# **WHITE-RODGERS**

# 50A65-289

Integrated Furnace Control

### **INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS**

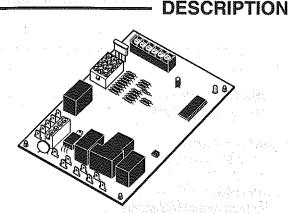
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FAILURE TO READ AND FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE INSTALLING OR OPERATING THIS CONTROL COULD CAUSE PERSONAL INJURY AND/OR PROPERTY DAMAGE.

The 50A65-289 is an automatic gas interrupted ignition control that employs a microprocessor to continually monitor, analyze, and control the proper operation of the gas burner, inducer, and fan.

Signals interpreted during continual surveillance of the thermostat and flame sensing element initiate automatic ignition of the burner, sensing of the flame, and system shut-off during normal operation.

These controls incorporate system fault analysis for quick gas flow shut-off, coupled with automatic ignition retry upon sensing a fault correction.



### **PRECAUTIONS**

# ! GENERAL PRECAUTION

Application of this type of control may cause flame rollout on initial start-up and could cause personal injury and/or property damage.

Replace only with exact model number, including dash number. Failure to use exact replacement control could cause personal injury and/or property damage.

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

Do not exceed the specification ratings.

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

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

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# A CAUTION

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

Label all wires prior to disconnection when servicing controls. Wiring errors can cause improper and dangerous operation.

This control is not intended for use in locations where it may come in contact with water. Suitable protection must be provided to shield the control from exposure to water (dripping, spraying, rain, etc.).

# A WARNING

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

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

### ELECTRICAL RATINGS [@ 77°F (25°C)]:

Input Voltage: 25 VAC 50/60 Hz

Max. Input Current @ 25 VAC: 0.45 amp

Relay Load Ratings:

Valve Relay: 1.5 amp @ 25 VAC 50/60 Hz 0.6 pf Ignitor Relay: 2.0 amp @ 120 VAC 50/60 Hz

(resistive)

Inducer Relay: 2.2 FLA-3.5 LRA @ 120 VAC Circulator Relay: 14.5 FLA-25.0 LRA @ 120 VAC

Flame Current Requirements:

Minimum current to insure flame detection: 1 µa DC\* Maximum current for non-detection: 0.1 µa DC\* Maximum allowable leakage resistance: 100 M ohms

\*Measured with a DC microammeter in the flame probe lead

### **OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE:**

-40° to 175°F (-40° to 80°C)

#### **HUMIDITY RANGE:**

5% to 93% relative humidity (non-condensing)

#### **MOUNTING:**

Surface mount multipoise

Timing Specs: (@ 60 Hz\*\*)

maximum

Flame Establishing Time: Flame Failure Response Time:

0.8 sec 2.0 sec

Gases Approved: Natural, Manufactured, Mixed, Liquified Petroleum, and LP Gas Air Mixtures are all approved for use.

### TIMING SPECIFICATIONS

(All times are in seconds, unless noted otherwise)

	50A65-289
PRE-PURGE	15
IGNITOR WARM-UP	20
IGNITION ACTIVATION PERIOD	1
TRIAL FOR IGNITION PERIOD	4
RETRIES	2 times
VALVE SEQUENCE PERIOD	12
INTERPURGE	30
POST-PURGE	15
LOCKOUT TIME	300
HEAT DELAY-TO-FAN-ON	30
HEAT DELAY-TO-FAN- OFF*	90/120/ <b>150</b> /180
COOL DELAY-TO-FAN-ON	5
COOL DELAY-TO-FAN-OFF	45
AUTO RESET	60 minutes
HUMIDIFIER	. YES
ELECTRONIC AIR CLEANER	YES
AUTO RESET PURGE	<u>,</u> 50 <b>15</b> 50 c €.

<sup>\*</sup>This time will vary depending on option switch position. The control is factory set at 150 seconds heat delay-to-fan-off. See OPERATION section for further information.

### **MOUNTING AND WIRING**

# I WARNING

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# A CAUTION

To prevent electrical shock and/or equipment damage, disconnect electric power to system at main fuse or circuit breaker box until installation is complete. Failure to earth ground the appliance or reversing the neutral and hot wire connection to the line can cause shock hazard.

Shut off main gas to heating system until installation is complete.

Route and secure all wiring as far from flame as practical to prevent fire and/or equipment damage.

# NOTE

All wiring should be installed according to local and national electrical codes and ordinances.

The control must be secured to an area that will experience a minimum of vibration and remain below the maximum ambient temperature rating of 175°F. The control is approved for minimum ambient temperatures of -40°F.

Any orientation is acceptable.

Refer to the wiring diagram and wiring table when connecting the 50A65 control to other components of the system.

UL approved, 105°C rated 18 gauge, stranded, <sup>2</sup>|<sub>64</sub>" thick insulation wire is recommended for all low voltage safety circuit connections. Refer to 50A65 specification sheet for recommended terminals to mate with those on the control.

UL approved 105°C rated 16 gauge min., stranded, 4|64" thick insulation wire is recommended for all line voltage connections. Refer to 50A65 specification sheet for recommended terminals to mate with those on the control.

After installation or replacement, follow appliance manufacturer's recommended installation or service instructions to ensure proper operation.

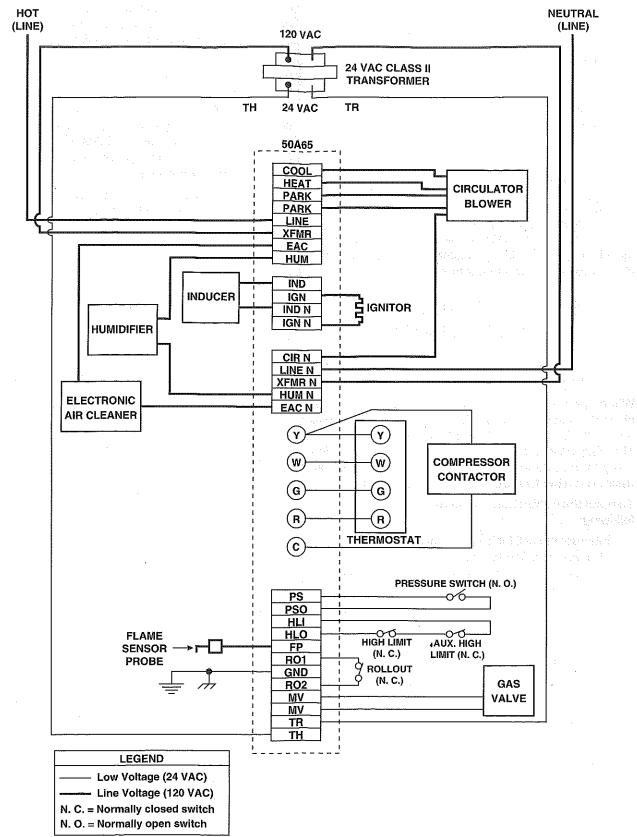
The 50A65 has only one serviceable part—an automotive type fuse, which protects the low voltage transformer from damage if its output is short-circuited. If the fuse has opened up, remove whatever caused the short circuit and replace the fuse with only a 3 Amp automotive type fuse. If the fuse is not the cause of the control's problem, replace the entire 50A65 control. There are no other user serviceable parts.

# NOTE

If the control being replaced is a 50A55-288, apply the new Diagnostic Label (included in the package) over the existing information on the unit wiring diagram.

<sup>\*\*</sup> At 50 Hz, all timing specifications should be increased by 20%

### TYPICAL SYSTEM WIRING DIAGRAM



### TYPICAL SYSTEM WIRING TABLE

50A65 TERMINAL	TERMINAL TYPE	SYSTEM COMPONENT CONNECTION			
W	n r	low voltage thermostat W terminal (or equivalent)			
G	Terminal	low voltage thermostat G terminal (or equivalent)			
R	block with	low voltage thermostat R terminal (or equivalent)			
Υ	captive	low voltage thermostat Y terminal (or equivalent)			
	screws	(2nd wire from Y terminal goes to 24 VAC HOT side of			
		compressor contactor coil)			
С		24 VAC COMMON side of compressor contactor coil			
MV (2 terminals)	1	gas valve (both gas solenoids are connected in parallel)			
TR		24 VAC transformer (low voltage COMMON side)			
TH		24 VAC transformer (low voltage HIGH side)			
RO1		rollout switch OUTPUT			
RO2	12-pin	rollout switch INPUT			
FP	connector	flame sensor probe*			
PS ·	& harness	pressure switch INPUT			
PSO		pressure switch OUTPUT			
HLI	- Additional of the second of	high limit INPUT			
HLO		high limit OUTPUT			
GND	J U	MUST BE RELIABLY GROUNDED TO CHASSIS			
IND IGN IND N IGN N	4-pin connector & harness	inducer HOT side ignitor HOT side inducer NEUTRAL side ignitor NEUTRAL side			
COOL	spade terminal	circulator blower COOL SPEED terminal			
HEAT	spade terminal	circulator blower HEAT SPEED terminal			
PARK (2 terminals)	spade terminal	unused circulator blower terminals			
LINE	spade terminal	input voltage (120 VAC) HOT side			
XFMR	spade terminal	24 VAC transformer line voltage HOT side			
EAC (optional)	spade terminal	electronic air cleaner HOT side			
HUM (optional)	spade terminal	humidifier HOT side			
CIR N	spade terminal	circulator blower NEUTRAL terminal			
LINE N	spade terminal	input voltage (120 VAC) NEUTRAL side			
XFMR N	spade terminal	24 VAC transformer line voltage NEUTRAL side			
EAC N (optional)	spade terminal	electronic air cleaner NEUTRAL side			
HUM N (optional)	HUM N (optional) spade terminal humidifier NEUTRAL side				

<sup>\*</sup> maximum recommended flame probe wire length is 36 inches.

### **OPTION SWITCHES**

The option switches on the 50A65-289 control are used to determine the length of the heat delay-to-fan-off periods. The following table shows the time periods that will result from the various switch positions.

#### **OPTION SWITCH POSITIONS**

HEAT delay-	Set switch	
to-fan-off:	#1	#2
90 sec.	On	On
120 sec.	Off	On
150 sec.*	Ön	Off
180 sec.	Off	Off

<sup>\*</sup> Factory Setting

### **HEAT MODE**

In a typical system, a call for heat is initiated by closing the thermostat contacts. This starts the 50A65 control's heating sequence. The inducer blower and optional humidifier are energized and the ignitor is powered after the 15 seconds pre-purge period.

This control has an adaptive algorithm that reduces the ignitor temperature to slightly greater than the minimum temperature required to ignite gas in each particular application. The control measures the line voltage and determines an initial ignitor temperature setting based on the measurement. After each successful ignition, the control lowers the ignitor temperature slightly for the next ignition attempt. The control continues to lower the ignitor temperature until ignition does not occur, and the control goes into retry mode. For the second attempt to ignite gas within the same call for heat, the control increases the ignitor temperature to the value it was on the third previous successful ignition. After ignition is successful, the control sets the ignition temperature at this value for the next 255 calls for heat, after which the control repeats the adaptive algorithm. The control is constantly making adjustments to the ignitor temperature to compensate for changes in the line voltage.

The 80 VAC Silicon Nitride ignitor manufactured by White-Rodgers must be used. These ignitors are specially designed to operate with the 50A65's adaptive ignition routine to ensure the most efficient ignitor temperature.

At the end of the ignitor warm-up time, both valves in the 36E manifold gas valve are opened. Flame must be detected within 4 seconds.

If flame is detected, the delay-to-fan-on period begins. After the delay-to-fan-on period ends, the optional electronic air cleaner is energized and the circulator fan is energized at heat speed. When the thermostat is satisfied, the gas valve is de-energized. After proof of flame loss, the heat delay-to-fan-off period begins and the inducer blower remains energized to purge the system for 15 seconds. When the purge is complete, the inducer blower and humidifier are de-energized. After the delayto-fan-off period ends, the circulator fan and electronic air cleaner are de-energized.

If flame is not detected, both valves are de-energized, the ignitor is turned off, and the 50A65 control goes into the "retry" sequence. The "retry" sequence provides a 30second wait following an unsuccessful ignition attempt (flame not detected). After this wait, the ignition sequence is restarted again. If this ignition attempt is unsuccessful, one more retry will be made before the control goes into system lockout.

If flame is established for more than 10 seconds after ignition, the 50A65 controller will clear the ignition attempt (or retry) counter. If flame is lost after 10 seconds, it will restart the ignition sequence.

A momentary loss of gas supply, flame blowout, or a shorted or open condition in the flame probe circuit will be sensed within 2.0 seconds. The gas valve will de-energize and the control will restart the ignition sequence. Recycles will begin and the burner will operate normally if the gas supply returns, or the fault condition is corrected, before the last ignition attempt. Otherwise, the control will go into system lockout.

If the control has gone into system lockout, it may be possible to reset the control by a momentary power interruption of ten seconds or longer. Refer to SYSTEM LOCKOUT FEATURES.

## COOL MODE

In a typical system, a call for cool is initiated by closing the thermostat contacts. This energizes the 50A65 control and the compressor. The cool delay-to-fan-on period begins. After the delay period ends, the optional electronic air cleaner is energized, and the circulator fan is energized at cool speed. After the thermostat is satisfied, the compressor is de-energized and the cool mode delay-to-fan-off period begins. After the delay-to-fan-off period ends, the circulator fan and electronic air cleaner (optional) are de-

### MANUAL FAN ON MODE

If the thermostat fan switch is moved to the ON position, the circulator fan (heat speed) and optional electronic air cleaner are energized. When the fan switch is returned to the AUTO position, the circulator fan and electronic air cleaner (optional) are de-energized.

# SYSTEM LOCKOUT AND **DIAGNOSTIC FEATURES**

#### SYSTEM LOCKOUT FEATURES

When system lockout occurs, the gas valve is de-energized, the circulator blower is energized at heat speed, and, if flame is sensed, the inducer blower is energized. The diagnostic indicator light will flash or glow continu- ON ously to indicate system status. (System lockout will never override the precautionary features.)

To reset the control after system lockout, do one of the following:

- 1. Interrupt the call for heat or cool at the thermostat for at least one second but less than 20 seconds (if flame is sensed with the gas valve de-energized, interrupting the call for heat at the thermostat will **not** reset the control).
- 2. Interrupt the 24 VAC power at the control for at least ten seconds. You may also need to reset the flame rollout sensor switch.
- 3. After one hour in lockout, the control will automatically reset itself.

#### **DIAGNOSTIC FEATURES**

The 50A65-289 control continuously monitors its own operation and the operation of the system. If a failure occurs, the LED will indicate a failure code as shown below. If the failure is internal to the control, the light will stay off continuously. In this case, the entire control should be replaced, as the control is not field-

If the sensed failure is in the system (external to the control), the LED will flash in the following flash-pause sequences to indicate failure status (each flash will last approximately 0.25 seconds, and each pause will last approximately 2 seconds).

System lockout due to exces-1 flash, then pause

sive retries

2 flashes, then pause Pressure switch stuck closed Pressure switch stuck open 3 flashes, then pause

Open limit switch 4 flashes, then pause

Flame sense without gas valve 5 flashes, then pause

Open rollout switch 6 flashes, then pause

Low flame sense signal 7 flashes, then pause Check ignitor or improper ground-

Reversed 115 VAC polarity or Continuous/Rapid

check ignitor flashes (no pause) Control failure

8 flashes, then pause

Normal operation

The LED will also flash once at power-up.