CUI DEVICES

SERIES: CFM-120BF **DESCRIPTION:** DC AXIAL FAN

FEATURES

- dual ball bearing system
- 120 x 120 mm frame
- multiple speed options
- tachometer signal available



MODEL		iput Itage	input current ¹	input power ¹	rated speed ¹	airflow ²	static pressure ³	noise ⁴
	rated (Vdc)	range (Vdc)	max (A)	max (W)	typ (RPM±10%)	(CFM)	(inch H ₂ O)	typ (dBA)
CFM-A225BF-153-577	12	10.8~13.2	1.87	22.44	5,300	169.5	0.82	57.8
CFM-A225BF-158-597	12	10.8~13.2	2.40	28.80	5,800	185.5	0.98	59.7
CFM-A225BF-163-615	12	10.8~13.2	3.16	37.92	6,300	201.4	1.16	61.5
CFM-A225BF-240-516	24	21.6~26.4	0.53	12.72	4,000	127.9	0.47	51.7
CFM-A225BF-253-577	24	21.6~26.4	1.08	19.44	5,300	169.5	0.82	57.8
CFM-A225BF-258-597	24	21.6~26.4	1.14	27.36	5,800	185.5	0.98	59.7
CFM-A225BF-263-615	24	21.6~26.4	1.24	29.76	6,300	201.4	1.16	61.5
CFM-A238BF-165-635	12	10.8~13.2	2.78	33.36	6,500	213.8	1.43	63.5
CFM-A238BF-270-651	24	21.6~26.4	2.54	60.96	7,000	230.2	1.65	65.1
CFM-A238BF-280-680	24	21.6~26.4	2.94	70.56	8,000	263.1	2.16	68.1

Notes: 1. At rated voltage, after 3 minutes.

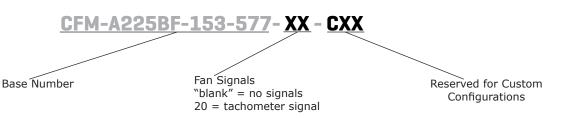
2. At rated voltage, room temperature, 65% humidity, 0 inch $\rm H_20$ static pressure. 3. At rated voltage, 0 CFM airflow.

4. Measured in an anechoic chamber as per ISO3745/GB4214-84 at rated voltage, with background noise 20±2 dBA at 1 m from the fan intake.

5. All specifications are measured at 25°C, 65% relative humidity unless otherwise specified.

PART NUMBER KEY

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INPUT

parameter	conditions/description	min	typ	max	units
operating input voltage ⁶	12 Vdc input models	10.8	12	13.2	Vdc
	24 Vdc input models	21.6	24	26.4	Vdc
starting voltage	12 Vdc input models	8		Vdc	
	24 Vdc input models	14		Vdc	

Note: 6. See Model section on page 1 for specific input voltage ranges.

PERFORMANCE⁷

conditions/description	min	typ	max	units
at rated voltage, 25°C, after 3 minutes	5,300		8,000	RPM
at 0 inch H_2O , see performance curves	127.9		263.1	CFM
at 0 CFM, see performance curves	0.47		2.16	inch H ₂ O
at 1 m, rated speed	51.7		68.1	dBA
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Note: 7. See Model section on page 1 for specific values.

PROTECTIONS / FEATURES⁸

conditions/description	min	typ	max	units
on all models				
on all models				
on all models				
available on "20" models				
	on all models on all models on all models	on all models on all models on all models	on all models on all models on all models	on all models on all models on all models on all models

Notes: 8. See Application Notes for details.

SAFETY & COMPLIANCE

parameter	conditions/description	min	typ	max	units
insulation resistance	at 500 Vdc between frame and positive terminal	10			MΩ
dielectric strength	at 500 Vac, 60 Hz, 1 minute between housing and positive terminal			5	mA
safety approvals	UL/cUL 507, TUV (EN/IEC 62368-1:2020+A11)				
EMI/EMC	EN 55032:2015, EN 55035:2017				
life expectancy	at 40°C, 65% RH, 90% confidence level		70,000		hours
RoHS	yes				

ENVIRONMENTAL

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parameter	conditions/description	min	typ	max	units
operating temperature		-10		70	°C
storage temperature		-40		75	°C
operating humidity	non-condensing	35		85	%
storage humidity	non-condensing	35		85	%

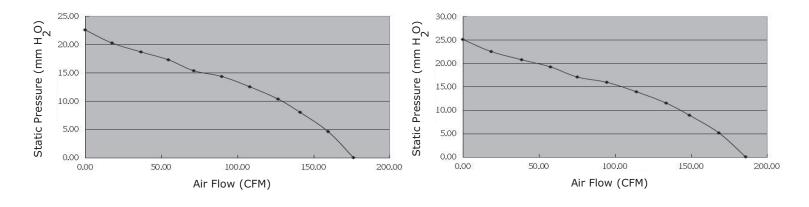
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PERFORMANCE CURVES

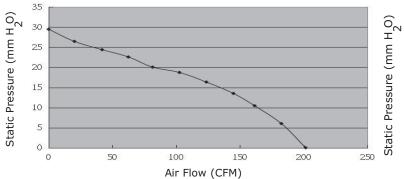
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CFM-A225BF-163-615

CFM-A225BF-240-516



Line Horizon H

20 40 60 80 100 Air Flow (CFM)



25.00

20.00

15.00

10.00

5.00

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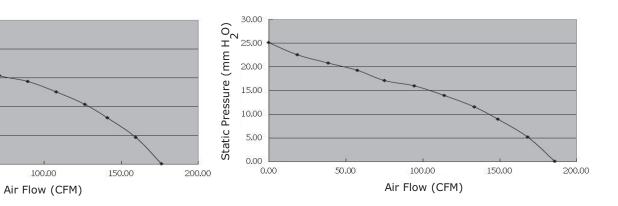
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Static Pressure (mm H₀)

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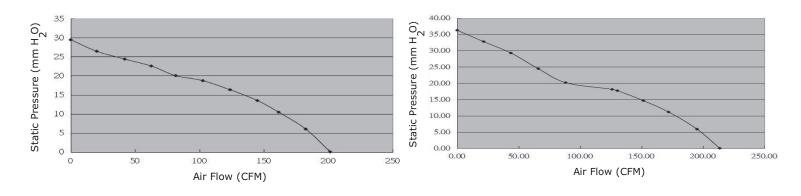
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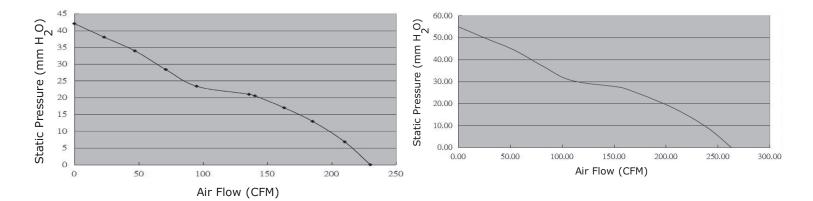
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CFM-A238BF-165-635



CFM-A238BF-270-651

CFM-A238BF-280-680



MECHANICAL

parameter	conditions/description	min	typ	max	units
motor	4 pole DC brushless				
bearing system	dual ball bearing				
direction of rotation	counter-clockwise viewed from front of fan blade				
dimensions	CFM-A225BF models: 120 x 120 x 25.4 CFM-A238BF models: 120 x 120 x 38				mm
material	PBT (UL94V-0)				
	CFM-A225BF-153-577		231.0		g
	CFM-A225BF-163-615		239.0		g
	CFM-A225BF-240-516		254.0		g
waiaht	CFM-A225BF-253-577, CFM-A225BF-263-615		149.0		g
weight	CFM-A238BF-165-635		328.0		g
	CFM-A238BF-270-651		293.4		g
	CFM-A238BF-280-680		398.2		g
	all other models		235.0		g

MECHANICAL DRAWING

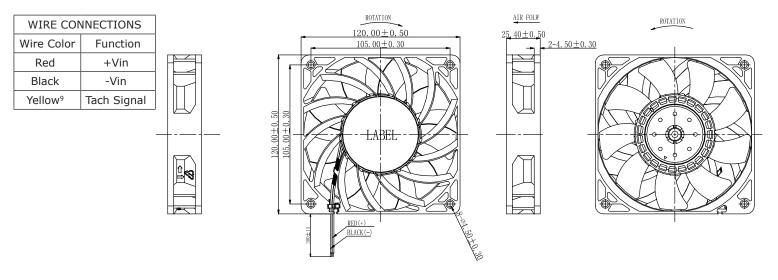
units: mm

wire: UL 1430, 24 AWG

MOUNTING SCREW (Pan Head)						
Screw Type	Size	Standard	Torque			
Machine Screw	M4	JIS B1111-1974	4.5 kgf-cm			
Self-tapping Screw	M5	JIS B1122 Type 2	5.5 kgf-cm			

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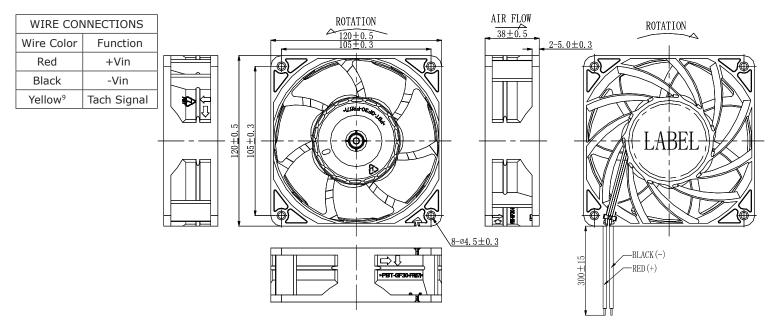
MECHANICAL DRAWING (CONTINUED)

units: mm

wire: UL 1430, 24 AWG

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Machine Screw	M4	JIS B1111-1974	4.5 kgf-cm			
Self-tapping Screw	M5	JIS B1122 Type 2	5.5 kgf-cm			

CFM-A238BF



APPLICATION NOTES

Auto Restart Protection

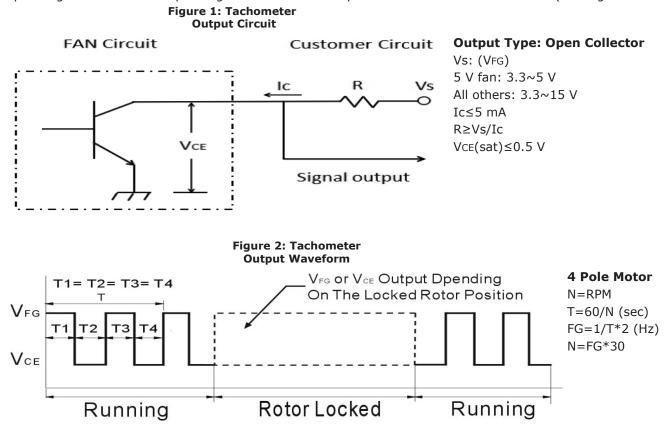
When the fan motor is locked by an external force, the device will temporarily turn off electrical power to the motor and restart automatically when the locked rotor condition is released.

Polarity Protection

Able to withstand 10 minutes of reverse polarity connection between the positive and negative wires without causing damage.

Tachometer Signal (Yellow Wire)

The tachometer signal is for detecting the rotational speed of the fan motor. The output will be a square wave when fan is operating and VFG or VCE depending on the locked rotor position when fan motor is locked (See Figures $1 \sim 2$ below).



Soft Start

When the fan power is on, the current will increase slowly (~15 seconds) until the fan reaches the rated speed.

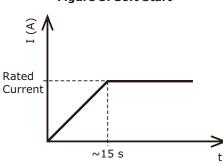


Figure 3: Soft Start

REVISION HISTORY

rev.	description	date
1.0	initial release	01/21/2022

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