

# SS-040Q

# Mini Shock/Vibration Detector

## **Manual**



#### Features:

- For use in closed-circuit alarm systems
- Pure silver contacts with gold plating to ensure reliable and long-term operation
- Ideal for protecting glass windows, showcases, solid walls, ceilings, safes, cabinets, motorcycles, skylights, etc.
- Small size for discreet installation.

- Built-in tamper switch provides enhanced security
- Adjustable contact pressure for different surfaces
- Detects a vibration/shock on protected surface and activates an alarm





#### **ENFORCER Mini Shock/Vibration Detector**

#### Introduction:

The ENFORCER **SS-040Q MINI SHOCK/VIBRATION DETECTOR** is designed for protection against forced entry by a hammer, saw, crowbar, etc. through walls, ceilings, windows, safes, cabinets, etc. For use in closed-circuit alarm systems, the **SS-040Q** will initiate an alarm when a vibration of considerable force strikes the protected surface. A built-in tamper switch is independently wired from the vibration detector for enhanced security.

Vibration contacts are adjustable by turning an adjustment screw to respond on any surface – glass, wood, steel, plasterboard, or brick. Pure silver contacts with gold plating ensure years of long-term operation. Its dust-tight ABS case is small and can be easily mounted inside with double-sided adhesive tape.

## Specifications:

Circuit type	N.C., momentarily open when activated
Contact pressure	Adjustable from 1 to 50 grams but recommended setting between 5 and 25 grams only. Supplied with pressure of approx. 6 grams
Current rating	1A@50VDC
Break time	Approx. 45 ms max. (at 6-gram pressure)
Estimated life	Over 100,000 cycles
Contact	Silver with gold plating
Case	ABS resin
Operating temperature	-40°~167° F (-40°~75° C)
Dimensions	2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub> "x <sup>13</sup> / <sub>16</sub> "x <sup>5</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " (60x21x15mm)
Weight	0.7-oz. (20 g)

### **Installation and Operation:**

1. Remove the cover and connect one lead of the wire from the N.C. input of the alarm to the terminal of the SS-040Q near the opening. Connect the other lead to the terminal of the tamper switch, as shown below.



The SS-040Q will trigger the alarm whenever it is vibrated, shaken, or its cover is removed

2. If you choose not to use the tamper switch, fasten the wire to the terminal farther from the opening, as shown below.



The **SS-040Q** will trigger the alarm only when it is vibrated or shaken.

**NOTE:** When protecting windows, the preferred installation method is to mount the **SS-040Q** on the frame of the window rather than directly on the glass. This reduces the chance of false alarms resulting from heavy vehicles passing by or from pedestrians inadvertently tapping on the window.

## Adjusting the Sensitivity:

Contact pressure below 5 grams is not recommended, as erratic operation may result and cause false alarms. Contact pressure above 25 grams is not recommended because (a) it may permanently damage the vibration blade; (b) the detector may not be sensitive enough to detect vibration. However, this depends on the location where the detector is installed. If installed on a ceiling, the pressure must be increased because the internal weight faces downwards, thus reducing the actual pressure that is applied.

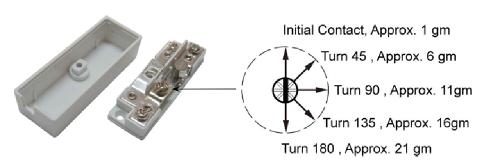
As the **SS-040Q** can be used on surfaces of different materials which transfer different amounts of pressure from the same vibration/shock, it may be necessary to adjust the sensitivity. Turning the adjustment screw in a clockwise direction makes the contact less sensitive; in a counterclockwise direction makes the contact more sensitive. Proper adjustment is necessary to avoid false alarms or non-activation of the alarm.

To adjust the pressure if a Gram Meter is not available, please do the following:

- Determine the initial contact point of the vibration detector. This is done by rotating the
  adjustment screw in a clockwise direction until the contact points just touch. At this point the
  pressure is usually approx. 1 gram. (An ohm meter placed across the terminals will show
  exactly when initial contact is made.)
- 2. After contact, turn the adjustment screw past the contact point in the following increments to obtain the sensitivity you require:
  - a) 45 degrees to obtain approximately 6 grams,
  - b) 90 degrees to obtain approximately 11 grams,
  - c) 135 degrees to obtain approximately 16 grams, etc.

Please refer to figure 1 shown below.

Fig. 1: Adjusting Vibration Detector Pressure



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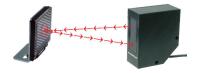
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