

F220-B6 Series Conventional Detector Bases



The F220-B6 Series Detector Bases work with the F220 Series Photoelectric Smoke and Heat Detectors. The F220-B6 is a 12 V or 24 V base for two-wire loops. The other bases in this series are 12 V or 24 V bases for four-wire loops.

Certifications and Approvals

Region	Certificatio	Certification	
USA	UL	UQGS: Heat - Automatic Fire Detectors (UL521), UQGS7: Heat - Automatic Fire Detectors Certified for Canada (CAN/ULC- S530-M91), UROX: Smoke - Automatic Fire Detectors (UL268), UROX7: Smoke - Automatic Fire Detectors Certified for Canada (ULC529)	
	FM		
	CSFM	1700-1615: 105	
	NYC-MEA	(117-05-E)	
	MSFM	2200 Sep 2008	
Hong Kong	HKFSD		

- Easy installation
- Interchangeable detector heads
- UL listed when used with an F220 Series detector

Installation/Configuration Notes

Compatibility Information

Two-wire: Bosch Security Systems, Inc. makes no claim written, oral, or implied that the F220-B6 Series Detector Bases work with any two-wire control panels except those specified in the Two-wire Detector/Control Panel Compatibility List Technical Service Note (P/N: 4998148185).

Four-wire: Compatible with all UL Listed four-wire control panels. Refer to the control panel's Installation Instructions for proper end-of-line (EOL) resistor selection.

Detectors: Compatible with the following F220 Series Detector Heads:

- F220-P Photoelectric Smoke Detector
- F220-PTH Photoelectric Smoke Detector with +135°F (+57°C) Heat Sensor
- F220-PTHC¹ Photoelectric Smoke Detector with +135°F (+57°C) Heat Sensor and Carbon Monoxide Sensor Enhancement¹
- F220-135 Electronic Rate-of-Rise, Fixed Temperature +135°F (+57°C) Heat Detector
- F220-135F Electronic Fixed Temperature +135°F (+57°C) Heat Detector
- F220-190F Electronic Fixed Temperature +190°F (+88°C) Heat Detector

¹ The F220-PTHC detects carbon monoxide (CO) as a component of a fire. It is not a CO detector and cannot activate an alarm in the presence of CO only.

Mounting Considerations

Depending on local regulations, surface mount the bases using anchors, mollies, or wing nuts; or mount the bases directly on four-inch square or octagonal electrical boxes or single-gang switch boxes.

Note The electrical box must be large enough to accommodate the number and size of conductors specified by the National Electrical Code or any local authorities having jurisdiction (AHJ).

Wiring Considerations

In a two-wire system, the maximum loop length depends on the number of F220-B6 bases on the loop, the wire size, and the control panel specifications. Refer to the control panel's installation instructions for specific wiring information.

In a four-wire system, the maximum loop length and number of bases that can be placed on a loop depend on the voltage drop on the power circuit. Use standard voltage drop calculations to ensure that the last detector on the loop has at least 10 V.

Parts Included

Quant.	Component	
1	Detector base	
1	Literature pack	

Technical Specifications

Environmental Considerations

Relative Humidity:	Up to 95%, non-condensing
Temperature (operating):	+32°F to +100°F (0°C to +38°C)

Mechanical Properties

Color:	Off-white
Dimensions (diameter x D)	6 in. x 0.9 in. (15.2 cm x 2.3 cm)
Material:	Fire-resistant plastic

Ordering Information

F220-B6 12/24 VDC Two-wire Base Standard base for two-wire (12 VDC or 24 VDC system) applications.	F220-B6
F220-B6R Standard 12/24 VDC Four-wire Base Standard base for four-wire (12 VDC or 24 VDC) detector systems.	F220-B6R
F220-B6C 12/24 VDC Four-wire Base with Auxiliary Form C Relay Four-wire base with a normally-open (NO) alarm loop relay and a set of auxiliary contacts (Form C).	F220-B6C
F220-B6E 12/24 VDC Four-wire Power Supervision Base with End-of-line Power Monitoring Relay Four-wire base with a normally-open (NO) alarm relay and an EOL power supervision re- lay.	F220-B6E
Accessories	
D275 Power Supervision Module	D275

D275 Power Supervision Module Line supervision device for four-wire fire detection circuits D275

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