.

### Reset Procedure – CORE Protection Fire System

1. Fully inspect system to make sure fire is extinguished.
2. If fire is out, Firestat should be cool.
3. Once the Firestat is cool, the CORE system will automatically reset once fire system timer expires after **15 minutes**. Alternatively, the fire system reset button in the control package can be pressed to reset system.
4. Refill surfactant tank in CORE Fire Protection control package.

### CORE Protection System Start-up Checklist

Action	Completed (Yes/No)	Result
Main Water line 1 1/2" or Larger, with Strainer Installed		
Main Water Line from Supervised Supply		
“Fire System Activated” light flashing ready code (1 short flash every 3 seconds)		
Test Firestat System Activation		
Verify Water Pressure (20 psi) min. @ PCU		
Verify Water Pressure (30 psi) min, @ panel gauge		
Verify Max Water Operating Pressure (70 psi)		
Verify Max Water Static Pressure (125 psi)		
Verify Constant Surfactant Injection		
Fire System Activated Light Illuminates		
Audible Alarm Sounds		
Verify CORE Timer Works Correctly		
Verify Reset Button Works Correctly		
System Activates on Battery Backup		
Verify Surfactant Tank is Full		
Verify Exterior Conduit is Liquid Tight		

### CORE Protection System Reset Checklist

Action	Completed (Yes/No)	Result
Ensure Fire is Extinguished		
Press The CORE Reset Button		
Verify Surfactant Tank is Full		

## Component Description

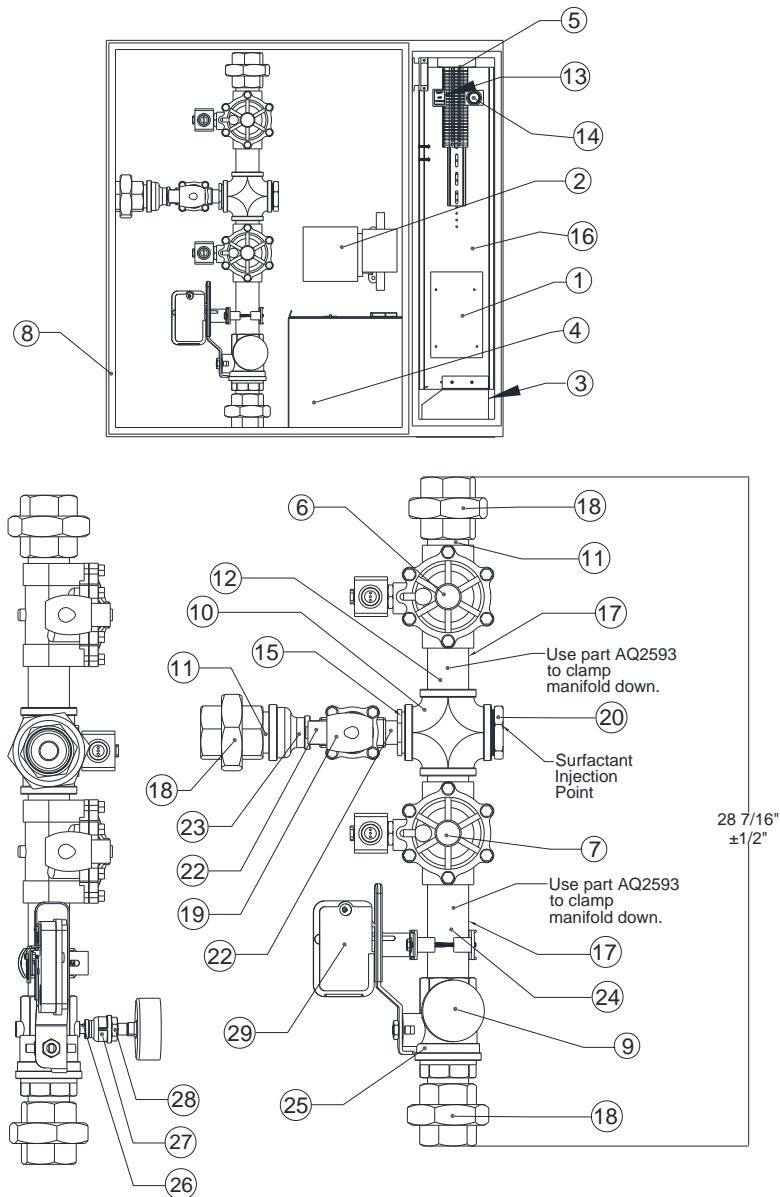
The following section lists the major controls and components used in the Pollution Control Unit CORE Protection fire system.

### Water Manifold

The Pollution Control Unit CORE Fire Protection System package consists of two normally open valves and one normally closed valve. A strainer is to be installed upstream of all solenoid valves.

1. All fittings and pipe will be brass except for drain components.
2. Length and width of manifold must match measurements listed on this page.
3. All pipe nipple are closed unless otherwise noted.
4. Valves can be rotated for best fit inside cabinet.
5. Optional slow-close solenoid part # SC8221G011-24DC may be used as an alternative.
6. Strainer to be shipped loose, installed in field upstream of solenoids.

**Figure 4 – Water Manifold Components**



**Table 7 – Water Manifold Parts List**

Item Number	Quantity	Part Number	Description
1	1	PCBCORE	CORE Board
2	1	50000-805	24V Detergent Pump
3	2	PS-1270-F2	Battery
4	1	WWSTANK2.0	Detergent Tank
5	1	1606-XPL	24V Power Supply
6	1	SC8210D032	1 1/2" NPT Normally Open Solenoid valve
7	1	SC8210G022	1 1/2" NPT Normally Closed Solenoid Valve
8	1	AQ5005	30" x 30" x 7" Stainless Cabinet
9	1	AQ2516	Temperature and Pressure Gauge
10	1	4429K357	1 1/2" Brass Cross Fitting
11	3	AQ2520	1 1/2" Brass Close Nipple
12	1	AQ2521	1 1/2" Brass 3" Nipple
13	1	RB24GD1100	Test / Arm Switch
14	1	D7-F2X11	Prime / Reset Push Button
15	1	AQ2573	1 1/2" to 3/4" Brass Bushing
16	1	CCPPECBK	Electrical Back Plate
17	2	AQ2593	1 1/2" Pipe Clamps
18	3	1BR125UJ	1 1/2" Brass Union
19	1	SC8210G035	3/4" NPT Normally Open Solenoid Valve
20	1	AQ2571	1 1/2" x 1/4" Brass Bushing
21	1	AQ2572	1 1/2" to 1/2" Brass Bushing
22	1	29990600	3/4" Brass Close Nipple
23	1	4429K746	1 1/2" to 3/4" Brass Bell Reducer
24	1	4568K266	1 1/2" Brass 4" Nipple
25	1	4085T25	1 1/2" Ball Valve with Gauge Port
26	1	VARIES	1/4" Brass Nipple
27	1	4429K734	1/4" to 1/2" Brass Bell Reducer
28	1	4429K422	1/2" to 1/4" Brass Bushing
29	1	PL-RVBS	Ball Valve Supervision Switch
Not Shown	1	4417K67	1 1/2" Strainer
Not Shown	4	AQ5012	Lift off Hinges
Not Shown	2	62-40-201-3	Compression Latches
Not Shown	1	WMSC-PCUCORE	Electrical Side Door
All Pipe Nipples Are Close, Unless Otherwise Noted.			

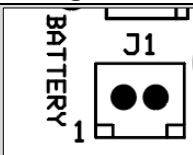
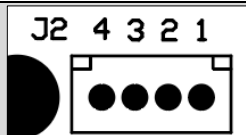
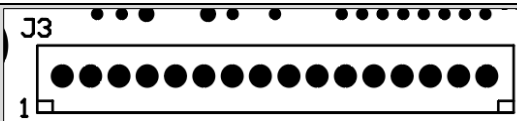
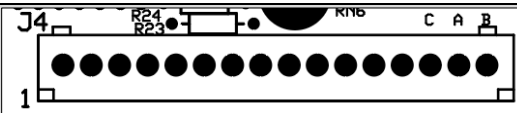
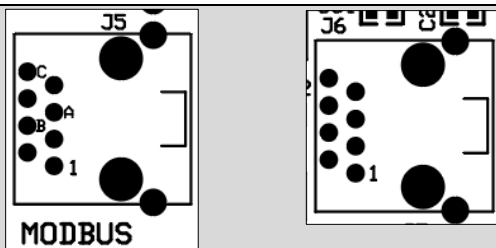
The CORE Fire System printed circuit board is a microprocessor based control that provides all the necessary monitoring, timing and supervision functions required for the reliable operation of the CORE Protection Fire System. Under normal conditions the "Fire System Activated" light is flashing one brief flash every 3 seconds, indicating the CORE system is armed and ready. If a fault is detected anywhere in the CORE system the audible alarm will periodically sound and the "Fire System Activated" light will flash a fault code to indicate the fault that was detected. This fault code consists of a series of flashes followed by a pause. Simply count the number of flashes between the pauses and refer to the chart below to find the cause of the fault. Any fault is extremely important and must be dealt with and rectified immediately to insure continued CORE protection.

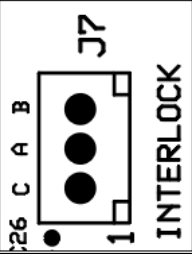
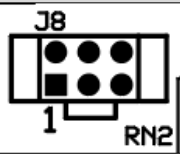
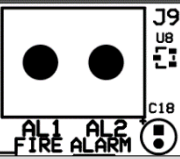
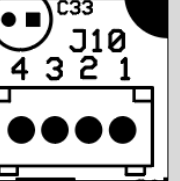
For remote mounted Ansul Automans, use terminals AU1 and AU2. This will provide a dry contact connection point to provide power for activating the Ansul Automan.



## Connector Descriptions

**NOTE: Some connections may not be used dependent on system configurations.**

Connector J1 contains battery pack connections for battery charging and monitoring.		
Pin 1 – Battery Positive	Pin 2 – Battery Negative	
Connector J2 contains Supervised Sensor Loop connections		
Pin 1 – Start Positive Loop Pin 2 – Start Negative Loop	Pin 3 – Finish Negative Loop Pin 4 – Finish Positive Loop	
Connector J3 contains Power Supply and Device connections		
Pin 1 and Pin 2 – Positive Input, Power Supply Pin 3 and Pin 4 – Negative Input, Power Supply Pin 5 – Positive Output, Gas Valve Solenoid Pin 6 – Positive Output, Surfactant Pump Pin 7 – Positive Output, Main CORE Water Valve Solenoid Pin 8 and Pin 9 – 24V DC Input, Water Shutoff Valve Supervision	Pin 10 – Positive Output, CORE Appliance Water Valve Solenoid Pin 11 – Drive Output, Fire Relay Pin 12 – Drive Output, 100% Relay Pin 13 – Drive Output, Trouble Relay Pin 14 – Drive Output, Wash Relay Pin 15 – Drive Output, Spare Relay Pin 16 – Drive Output, Auto-Man Relay	
Connector J4 contains Power Supply and Device connections		
Pin 1 – Positive Input, Power Supply Pin 2 – Output, Panel Mounted Audible Alarm Pin 3 – Output, Panel Mounted LED Fire/Fault Indicator Pin 4 – Output, Panel Mounted LED Surfactant Low Indicator Pin 5 – Drive Output, Cooking Equipment Disable Relay Pin 6 – Negative Input, Power Supply Pin 7 –Input, Surfactant Level Float Switch	Pin 8 – Input, Pump Prime/Reset Push Button Pin 9 – Input, Test Switch Pin 10 – Input, Fan Switch Pin 11 – Input, Gas Valve Reset Push Button Pin 12 – Input, Door/Tamper Switch Pin 13 – Input, 100% Override Push Button Pin 14 – Modbus Network, Common Signal (C) Pin 15 – Modbus Network, Negative Signal (A) Pin 16 – Modbus Network, Positive Signal (B)	
Connector J5 and J6 is for RJ-45 connections		
These two connections are for the Modbus Network. This network may be used by non fire system related equipment to monitor operating conditions of the PCBCORE board.		

Connector J7 CORE Interlock Network connections	
Pin 1 – Interlock Network, Common Signal (C) Pin 2 – Interlock Network, Negative Signal (A)	Pin 3 – Interlock Network, Positive Signal (B)
Connector J8 Factory Programming	
Factory Use Only	
Connector J9 Building Fire Alarm connections for a set of normally open dry contacts. These are provided for signaling a building fire alarm panel if a fire condition is present.	
Pin 1 – Dry Contact Closure	Pin 2 – Dry Contact Closure
Connector J10 contains Supervised Sensor Loop connections	
Pin 1 – Start Positive Loop Pin 2 – Start Negative Loop	Pin 3 – Finish Negative Loop Pin 4 – Finish Positive Loop

**Table 8 – CORE Board Faults****Catastrophic faults**

Number of flashes	Fault condition	Corrective Action
2	CORE water solenoid	Check solenoid and wiring to solenoid, replace as needed
3	Drain solenoid	Check solenoid and wiring to solenoid, replace as needed
4	Auxiliary Fault	Check supervised Pressure Regulating Valves (optional) and Pressure Switches (optional).
5	Microcontroller fault	Replace CORE printed circuit board

**Critical faults**

Number of flashes	Fault condition	Corrective Action
6	CORE surfactant pump	Check surfactant pump motor and wiring to the motor, replace as needed
7	Supervised Loop	Check the wiring to all the manual actuation devices (push/pull stations) and fire sensors for loose connections, replace as needed

**Important faults**

Number of flashes	Fault condition	Corrective Action
8	Ground Fault	Check the wiring to all the manual actuation devices (push/pull stations) and fire sensors for shorts to ground, replace as needed
9	Surfactant Low	Add surfactant, check/replace float switch
10	Battery voltage low	Replace batteries, wait for batteries to recharge if there was a power failure
11	AC power failure	Check breakers, call power company
12	Door tamper switch	Close cabinet door
13	PCU Test mode	Place switch in armed position when testing is complete.
14	CORE Interlock	Check Dip Switches on all Boards and RS-485 Network Wires connecting boards
15	Fault on hood in network	Check all hoods in CORE network for faults
16	Fault on PCU in network	Check all PCUs in CORE network for faults

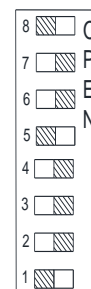
## DIP Switch Settings

The switch diagram shows switch 2, 3, 4, 6, and 7 in there Open (Off) positions. Switch 1, 5, 8 are shown in there Closed (On) positions. When set from the factory, these should be considered there default positions and should be not changed.

The Table below describes each switch and its function.

DIP SWITCH #	Description				
1 through 4	Dip Switch Position				Interlock Network Address of this unit
	1	2	3	4	
	Closed	Open	Open	Open	1
	Open	Closed	Open	Open	2
	Closed	Closed	Open	Open	3
	Open	Open	Closed	Open	4
	Closed	Open	Closed	Open	5
	Open	Closed	Closed	Open	6
	Closed	Closed	Closed	Open	7
	Open	Open	Open	Closed	8
	Closed	Open	Open	Closed	9
	Open	Closed	Open	Closed	10
	Closed	Closed	Open	Closed	11
	Open	Open	Closed	Closed	12
	Closed	Open	Closed	Closed	13
	Open	Closed	Closed	Closed	14
	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	15
Open	Open	Open	Open	THIS UNIT IS NOT PART OF AN INTERLOCK NETWORK	
5	Set this switch to Closed (On) if this unit has the highest address on the interlock network, otherwise this switch must be Open (Off).				
6 and 7	Fire Group				
	Dip Switch Position				
	6	7	Fire Group Number		
	Open	Open	1		
	Closed	Open	2		
	Open	Closed	3		
Closed	Closed	4			
8	Setting switch 8 to its Closed (On) position connects a 120 Ohm terminating resistor to the interlock network. This switch must be Closed if this unit is at either physical end of the interlock network cable, otherwise it must be Open (Off).				

Figure 6 - DIP Switch



- Each unit has a unique address based on the dip switch 1-4 settings, 15 units max on a network.
- If address is 0 (all switches off) the unit will not accept or send any network traffic.
- The unit that has switch 5 on will be the “master” and be in charge of polling all the units below it and waiting for a reply. The lack of 3 replies in a row will cause an “interlock network supervision fault”. All units will be polled in a burst every 3 seconds.
- For all non-master units, the lack of being polled for 10 seconds will cause an “interlock network supervision fault”.
- Any unit detecting a fire condition will broadcast the notification once every second for as long as the condition persists.
- When the Fire condition is cleared, 10 notifications will be sent, one every second.
- Any unit detecting a supervisory fault will broadcast the notification every 2 seconds until the condition is cleared.
- When the supervisory fault condition is cleared, 10 notifications will be sent, one every 2 seconds

## Typical CORE Dip Switch Arrangement

**Table 9 – CORE Board Dip Switch**

Only One CORE Panel on the network:

CORE Board #	Dip 1	Dip 2	Dip 3	Dip 4	Dip 5	Dip 6	Dip 7	Dip 8
1st (Master) PCU	Closed	Open	Open	Open	Closed	Open	Open	Closed

Two CORE Panels on the network:

CORE Board #	Dip 1	Dip 2	Dip 3	Dip 4	Dip 5	Dip 6	Dip 7	Dip 8
1st (Master) Hood	Open	Closed	Open	Open	Closed	Open	Open	Closed
2nd (Slave) PCU	Closed	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Closed

Three CORE Panels on the network

CORE Board #	Dip 1	Dip 2	Dip 3	Dip 4	Dip 5	Dip 6	Dip 7	Dip 8
1st (Master) Hood 1	Closed	Closed	Open	Open	Closed	Open	Open	Closed
2nd (Slave) Hood 2	Open	Closed	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open
3rd (Slave) PCU	Closed	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Closed

Four CORE Panels on the network

CORE Board #	Dip 1	Dip 2	Dip 3	Dip 4	Dip 5	Dip 6	Dip 7	Dip 8
1st (Master) Hood 1	Open	Open	Closed	Open	Closed	Open	Open	Closed
2nd (Slave) Hood 2	Closed	Closed	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open
3rd (Slave) PCU 1	Open	Closed	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open
4th (Slave) PCU 2	Closed	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Closed

\*For additional configurations please reference CORE Board [DIP Switch Settings](#) on **page 20**.

\*\*The configurations above are shown with all CORE boards in the same Fire Group, and may be configured differently even if the CORE panels are on the same network. Every panel with matching fire group settings (dip switches 6 and 7) will activate simultaneously in a fire condition.

### Appliance Shutdown in Fault Conditions

The CORE Fire Protection System is equipped to shut down the appliances if a fault condition is present. The table below shows which fault condition affects the appliances fuel and power sources, alarm muting, and local trouble relay.

**Table 10 – Appliance Shutdown Faults**

Number Of Flashes	Fault Condition	Gas Valve Shut Down		Shut Down Shunt Trip Breaker and UDS Kill Switch		Mute Local Alarm with 4 Hour Reset	Local Trouble relay
		Local System	Networked System	Local System	Networked System		
Catastrophic Faults							
2	CORE water solenoid	X	X	X	X		X
3	CORE Drain solenoid	X	X	X	X		X
4	Auxiliary Fault	X	X	X	X		X
5	Microcontroller fault	X	X	X	X		
Critical Faults							
6	CORE surfactant pump					X	X
7	Supervised Loop Fault	X	X	X	X		X
Important Faults							
8	Ground Fault					X	
9	Surfactant Low					X	
10	Battery voltage low					X	X
11	AC power failure	X	X	X	X		X
12	Door tamper switch					X	
13	PCU Test mode	X	X	X	X		
14	CORE Interlock					X	
15	Fault on hood in network					X	
16	Fault on PCU in network					X	

### Local Alarm Muting

The local alarm can be muted by depressing the fire system reset button. This will disable the sounder for 4 hours under specific conditions. **Figure 10** shows which errors can be muted. It should be noted that the fault will not clear until the fault condition is corrected.

## CORE Protection Firestat

The Firestat is a device installed in the riser of the hood, at the duct connection, that measures temperature. The standard temperature setting is 360°F. Depending on heat produced by appliance, a higher rated temperature Firestat will be required. If a temperature higher than the set point is sensed, the Firestat contacts will close and energize the electrical control board. The fire system will activate, the system will run for a minimum of 15 minutes and then recheck the temperature. If the temperature is still higher than the set point, the process restarts immediately.

The Firestat has 2 black wires and 2 white wires, these wires must be connected into the supervised loop. Use high temperature wiring when installing Firestat components. High temperature wire-nuts or terminal blocks must be used. There must be one sensor installed for every 12 feet of hood length.

Multiple sensors are wired in parallel in the supervised loop. The Firestat may be installed on the opposite side of the quick seal for access in the duct.

### **Non-Solid Fuel Appliances (Rated 450°F)**

Non-solid fuel appliances rated for 450°F will not require additional firestats, regardless of the configuration and length of ductwork.

### **Non-Solid Fuel Appliances (Rated 600°F)**

Non-solid fuel appliances rated for 600°F will require downstream detection if the duct run contains any horizontal section over 25 feet in length. Downstream detection should be installed at the end of a horizontal section. Duct layouts that include less than 25 feet of horizontal ductwork, will not require additional detection.

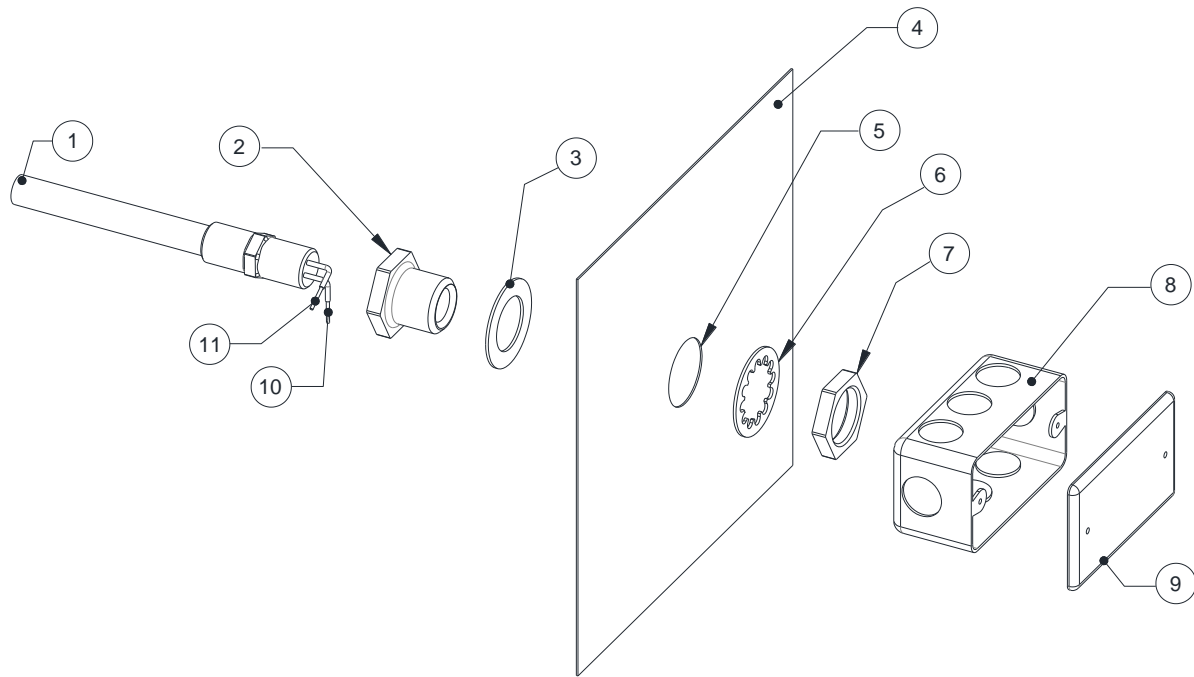
### **Solid Fuel Appliances (Rated 700°F)**

Solid fuel appliances produce effluents that can accumulate inside the duct, especially in long horizontal duct runs. Sparks from solid fuel appliances can travel into the ductwork and create fires that occur beyond the point where the hood riser Firestat can detect them. Additional downstream Firestats ensure that these duct fires are detected, and the fire system actuates. Solid fuel applications require 600°F rated Firestats, and SOLO filters.

In addition to the 600°F rated Firestat, located in the hood riser, a second Firestat is required at the duct discharge for solid fuel applications when the ductwork exceeds 10 feet in length or contains horizontal runs. Even if the entire duct run is inaccessible, this additional Firestat is still needed. Mounting a Firestat in the fan may be an option. On duct runs longer than 50 feet, a third Firestat will be required somewhere in the duct run, ideally at the end of a horizontal run, if present. Duct runs longer than 100 feet will require additional Firestats, contact **Factory Service Department** for more information.

**NOTE: When additional Firestats are required, install in an accessible location near an access door, hood riser or fan. The door will provide access to install, clean, and replace the Firestat when needed. If a PCU is equipped with electronic detection, PCU Firestats can serve as downstream detectors, if present. The temperature rating of the Firestat in the duct must always match the temperature rating of the Firestat in the riser.**

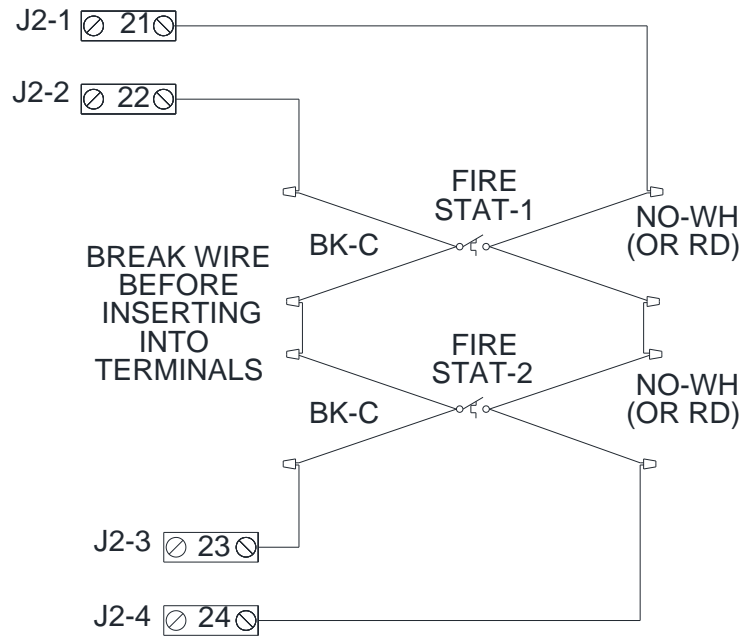
**Figure 7 - Firestat**



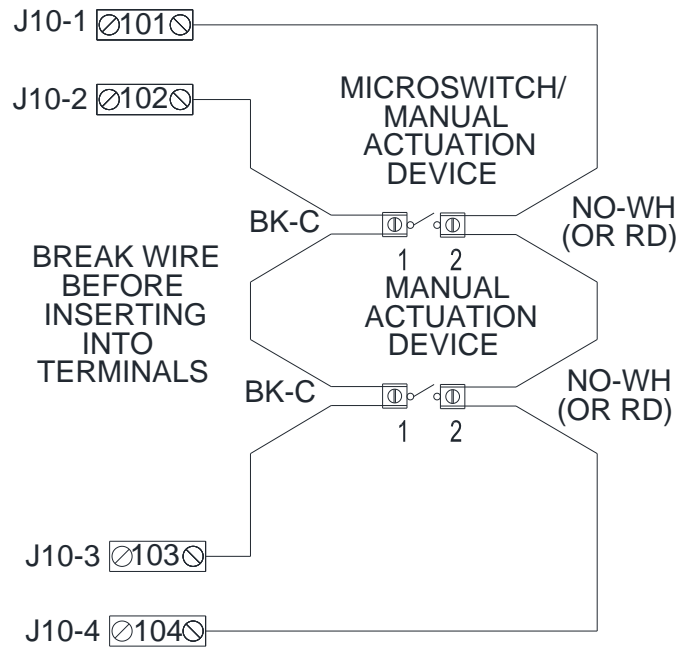
Item Number	Part Number	Description
1	12-F28021-005360	Normally Open, Close on Rise @ 360°F
	12-H28021-005-0T-600	Normally Open, Close on Rise @ 600°F
2	32-00002	1/2" NPT Quik Seal (Adapter Body)
3	32-00002	1/2" NPT Quik Seal (Gasket)
4	N/A	Grease Duct (External Surface)
5	N/A	1 1/8" – 1 1/4" Diameter Hole
6	32-00002	1/2" NPT Quik Seal (Lock Washer)
7	32-00002	1/2" NPT Quik Seal (Nut)
8	59361-1/2	Extension Ring
9	100-BW	Extension Ring Cover
10	N/A	2 White Wires
11	N/A	2 Black Wires



**Figure 8 – Wiring Connections for Firestat Loop**



**Figure 9 – Wiring Connections for Manual Activation Loop**

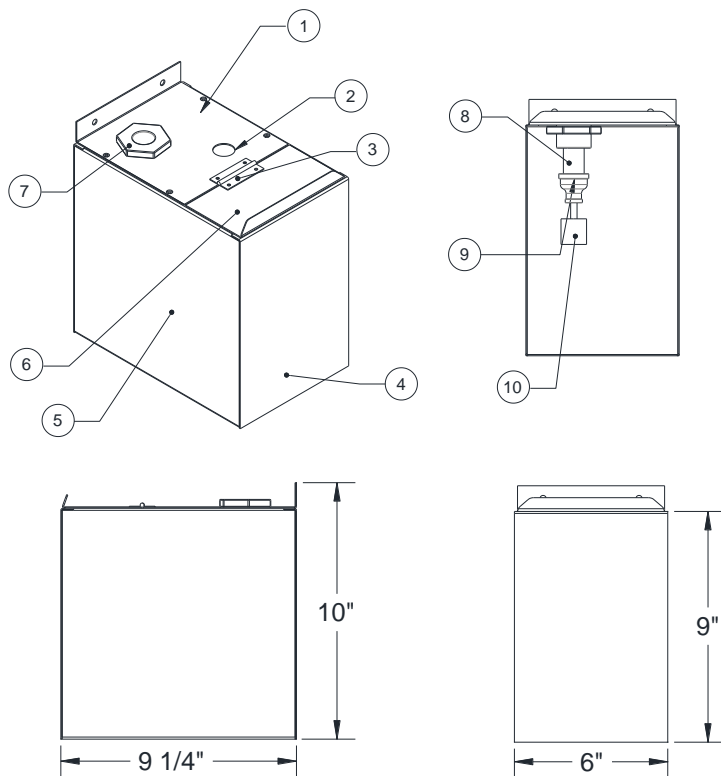


### Surfactant Tank

CORE Protection fire system utilizes a two gallon surfactant tank. For this package, the low level control is located at the 1 gallon mark. In the event of a fire, surfactant is continuously injected into the water spray to help suppress the fire. One gallon of surfactant will last for approximately 15 minutes of fire protection. In the event that the low level sensor is activated, an “Add Surfactant” light will illuminate on the control panel. To reset light, simply fill the surfactant tank with surfactant. **Figure 10** shows tank details.

**NOTE: SC-5 surfactant from 20/10 Products Incorporated must be used. Lift the front lid to fill the tank, fill to top.**

**Figure 10 – Surfactant Tank Details**



Callout	Description	Part Number
1	Rear Lid	WWSTRLID
2	7/8" Grommet	N/A
3	Spring Hinge	531944-0104
4	Tank Side	WWSTSIDE
5	Tank Body	WWSTBODY
6	Front Lid	WWSTFLID
7	1/2" Quick Seal	32-00002
8	2" x 1/2" Brass Nipple	4568K173
9	1/2" to 1/8" Reducing Coupling	4429K733
10	Level Switch	AQ5510

### Battery Backup

The CORE system contains a battery backup. During a power loss the “Fire System Activated” light will flash 11 times between pauses indicating the power loss.

The batteries must be replaced every 2 years, from the date of fire system commissioning. Part number PS-1270-F2, two required. Although the batteries are hot swappable, which means they can be replaced while there is input power to the control, **for your safety all sources of power must be removed from the control before replacing the batteries.** To replace the batteries, unplug the battery cable from the J1 connector on the CORE printed circuit board. Then remove the retaining strap holding the batteries in place. Remove the batteries from the cabinet. Transfer the fuse and cable set from the old batteries to the new batteries being extremely careful to observe the RED and BLACK lead and terminal colors. Reinstall the batteries in the cabinet and reconnect the battery plug to J1. The batteries are lead acid type and are recyclable; please dispose of the old batteries properly.

During extended periods of inactivity where the CORE system will be without AC power for more than 2 days, such as a shutdown or natural disaster, it is best to decommission the CORE system by disconnecting the batteries. This will prevent any damage to the batteries through complete discharge. When the system becomes active again, commission the system by reconnecting the batteries and allowing them to charge for 48 Hrs.

**Figure 11 – Battery Backup**



### Power Supply Adjustment

To properly charge the batteries, the power supply must be adjusted to output 27.5V DC. This can be checked with an accurate digital volt meter placed across Terminals H1D and N1D. To adjust the output voltage, place a small flat bladed screwdriver into the yellow dial. By turning this clockwise, you will increase the voltage.

**Figure 12 – Power Supply**



### **IMPORTANT!!**

**CORE Protection battery backup system requires that the batteries be changed every 2 years, from the date of fire system commissioning, maximum. Failure to do this will result in a void in product reliability and may cause severe damage to facility due to loss of fire protection.**

## CORE Protection Waterline Supervision

The CORE Total Flood manifold is listed for use with water pressures up to and including 70 psi (operating pressure) and 125 psi (static pressure). When the inlet connection to the manifold exceeds the max listed pressures, a pressure reducing valve water pressure regulator must be installed. The pressure reducing valve is capable of reducing the wet pipe sprinkler line supply pressure and flow rate down to the CORE control package requirements. Since the valve is capable of shutting down the water flow, it must be monitored to ensure the valve is open. The pressure reducing valve is an Elkhart Brass UR series and is supervised by a Potter PCVS2 Switch. The valve is available in 1-1/2" NPT (UR-20-Series) and in 2-1/2" NPT (URFA-Series). The pressure reducing valves are rated for use up to and including 400 psi.

The Pressure Supervision Switch, part number PL is used to verify incoming water pressure. This switch is preset at 40 psi, but is adjustable, up to 60 psi, to account for different length hood systems.

**Figure 13 – Flood Manifold**



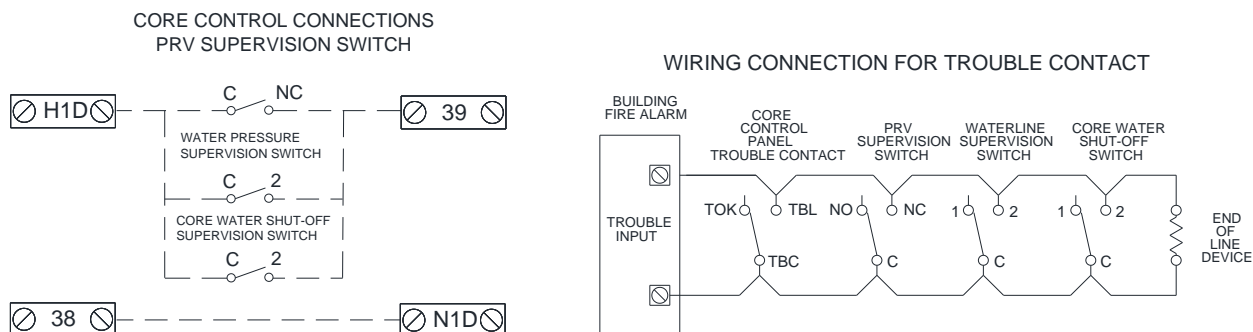
**Table 11 – Pressure Valve Specifications**

Complete Parts Kit	UR-20 Valve	Outlet Pressure Percentage	Supervision Switch	Switch Bracket
UR-20-W Kit	UR-20-W	28.7%	PL-PCVS2	80574001
UR-20-X Kit	UR-20-X	33.8%	PL-PCVS2	80574001
UR-20-Z Kit	UR-20-Z	56.5%	PL-PCVS2	80574001
URFA-20-S	URFA-20	Variable	Included	N/A

Valve Type	Incoming Pressure (psi)												
	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120	130	140	150	160	170
UR-20-W (Outlet Pressure psi)	14.35	17.22	20.09	22.96	25.83	28.7	31.57	34.44	37.31	40.18	43.05	45.92	48.79
UR-20-X (Outlet Pressure psi)	16.9	20.28	23.66	27.04	30.42	33.8	37.18	40.56	43.94	47.32	50.7	54.08	57.46
UR-20-Z (Outlet Pressure psi)	28.25	33.9	39.55	45.2	50.85	56.5	62.15	67.8	73.45	79.1	84.75	90.4	96.05
URFA-20-S (Outlet Pressure psi)	Variable												

The CORE panel contains two isolated inputs for auxiliary supervision of pressure reducing valves and pressure switches. Each Supervision device above has two single pole, double throw switches. These switches may be wired in parallel to the CORE panel terminals H1D and 39. When a fault is detected, the CORE board will shut down the gas valve and shunt trip, trigger a local trouble signal, and alert all attached CORE packages. Alternatively, the switches from each device could be connected to the trouble input of the building fire alarm panel to indicate a trouble condition. **Figure 14** shows both methods.

**Figure 14 – Electrical Connections**



# TROUBLESHOOTING

The following table lists causes and corrective actions for possible problems with PCU Core Systems. Review this list prior to consulting manufacturer.

## CORE Protection Fire System Troubleshooting Chart

Problem	Potential Cause	Corrective Action
Add Surfactant Light On	Low Surfactant Level	Add Surfactant
Fire System Activated Light On	Fire System is Activated	Make Sure Fire is Out and Reset Fire System
Audible Alarm is On	Fire System is Activated	Make Sure Fire is Out and Reset Fire System
A fault code is flashing on the "Fire System Activated" light	A fault has been detected in the CORE Protection Fire system	Count the flashes and lookup the fault cause in section "CORE Protection Fire System Printed circuit board" of this manual.
Fire System will not turn off	Duct Sensor is Hot	Heat has activated the duct sensor. Remove heat source or let system extinguish fire. Once Heat source or problem is resolved, press reset button on the face of the electrical control package.
	Remote Manual Actuation Device (Push/Pull Station) has been pushed	Reset Remote manual actuation device (push/pull station) by twisting the push button clockwise until the internal latch is released and then press reset button on the face of the electrical control package.
	Fire system is running on timer	Make sure duct sensor is cool and pull station is reset, than press reset button on the face of the electrical control package.

# MAINTENANCE

To guarantee trouble free operation of this system, the manufacturer suggests following these guidelines. Most problems associated with unit failures are directly related to poor service and maintenance. Record any maintenance or service performed on this equipment in the documentation section located at the end of this manual.

## General Maintenance

1. All water connections must be verified for tightness and leak-free operation.
2. The “Add Surfactant” indicating light will illuminate when the surfactant tank is empty. Surfactant must be added immediately to guarantee proper fire system function.

## Every 6 months

1. Inspect the surfactant pump for proper operation and ensure liquid level sensor in surfactant tank is operational. Test by manually lowering the sensor to see if the “Add Surfactant” light illuminates.
2. Fill surfactant tank with surfactant. Verify that the surfactant has not congealed or dried out, and that the liquid level sensor operates correctly.
3. Verify that system has proper water pressure and temperature per the labels on the unit.
4. Inspect and Clean the CORE water supply strainer, upstream of all solenoid valves.
5. A certified technician should verify proper system activation via the supervised loop. Test and inspect the fire system for CORE system. This includes verifying proper operation of the duct Firestat, all remote manual actuation devices (push/pull stations), proper surfactant injection and battery backup operation. Refer to the [Start Up Procedure – CORE Protection Fire System](#) on **page 12** to check the proper operation of these components.

## Every 2 Years

1. Replace batteries for the CORE Protection Systems. The replacement battery part number is PS-1270-F2, two are required. Once the battery is disconnected, the connected equipment is not protected from power outages. The new battery must be installed immediately. Refer to the replacement battery installation guide for more details.
2. Inspect condition of all wires and plumbing. Plumbing should be free of corrosion and wire insulation must be in good condition.

## Decommissioning

If it should become necessary to disconnect the CORE system from AC power for an extended period of time (more than 2 days), the batteries should be disconnected to prevent them from being damaged due to complete discharge.

## System Discharge

1. All filters in the Pollution Control Unit must be replaced.
2. Drain line and discharge line must be checked for proper drainage. If there is any water accumulation in the lines, the lines could burst due to freezing.
3. Inspect and Clean CORE water supply line strainer, upstream of all solenoid valves.
4. Surfactant tank must be refilled.
5. All nozzle caps must be re-installed on the nozzles. This will prevent buildup of grease in the nozzle opening.

## Start-Up and Maintenance Documentation

**START-UP AND MEASUREMENTS SHOULD BE PERFORMED AFTER THE SYSTEM HAS BEEN INSTALLED (Warranty will be void without completion of this form)**

### Job Information

Job Name	
Address	
City	
State	
Zip	
Phone Number	
Fax Number	
Contact	
Purchase Date	

Service Company	
Address	
City	
State	
Zip	
Phone Number	
Fax Number	
Contact	
Start-Up Date	

### Fire System Information (When Supplied)

Refer to the start-up procedure in this manual to complete this section.

Name Plate and Unit Information	
Hood Model Number	
Serial Number	
Volts	
Hertz	

Field Measured Information	
Main Water line 1 1/2" or Larger	
Main Water Line from Supervised Supply	
Main Water Line Strainer, cleaned and free of debris	
Batteries plugged in and light flashes ready	
Test Firestat System Activation	
Verify Water Pressure (20 psi) min. @ PCU	
Verify Water Pressure (30 psi) min. @ Panel	
Verify Max Operating Water Pressure (70 psi)	
Verify Max Water Static Pressure (125 psi)	
Verify Constant Surfactant Injection	
Fire System Activated Light Illuminates	
Audible Alarm Sounds	
Verify CORE Timer Works Correctly	
Verify Reset Button Works Correctly	
System Activates on Battery Backup	
Verify Surfactant Tank is Full	
Verify Exterior Conduit is Liquid Tight	

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