

DZ14XA SERIES CONDENSING UNIT HEAT PUMP INSTALLATION & SERVICE REFERENCE

Important Safety Instructions

The following symbols and labels are used throughout this manual to indicate immediate or potential safety hazards. It is the owner's and installer's responsibility to read and comply with all safety information and instructions accompanying these symbols. Failure to heed safety information increases the risk of personal injury, property damage, and/or product damage.



WARNING

ONLY PERSONNEL THAT HAVE BEEN TRAINED TO INSTALL, ADJUST, SERVICE, MAINTENANCE OR REPAIR (HEREINAFTER, "SERVICE") THE EQUIPMENT SPECIFIED IN THIS MANUAL SHOULD SERVICE THE EQUIPMENT.

THIS EQUIPMENT IS NOT INTENDED FOR USE BY PERSONS (INCLUDING CHILDREN) WITH REDUCED PHYSICAL, SENSORY OR MENTAL CAPABILITIES, OR LACK OF EXPERIENCE AND KNOWLEDGE. UNLESS THEY HAVE BEEN GIVEN SUPERVISION OR INSTRUCTION CONCERNING USE OF THE APPLIANCE BY A PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR SAFETY.

CHILDREN SHOULD BE SUPERVISED TO ENSURE THAT THEY DO NOT PLAY WITH THE EQUIPMENT.

THE MANUFACTURER WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY INJURY OR PROPERTY DAMAGE ARISING FROM IMPROPER SUPERVISION, SERVICE OR SERVICE PROCEDURES. IF YOU SERVICE THIS UNIT. YOU ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY INJURY OR PROPERTY DAMAGE WHICH MAY RESULT. IN ADDITION, IN JURISDICTIONS THAT REQUIRE ONE OR MORE LICENSES TO SERVICE THE EQUIPMENT SPECIFIED IN THIS MANUAL. ONLY LICENSED PERSONNEL SHOULD SERVICE THE EQUIPMENT. IMPROPER SUPERVISION, INSTALLATION, ADJUSTMENT, SERVICING, MAINTENANCE OR REPAIR OF THE EQUIPMENT SPECIFIED IN THIS MANUAL. OR ATTEMPTING TO INSTALL, ADJUST, SERVICE OR REPAIR THE EQUIPMENT SPECIFIED IN THIS MANUAL WITHOUT PROPER SUPERVISION OR TRAINING MAY RESULT IN PRODUCT DAMAGE, PROPERTY DAMAGE, PERSONAL INJURY OR DEATH.



WARNING

DO NOT BYPASS SAFETY DEVICES



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CAUTION

SCROLL EQUIPPED UNITS SHOULD NEVER BE USED TO EVACUATE THE AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEM. VACUUMS THIS LOW CAN CAUSE INTERNAL ELECTRICAL ARCING RESULTING IN A DAMAGED OR FAILED COMPRESSOR.

Shipping Inspection

Always keep the unit upright; laying the unit on its side or top may cause equipment damage. Shipping damage, and subsequent investigation is the responsibility of the carrier. Verify the model number, specifications, electrical characteristics, and accessories are correct prior to installation. The distributor or manufacturer will not accept claims from dealers for transportation damage or installation of incorrectly shipped units.

Codes & Regulations

This product is designed and manufactured to comply with national codes. Installation in accordance with such codes and/or prevailing local codes/regulations is the responsibility of the installer. This unit DZ14XA090 or DZ14XA120 is a partial unit air conditioner, complying with partial unit requirements for international standard IEC 60335-2-40, and must be only connected to other units that have been confined as complying to corresponding partial unit requirements of international standard IEC 60335-2-40. The manufacturer assumes no responsibility for equipment installed in violation of any codes or regulations. Rated performance is achieved after 20 hours of operation. Rated performance is delivered at the specified airflow. See outdoor unit specification sheet for split system models or product specification sheet for packaged and light commercial models. Specification sheets can be found at www.daikincomfort.com for Daikin brand products. Within the website, please select the residential or commercial products menu and then select the submenu for the type of product to be installed, such as air conditioners or heat pumps, to access a list of product pages that each contain links to that model's specification sheet.

Our continuing commitment to quality products may mean a change in specifications without notice.



The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has issued various regulations regarding the introduction and disposal of refrigerants. Failure to follow these regulations may harm the environment and can lead to the imposition of substantial fines. Should you have any questions please contact the local office of the EPA.

If replacing a condensing unit or air handler, the system must be manufacturer approved and Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute (AHRI) matched. NOTE: Installation of unmatched systems is strongly discouraged.

Outdoor units are approved for operation above 55°F in cooling mode. Operation below 55°F in cooling mode requires the use of an approved low ambient kit. Damage to the unit caused by operating the unit in a structure that is not complete (either as part of new construction or renovation) is not covered under the warranty.

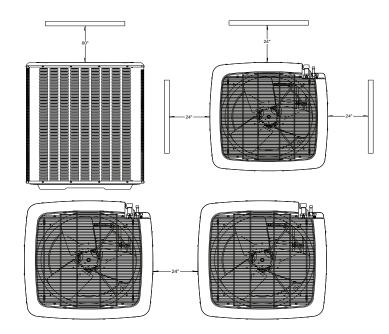
Refer to the unit Specification Sheet for the recommended indoor model selection. **NOTE:** This unit must be used with a purchased two stage room thermostat with 24 VAC control circuitry.

NOTE: The maximum altitude shall not exceed 8,000 ft under normal operating conditions.

Installation Clearances

This unit is designed for outdoor installations only. Special consideration must be given to location of the condensing unit(s) in regard to structures, obstructions, other units, and any/all other factors that may interfere with air circulation. Where possible, the top of the unit should be completely unobstructed; however, if vertical conditions require placement beneath an obstruction there should be a minimum of 60 inches between the top of the unit and the obstruction(s). The specified dimensions meet requirements for air circulation only. Consult all appropriate regulatory codes prior to determining final clearances.

Another important consideration in selecting a location for the unit(s) is the angle to obstructions. Either side adjacent the valves can be placed toward the structure provided the side away from the structure maintains minimum service clearance. Corner installations are strongly discouraged.



This unit can be located at ground floor level or on flat roofs. At ground floor level, the unit must be on a solid, level foundation that will not shift or settle. To reduce the possibility of sound transmission, the foundation slab should not be in contact with or be an integral part of the building foundation. The foundation slab should be a minimum of 6" wider than the unit in all directions. Ensure the foundation is sufficient to support the unit. A concrete slab raised above ground level provides a suitable base. For optimum performance, the minimum length interconnecting tubing is preferred. When possible minimize the amount of bends and turns.

Rooftop Installations

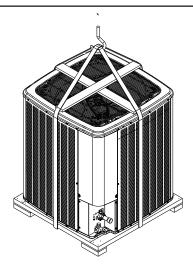
If it is necessary to install this unit on a roof structure, ensure the roof structure can support the weight and that proper consideration is given to the weather-tight integrity of the roof. Since the unit can vibrate during operation, sound vibration transmission should be considered when installing the unit. Vibration absorbing pads or springs can be installed between the condensing unit legs or frame and the roof mounting assembly to reduce noise vibration.

NOTE: These units require special location consideration in areas of heavy snow accumulation and/or areas with prolonged continuous subfreezing temperatures. These unit bases have cutouts under the outdoor coil that permit drainage of frost accumulation. Situate the unit to permit free unobstructed drainage of the defrost water and ice. A minimum 3" clearance under the outdoor coil is required in the milder climates. In more severe weather locations, it is recommended that the unit be elevated to allow unobstructed drainage and air flow. In areas of heavy snow the unit needs to be elevated above the average yearly snow accumulation.



WARNING

TO AVOID POSSIBLE INJURY OR DEATH, ALL PANELS MUST BE IN POSITION AND SECURED BEFORE LIFTING THIS EQUIPMENT.



Use field-supplied spreader bars when lifting the unit to minimize the possibility of lifting cable/straps damage. To protect the cabinet louvers, use protective material such as plywood behind the cable/straps. Arrange the straps to form a central suspension point. **NOTE:** When raising and setting the unit, observe all safety rules. Remove shipping skid and all protection and lifting material after the unit is in place.

Safe Refrigerant Handling

While these items will not cover every conceivable situation, they should serve as a useful guide.



WARNING

TO AVOID POSSIBLE INJURY, EXPLOSION OR DEATH, PRACTICE SAFE HANDLING OF REFRIGERANTS.



WARNING

PARTIAL UNITS SHALL ONLY BE CONNECTED TO APPLIANCE SUITABLE FOR THE SAME REFRIGERANT.



WARNING

REFRIGERANTS ARE HEAVIER THAN AIR. THEY CAN "PUSH OUT" THE OXYGEN IN YOUR LUNGS OR ANY ENCLOSED SPACE. TO AVOID POSSIBLE DIFFICULTY IN BREATHING OR DEATH:

- NEVER PURGE REFRIGERANT INTO AN ENCLOSED ROOM OR SPACE, BY LAW, ALL REFRIGERANTS MUST BE RECLAIMED.
- If an indoor leak is suspected, thoroughly ventilate the area before beginning work.
- LIQUID REFRIGERANT CAN BE VERY COLD. TO AVOID POSSIBLE FROSTBITE OR BLINDNESS, AVOID CONTACT AND WEAR GLOVES AND GOGGLES. IF LIQUID REFRIGERANT DOES CONTACT YOUR SKIN OR EYES, SEEK MEDICAL HELP IMMEDIATELY.
- ALWAYS FOLLOW EPA REGULATIONS. NEVER BURN REFRIGERANT, AS POISONOUS GAS WILL BE PRODUCED.



WARNING

TO AVOID POSSIBLE EXPLOSION:

- NEVER APPLY FLAME OR STEAM TO A REFRIGERANT CYLINDER. IF YOU MUST HEAT A CYLINDER FOR FASTER CHARGING, PARTIALLY IMMERSE IT IN WARM WATER.
- NEVER FILL A CYLINDER MORE THAN 80% FULL OF LIQUID REFRIGERANT.
- NEVER ADD ANYTHING OTHER THAN R-410A TO AN R-410A CYLINDER. THE SERVICE EQUIPMENT USED MUST BE LISTED OR CERTIFIED FOR THE TYPE OF REFRIGERANT USED.
- STORE CYLINDERS IN A COOL, DRY PLACE. NEVER USE A CYLINDER AS A PLATFORM OR A ROLLER.



WARNING

TO AVOID POSSIBLE EXPLOSION, USE ONLY RETURNABLE (NOT DISPOSABLE) SERVICE CYLINDERS WHEN REMOVING REFRIGERANT FROM A SYSTEM.

- ENSURE THE CYLINDER IS FREE OF DAMAGE WHICH COULD LEAD TO A LEAK OR EXPLOSION.
- Ensure the hydrostatic test date doe not exceed 5 years.
- Ensure the pressure rating meets or exceeds 400 PSIG. When in doubt, do not use a cylinder.



CAUTION

THE COMPRESSOR POE OIL FOR R-410A UNITS IS EXTREMELY SUSCEPTIBLE TO MOISTURE ABSORPTION AND COULD CAUSE COMPRESSOR FAILURE. DO NOT LEAVE SYSTEM OPEN TO ATMOSPHERE ANY LONGER THAN NECESSARY FOR INSTALLATION.

Refrigerant Lines

NOTE: For improved refrigerant management, equip the evaporator coil with a field-supplied thermal expansion valve (TXV) and the liquid line with a field-supplied liquid line solenoid if not already supplied with the air handler. Ensure the solenoid is installed as close as possible to the evaporator coil to prevent refrigeration migration in the compressor "OFF" cycle. The maximum allowable pressure shall be considered when connecting to a condenser or evaporator unit.

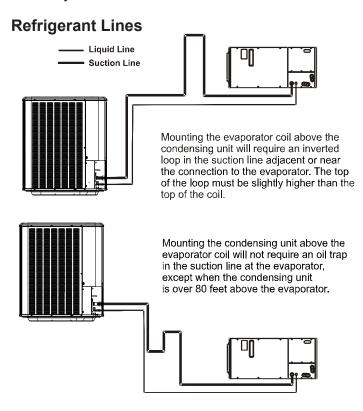
Use only refrigerant grade (dehydrated and sealed) copper tubing to connect the condensing unit with the indoor evaporator. After cutting the tubing, install plugs to keep refrigerant tubing clean and dry prior to and during installation. Tubing should always be cut square keeping ends round and free from burrs. Clean the tubing to prevent contamination.

Do NOT let refrigerant lines come in direct contact with plumbing, ductwork, floor joists, wall studs, floors, and walls. When running refrigerant lines through a foundation or wall, openings should allow for sound and vibration absorbing material to be placed or installed between tubing and foundation. Any gap between foundation or wall and refrigerant lines should be filled with a pliable siliconbased caulk, RTV or a vibration damping material. Avoid suspending refrigerant tubing from joists and studs with rigid wire or straps that would come in contact with the

tubing. Use an insulated or suspension type hanger. Keep both lines separate and always insulate the suction line.

	REFRIGERANT LINE LENGTH (ft)						
Cond Unit	0-24		25-49*		50-74**		
(Tons)	Line Diameter (In. OD)				Line		
	Suct	Liq	Suct	Liq	Suct	Liq	
7 1/2	1 1/8	5/8	1 3/8	5/8	1 3/8	5/8	
10	1 3/8	5/8	1 5/8	5/8	1 5/8	5/8	

- * Full rating line size
- ** Lines greater than 74 feet in length or vertical elevation changes more than 50 feet refer to TP-108* Long Line Set Application Guideline or contact your local distributor for assistance.



Insulation is necessary to prevent condensation from forming and dropping from the suction line. Armflex® (or satisfactory equivalent) with 3/8" min. wall thickness is recommended. In severe conditions (hot, high humidity areas) 1/2" insulation may be required. Insulation must be installed in a manner which protects tubing from damage and contamination.

Where possible, drain as much residual compressor oil from existing systems, lines, and traps; pay close attention to low areas where oil may collect.

NOTE: If changing refrigerant types, ensure the indoor coil and metering device is compatible with the type of refrigerant being used; otherwise, the indoor coil must be replaced. To facilitate oil return to the compressor, a horizontal suction line should be pitched (½" per 10' toward the condensing unit).

Filter Drier and Sight Glass

A liquid line filter drier is factory installed. Field-install the supplied sight glass/moisture indicator on the liquid line as close as practical to the service valve.

Burying Refrigerant Lines

If burying refrigerant lines can not be avoided, use the following checklist.

- 1. Insulate liquid and suction lines separately.
- 2. Enclose all underground portions of the refrigerant lines in waterproof material (conduit or pipe) sealing the ends where tubing enters/exits the enclosure.
- If the lines must pass under or through a concrete slab, ensure lines are adequately protected and sealed.

Refrigerant Line Connections

IMPORTANT: To avoid overheating the service valve, TXV valve, or filter drier while brazing, wrap the component with a wet rag, or use a thermal heat trap compound as recommended by the compound manufacturer. Use a brazing alloy of 2% minimum silver content. Do not use flux.

- The ends of the refrigerant lines must be cut square, deburred, cleaned, and be round and free from nicks or dents. Any other condition increases the chance of a refrigerant leak.
- This unit is factory shipped with a holding charge. "Sweep" the refrigerant line with nitrogen or inert gas during brazing to prevent the formation of copperoxide inside the refrigerant lines.
- 3. After brazing, quench the joints with water or a wet cloth to prevent overheating of the service valve.
- 4. Ensure the filter drier paint finish is intact after brazing. If the paint of the steel filter drier has been burned or chipped, repaint or treat with a rust preventative. This is especially important on suction line filter driers which are continually wet when the unit is operating.

NOTE: Be careful not to kink or dent refrigerant lines. Kinked or dented lines will cause poor performance or compressor damage.

Do NOT make final refrigerant line connection until plugs are removed from refrigerant tubing

LEAK TESTING (NITROGEN OR NITROGEN-TRACED)



WARNING

TO AVOID THE RISK OF FIRE OR EXPLOSION, NEVER USE OXYGEN HIGH PRESSURE AIR OR FLAMMABLE GASES FOR LEAK TESTING OF A REFRIGERATION SYSTEM.



TO AVOID POSSIBLE EXPLOSION, THE LINE FROM THE NITROGEN CYLINDER MUST INCLUDE A PRESSURE REGULATOR AND A PRESSURE RELIEF VALVE MUST BE SET TO OPEN AT NO MORE THAN 150 PSIG.

Pressure test the system using dry nitrogen and soapy water to locate leaks. If you wish to use a leak detector, charge the system to 10 psi using the appropriate refrigerant then use nitrogen to finish charging the system to working pressure then apply the detector to suspect areas. If leaks are found, repair them. After repair, repeat the pressure test. If no leaks exist, proceed to system evacuation.

System Evacuation

Condensing unit liquid and suction valves are closed to contain the charge within the unit. The unit is shipped with the valve stems closed and caps installed. Do not open valves until the system is evacuated.

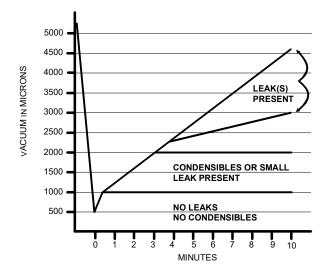


WARNING

REFRIGERANT UNDER PRESSURE!

FAILURE TO FOLLOW PROPER PROCEDURES MAY CAUSE PROPERTY DAMAGE, PERSONAL INJURY OR DEATH.

- 1. Connect the vacuum pump with 250 micron capability to the service valves.
- 2. Evacuate the system to 250 microns or less using suction and liquid service valves. Using both valves is necessary as some compressors create a mechanical seal separating the sides of the system.
- 3. Close pump valve and hold vacuum for 10 minutes. Typically pressure will rise during this period.
 - If the pressure rises to 1000 microns or less and remains steady the system is considered leak-free; proceed to startup.
 - If pressure rises above 1000 microns but holds steady below 2000 microns, moisture and/or noncondensibles may be present or the system may have a small leak. Return to step 2: If the same result is encountered check for leaks as previously indicated and repair as necessary then repeat evacuation.
 - If pressure rises above 2000 microns, a leak is present. Check for leaks as previously indicated and repair as necessary then repeat evacuation.



Refer to the Remote Condensing Unit Service Manual for more detailed instructions on system evacuation, preliminary charge adjustment, and final charge adjustment.

Electrical Connections



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HIGH VOLTAGE!

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WARNING

TO AVOID THE RISK OF FIRE OR EQUIPMENT DAMAGE, USE COPPER CONDUCTORS.

NOTICE: Units with reciprocating compressors and non-bleed TXV's require a Hard Start Kit.

This unit is designed for three phase operation. DO NOT OPERATE ON A SINGLE PHASE POWER SUPPLY. Measure the power supply to the unit. The supply voltage must be in agreement with the unit rating plate power requirements and within the range listed below:

Rated Voltage	Minimum Supply Voltage	Maximum Supply Voltage
208 / 230V	187	253
460V	414	506

The condensing unit rating plate lists pertinent electrical data necessary for proper electrical service and overcurrent protection. Wires should be sized to limit voltage drop to 2% (max.) from the main breaker or fuse panel to the condensing unit. Consult the NEC, CEC,

and all local codes to determine the correct wire gauge and length. The wire size must be sufficient to carry the Minimum Circuit Ampacity (MCA) listed on the serial plate.

The supply voltage can be unbalanced (phase to phase) within 2%. The following formula can be used to determine the percentage of voltage unbalance for your unit.

Percentage Max. Voltage Deviation From Voltage = <u>Average Voltage</u>
Unbalance Average Voltage

Example:

L1 - L2 = 220 VL2 - L3 = 216 V

Average Voltage: = (220+216+213) / 3

= 649/3

Maximum Deviation from Average = 220 - 216 = 4

% Voltage Unbalance = 100 x (4 / 216) = 400 / 216

MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE LENGTH IN FEET TO LIMIT VOLTAGE DROP TO 2%

Wire Size	Minimum Circuit Ampacity (MCA)							
(AWG)	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45
14	77	51	38	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
12	122	81	61	49	NR	NR	NR	NR
10	193	129	97	77	64	55	NR	NR
8	307	205	154	123	103	88	77	68
6	489	326	244	195	163	140	122	109

Example:

A 7 ½ Ton unit is to be installed. The distance from the building to the unit is 75'. Calculate the minimum wire size assuming no more than 2% voltage drop.

MCA for 7 1/2 Ton 230V unit = 43.3 (from S&R plate).

Applying previous table wire sizes less than #8 AWG cannot be used for circuits which have a rating of 45A. The #8 wire is not suitable since the maximum length for a 45A circuit is 68'.

Solution: Use a #6 AWG wire suitable up to 109'. **NOTE:** It is the contractors's responsibility to follow the NEC (USA) or CEC (Canada) when sizing the service wire for this unit.

*Always refer to the unit's S&R plate for actual ratings.

Local codes often require a disconnect switch located near the unit; do not install the switch on the unit. Full disconnection from the supply mains having contact separation in all poles equivalent to overvoltage III category must be installed in the fixed wiring in accordance with national wiring regulations. Refer to the installation

instructions supplied with the indoor furnace/air handler for specific wiring connections and indoor unit configuration. Likewise, consult the instructions packaged with the thermostat for mounting and location information.

Overcurrent Protection

The following overcurrent protection devices are approved for use.

- · Time delay fuses
- · HACR type circuit breakers

These devices have sufficient time delay to permit the motor-compressor to start and accelerate its load.

Refer to the unit serial plate for the maximum overcurrent protection permitted.

Run all line voltage wiring and conduit from the service disconnect box to the unit. Refer to the NEC (USA) or CEC (Canada) codes for the correct size conduit based on the wire size. The conduit enters the control box through the hole provided in the bottom. **NOTE:** The control box hole is sized for ³/₄" conduit. If permitted by code, a flexible conduit is preferred to minimize vibration transmission from the unit to the building.

Connect the line voltage wires to the L1, L2, and L3 terminals of the definite purpose contactor (located in the unit control box). Refer to the wiring diagram attached to the unit when making these connections.

Three Phase Compressor Rotation



WARNING

USE CARE WHEN HANDLING SCROLL COMPRESSORS. DOME TEMPERATURES COULD BE HOT.

Three phase scrolls are power phase dependent and can compress in more than one direction.

Verify proper rotation for three phase compressors by ensuring the suction pressure drops and discharge pressure rises when the compressor is energized.

NOTE: When operated in reverse, a three phase scroll compressors is noisier and its current draw substantially reduced compared to marked values.

To correct, disconnect power and switch any two leads at the unit contactor and re-observe.

High Voltage Connections

Route power supply and ground wires through the high voltage port and terminate in accordance with the wiring diagram provided inside the control panel cover.

Low Voltage Connections

Low voltage control wiring should be no smaller than 18 AWG. Field connections must be made inside the control box with solder-less connectors (wire nuts). See the following diagram for a recommended low voltage wiring

schematic. The wires running to the condensing unit can be sourced from either the indoor unit's terminal block, or the thermostat.

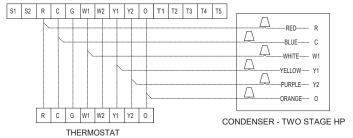
NOTE: If a two stage auxiliary electric heater kit is installed, only stage one will operate during defrost mode. To activate both auxiliary heating stages during defrost mode, add an 18 AWG jumper wire connecting W1 and W2 on the indoor unit's terminal block.



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Class III appliance

TERMINAL BLOCK - INDOOR UNIT



System Start Up

Never operate the compressor with the suction valve closed to test the compressor's pumping efficiency. In some cases, this can result in serious compressor damage and loss of warranty coverage.

For the 7-½ ton unit starting charge should be 18 lbs. of R-410A and 20 lbs. for the 10 ton unit. The length of line set, indoor unit airflow, condensing unit location and number of tubing fittings will have an impact on final unit charge amount. Turn the electrical power on, and let the system run. Wait for the refrigerant pressures to stabilize. **NOTE:** The unit comes with a holding charge of 55 oz.

Charge Verification



WARNING

REFRIGERANT UNDER PRESSURE!

- Do not overcharge system with refrigerant.
- DO NOT OPERATE UNIT IN A VACUUM OR AT NEGATIVE PRESSURE.

FAILURE TO FOLLOW PROPER PROCEDURES MAY CAUSE PROPERTY DAMAGE, PERSONAL INJURY OR DEATH.



CAUTION

USE REFRIGERANT CERTIFIED TO AHRI STANDARDS. USED REFRIGERANT MAY CAUSE COMPRESSOR DAMAGE. MOST PORTABLE MACHINES CANNOT CLEAN USED REFRIGERANT TO MEET AHRI STANDARDS.

NOTICE: Violation of EPA regulations may result in fines or other penalties.



CAUTION

DAMAGE TO THE UNIT CAUSED BY OPERATING THE COMPRESSOR WITH THE SUCTION VALVE CLOSED IS NOT COVERED UNDER THE WARRANTY AND MAY CAUSE SERIOUS COMPRESSOR DAMAGE.

Final Charge Adjustment

The outdoor temperature must be 60°F or higher. Set the room thermostat to COOL, fan switch to AUTO, and set the temperature control well below room temperature.

After system has stabilized per startup instructions, check subcooling and superheat as detailed in the following section.

Expansion Valve System

NOTE: The expansion valve bulb must be in place on the suction line and insulated.

Expansion Valve Indoor Coils:

Outdoor Temperature Over 60°F. When the outdoor temperature is above 60°F, charge the system with the room thermostat set in the "Cooling" mode and the fan operating in the "Auto" position.

Outdoor Temperature Below 60°F. When the outdoor temperature is below 60°F, charge the system with the room thermostat set in the "Heat" mode and the fan operating in the "Auto" position.

System Charging Cooling Mode. At stabilized cooling conditions and with an outdoor temperature of 60°F or higher, the system should have from 9°F to 13°F subcooling. For a proper subcooling reading, measure the refrigerant pressure and temperature at the outdoor unit's liquid line service valve. If you have less than 9°F subcooling, add charge. If you have more than 13°F subcooling, remove charge.

NOTE: Wait at least 10 minutes before taking readings and making further adjustments for the system to stabilize.

While reaching the proper subcooling level it is important to know the discharge line temperature. This temperature should be at least 80°F over ambient or unit is flooding back to compressor.

System Charging Heating Mode. Measure the hot gas discharge at the compressor to check the system charge in heat mode.

- 1. Allow the system to operate for at least 20 minutes.
- Attach and insulate an electronic thermometer to the hot gas discharge line mid way between the compressor and the reversing valve. NOTE: The thermometer is to be well insulated to prevent ambient influences.

- 3. Adjust the charge to maintain a clear sight glass.
- Allow the compressor to operate for about 10 additional minutes and measure the hot gas discharge temperature.
- 5. Using an additional electronic thermometer, measure the ambient.
- Adjust the charge until the hot gas temperature equals 105°F + ambient (+ or – 5°F). Remove charge to increase the temperature.

NOTE: A final charge adjustment will be required once the conditions are suitable to operate the unit in the cooling mode (outdoor temperature of 60°F or higher).

NOTE: When adjusting the charge, allow the compressor to operate for about 10 minutes before taking readings.

NOTE: Subsequent opening and replace of the cap will require only ½ to 1 hex flat. See the table below for the torque required for an effective seal on the valve bonnet (½ turn past finger tight).

TUBING SIZE	TORQUE (ft-lbs)		
5/8	14		
1 3/8	16		

After closing the valve bonnet, perform a final refrigerant leak test on the valves and sweat connections. Return the room thermostat to the desired settings.

Defrost Control Adjustments

This heat pump uses a Time/Temperature method for defrost. A thermal sensor electrically set to "Normally Open" is wired to the electronic defrost control located in the control box. The thermal sensor attached to the condenser coil determines the outdoor coil temperature.

Both coil temperature and compressor "run time" determine defrosting of the outdoor coil. Adjustments to the defrost timing selection can be changed from the 60 minute factory setting to either 30 or 90 minutes by moving the jumper on the defrost control. For the system to initiate a defrost, the following statements must be true:

- · The Defrost Sensor is closed, and
- The compressor "run time" is equal to the timing selection on the defrost board.

During defrost the following actions occur:

- 1. The reversing valve is energized and the heat pump operates in the cooling mode.
- 2. The airhandler auxiliary heat (if equipped) is activated.
- 3. The condenser fan motor is shut-off.

If the defrost cycle has not terminated after ten (10) minutes the control will override the defrost sensor and revert to a heating mode.

The defrost control has test pins which can be useful when troubleshooting in the heating mode. These test pins accelerate the compressor run time counter. The suggested method for accessing this feature is:

- 1. Run unit in heat mode.
- 2. Check unit for proper charge.

NOTE: Bands of frost indicate low refrigerant charge.

3. Shut off power to unit.

TROUBLESHOOTING ANALYSIS TABLE

COMPLAINT	PROBABLE CAUSE	REMEDY			
	1. Excessive charge of refrigerant in the	1. Purge or pump-down excessive charge.			
	system.	2. Make certain that coil is not fouled in any way, or			
High Head Pressure	2. Inadequate supply of air across the	that air is not re-circulating.			
	condensor coil.	3. Purge these gases from the system. Recharge			
	3. Non-condensate gases in the system.	system, if necessary.			
	1. System low on refrigerant.	1. Charge systen until sight glass is clear of bubbles.			
Low Head Pressure	2. Compressor valve broken.	2. Replace compressor.			
	Liquid line valve closed.	1. Open the liquid line.			
	2. Restricted liquid line.	2. Replace filter-dryer.			
	3. The bulb of the thermal expansion valve	3. Detach the bulb fron the suction line and hold in			
	has lost its charge.	one hand. If no liquid refrigerant goes through the			
	4. System low on refrigerant.	valve, replace the valve.			
Low Suction Pressure	5. Dirty filters.	4. Test the unit for leaks. Add refrigerant until sight			
	6. Coil frosted up.	glass is free from bubbles, after repairing leak.			
	7. Flash gas in the liquid line.	5. Clean or replace filter.			
	8. Quantity of air through evaporator not	Defrost and clean coil. Clean or replace filters.			
	adequate.	7. Excessive liquid line drop. Check liquid line size.			
		8. Increase the blower speed.			
	1. Expansion valve stuck open.	 Correct valve action or replace the valve. 			
	2. Expansion valve bulb not in contact with	Fasten bulb securely to suction line.			
High Suction Pressure	suction line.	3. Replace compressor.			
	3. Suction and/or discharge valve leaking or				
	broken.				
	Disconnect switch open (if equipped).	 Close the disconnect switch (if equipped). 			
	2. Blown fuse or fuse at disconnect switch (if	2. Check the cause of failure and replace the fuse (if			
	equipped).	equipped).			
Compressor will not	3. Thermostat set too high.	3. Adjust to lower temperature.			
start.	4. Selector switch in "OFF" position.	4. Turn selector switch knob to "Cool" position.			
	5. Contactor and/or relay coils burned out.	5. Replace contactor and/or relay.			
	6. Loose or open electrical connection in	Inspect and secure all electrical connections.			
	either the control or power circuit.				



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- 4. Disconnect outdoor fan by removing the white lead from the defrost board on DF2.
- 5. Restart unit and allow frost to accumulate.
- 6. After a few minutes the defrost thermostat should close. To verify the position of the thermostat check for 24V between "DFT" and "C" on the defrost board. Should the defrost thermostat fail to close after a heavy build-up of frost and the thermostat is less than 28°, the thermostat is to be replaced.
- 7. After the thermostat has closed, short across the test pins with the a screwdriver blade until the reversing valve shifts. This could take up to 22 seconds depending upon the position of the timing setting on the defrost board. Immediately upon the action of the reversing valve, remove the short. NOTE: If this short is not removed immediately, the defrost activity will last only 3 seconds.
- 8. After defrost has terminated (up to 10 minutes) check the defrost thermostat for 24V between "DFT" and "C". This reading should be 0V (open sensor).
- 9. Shut off power to the unit.



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10. Replace outdoor fan motor wire removed in Step 4.

NOTE: The compressor "run time' is accumulative during multiple heating cycles. The timer will reset to zero only when the defrost sensor returns to an open condition. If the room thermostat is operating in the "EM HT" mode, no accumulation of compressor time is recorded.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Qualified Installer/Servicer only

When troubleshooting, the first step should always be to check for clean coils, clean filter(s), and proper airflow. Indoor airflow should be 375 to 425 CFM per ton of cooling based on the size of the outdoor unit. The most common way of establishing indoor airflow is heating temperature rise. Indoor airflow will then be (Heating output of equipment) / (1.1 x temp. rise). In other cases, measurement of external static pressure is helpful. For details, see the Installation Instructions for your indoor unit.

Common Causes for Unsatisfactory Operation of Heat Pumps in Heating Mode

Dirty Filters

Dirty filters or inadequate airflow through the indoor coil. Failure to keep clean filters and adequate airflow (375 - 425 CFM/ton) will cause excessive discharge pressures that may cause the high-pressure switch to function.

Low Return Air Temperatures

Return ductwork temperatures that are less than 60°F will cause low discharge pressure, low suction pressure and excessive defrost cycling.

<u>Undercharging</u>

An undercharged system will cause low discharge pressure, low suction pressure and an accumulation of frost on the lower section of the outdoor coil.

Poor Termination of Defrost

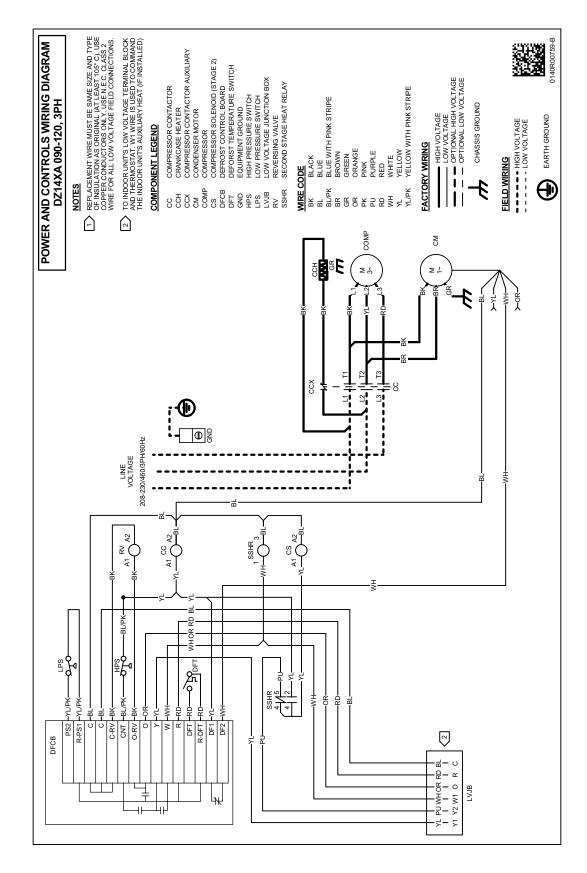
The defrost sensor must make good contact with the outside coil return bend or a non-termination of defrost may occur.

Reversing Valve

A reversing valve may not function correctly for the following reasons:

- Solenoid does not energize when voltage is present - Replace the reversing valve.
- 2. No voltage to the solenoid Check wiring.
- 3. The valve will not shift
 - a. Undercharged Check for leaks.
 - b. Valve body damage Replace reversing valve.
 - c. Valve sticking Replace the reversing valve.





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