



#### **Product Line Overview**

The Powerex FirstCall™ medical gas alarm retrofit kits are designed to upgrade or retrofit existing panels produced by several major brands. The retrofit kit replaces all necessary major components reutilizing the existing back box.

Powerex FirstCall™ medical gas alarm retrofit is compatible with the following alarm panels:

- Amico Alert-2 (3 through 7 gang back box only)
- Amico Compact Alert-2 (3 through 7 gang back box only)
- · Amico Alert-3
- · Amico Alert-4
- Beacon Medaes MEGA 2
- Beacon Medaes MEGA 3
- Beacon Medaes TotalAlert Infinity
- Ohio/Ohmeda/Medaes "Black Front"\*
- Hill-Rom/Beacon "Tan Front"\*
- · Chemetron Series 74 Impact Alarm System
- Chemetron Digi I
- · Chemetron Digi II
- Tri-Tech Medical DU/DC
- Tri-Tech Medical Med Touch

\*The Ohio/Ohmeda/Medaes Multi Module Line Pressure Alarm and the Hill-Rom/Beacon Area Line Pressure Alarm both require Hansen fittings for the transducers, so this must be indicated at the end of the part number with "-BTF."

The Powerex FirstCall™ medical gas alarm systems monitor the status of medical gases in Category 1 healthcare facilities. The alarm systems comply with the latest edition of NFPA 99. All alarm systems provide audible and visible indications of NFPA 99 medical gas alarm conditions.

The FirstCall™ Master Alarm system monitors up to 39 signals indicating the operation and condition of the source of supply, the reserve source (if any), and the pressure in the main lines of each medical gas and vacuum piping system in a Category 1 healthcare facility.

The FirstCall™ Area Alarm system monitors the pressure of up to 8 medical gases supplying anesthetizing locations and other Category 1 spaces.

The FirstCall™ Combination Alarm system monitors up to 23 source signals (Master) and up to 4 medical gases (Area) in a single panel.

## **Features and Benefits**

- · Designed and manufactured in the USA
- 5 year warranty on parts, 2 year warranty on labor
- 10" high-resolution touchscreen HMI with 7" VE option available
- Area alarm up to 8 gases
- 4-20mA signal transducers, DISS demand-check fittings, and gas risers included with Area Alarm
- Transducers are able to be remotely installed up to 5,000 ft away
- Master alarm 23 and 39 input signals
- Combination alarm up to 4 gas, 23 input signals
- Ethernet connectivity using BACnet over IP protocol to building management system standard
- Alarm signal status can also be viewed on a standard computer connected to the facility's local network via Ethernet
- Customizable emergency instructions in the event of an alarm
- Easy to use interface for setup and changing settings
- Pre-programmed NFPA 99 gas labels and colors
- Event history log accessible at the screen



- Alarm test feature able to use quickly without logging in
- Area alarm automatically sets NFPA 99 +/-20% limits based on current pressure
- Master alarm pre-programmed NFPA 99 source alarm signals – also customizable
- Master alarm signals organized under main source badge – click through for individual alarm information
- Push-in terminal blocks to easily connect transducer and source equipment alarm signals
- Factory set for normally closed signals, able to change to normally open
- Transducers are gas-specific, and crossconnecting a transducer with an assigned gas input will generate an alarm per 2018 NFPA 99
- Hinged frame for easy assembly and maintenance
- Option for digital outputs contact factory

#### PLC + HMI

Combination PLC+HMI monitors inputs from medical gas transducers and alarm points. Input status displayed on high quality LED HMI touchscreens with compact built in PLC. Preprogrammed standard settings included with all medical gas inputs. Alarm set points, alarm messages and descriptions of sources are fully customizable. Alarm and error history is recorded in Alarm Summary.

The unit is capable of communicating with building monitoring system using Ethernet connection using BACnet over IP protocol.

Screen sizes include 7" and 10". Both are LED HMI touchscreens.

## **Alarm History**

The Alarm History screen shows a record of all alarm events up to 32, including the specific alarm condition and the date and time of the alarm event.

#### **BACNet**

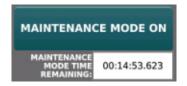
- Each alarm panel has an Ethernet port to connect with the facility's building management system via BACnet over IP protocol
- Alarms employ the TCP/IP family of protocols for communication and each device has a unique IP address. The IP address and device ID are customizable
- Each alarm panel conforms to the BACnet protocol and includes a Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement (PICS)

#### **Power**

- Input power to the alarm panel is 110 to 240 VAC +/-10% 50/60 Hz. The toggle control circuit breaker is rated for 2 amps
- The internal power supply converts the input voltage to low voltage 24 VDC
- All user accessible electronics and wiring utilize low voltage

#### **Maintenance Mode**

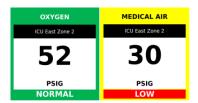
- When Maintenance mode is toggled, the alarm horn will not activate during a normal alarm event, allowing a technician to perform maintenance without setting off the loud alarm
- The lower right bar on the home screen that is typically green and displays "NORMAL" will now be yellow and display "MAINTENANCE"
- Maintenance mode will automatically toggle back to normal after 15 minutes. A timer is displayed below the button





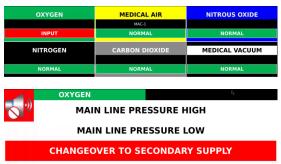
## **Area Alarm Gas Badges**

- Gas badges are color coded according to NFPA 99
- Indicator bar shows "NORMAL," "LOW," or "HIGH"
- Location bar shows zone served



## Master Alarm Gas Badges

- Gas badges are color coded according to NFPA 99
- Indicator shows "NORMAL" or "INPUT" if in alarm
- Press the gas badge to see individual alarm signals and specific alarm conditions



## **Combination Alarm Gas Badges**

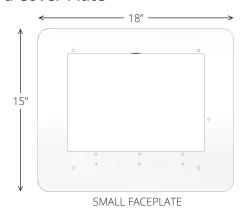
- Gas badges for area signals are the same as the Area Alarm
- Gas badges for the master signals include an indicator on the left side. Green is for "NORMAL" and red is for "INPUT," or alarm. Press the gas badge to see individual alarm signals and specific alarm conditions



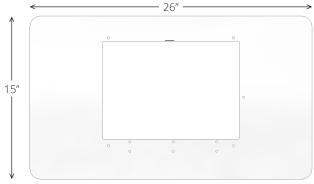


## **Dimensions**

## **Standard Cover Plate**



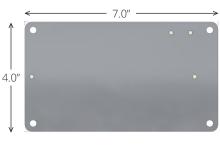
## Wide Cover Plate



LARGE FACEPLATE

#### **Small Flat Plate**

Used for 1-4 gas area alarm



SMALL FLAT PLATE

#### **Medium Flat Plate**

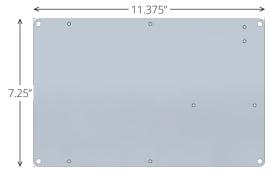
Used for 5-8 gas area alarm, 23 input master alarm, 4 gas-23 input combo alarm



MEDIUM FLAT PLATE

## Large Flat Plate

Used for 39 input master alarm



LARGE FLAT PLATE



## **Part Number Configuration**

#### Area Alarm\*

AAPR7-XXXXXXXX-P (7" panel)
AAPR10-XXXXXXXX-P (10" panel)

X = gas up to 8

O = Oxygen

A = Medial Air

V = Medical Vacuum

2 = N20

N = N2

C = CO2

W = WAGD

I = Instrument Air

P = cover plate size

 $S = Standard (15"H \times 18"W)$ 

 $W = Wide (15"H \times 26"W)$ 

Example: AAPR10-OAV2NCWI-W

#### **Master Alarm**

MAPR7-YY-P (7" panel)

MAPR10-YY-P (10" panel)

YY = digital inputs (23 or 39)

P = cover plate size

 $S = Standard (15"H \times 18"W)$ 

 $W = Wide (15"H \times 26"W)$ 

Example: MAPR7-23-S

#### **Combination Alarm**

CAPR7-XXXXXXXX-YY-P (7" panel)

CAPR10-XXXXXXXX-YY-P (10" panel)

X = gas up to 8

O = Oxygen

A = Medial Air

V = Medical Vacuum

2 = N20

N = N2

C = CO2

W = WAGD

I = Instrument Air

P = cover plate size

S = Standard (15"H x 18"W)

 $W = Wide (15"H \times 26"W)$ 

Example: CAPR10-OAV-23-S

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Example: AAPR7-OAV-S-BTF



## **Configuration of Models**

#### 1-4 Gas Alarm Panel Retrofit

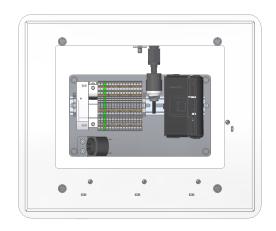
Compatible Models

- Amico
  - Compact Alert-2 Series (3-4 gas)
  - · Alert-2 Series (2-4 Gas)
  - Amico Alert-3 (1-4 gas)
- Beacon
  - MEGA2 (1-4 gas)
  - MEGA3 (1-4 gas)
  - TotalAlert Infinity (1-4 gas)
- Chemetron
  - 74-14-XXXX Series (1-3 gas)
  - Digi I Series (1-3 gas)
  - Digi II Series (1-3 gas)
- · Ohmeda
  - Black Front (2-4 gas)
  - Tan Front (1-4 gas)
- Tri-Tech Medical
  - Med-Touch Alarm (1-4 gas)
  - DU/DC Series (1-3 gas)\*\*7" screen only

#### 5-8 Gas Alarm Panel Retrofit

Compatible Models

- · Amico
  - Compact Alert-2 Series (5-8 gas)
  - Alert-3 Series (5-8 gas)
- Beacon
  - MEGA3 (5-8 gas)
  - TotalAlert Infinity (5-8 gas)
- Chemetron
  - 74-15-XXXX Series (5-6 gas)
- · Ohmeda
  - Black Front (5-6 gas)
  - Tan Front (5-6 gas)
- Tri-Tech Medical
  - Med-Touch Alarm (5-8 gas)
  - DU/DC Series (4-6 gas)

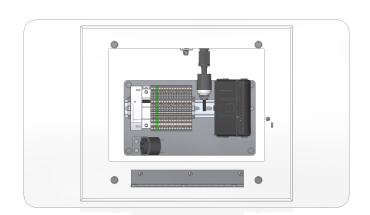




## 5-8 Gas Alarm Panel Retrofit (Large)

Compatible Models

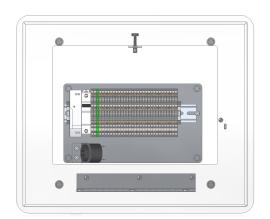
- Amico
  - Alert Series-2 (5-6 Gas)
- Beacon
  - MEGA2 (5-8 gas)
- Chemetron
  - 74-14-XXXX Series (5-6 Gas)
  - Digi I Series (4-6 gas)
  - Digi II Series (4-7 gas)
- Faceplate compatible with any model with rough in larger than 17" Wide



### 23 Input Master Alarm Panel Retrofit

Compatible Models

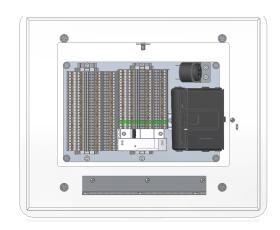
- Amico
  - Alert-2 Series (20 Input)
- Chemetron
  - 74-15-XXX Series (3 gas, 10 Input Combo)
  - Digi I Series (up to 23 input)
  - Digi II Series (up to 23 input)
- Tri-Tech Medical
  - DU/DC Series (16 input)\*
     \*7" screen only



## 39 Input Master Alarm Panel Retrofit

Compatible Models

- Amico
  - Alert-2 Series (30 Input)
  - Alert-2 Series (40 Input if only using 39 Inputs)
- Beacon
  - MEGA2 (25-40 signal)\*(requires wide front panel)
- Chemetron
  - 74-15-XXX Series (30 Input)
  - Digi I Series (40 input if only using 39 inputs)
  - Digi II Series (40 input if only using 39 inputs)
- Tri-Tech Medical
  - Med Touch Series (32 input)\*
     \*7" screen only





## 1-4 Gas 23 Input Combo Alarm Panel Retrofit

Compatible Models

- Beacon
  - MEGA2
  - MEGA3
  - TotalAlert Infinity
- Chemetron
  - Impact (3 gas 10 signal)
  - · Digi II (2 gas 8 signal)
  - Digi II (3 gas 23 signal)\*\*requires wide front panel
- Tri-Tech Medical
  - DU/DC Series (2 gas 16 signal)\*
     \*7" screen only

