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# Marine Intelligent Base Mounted UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector



Product overview	
Product	Marine Intelligent Base Mounted UV/IR <sup>2</sup> Flame Detector
Part No.	55000-028MAR
Digital Communication	XP95, Discovery and CoreProtocol® compatible



# **Product information**

The Marine Intelligent Base Mounted Ultra-Violet (UV) Dual Infra-Red ( $IR^2$ ) Flame Detectors are designed to protect indoor areas where open fires may be expected.

The Marine Intelligent Base Mounted UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector is sensitive to UV and low-frequency, flickering IR radiation emitted by flames during combustion. Since it requires both UV and IR radiation the detector can operate in applications where a basic single UV or single IR detector would be inappropriate.

- Responds to stationary flames with no flicker
- Sensitive to UV radiation emitted by flames during combustion
- Compact flame detector which fits into Discovery marine bases
- Loop powered
- False alarms due to electrical discharges from lightning or arc welding and flickering sunlight are minimised

# **Technical Data**

All data is supplied subject to change without notice. Specifications are typical at 24 V, 25 °C and 50% RH unless otherwise stated.

Supply voltage	17 - 28 V dc		
Digital communication	XP95, Discovery and CoreProtocol compatible		
Protocol peak to peak	5 - 9 V		
Quiescent current	2.8 mA		
Alarm current	4.2 mA		
Surge current	9 mA (peak) for 85 ms		
Maximum power-up time	4 seconds		
Remote output characteristic	<b>s</b> Connects to positive line through 4.5 kΩ (5 mA maximum)		
Operating range	0.1 m² n-heptane at 25 m		
Sensitivity	Class 1 or 3, EN 54-10		
Field of view	90° cone		
Spectral response	UV 185 to 260 nm, IR 0.75 to 2.7 μm		
Operating temperature (no condensing or icing)	-40°C to +70°C		
Storage temperature	-40°C to +70°C		
Relative humidity	95% non-condensing		
IP rating	designed to IP66		
Standards and approvals	MED, LR and ABS		
Dimensions	100 mm x 40 mm detector only 100 mm x 48 mm detector and base		
Weight	150 g - detector only 210 g - detector and base		
Materials: Hous	ing White flame-retardant polycarbonate		
Sensing wind	ow 2 mm Quartz		
Termin	als Nickel plated stainless steel		
Isolator count: 2	POD 77		
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# Operation

The detector is set to respond to UV (185 - 260 nm) and low-frequency, flickering IR (0.75 - 2.7  $\mu$ m) radiation at 1 - 15 Hz in order to detect all flickering flames, including those invisible to the naked eye, e.g. hydrogen fires.

The detector has one UV and two IR sensors responding to different wavelengths in order to discriminate between flames and spurious sources of radiation. False alarms due to electrical discharges or arc welding and flickering sunlight are minimised by combining the UV/IR signals.

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These detectors are not affected by convection currents, draughts or winds.They are suitable for use in aircraft hangars, generator rooms (diesel and gas turbines) and paint works.

\* For a full list of applications for Apollo Marine Intelligent Base Mounted Flame Detectors, please refer to PP5010, which can be found in this manual or from www.apollo-fire.co.uk

# **Protocol compatibility**

The detectors operate with using the XP95 or Discovery digital protocol and are CoreProtocol  $^{\odot}$  compatible.

# Protocol usage

Output Bits	
2	LED
1	Test
0	Remote LED
Interrupt	No
Analogue valu	le
Quiescent	25
Alarm	55 - 64
Fault	4
Input Bits	
2	LED confirmed
1	Test confirmed
0	Remote LED confirmed
Flag settings	
XP95 flag	Yes
Alarm flag	Yes

# **Electrical description**

The Intelligent Base Mounted Flame Detectors are loop-powered and require no external supply. A remote LED alarm indication may be connected to the flame detector.

The field of view for the Intelligent Base Mounted Flame Detectors is shown in Figure 1. The illustration also includes information on the size of fire detectable at various distances.

The flame detectors can also be ceiling mounted positioned above the anticipated flame source or at the centre of the area to be protected, perpendicular to the floor below. If the detector cannot see the whole of the area to be protected, one or more additional detectors may be required. Figure 2 shows the angle of view to help establish the detectors performance. The area of detection is dependent upon the detectors height above the likely source of flame.

The detectors have a 90° conical field of view or 45° either side of the viewing axis centre line. The maximum ceiling height is 20 metres. If the detector is perpendicular to the floor and at a height of 10 metres, the detector will view a circular floor area below with a 10 metre radius (20 metre diameter circle).

# EMC Directive 2014/30/EU

The Marine Intelligent Base Mounted UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector complies with the essential requirements of the EMC Directive 2014/30/EU, provided that it is used as described in this datasheet.

A copy of the Declaration of Conformity is available from the Apollo website: www.apollo-fire.co.uk

Conformity of the Marine Intelligent Base Mounted UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector with the EMC Directive, does not confer compliance with the directive on any apparatus or systems connected to them.

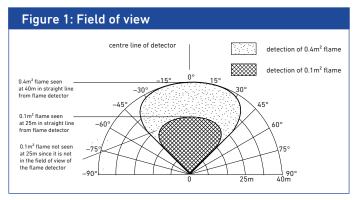
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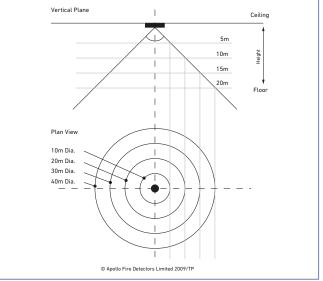
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# Marine Equipment Directive 2014/90/EU

The Marine Intelligent Base Mounted UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector complies with the essential requirements of the Marine Equipment Directive 2014/90/EU.









# **Marine Intelligent** Base Mounted Flame Detectors





Product overview			
Product	Marine Intelligent Base Mounted UV Flame Detector		
Part No.	55000-027MAR		
Product	Marine Intelligent Base Mounted UV/Dual IR Flame Detector		
Part No.	55000-028MAR		
Product	Marine Intelligent Base Mounted Triple IR Flame Detector		
Part No.	55000-029MAR		
Product	Flame detector test unit		
Part No.	29600-226		
Product	Adjustable mounting bracket including deckhead mounting box		
Part No.	29600-458		

# **Technical Data**

All data is supplied subject to change without notice. Specifications are typical at 24V, 73°F and 50% RH unless otherwise stated.

	UV	UV/Dual IR	Triple IR	
Supply voltage	17 - 28 V dc	17 - 28 V dc	17 - 28 V dc	
Protocol peak to peak	5 - 9 V	5 - 9 V	5 - 9 V	
Quiescent current	2.3 mA	2.8 mA	2.5 mA	
Alarm current	4.2 mA	4.2 mA	4.2 mA	
Surge current	9 mA (peak) for 110 ms	9 mA (peak) for 85 ms	9 mA (peak) for 85 ms	
Maximum power-up time	4 seconds	4 seconds	4 seconds	
Remote output characteristics	Connects to positive line through 4.5 k $\Omega$ (5 mA maximum)	Connects to positive line through 4.5 k $\Omega$ (5 mA maximum)	Connects to positive line through 4.5 k $\Omega$ (5 mA maximum)	
Operating range	0.1 m² n-heptane at 25 m	0.1 m² n-heptane at 25 m	0.1 m² n-heptane at 25 m	
Sensitivity	Class 1 or 3, EN 54-10	Class 1 or 3, EN 54-10	Class 1 or 3, EN 54-10	
Field of view	90° cone	90° cone	90° cone	
Spectral response	UV 185 to 260 nm	UV 185 to 260 nm, IR 0.75 to 2.7 μm	0.75 to 2.7 μm	
Operating temperature (no condensing or icing)	-40°C to +70°C	-40°C to +70°C	-40°C to +70°C	
Storage temperature	-40°C to +85°C	-40°C to +70°C	-40°C to +70°C	
Relative humidity	95% non-condensing	95% non-condensing	95% non-condensing	
IP rating	IP66	IP66	IP66	
Dimensions	100 mm x 40 mm detector only 100 mm x 48 mm detector and base	100 mm x 40 mm detector only 100 mm x 48 mm detector and base	100 mm x 40 mm detector only 100 mm x 48 mm detector and base	
Weight	150 g - detector only 210 g - detector and base	150 g - detector only 210 g - detector and base	150 g - detector only 210 g - detector and base	
Materials: Housing	White polycarbonate, V-0 rated to UL94	White polycarbonate, V-0 rated to UL94	White polycarbonate, V-0 rated to UL94	
Sensing window	2 mm Quartz	2 mm Quartz	2 mm Float glass	
Terminals	Nickel plated stainless steel	Nickel plated stainless steel	Nickel plated stainless steel	
Isolator count: 20D	7	7	7	
20i	20	<i>20</i> m	20	

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# **Product information**

The Marine Intelligent Base Mounted Flame Detectors are designed to protect areas where open fires may be present.

## Marine Intelligent Base Mounted UV Flame Detector

The Marine Intelligent UV Base Mounted Flame Detector is sensitive to ultraviolet (UV) radiation emitted by flames during combustion. Since it requires only UV radiation the detector responds even to stationary flames with no flicker such as cigarette lighters and blue gas flames.

The detector is set to respond to UV radiation (185 - 260 nm) emitted by almost all flames including those invisible to the naked eye, e.g. hydrogen fires.

The detector has a single UV sensor with a narrow spectral response in order to discriminate between flames and most spurious sources of radiation and is designed for use in internal fully enclosed areas.

**CAUTION:** The detector will also detect electrical discharges from lightning or arc welding.

## Marine Intelligent Base Mounted UV/Dual IR Flame Detector

The Marine Intelligent Base Mounted UV/Dual IR Flame Detector is sensitive to UV and low-frequency, flickering infra-red (IR) radiation emitted by flames during combustion. Since it requires both UV and IR radiation the detector can operate in applications where a basic single UV or single IR detector would be inappropriate. The detector is set to respond to UV (185 - 260 nm) and low-frequency, flickering IR (0.75 - 2.7 µm) radiation at 1 - 15 HZ in order to detect all flickering flames, including those invisible to the naked eye, e.g. hydrogen fires. The detector has one UV and two IR sensors responding to different wavelengths in order to discriminate between flames and spurious sources of radiation. False alarms due to electrical discharges or arc welding and flickering sunlight are minimised by combining the UV/IR signals.

## Marine Intelligent Triple IR Base Mounted Flame Detector

The detector is sensitive to low frequency, flickering IR radiation emitted by flames during combustion. Since it responds to flickering radiation the detector can operate even if the lens is contaminated by a layer of oil, dust water-vapour or ice. The detector is set to respond to low-frequency radiation at 1 - 15 Hz (0.75 - 2.7  $\mu$ m) in order to detect all flickering flames, including those invisible to the naked eye, e.g. hydrogen fires. The detector has three IR sensors that respond to different IR wavelengths in order to discriminate between flames ans spurious sources of radiation. False alarms due to factors such as flickering sunlight are avoided by a combination of filters and signal processing techniques.

# Applications for Marine Intelligent Base Mounted Flame Detectors\*

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UV detectors are used when detection is required to be unaffected by convection currents, draughts or winds. These include engine rooms in ships, factories affected by draughts or wind and warehouses. They are fast reacting and respond to a flame more than 25 m away. The UV flame detector is affected by arc welding, electrical sparks, lightning, nuclear radiation and UV light sources. For applications where these phenomena are present a UV flame detector should not be used.

# UV/Dual IR

These detectors are not affected by any of the sources mentioned above. They are suitable for use in aircraft hangars, generator rooms (diesel and gas turbines) and paint works.

### Triple IR

These detectors are also fast reacting but is also tolerant of fumes, vapours, steam, dust and mist, whilst being unaffected by the phenomena listed above. It may, however, be affected by modulated IR radiation. Triple IR flame detectors are used in waste handling, colour printing and paper manufacturing applications.

\* For a full list of applications for Apollo Marine Intelligent Base Mounted Flame Detectors, please refer to PP2409, available on request or from www.apollo-fire.co.uk

# Protocol compatibility

The detectors operate with control equipment using the XP95 or Discovery digital protocols.

# Protocol usage

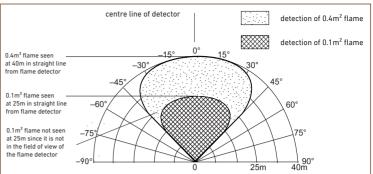
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2	LED	
1	Test	
0	Remote LED	
Interrupt	No	
Analogue val	ue	
Quiescent	25	
Alarm	55 - 64	
Fault	4	
Input Bits		
2	LED confirmed	
1	Test confirmed	
0	Remote LED confirmed	
Flag settings		
XP95 flag	Yes	
Alarm flag	Yes	

# **Electrical considerations**

The Marine Intelligent Base Mounted Flame Detectors are looppowered and require no external supply. A remote LED alarm indication may be connected to the flame detector. The field of view for the Marine Intelligent Base Mounted Flame Detectors is shown in Figure 1. The illustration also includes information on the size of fire detectable at various distances.

The flame detectors can also be ceiling mounted positioned above the anticipated flame source or at the centre of the area to be protected, perpendicular to the floor below. If the detector cannot see the whole of the area to be protected, one or more additional detectors may be required. Figure 2 shows the angle of view to help you establish the detectors performance. The area of detection is dependent upon the detectors height above the likely source of flame.

The detectors have a 90° conical field of view or 45° either side of the viewing axis centre line. The maximum ceiling height is 20 m. If the detector is perpendicular to the floor and at a height of 10 m, the detector will view a circular floor area below with a 10 m radius (20 m diameter circle).





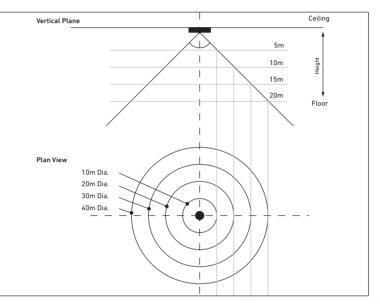


Figure 2: Ceiling mounting measurements





# Applications for Marine Intelligent Base Mounted Flame Detectors



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Part No.	55000-027MAR	
Product	Marine Intelligent Base Mounted IR² Flame Detector	
Part No.	55000-028MAR	
Product	Marine Intelligent Base Mounted IR <sup>3</sup> Flame Detector	
Part No.	55000-029MAR	

# Applications

Apollo Flame Detectors are designed to protect indoor areas where open fires may be expected.

# Ultra Violet (UV)

UV flame detectors are used when detection is required to be unaffected by convection currents, draughts or winds. These include engine rooms in ships, factories and warehouses.

They are fast reacting and respond to a flame more than 25 m away. The UV flame detector is affected by arc welding, electrical sparks, lightning, nuclear radiation and UV light sources. For applications where these phenomena are present a UV flame detector should not be used.

# UV/Dual Infra-red (IR)

This detector is not affected by any of the sources mentioned above. They are used in aircraft hangars, generator rooms (diesel and gas turbines), ship's engine rooms and paint works.

### Triple IR

The triple IR flame detector is also fast reacting but is also tolerant of fumes, vapours, steam, dust and mist, whilst being unaffected by arc welding, electrical sparks, lightning, nuclear radiation and UV light sources. It may, however, be affected by modulated IR radiation. Triple IR flame detectors are used in waste handling, colour printing and paper manufacturing situations.

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Applications	UV	UV/IR <sup>2</sup>	IR <sup>3</sup>
Aerospace Industry (Hydrogen and Hydrazine fuels	✓	✓	$\checkmark$
Aircraft Hangars (under-wing and over-wing protection, military and civil applications)		✓	$\checkmark$
Automotive ( Manufacturing and paint spray booths)		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Battery charging areas		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Chemical production plants	~	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Chemical stores	~	~	$\checkmark$
Chemical transportation	~	~	$\checkmark$
Compressor stations		~	$\checkmark$
Drilling and production platforms		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Explosives and Munitions	~	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Ferries and Cargo boats		~	$\checkmark$
Fuel loading facilities		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Fuel stores	~	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Large industrial warehouses		~	$\checkmark$
Large industrial plants	~		$\checkmark$
LNG/LPG Processing and storage facilities		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Loading racks		✓	$\checkmark$
Magnesium dry treatment (milling)	~		
Motor test beds	~	✓	
Natural gas transfer points		~	$\checkmark$
Offshore platforms		✓	$\checkmark$
Oil and Gas (exploration, production, storage and offloading)		✓	$\checkmark$
Oil refineries		✓	$\checkmark$
Onshore (refineries, loading terminals and pipelines)		~	$\checkmark$
Paint manufacturing	~	✓	$\checkmark$
Paint and Solvent processes	~	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Petrol storage and pump stations		✓	$\checkmark$
Petrochemical (production, storage and shipping facilities)	✓	✓	$\checkmark$
Pharmaceutical Industry	~	~	$\checkmark$
Polymers, solvents and glues	~	✓	$\checkmark$
Power generation facilities		✓	
Power plants		✓	$\checkmark$
Printing works	~	✓	$\checkmark$
Production facilities			$\checkmark$
Propane and Butane filling stations		✓	$\checkmark$
Pump stations	~	✓	$\checkmark$
Ships' engine rooms	~	✓	$\checkmark$
Tank farms		✓	
Transformer stations		✓	$\checkmark$
Turbine enclosures		√	$\checkmark$
Underground tunnels		√	$\checkmark$
Warehouses (storage facilities for flammable materials)	√	√	$\checkmark$
Waste disposal/recycling		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Wood product industry	√		$\checkmark$
Wood stores			$\checkmark$



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Supply voltage Protocol Quiescent current Alarm current Switch-on surge current Power-up time Remote output characteristics	17–28V DC 5-9V 2.8mA 4.2mA 9mA (peak) for 85ms 4 seconds connects to positive through 4.5KΩ (5mA Maximum)
Fire alarm threshold	Analogue value 55 returned after 10Hz flame flicker for 1.5 seconds
Operating range	25m for 0.1m² n-heptane fire (EN54-10, Class 1)
Field of view/angle of reception	90° Cone
Operating temperature Storage temperature Relative humidity IP rating	-40°C to +70°C (no condensation or icing) -40°C to +70°C 0-95% (no condensation) 66
Housing material	white polycarbonate V-0 rated to UL94
Dimensions	100mm diameter 40mm height, 48mm in base
Weight	150g detector - 210g in base

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#### Additional Equipment

Portable Flame Detector Test Unit Part no. 29600-226 Adjusted Mounting Bracket Part no. 29600-458

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# Marine Intelligent Base Mounted UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame **Detector, Installation & Maintenance Guide**

### General

The Marine Intelligent Base Mounted Ultraviolet and Dual Infra-red (UV/IR<sup>2</sup>) Flame Detector, part no 55000-028 MAR, is designed for use where open flaming fires may be expected. It is sensitive to ultra-violet and low frequency, flickering Infra-red radiation emitted by flames during combustion. False alarms due to such factors as lightning and flickering sunlight are minimised by combining the  $UV/IR^2$  signals. This product is not compatable with the 45681-321 isolator base.

#### **Response to Flames**

In quiescent condition, i.e., in the absence of a flame, the detector returns an analogue value of 25. When a flame is visible, the detector signals an alarm by increasing the analogue value returned to 55, usually within 1.5 seconds. The analogue value may continue to rise until it reaches a pre-set maximum of 64.

In the alarm state the Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector latches for 20 seconds, with the analoque value decreasing to 25 once the flame is no longer detected.

#### **Electrical Considerations**

The Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector is loop powered and needs no external supply. It is connected to a control panel using either the XP95® or Discovery® protocol. A remote LED alarm indicator may be connected to the flame detector.

#### Sensor Window Contamination

It is important to keep the sensor window clean and checks should be carried out at regular intervals-determined locally according to the type and degree of contamination encountered-to ensure optimal performance of the flame detector.

It is recommended that the Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector be disabled when the window is being cleaned.

#### Applications for Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detectors

Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detectors are used when detection is required to be unaffected by convection currents, draughts or wind; tolerant of fumes, vapours, steam, dust and mist, responsive to a flame more than 25m away and fast reacting.

Typical applications examples are:

- aircraft hangars
- automotive industry spray booths, parts manufacture
- engine rooms
- factory
- garage
- hospital
- power plants
- printing
- transformer stations

Applications and locations to avoid:

- ambient temperatures above 55°C (continuous)
- sunlight falling directly onto UV/IR<sup>2</sup> optics
- exposure to rain and ice
- flood or spot lighting falling directly on UV/IR<sup>2</sup> optics
- gathering of dust or oil films on sensor window
- large amounts of flickering reflections
- obstructions to field of view

#### **Functional Testing**

When polled by a compatible panel or test set, the Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector, in quiescent condition, should return an analogue value of 25 and input bits set to '0'.

When output bit 2 is set to logic 1 on two or more consecutive pollings, the red LED on the flame detector will illuminate.

When output bit 1 is set to 1 on two or more consecutive pollings the Marine  $UV/IR^2$  Flame Detector will perform a self test. It does this by causing internal LEDs to flicker in the field of view of the flame detector, thus simulating the behavior of flames.

When output bit 0 is set to 1 on two or more consecutive pollings the Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector will switch on a remote LED.

Finally, provided it is safe to do so, carry out a flame test using a flickering flame source, such as a portable bunsen burner. A still, non-flickering flame will not produce a response from the detector.

#### Maintenance Guide

The Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector is designed to give years of trouble-free operation with minimal attention. However the periodic maintenance steps listed below are essential to maintain reliable fire protection.

- 1. Inform all appropriate personnel of intention to work on the flame detector.
- 2. Disable any automatic systems that may be activated by the flame detector if not required as part of the maintenance check.

Alarms	Extinguishers	Control
Audio/visual	Gas systems	Plant stops
Auto diallers	Water sprays	Dampers/doors

- 3. Check that the flame detector's control panel is functioning correctly and shows no faults.
- 4. Inspect the detector viewing window for any build-up of dust or other contaminants on the optical surface. If necessary clean the optical surface with a cotton wipe wet with commercial liquid glass cleaner and wipe clean.

The detector specification for performance is with a clean optical sensor window. Contaminants like dust, oil and paint will reduce sensitivity.

- 5. Ensure the detector still has a clear line of sight of the area it is protecting and no obstacles obstruct its view.
- 6. Check that the detector is securely fitted.
- 7. Visually check the exterior of the detector for any mechanical or corrosive damage.
- 8. Test the operation of the detector with either a portable flame sensor test unit or if practical a flickering yellow flame.
- 9. Reinstate any automatic system disabled during maintenance.
- 10. Inform all appropriate personnel on completion of the maintenance work and if necessary record this work.

#### **Sensitivity Setting**

A sensitivity switch is available and is used to set the sensitivity of the Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector to Class 1 or Class 3. For most practical purposes the switch should be set to Class 1 (default setting), the sensitivity required to detect flames as described in the section 'Quantities required and positioning of detectors'.

In exceptional cases the Marine UV/IR $^2$  Flame Detector may be set to Class 3 operation in order to avoid nuisance alarms being caused by radiation sources that are close to the detector and cannot be moved.

The rotary sensitivity switch is located on the detector rear behind the label. To set to Class 3, rotate the switch 90° clockwise. To return the sensitivity switch to the class 1 setting, rotate the switch 90° counter clockwise. Reseal label or seal hole with suitable sealant if the sensitivity has been changed.

#### Installation

The Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector is mounted on any XP95 or Discovery base and would normally be wall or ceiling mounted preferably on an adjustable bracket to adjust the angle of view.

The standard base mounting is used for horizontal viewing, e.g., along corridors or along the length of industrial processes or vertical viewing inside fume cupboards or over hoppers.

Flame detectors should be fitted to solid walls or rigid constructions that do not move and are not subject to vibration.

The Marine  $UV/IR^2$  Flame Detector must be assigned an address by addressing the XPERT card in the usual way. A list of address settings is shown in Table 1.

#### Wiring

The flame detector has five connections: – Line 1, + Line 2, +Remote, –Remote and functional earth/screen. The connections are accessed by removing the detector from it's base. See Fig 3 for connection diagram.

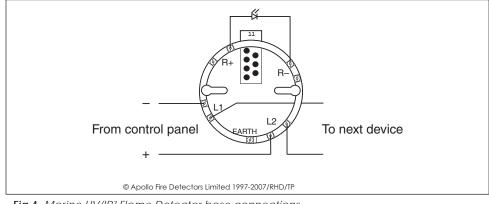


Fig 4 Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector base connections

#### **Terminal Descriptions**

1	+L2	+Line IN and OUT
2	-L1	-Line IN and OUT
3	+R	+Remote LED
4	-R	-Remote LED
5	EARTH	Functional Earth/Screen (Isolated)

#### **Quantities Required and Positioning of Detectors**

The number of detectors required and their positioning depends on:

- the anticipated size of the flame
- the distance of the flame from the detector
- the angle of view of the flame detector

The Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector is designed to operate to Class 1 performance as defined in EN54: Part 10. The detector will, therefore, detect a yellow flickering flame of approximately  $0.1m^2$  or a clear flame of  $0.25m^2$  at 25m.

In fact, the flame detector will detect fires at distances of up to 40 metres, but the flame size at such distances needs to be proportionally greater in order to be sure of reliable detection. Thus the yellow flickering flame that can be detected at 25m, provided that its size is not less than 0.1m<sup>2</sup>, will have to be 0.4m<sup>2</sup> in order to be detected at 40 metres. In a rectangular room the distance from the flame detector to the fire is calculated by the formula:



In the example shown in Fig 1 the room in which the flame detector is to be installed measures  $20m \times 10m \times 5m$ , the distance from the detector to the flame will therefore be:





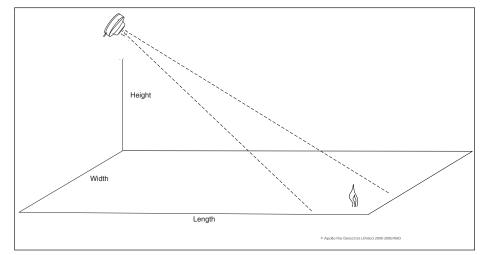


Fig 1 Calculation of distance from detector to flame

The Marine  $UV/IR^2$  Flame Detector should be positioned at the perimeter of the room, pointing directly at the area of the anticipated flame or at the centre of the area to be protected. If the detector cannot 'see' the whole of the area to be protected, one or more additional detectors may be required.

The Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector is not affected by normal light sources but should be positioned so that sunlight does not fall directly onto the viewing window.

The UV/IR' Flame Detector can also be ceiling mounted, positioned above the anticipated flame source or at the centre of the area to be protected, perpendicular to the floor below. If the detector cannot see the whole of the area to be protected, one or more additional detectors may be required. Refer to the angle of view diagram Fig. 3 to establish the detector performance. The area of detection is dependent on the detectors height above the likely source of flame. The detector has a 90° conical field of view or 45° either side of the viewing axis centre line. The maximum ceiling height is 20m.

If the detector is perpendicular to floor and at a height of 10m then the detector will view a circular floor area below with a 10m radius (20m diameter circle).

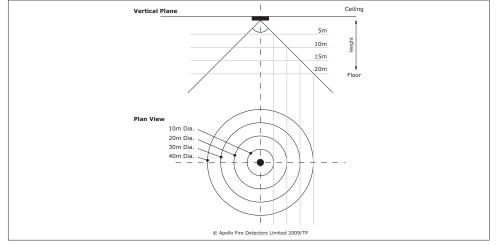


Fig 2 Ceiling mounting example

The flame detector has an angle of view of approximately 90°, as shown in the diagram below.

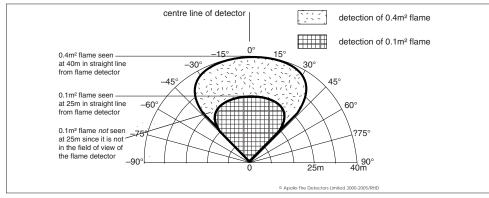


Fig 3 Angle of view of Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector

To meet the requirements of EN54:10 clause 5.4, were the ratio of the response points Dmax:Dmin should not exceed 1.41. The horizontal and vertical viewing angles  $a_{max}$  should not exceed ±37.5°

### Loop Design

The Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector is powered from the loop; it draws 2.8mA in quiescent state and 4.2mA in alarm. In order to determine the number of flame detectors that can be connected to a given loop, please refer to the Loop Calculation program, which can be downloaded from the Apollo website.

### **Address Setting**

Before installing the Marine UV/IR<sup>2</sup> Flame Detector it is necessary to set the address using the XPERT card, select the desired address and remove pips indicated in black. Remove with a small screwdriver.

A complete list of address settings is shown in the table below.

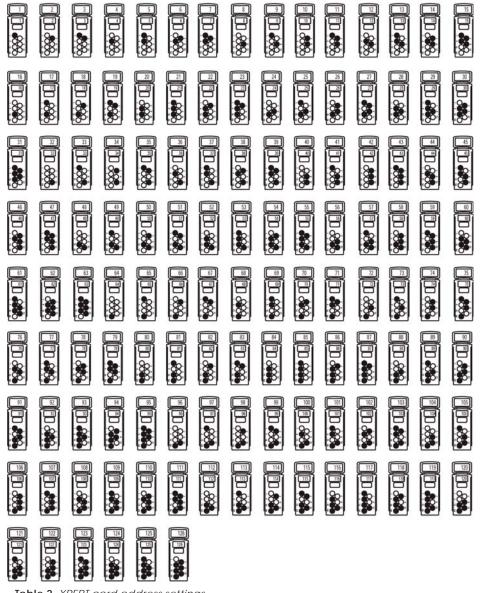


Table 2 XPERT card address settings