Tower and Obstruction Lighting Controls
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FA / FS SERIES


## Wiring Diagram


$\mathrm{V}=$ Voltage $\quad \mathrm{N}=$ Neutral $\quad \mathrm{B}=$ Beacon
DL = Dummy Load for Constant Line Loading
$\mathrm{Rd}=3.3 \mathrm{~K} \Omega$ @ 5 W for 120VAC; $8.5 \mathrm{~K} \Omega @ 5 \mathrm{~W}$ for 230VAC
F = Flasher (FS155-30T, FS155-30RF, FS165-30T)
AX = Auxiliary Unit (FA155, FA155-2, FA165, FA156-2)

## Description

The FA/FS Series have proven their reliability through years of use on communication towers, smoke stacks, cooling towers, tall buildings, bridges and utility towers. The highest quality components are encapsulated in a rugged plastic housing with a molded-in heat transfer plate. The flash rate, ratio, and failsafe design meet FAA regulations. Zero voltage switching can increase lamp life up to ten times. The FS155-30RF includes superior RF filtering circuitry for use in high RF installations, including AM hot towers.
Operation
FS Series - Flasher (OFF First)
FA Series - Auxiliary Modules
Upon application of input voltage, the T2 OFF time begins. At the end of the OFF time, the T1 ON time begins and the load energizes. At the end of T1, T2 begins and the load de-energizes. This cycle repeats until voltage is removed.
Reset: Removing input voltage resets the output and the sequence to $T 2$.

## Features \& Benefits

| FEATURES | BENEFITS |
| :--- | :--- |
| Zero voltage switching | Delivers up to 10 times longer lamp life |
| Encapsulated | Protects against shock, vibration, and humidity |
| Metalized <br> mounting surface | Facilitates heat transfer in high current applications |
| Superior RF filtering <br> circuitry (RF models only) | Ideal for AM hot towers and other high <br> RF installations |
| High inrush capability <br> up to 200A | Will withstand the repetitive inrush current of <br> incandescent beacons |

## Ordering Information

| MODEL | INPUT VOLTAGE | WATTAGE | INRUSH RATING | DESCRIPTION |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| FA155 | 120VAC | 2500 W | 200A | Auxiliary unit to provide constant line loading |
| FA155-2 | 120VAC | 2500 W | 200A | Auxiliary unit for synchronized operating of additional beacons. Synchronized flashing of <br> additional beacons on a 3 wire system |
| FA165 | 230VAC | 5000 W | 200 A | Auxiliary unit to provide constant line loading |
| FA165-2 | 230 VAC | 5000 W | 200 A | Auxiliary unit for synchronized operating of additional beacons. Synchronized flashing of <br> additional beacons on a 2 wire system |
| FS155-30RF | 120VAC | 2500 W | 200 A | For high RF interference locations including AM hot towers |
| FS155-30T | 120VAC | 2500 W | 200 A | Standard beacon flasher |
| FS165-30T | 230VAC | 5000 W | 200 A | Standard beacon flasher |

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Accessories


P1015-13 (AWG 10/12), P1015-64 (AWG 14/16), P1015-14 (AWG 18/22) Female Quick Connect These 0.25 in. ( 6.35 mm ) female terminals are constructed with an insulator barrel to provide strain relief.
P1015-18 Quick Connect to Screw Adapter
Screw adapter terminal designed for use with all modules with 0.25 in . 6.35 mm ) male quick connect terminals.

Flasher Function Diagrams


## Specifications

| Operation | Single \& multiple beacon flashing with auxiliary modules |
| :---: | :---: |
| Flash Rate (FS Series Only) | $30 \pm 10$ FPM |
| ON/OFF Ratio (FS Series Only) | 50-67\% ON time; 33-50\% OFF time |
| Voltage | 120 or 230VAC $\pm 20 \%$ |
| AC Line Frequency | $50 / 60 \mathrm{~Hz}$ |
| Output Rating (Zero |  |
| Voltage Switching) | 2500W @ 120VAC; 5000W @ 230VAC |
| Inrush Current | 200A peak for 1 cycle of AC line |
| Mounting* | Surface mount with one \#10 (M5 x 0.8) screw |
| Dimensions | $\begin{aligned} & \text { H } 50.8 \mathrm{~mm}\left(2^{\prime \prime}\right) ; \mathbf{W} 50.8 \mathrm{~mm}\left(2^{\prime \prime}\right) \text {; } \\ & \text { D } 38.4 \mathrm{~mm}\left(1.51^{\prime \prime}\right) \end{aligned}$ |
| Termination | 0.25 in. ( 6.35 mm ) male quick connect terminals |
| Circuitry | Encapsulated |
| Operating/Storage |  |
| Temperature | $-55^{\circ}$ to $65^{\circ} \mathrm{C} /-55^{\circ}$ to $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Humidity | 95\% relative, non-condensing |
| Weight | $\cong 3.9 \mathrm{oz}$ (111 g) |

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[^1]:    * Note: Must be mounted to metal surface using the included heat sink compound. The maximum mounting surface temperature is $90^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

