



# A2L & A3 Refrigerants: A Compliance Guide and PENN Controls Progress Report

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## Agenda

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- International Regulations
- Europe F-Gas Regulations
- U.S. Climate Alliance
- U.S. State building codes (A2L and A3 refrigerants)
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- Canada Environmental Regulations

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- Equipment types, GWP limits, compliance deadline and installation deadline
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- 4. A2L and A3 compliance status for PENN controls
- 5. Where to find the necessary documentation for PENN controls that are NCKL2/8 or LZGH2/8 compliant?
- 6. PENN System 550 mitigation control modules and GM series A2L refrigerant sensors

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## **Environmental Regulatory Landscape**



#### F-Gas (Europe)

- Phasedown / Restrictions
- IEC 60335-2-89 (Refrigerant Charge Limits)

#### Asia Pacific Region

Phasedown / Restrictions

#### **Montreal Protocol**

Phase-out, like R22

#### **Kigali Amendment**

Phasedown, like R410A



#### U.S. AIM Act

Passed late 2020

#### U.S. EPA SNAP Rule 26

- Acceptable refrigerants
- Acceptable alternative refrigerants with modified use conditions
- Exempt R290 in refrigerated food processing and dispensing equipment for the Clean Air Act, section 208 venting prohibition
- References latest version of UL 60335-2-89, ASHRAE 15-2022 and ASHRAE 34-2022



#### California

• Air Resources Board (CARB)

#### **New York**

- Department of Environmental Conservation

#### **U.S. Climate Alliance**

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## **European Union New F-Gas Regulations (as of March 11, 2024)**

#### Key elements of the regulation are:

- Phases down the consumption of hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs), which are the most common type of F-gases, by 85% by 2036 compared to the average level in 2019-2020.
- Bans the use of certain F-gases (HFCs) in new products and equipment, such as refrigerators, air conditioners, heat pumps, fire extinguishers, and aerosols.
- Requires the financing of the collection, treatment, recovery, environmentally sound disposal, recycling, reclamation, or destruction of F-gases from waste electrical and electronic equipment.
- Introduces new reporting and verification obligations for producers, importers, exporters, and users of F-gases.
- Supports the development and deployment of climate-friendly alternatives to F-gases, such as natural refrigerants, through innovation funds and standards.

The regulation aims to contribute to the EU's goal of achieving climate neutrality by 2050 and to the implementation of the Paris Agreement on climate change. It also aims to protect the health and well-being of citizens from the environmental and economic impacts of F-gas emissions.





## EU F-Gas Phase-Down<sup>\*</sup>



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\* F-Gas bans are tied to sufficient safety requirements and exemptions for low-temp conditions (< -50°C)

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## **U.S. Climate Alliance**

#### State led high-impact climate action

- Launched June 1, 2017, by the governors of Washington, New York and California
- Has grown to include twenty-five (25) governors across the U.S.
- Represents 60% of the U.S. economy and 55% of the U.S. population
- Eleven (11) states have finalized HFC rules



https://usclimatealliance.org



## **California Air Resources Board (CARB)**

#### **Stationary Equipment**

Passed resolution adding prohibitions on the use of certain HFCs in stationary refrigeration and air conditioning.

#### Air Conditioners, 750 GWP Limit

- Jan 1, 2023 Window Air Conditioners and Dehumidifiers
- Jan 1, 2024 Chillers (previous bill)
- Jan 1, 2025 Residential & Light Commercial
- Jan 1, 2026 VRF
- 2023 / 2024 10% reclaimed in new OEM equipment (excludes window units & dehumidifiers)

#### **Commercial & Industrial Refrigeration**

- Jan 1, 2022 150 GWP limit on new / major remodel Retail Facilities (systems over 50-lbs)
- Jan 1, 2022 Existing Non-Retail Facilities GWP limits
- Industrial Refrigeration, 1,500 to 2,000 GWP
- Ice Rinks, 750 GWP
- Cold Storage, 1,500 GWP (current legislation)

Jan 1, 2030, Attain a company-wide weighted average of <1,400 GWP (55% reduction in Green house gas protocol below 2019 levels) for Food Retail stores





## U.S. State Building Code Status | AHRI Interactive Map





A2I Refrigerant Building Code Map | AHRI (ahrinet.org)

## U.S. State Building Code Status | AHRI Interactive Map | Georgia

Georgia

AC Codes Updated: Yes Effective Date: 1/1/2024

State Code - AC

Refrigeration Codes Updated: Yes Effective Date: 1/1/2024

State Code - Refrigeration

Warehousing Codes Updated: No

State Code - Warehousing

Standards Currently Referenced

ASHRAE 15: Pre-2019 ASHRAE 34: Pre-2019 UL 60335-2-40: Pre-2019 UL 60335-2-89: n/a

Any questions?

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## **Canada Ozone-depleting substances regulations**

Under the *Kigali Amendment*, Canada is required to reduce its annual HFC consumption by <u>85%</u> by 2036.

Phasedown Steps: starting Jan. 1	2019	2024	2029	2034	2036
% reduction from baseline	10%	40%	70%	80%	85%
Canada's Maximum Allowable HFC Consumption (tonnes CO2 equivalents)	16 207 916	10 805 277	5 402 639	3 601 759	2 701 319
Current step					

Bulk HFCs require an authorization issued by ECCC in order to be imported into Canada:

- A consumption allowance to control imports of new bulk HFCs; or
- An import permit for used (recovered, regenerated or recycled) HFCs



## **Canada Ozone-depleting substances regulations**

Item	Product	Use	Date	Global Warming Potential (GWP) Limit of Refrigerant Used in Product
1	Stand-alone medium-temperature refrigeration system: self-contained refrigeration system with components that	(a) Commercial or industrial	January 1, 2020	1 400
	are integrated within its structure and that is designed to maintain an internal temperature ≥ 0°C	(b) Residential	January 1, 2025	150
2	Stand-alone low-temperature refrigeration system: self-contained refrigeration system with components that are integrated within its	(a) Commercial or industrial	January 1, 2020	1 500
	structure and that is designed to maintain an internal temperature < 0°C but not < -50°C	(b) Residential	January 1, 2025	150
3	Centralized refrigeration system: refrigeration system with a cooling evaporator in the refrigerated space connected to a compressor rack located in a machinery room and to a condenser located outdoors, and that is designed to maintain an internal temperature at $\geq$ -50°C	Commercial or industrial	January 1, 2020	2 200
4	condensing unit: refrigeration system with at a cooling evaporator in the refrigerated space connected to a compressor and condenser unit that are located in a different location, and that is designed to maintain an internal temperature at $\geq$ -50°C	Commercial or industrial	January 1, 2020	2 200
5	chiller: refrigeration or air-conditioning system that has a compressor, an evaporator and a secondary coolant, other than an absorption chiller	Commercial or industrial	January 1, 2025	750
6	mobile refrigeration system: refrigeration system that is normally attached to or installed in, or operates in or with a means of transportation	Commercial or industrial	January 1, 2025	2 200



## **A2L and A3 Refrigerants and their properties**





## Equipment Types, Compliance Dates and Sell-Thru Deadline

Equipment Type	Compliance Deadline	Installation Deadline	GWP Limit	Prohibited Refrigerant(s)	Allowable Refrigerants
Residential and Light-Commercial Air Conditioners and Heat Pumps	Jan. 1, 2025	Jan. 1, 2026	700	R410A	R32, R454B, naturals
VRF (Variable Refrigerant Flow) systems	Jan. 1, 2026	Jan 1, 2026	700	R410A	R32, R454B, naturals
Chillers, Comfort Cooling	Jan. 1, 2025	Jan. 1, 2025	700	R410A, R134A	R513A, R515B, R1234ze
Data Centers, Computer Room Air Cond.	Jan. 1, 2027	Jan. 1, 2027	700	R410A	
Commercial Refrigeration, Stand-alone (Self-Contained)	Jan. 1, 2025	Jan. 1, 2026	150	R404A, R407A, R134A	R454A*, R454C, R455A, naturals
Commercial Refrigeration (>500 grams of refrigerant)	Jan. 1, 2027	Jan. 1, 2027	-	R404A, R407A, R407C, R407F, R448A, R449A, R452A, etc.	R454A*, R454C, R455A, naturals
Self-Contained Automatic Commercial Ice Machines, <=1,200 lbs. ice / 24 hrs.	Jan. 1, 2026	Jan. 1, 2026	150	R134A	R290, R600A
Self-Contained Automatic Commercial Ice Machines, >1,200 lbs. ice / 24 hrs.	Jan. 1, 2027	Jan. 1, 2027	-	R404A, R410A	R454A*, R454B, R32, naturals
Retail Food, Supermarkets, >=200 lbs. refrigerant charge	Jan. 1, 2027	Jan. 1, 2027	150	R404A, R407A, R407C, R407F, R448A, R449A, R452A, etc.	R454A*, R454C, R455A, naturals
Retail Food, Supermarkets, <200 lbs. refrigerant charge	Jan. 1, 2027	Jan. 1, 2027	300	R404A, R407A, R407C, R407F, R448A, R449A, R452A, etc.	R454A*, R454C, R455A, naturals

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\* R454A included in SNAP Rule 26

Restrictions on the Use of Certain HFCs under Subsection (i) of the AIM Act (epa.gov)

## IEC 60335-2-89, Global Standard

#### **Refrigerant Charge Limits**

R290 (Propane) has primarily been used in smaller capacity, self-contained refrigerated cabinets. Designing larger-capacity R290 cabinets has required the use of multiple compressors or condensing units.

#### The updated IEC standard raises the R290 charge limits on these self-contained refrigerated cabinets to 500-grams, regardless of the design (i.e., open vs. closed design).

The following countries have already adopted the new standard:

- Brazil
- Australia/New Zealand, new standard published in 2020
- Japan, new JIS standard published in 2021

NOTE: U.S. EPA SNAP 26 includes 300-gram (closed cases) and 500-gram (open cases) charge limits for R290  $\,$ 





## **A2L Refrigerant Mitigation Requirements**

#### UL Standard 60335-2-40, Air Conditioners and Heat Pumps

#### UL Standard 60335-2-89, Commercial Refrigeration Systems

- An integral component to mitigate the risk of flammability is a refrigerant leak detection system (RLDS).
- Refrigerant leak detectors that sense loss of pressure are one of the primary mitigation means for systems in the occupied space exceeding a prescribed refrigerant charge limit, which typically consists of approximately 4-pounds of refrigerant for most permanently installed applications.
- Refrigerant leak detection systems are required to have both sensors and control logic electronics that activate evaporator fan(s) and use circulated air to quickly disperse and dilute refrigerant in the event of a leak. This is intended to prevent the formation of refrigerant concentrations.
- Requires that refrigerant charge limits be based on the minimum occupied volume of the room where the equipment is expected to be used. This charge limit requirement also includes a safety factor of four to ensure any leaked refrigerant is diluted to well below the lower flammability limit (LFL), based on room size.





## **A2L Refrigerant Mitigation Requirements**

- Refrigerant Leak Detection Systems (RLDS) must be designed to detect *refrigerant leaks at various points of the refrigeration system as approved by the safety listing agency*, from the compressor to the condensing unit, for every equipment model.
- In the event of a refrigerant leak at any point within the refrigeration system, RLDS must take-action within 30 seconds to mitigate flammability risks. Safety strategies require both detection of the leak and methods to quickly mitigate or lower the concentration of the A2L refrigerant below its 25% LFL:
  - Safety shut-off or isolation valves to limit the amount refrigerant released
  - Air circulation fans, including evaporator fans, and/or ventilation schemes
  - Integrated systems with A2L logic
- Refrigerant charge calculations and mitigation methods are based on the refrigerant's flammability rating, the size of the refrigerated space, location, and type of application.
- The charge calculation also determines the *allowable releasable* charge limit which is not necessarily the full system charge.





## A2L Refrigerant Leak Detection Systems (RLDS)

#### **Requirements:**

- RLDS must be listed by the manufacturer with a nationally recognized certification agency for the specific equipment on which they will be installed and may be *factory or field installed* with refrigerant leak sensors optimally located per safety agency approval to detect any leaks.
- Refrigerant leak sensor *LFL mitigation trigger point is factory set and sealed with no field adjustment.* Routine factory inspections are conducted by UL as part of the listing requirement. Leak sensor markings must identify the manufacturer and the specific A2L refrigerant.
- Refrigerant leak detection system is required to *initiate mitigation at a maximum concentration of <25% of the refrigerant's LFL.* The 4X safety factor helps ensure that flammable concentrations aren't reached.
- Refrigerant leak detection systems are required to *turn on mitigation devices.*

- Self-test protocols embedded in the refrigerant leak sensor run every hour, ensuring proper operation. In the event of a sensor failure, the system will go into mitigation and stay in mitigation until such time that the failed refrigerant leak sensor is replaced.
- The refrigerant leak detector and its firmware are considered part of a *Protective Electronic Circuit*.
- The refrigerant leak detector shall not be subject to poisoning, damage or false alarms from common household and workplace contaminants which have not been approved by the safety listing agency.
- Refrigerant leak detection systems are required to pass testing designed to address long term stability, vibration, range and setpoint verification.
- Refrigerant leak sensors which have a defined life must provide notice of replacement after reaching end-oflife.



# North America Certifications for Components used in HVACR systems using A2L or A3 refrigerants UL NCKL2/8 and LZGH2/8 Compliance

#### JCI PENN products can be used today in HVACR equipment using A2L and/or A3 refrigerants

- Requires that HVACR equipment manufacturers perform testing to ensure that in the event of a refrigerant leak, ignition is not possible.
- Our objective is to limit the testing that OEM customers need to perform to certify their HVACR equipment for use with A2L and/or A3 refrigerants
- OEM customers prefer that Johnson Controls' PENN products are UL Certified as "Ignition Proof" or "Flame Arrest-Protected" components.





## North America – Certification Path for A2L & A3 Refrigerants

#### UL established two (2) new Component Categories & Certification Schemes for use with A2L &A3 Refrigerants.

- These Component Certifications make it easier for Original Equipment Manufacturers to apply components
- Reduced OEM system level testing and greater interchangeability of components

#### 1) A2L & A3 Certification

**NCKL2/8 "Ignition Proof Components**" Components for use in A2L or A3 HVAC/R systems. Varied testing schemes can be chosen based on a reasonable and appropriate subset of the Hazardous Location (ATEX) standards.

- Non-Sparking
- Seal/hermetically sealed
- Non-Incendive component
- Intrinsically safe
- Enclosed break/flameproof

#### 2) A2L Only Certification (Much easier to achieve)

**LZGH2/8 "Flame Arrest-protected Components"** Components for use in A2L HVAC/R systems. Based on testing within UL/IEC60335-2-40. Varied approaches can be taken to prove compliance.

- Allowable opening of components to prevent ignition of A2L's
- Flame arrest enclosure
- Low VA contacts

One can also choose to achieve a Hazardous Location or ATEX certification. But the requirements are difficult and excessive.



## A2L / A3 Compliance Status for PENN Controls

#### A2L Compliance (LZGH2/8)

#### Completed

- Group 1: A11, A19, A25, A28PA, A28PJ & T19 series temperature controls, P20/P21, P32, P70EA/P170EA, P70SA, P12AA & P74 series pressure controls, P28/P128, P29 & P45 series lube oil controls, F61/F261 & F262 series flow switches, F263 series liquid level controls.
   Compliance report available on UL's Product iQ website.
- Group 2: P77 and P78 pressure controls. Compliance report available on UL's Product iQ website.
- Group 4: A421 series electronic temperature controls, P470 series electronic pressure controls, P545 series electronic lube oil controls and System 450 modular electronic controls. Compliance report available on UL's Product iQ website.

#### **In-Process**

Group 3: P47, P67, P70/P170, P72 & P74 series pressure controls. Product design changes required. Redesigned product submitted to UL, testing complete and approved by UL. Product design changes being implemented by JCI. Production dates TBD.

Group 7: VFD68 and VFD70 series variable frequency drives. Pending





## A2L / A3 Compliance Status for PENN Controls

#### A2L & A3 Compliance (NCKL2/8)

#### Completed

- Group 5: P597 and P599 series pressure transducers. Compliance report available on UL's Product iQ website.
- Group 6: P266 series electronic fan speed controllers. Compliance report available on UL's Product iQ website.

#### In-Process

- Group 4: TC series electronic case temperature and defrost controllers. Pending
- Group 5: P100 series encapsulated pressure switches. In-process with UL.





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## **PENN System 450 and A421 Series**

Product Group	Product Category	Design Impact	Certification Scheme	Status
4	System 450 Modular Electronic Controls C450	None	LZGH2/8	LIL Contification Complete
4	Electronic Temperature Controls A421 Series	None	UL File no. E27734	OL Certification Complete



System 450



A421 Series



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Non-Services	
COMPANY Johnson Controls Inc 507 E Michigan St Milwarden WI E2001 E2001 United States	E53390
MIWaukee, WI 55202-5202 United States	
P28 and P128, followed by -A, -D, -G, -N or -P, followed by -A or -N, with or without additional suffix numbers	
P70, followed by SA	
P12, followed by AA; may be followed by addition alphanumeric suffix digits	
P45, followed by NAA, -NCA or NCB, may be followed by addition alphanumeric suffix digits	
P74, followed by E or F	
P29, followed by AC, NA, NB, NC, or NF, followed by additional digits	
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A19ZBC, may be followed by additional suffix characters	
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## **PENN Product Group 1**

Product Group	Product Category	Design Impact	Certification Scheme	Status
1	Temperature Controls A11, A19/T19, A25, A28			UL Certification
Controls using enclosed PENN Switch	<b>Pressure Controls</b> P10, P12, P20, P21, P28/P128, P29, P32, P45/P145, P47, P70EA/P170EA, P70SA, P74	None	LZGH2 UL/EN60335-2-40, CSA C22.2 No. 60335-2-40	
<u> </u>	Flow Controls F261, F262		Annex JJ Allowable opening to prevent ignition of A2L's	Complete
	Level Controls F263			

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# Flame Arrest-protected Components for Use in Refrigeration and Air-conditioning Equipment Employing A2L Refrigerants COMPANY SA516 Johnson Controls Inc S01 E Michigan St Milwaukee. WI 53202-5202 United States SA516 Pressure-operated switches (Single bellows), Model(s): P77. f/b A or B. f/b A. C or E. f/b A. B or W. f/b 1. f/b 3. 4. 5. 7 or 8. f/b optional X. f/b optional X. t/b optional X. where X is any number 0 through 9. f/b alpha-character. Pressure-operated switches (Data bellows), Model(s): P77. f/b A or B. f/b A. C or E. f/b A. B or W. f/b 1. f/b 3. 4. 5. 7 or 8. f/b optional X. f/b optional X. t/b optional X. where X is any number 0 through 9. f/b alpha-character. Pressure-operated switches (Data bellows), Model(s): P77. f/b A or B. f/b A. C or E. f/b A. B or W. f/b 1. f/b 3. 4. 5. 7 or 8. f/b optional X. f/b optional X. t/b optional X. where X is any number 0 through 9. f/b alpha-character. Pressure-operated switches (Data bellows), Model(s): P77. f/b A or B. f/b A. C or E. f/b A. B or W. f/b 1. f/b 3. 4. 5. 7 or 8. f/b optional X. f/b optional X. t/b optional X. where X is any number 0 through 9. f/b alpha-character. Bectronic pressure regulating controls. Model(s): P470EB. P470EB. P545NCA. P545NCA. P545PCA Marking: Company name, model designation and the Recognized Component Mark PA Marking: Company name, model designation and the Recognized Component Mark PA Last Updated on 2024-01-05

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## **PENN System 450 and A421 Series**

Product Group	Product Category	Design Impact	Certification Scheme	Status
2	Single Function, Adjustable Pressure Controls P77 Series	None		
2	Single Function, Adjustable Pressure Controls P78 Series	None	LZGH2 UL/EN60335-2-40, CSA C22.2 No. 60335-2-40	UL Certification
4	Electronic Pressure Controls P470 Series	None	Annex JJ Allowable opening to prevent ignition of A2L's	Complete
4	Electronic Lube Oil Controls P545 Series	None		



P77 Series

P78 Series

P470 Series

P545 Series



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COMPANY       E537622         Johnson Controls Inc       507 E Michigan St         Milwaukee, WI 53202-5202 United States       E537622					
Marking: Company name model designation, and the Recognized Component Mark 🔊					
Model(s): P597RAPS101D, P597RAPS102D, P597RAPS105D, P597RAPS107D, P597RCPA405D, P597RCPA416D, P597RCPS100D, P597RCPS101D, P597RCPS102D, P597RCPS105D, P597RCPS107D, P597RCPS108D, P597RCPS401D, P597RCPS402D, P597RCPS404D, P597RCPS404D, P597RCPS504D, P597RCPS506D, P597RKPS100D, P597RKPS101D, P597RKPS102D, P597RKPS105D, P597RKPS107D, P597RKPS108D, P597RKPS108D, P597RKPS401D, P597RKPS401D, P597RKPS401D, P597RKPS402D, P597RKPS404D, P597RKPS405D					
Model(s): P599 Followed by A, B, C R, or V, followed by A through H, J, T K S or V, followed by A, C, H, J, P, R, S, T, or U, followed by A or S, followed by XX where X can be alphanumeric, followed by XXX, where X is any number, followed by C, D or K, may be followed by X, where X is any alphanumeric.					
P266, Model(s): P266AAA followed by -, followed by additional number or letters.					
P266, Model(s): P266ABA followed by -, followed by additional number or letters.					
P266, Model(s): P266ACA followed by -, followed by additional number or letters.					
P266, Model(s): P266ADA followed by -, followed by additional number or letters.					
P266, Model(s): P266BCA followed by -, followed by additional number or letters.					
P266, Model(s): P266BDA followed by -, followed by additional number or letters.					
P266, Model(s): P266BGA followed by -, followed by additional number or letters.					
P266, Model(s): P266BHA followed by -, followed by additional number or letters.					
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P266, Model(s): P266EFA followed by -, followed by additional number or letters.					

## PENN P597, P599 and P266 Series

Product Group	Product Category	Design Impact	Certification Scheme	Status
5	<b>Pressure Transducers</b> P597 and P599 Series	None	NCKL2/8 UL File no. E537622	UL Certification Complete
6	Electronic Fan Speed Controllers P266 Series	None		



P597 Series



P599 Series



P266 Series







## **C550 Control Module – Features and Functions**

- C550 Control Module will include temperature, humidity and pressure control (relay or analog outputs) plus A2L refrigerant leak detection and mitigation functionality as required by UL Standards 60335-2-40 and 60335-2-89.
- A2L mitigation will energize/de-energize specified C550 relays if one or more of the A2L sensors detects a concentration of refrigerant that is equal to 25% of the refrigerant's Lower Flammability Limit. Via the C550 menu, you have the option to alarm and/or mitigate at a level lower. Up to six (6) A2L sensors can be connected to one (1) C550 controller.
- A2L mitigation will also energize specified C550 relays if a fault is sensed in one (1) or more of the A2L sensors.
- As part of the mitigation process, the controller is locked-out for a minimum of 5 minutes and must be manually reset.

- C550 control modules will include a USB port to allow config files to be uploaded from a PC to additional C550 control modules without having to power the device.
- In addition to the two (2) relay outputs, the C550 control module will also be equipped with a 0-10VDC analog output to provide LFL information to a system controller. Based on the reported LFL level, the system controller can send out alarms (audible or via SMS text and/or email).
- The C550 control module will also include a "Test Mode" so that customers can confirm that mitigation functionality is working as designed.
- All C550 control modules will include a Cloud Connectivity option, allowing for two-way communications with the device. Service technicians will be able to receive SMS Text and/or Email alarms, as well as check control set-points, defrost schedules and sensor values.



## **A2L Refrigerant Leak Sensor**

#### **Specifications**

- Complies with UL60335-2-40 ed. 3 and UL60335-2-89 ed. 1
- Works with A2L refrigerants (R454A, R454B, R454C, R455A, R1234yf and R32)
- LFL range: 0 to 100%
- Working temperature: -40F to +185F (-40C to +85C)
- Working humidity: 0 to 100% RH, condensing
- Working pressure: 10 psi to 17 psi (70 kPa to 120 kPa)
- Protection: IP54 (EN 60529)
- Low power: <40mA</li>

#### **No Calibration Needed**

Factory calibrated sensor that does not require field calibration or re-zeroing during its lifetime.

#### **Various Output Options**

Analog, Modbus (RS485 or UART), PWM and Relay outputs available.

#### Embedded Self-Diagnostics

Sensor self-diagnostics performed once per minute providing any fault alarms.

#### **Highly Accurate**

Temperature and humidity compensation sensors present for high accuracy regardless of the environmental conditions.

#### Longevity

РЕПП

15+ years, to withstand the extended lifetime of HVACR equipment.

#### **Fast Response Time**

Fast response (T25 < 7 sec) and warm-up time (<5 sec) to comply with international standards.

#### **No False Positives**

No false positives from fouling gases as required by international standards.

#### Immune to Poisoning

Immune to sensor degradation even with continuous poisoning.

#### Mechanical and Environmental Robustness

Robust package that performs flawlessly given the environmental conditions and requirements for commercial HVACR equipment.



# **Questions?**

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# Appendix

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## **F-Gas Bans – New Stationary Refrigeration Equipment**

#### 2025

- Ban on Refrigeration equipment except chillers and other mentioned below F-Gases with a GWP of 2500 or more, except equipment intended for applications designed to cool products to temperatures below -50C (-58F).
- Refrigerators and freezers for commercial use (self-contained equipment) that contain other F-Gases with a GWP of 150 or more.
- Any self-contained refrigeration equipment, except chillers, that contains F-Gases with a GWP of 150 or more, except when required to meet safety requirements.

#### 2026

 Domestic refrigerators and freezers that contain F-Gases, except when required to meet safety requirements.

#### 2027

 A ban on new equipment (excludes chillers) using F-Gases with a GWP of 150 or more, except when required to meet safety requirements.



## **F-Gas Bans – New Stationary Refrigeration Equipment**

#### 2027

- Plug-in room, monobloc air conditioning and other self-contained heat pump equipment, with a maximum rated capacity of up to and including 12kW (41000 Btuh) that contain F-Gases with a GWP of 150 or more, except when required to meet safety requirements. When safety requirements at the site of installation would not allow using alternatives to fluorinated greenhouse gases with GWP of 150 or less, the GWP limit is 750.
- Monobloc and other self-contained air conditioning and heat pump equipment, with a maximum rated capacity of larger than 12kW (41000 Btuh) but not exceeding 50kW (170600 Btuh) that contain F-Gases with a GWP of 150 or more, except when required to meet safety requirements. Same GWP limit of 750 as noted above.

#### 2030

 Other self-contained air conditioning and heat pump equipment that contains F-Gases with a GWP of 150 or more, except when required to meet safety requirements. When safety requirements at the site of installation would not allow using alternatives to fluorinated greenhouse gases with GWP of 150 or less, the GWP limit is 750.

#### 2032

 Plug-in room, monobloc air conditioning and other selfcontained heat pump equipment, with a maximum rated capacity of up to and including 12kW (41000 Btuh) that contain F-Gases, except when required to meet safety requirements. When safety requirements at the site of installation would not allow using alternatives to fluorinated greenhouse gases with GWP of 150 or less, the GWP limit is 750.



## **F-Gas Bans – New Stationary Refrigeration Equipment**

#### 2027

- Ban on the use of F-Gases with a GWP of 150 or more for chillers up to and including a rated capacity of 12kW (41000 Btuh), except when required to meet safety requirements.
- Ban on F-Gases with a GWP of 750 for new chillers above 12kW (41000 Btuh), except when required to meet safety requirements.

#### 2032

 A total ban of F-Gases for new chillers up to and including a rated capacity of 12kW (41000 Btuh), except when required to meet safety requirements.

## HVAC Equipment using A2L Refrigerants; Production Launch and Refrigerant Leak Detection Systems

- A2L Products will begin entering the market "in mass" by summer / fall 2024
  - 1/1/2025: "no later than" date
- RLDS can be factory mounted or field installed – location pre-determined
- "Generic" RLDS "kits" not allowed
- All RLDS will be listed by a safety agency for the specific units to which they are applied
  - Per UL 60335-2-40, ASHRAE 15 & 15.2
- RLDS not required in all applications
  - Below LFL large zones / small charges
  - Below minimum's charge size (< 4 lbs.)
  - Constant Airflow above minimum cfm



**Packaged Air Conditioner** 



RDS function is to turn on the blower to dilute any leak from reaching the LFL

