

# Instructions – Parts List



## FOAM-CAT<sup>®</sup> HEATER

308219 Rev.G

**For use ONLY with two component urethane fluids that are unfilled and non-flammable.**

*3000 psi (21 MPa, 210 bar) Maximum Working Pressure  
Temp. Class T2C (230 ° C) Maximum Fault Temperature  
Nominal Operating Temperature: 95–158 ° F (35–70 ° C)  
Ambient Temperature Range: 40–104 ° F (5–40 ° C)*

This heater includes a heating element and an independent temperature for each of two fluids, Isocyanate and Resin, and an independent temperature control for the Foam-Cat<sup>®</sup> Heated Hose.

### **Foam-Cat<sup>®</sup> 200**

**15 lb/min**

**Model 235259**  
Series B

With Heated Hose Control  
8880 Watt

**Model 235839**  
Series B

Without Heated Hose Control  
5100 Watt

### **Foam-Cat<sup>®</sup> 400**

**30 lb/min**

**Model 235260**  
Series B

With Heated Hose Control  
13,980 Watt

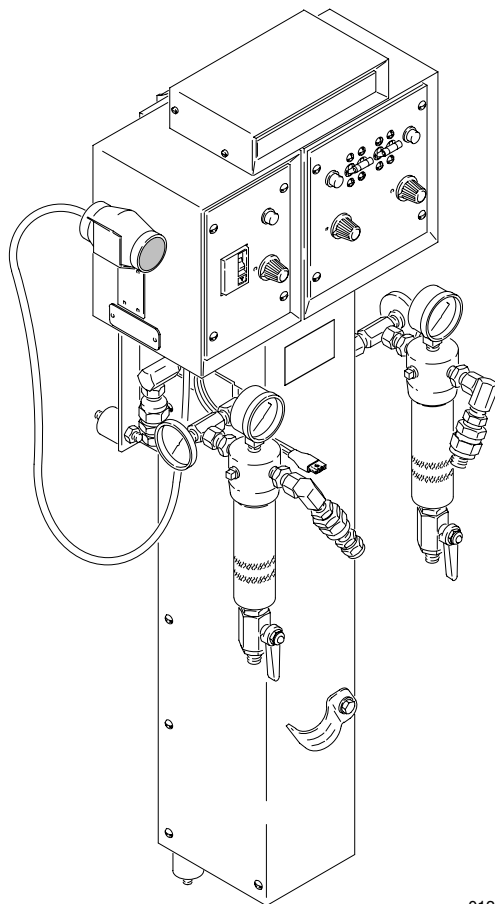
**Model 235840**  
Series B

Without Heated Hose Control  
10,200 Watt

U.S. Patent No. 4,501,952; 4,725,713

U.K. Patent No. 2,138,601

Patented Bréveté 1986 Canada



01292

### **⚠ WARNING**

#### **FIRE, EXPLOSION, AND ELECTRIC SHOCK HAZARD**

The operating and safety features of this heater are designed for use **only** with the Graco Foam-Cat<sup>®</sup> Heated Hoses: Models 218613 and 218614. To reduce the risk of serious injury, never connect other hoses to this heater.



CSA certified for use with 218613, Series B, and 218614, Series B, Heated Hoses.



**Read warnings and instructions.**  
See page 2 for Table of Contents.

# Table of Contents

|                                      |    |   |    |
|--------------------------------------|----|---|----|
| <b>Symbols</b> .....                 | 2  | Optional ATC (Ambient Temperature         |    |
| <b>Warnings</b> .....                | 3  | Compensator) .....                        | 22 |
| <b>Introduction</b> .....            | 5  | Heater Element .....                      | 22 |
| <b>Installation</b> .....            | 6  | Hose Sensor Simulator .....               | 22 |
| Pressure Relief Procedure .....      | 6  | Hose Control Circuit Board .....          | 23 |
| Startup Check List .....             | 6  | Triac .....                               | 24 |
| Typical Installation .....           | 7  | <b>Service</b> .....                      | 25 |
| Component Description .....          | 8  | Triac .....                               | 25 |
| How to Size a Generator .....        | 10 | Hi-Limit Thermostat .....                 | 26 |
| Mount the Heater .....               | 10 | Heater Sensor Probe .....                 | 27 |
| Flush the Heater .....               | 11 | Heater Element .....                      | 28 |
| Connect the Electrical Service ..... | 12 | Circuit Board .....                       | 30 |
| Ground the System .....              | 13 | Calibrating the Controls .....            | 32 |
| Prime the Heater .....               | 14 | Hose Sensor Simulator, Optional ATC ..... | 34 |
| Connect the Hoses .....              | 15 | <b>Parts</b> .....                        | 36 |
| Prime the Hoses .....                | 15 | Heater Assembly .....                     | 36 |
| Adjust the Heater .....              | 16 | Heated Hose Control .....                 | 37 |
| <b>Troubleshooting</b> .....         | 17 | Heater .....                              | 38 |
| Heated Hose .....                    | 17 | <b>Electrical Schematics</b> .....        | 41 |
| Heater .....                         | 18 | <b>Dimensions</b> .....                   | 42 |
| Electrical Resistance Checks .....   | 20 | <b>Technical Data</b> .....               | 43 |
| Setup .....                          | 20 | <b>Accessories</b> .....                  | 43 |
| Heater Sensor Probe .....            | 20 | <b>Graco Standard Warranty</b> .....      | 44 |
| Thermostat .....                     | 20 | <b>Graco Information</b> .....            | 44 |

## Symbols

### Warning Symbol



This symbol alerts you to the possibility of serious injury or death if you do not follow the instructions.

### Caution Symbol



This symbol alerts you to the possibility of damage to or destruction of equipment if you do not follow the instructions.

# WARNING



INSTRUCTIONS



## EQUIPMENT MISUSE HAZARD

Equipment misuse can cause the equipment to rupture or malfunction and result in serious injury.

- This equipment is for professional use only.
- Read all instruction manuals, tags, and labels before operating the equipment.
- Use the equipment only for its intended purpose. If you are uncertain about usage, call your Graco distributor.
- Do not alter or modify this equipment. Use only genuine Graco parts and accessories.
- The heater is very hot. Cool the heater before removing heater panels.
- Do not install a fluid shutoff device at the fluid outlet of the heater or filter as this will cause high back pressure.
- Check equipment daily. Repair or replace worn or damaged parts immediately.
- Do not exceed the maximum working pressure of the lowest rated system component. This equipment has a **3000 psi (21 MPa, 210 bar) maximum working pressure**.
- Route hoses away from traffic areas, sharp edges, moving parts, and hot surfaces.
- To avoid excessive heat buildup, never operate the hose when it is coiled.
- Do not use the hoses to pull the equipment.
- Use only Graco Foam-Cat® Heated Hoses: Models 218613 and 218614.
- Use fluids and solvents that are compatible with the equipment wetted parts. Refer to the **Technical Data** section of all equipment manuals. Read the fluid and solvent manufacturer's warnings.
- Comply with all applicable local, state, and national fire, electrical, and safety regulations.



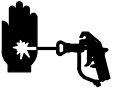
## TOXIC FLUID HAZARD

Hazardous fluid or toxic fumes can cause serious injury or death if splashed in the eyes or on the skin, inhaled, or swallowed.

- Know the specific hazards of the fluid you are using.
- Store hazardous fluid in an approved container. Dispose of hazardous fluid according to all local, state and national guidelines.
- Always wear protective eyewear, gloves, clothing and respirator as recommended by the fluid and solvent manufacturer.
- Graco does not manufacture or supply any of the reactive chemical components that may be used in this equipment and is not responsible for their effects. Graco assumes no responsibility for loss, damage, expense or claims for personal injury or property damage, direct or consequential, arising from the use of such chemical components.

*Continued on the next page.*

# WARNING



## INJECTION HAZARD

Spray from the gun, hose leaks, or ruptured components can inject fluid into your body and cause extremely serious injury, including the need for amputation. Splashing fluid in the eyes or on the skin can also cause serious injury.



- Fluid injected into the skin might look like just a cut, but it is a serious injury. **Get immediate medical attention.**
- Do not point the spray gun at anyone or at any part of the body.
- Do not put your hand or fingers over the spray tip/nozzle.
- Do not stop or deflect leaks with your hand, body, glove or rag.
- Do not “blow back” fluid; this is not an air spray system.
- Always have the trigger guard on the spray gun when spraying.
- Be sure the gun trigger safety operates before spraying.
- Lock the gun trigger safety when you stop spraying.
- Follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** on page 6 whenever you: are instructed to relieve pressure; stop spraying; clean, check, or service the equipment; and install or clean the spray tip/nozzle.
- Tighten all fluid connections before operating the equipment.
- Check the hoses, tubes, and couplings daily. Do not mend or repair any part of the hose assembly. If the hose is damaged, replace it immediately.

# **WARNING**



## **FIRE, EXPLOSION, AND ELECTRIC SHOCK HAZARD**

Improper grounding, poor ventilation, open flames, or sparks can cause a hazardous condition and result in fire, explosion, electric shock or other serious injury.

- Ground the equipment and the object being sprayed. See **Grounding** on page 13.
- All electrical wiring must be done by trained and qualified personnel and comply with all local codes and regulations.
- Do not operate the heater with any heater panels removed.
- Disconnect the main power to the heater before removing heater panels or servicing the equipment.
- Keep liquids away from the electrical components. Do not expose the heater to rain.
- Do not use the heater with flammable liquids, such as fluids having flash points below 200° F (93° C).
- Provide fresh air ventilation to avoid the buildup of flammable fumes from solvents or the fluid being sprayed.
- Keep the spray area free of debris, including solvent, rags, and gasoline.
- Before operating this equipment, electrically disconnect all equipment in the spray area.
- Before operating this equipment, extinguish all open flames or pilot lights in the spray area.
- Do not smoke in the spray area.
- Do not turn on or off any light switch in the spray area while operating or if fumes are present.
- Do not operate a gasoline engine in the spray area.
- If there is any static sparking while using the equipment, **stop spraying immediately**. Identify and correct the problem.

## **Introduction**

Understanding how the Foam-Cat® Heater functions and how to adjust it properly for your application conditions, is the key to easy operation and early detection of possible equipment problems.

Read this manual and the manuals for all of the components in your spray system thoroughly before installing or operating the equipment.

### **Reference letters and numbers**

Information on parts referenced with letters can usually be found in the separate instruction manuals accompanying those components.

### **Terms:**

**RES and ISO** refer to the foam chemicals Resin and Isocyanate, respectively.

**Ambient Temperature** is the surrounding air temperature.

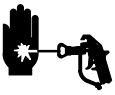
**ATC** is the optional Ambient Temperature Compensator feature of the Foam-Cat Heater. See page 9 for further explanation.

# Installation

## Pressure Relief Procedure

## Startup Check List

### WARNING



#### INJECTION HAZARD

The system pressure must be manually relieved to prevent the system from starting or spraying accidentally. Fluid under high pressure can be injected through the skin and cause serious injury. To reduce the risk of an injury from injection, splashing fluid, or moving parts, follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** whenever you:

- are instructed to relieve the pressure,
- stop spraying,
- check or service any of the system equipment,
- or install or clean the spray tip/nozzles.

1. Lock the spray gun trigger safety.
2. Shut off the air to the feed pumps.
3. Turn off the electric motor switch in a hydraulic system.
4. Turn off the air to the proportioning pump in an air-powered system.
5. Close the gun manifold fluid valves.
6. Unlock the spray gun trigger safety.
7. Hold a metal part of the gun firmly to the side of a grounded metal pail, then trigger the gun to relieve pressure.
8. Lock the trigger safety again.
9. If possible, allow the heater to cool before opening the drain valves. This prevents the Resin from frothing.
10. Open both fluid filter drain valves; have a container ready to catch the draining fluid.
11. *If you suspect that the spray tip/nozzle or hose is completely clogged, or that pressure has not been fully relieved after following the steps above, very slowly loosen the tip/nozzle retaining nut or hose end coupling to relieve pressure gradually, then loosen completely. Wear protective gloves to avoid skin injection or burns. Now clear the tip/nozzle or hose.*
12. If you are working on any part of the heater, shut off the main electrical power to the heater.

| ✓ | Installation Steps  | Page |
|---|---|------|
|   | 1. Fig. 1 shows a typical Foam-Cat® system. It is not an actual system design. The particular type and size system for your operation must be custom designed for your needs. For assistance in designing a system, contact your Graco distributor. | 1    |
|   | 2. Read the <b>Component Descriptions</b> to learn how each control operates and to help you choose the correct settings when you operate the equipment.  | 8    |
|   | 3. When using a generator to power your system, see page 10 to determine the correct size.  | 10   |
|   | 4. Mount the heater in its permanent location.  | 10   |
|   | 5. Flush the test oil from the heater.  | 11   |
|   | 6. Connect the electrical service.  | 12   |
|   | 7. Ground the system.   | 13   |
|   | 8. Prime the heater.  | 14   |
|   | 9. Connect the hoses.   | 15   |
|   | 10. Prime the hoses.  | 15   |
|   | 11. Adjust the heater.  | 16   |

# Installation

## 1. Typical Installation

This drawing shows all the components and recommended accessories for a Foam-Cat 400 Sprayer, Model 235260, and the correct routing of all air and fluid hoses.

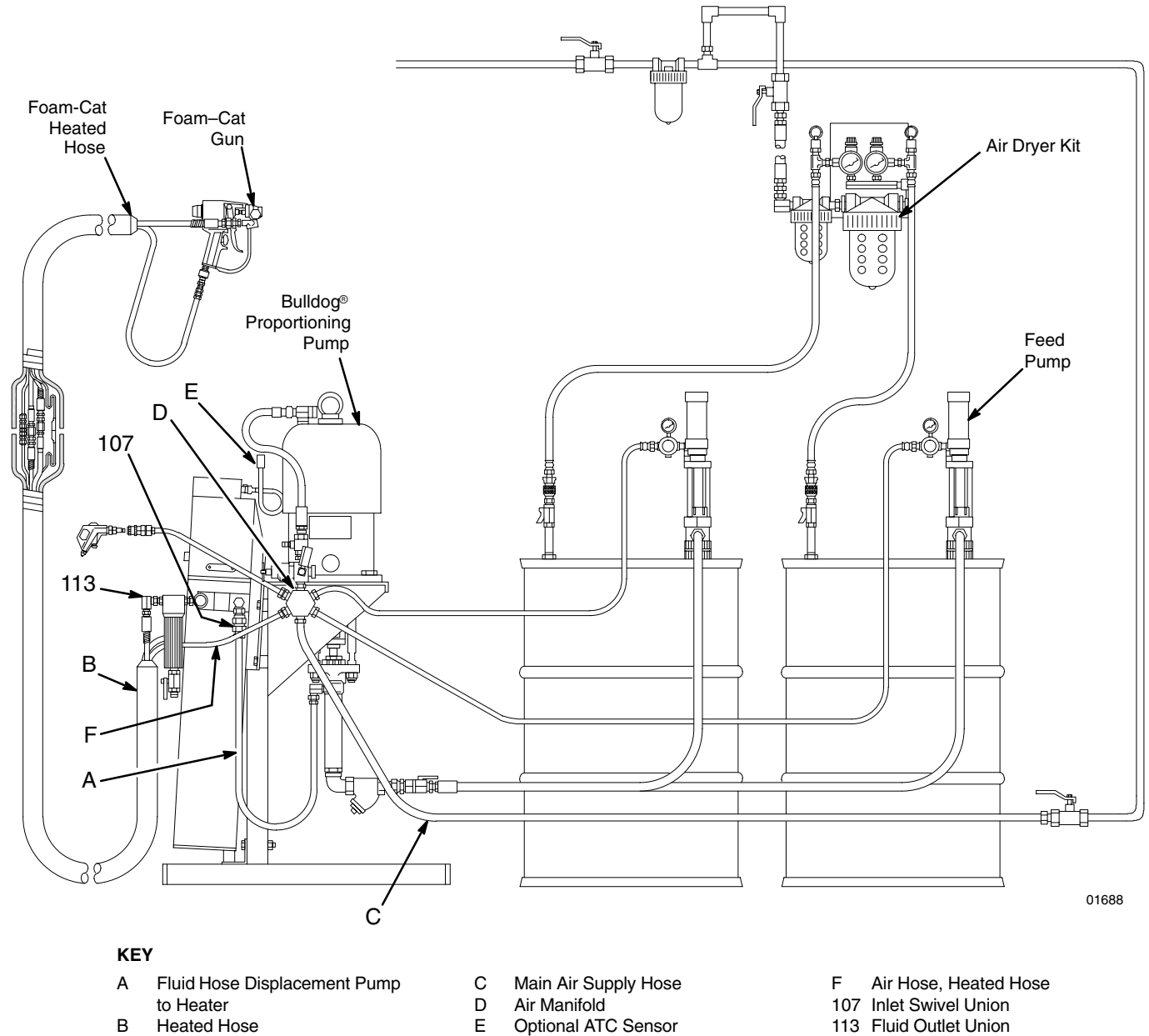


Fig. 1

# Installation

## 2. Component Description

### Fluid heater and control

The fluid heater (G) is actually two separate heaters, one for Resin and one for Isocyanate. The heaters have independent controls on the heater control panel (116); see **Control panel**, below. Each heater also has a thermometer (204).

A sensor probe (256 – see page 27) in each heater senses fluid temperature and turns the heater element on and off as needed. The heaters include a safety limit thermostat, which shuts off the power if the fluid gets too hot.

### Heated hose control (Models 235259 and 235260 only)

The heated hose control panel (317) controls power to the heat tape in the heated hose assembly. The function of the heated hose is to maintain the proper fluid temperature. The heated hose control panel is discussed in the following **Control Panel** section.

### Control panel

Each side of the heater, and the heated hose, has an independent Temperature Set dial (K), a main power circuit breaker (210 and 319) and an indicator light (214 and 314) on the control panel.

The independent circuit breakers turn on or off the main electrical power from the junction box. The heated hose circuit breaker (319) (Models 235259 and 235260 only) includes a ground fault interrupter (GFI) which shuts off the electrical power to the heat tape if it detects a fault. The GFI is a 30 mA trip international version that meets IEC 479.

**NOTE:** The circuit breakers use the international symbols, **I** for ON and **O** for OFF.

Each side of the heater control (116) and the heated hose control (317) has an indicator light (214 and 314) on the control panel, which indicates when the heater element is actually heating. The light blinks at about 1 second intervals. Its on–off time ratio indicates power consumption.

The TEMP SET dial (K) is used to select the desired fluid temperature. The range is approximately 95°F (35°C) at **MIN** (*minimum*) to 158°F (70°C) at **MAX** (*maximum*) settings.

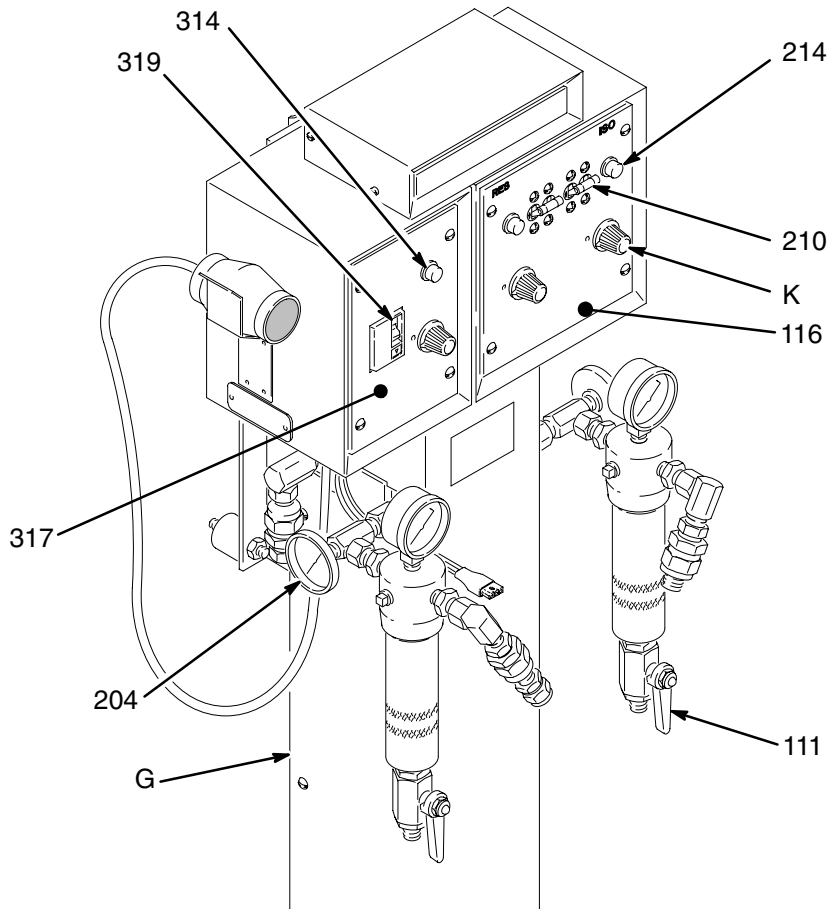


Fig. 2

01294



# Installation

## 2. Component Description (continued)

### Thermometer gauges

Each heater has an independent thermometer (204). Because of the effect on the surrounding metal exposed to the air, the thermometer usually reads far below the selected fluid temperature during no-flow conditions. The thermometer reading is only valid when fluid is flowing.

### Fluid filter

A fluid filter (112) at the outlet of each heater removes particles from the foam chemicals that could clog the spray nozzle or distort the spray pattern. Refer to the separate instruction manual, 307273, for maintenance instructions.

### Junction box

Electrical power to the Foam-Cat Heater is wired directly to the junction box (233), which supplies power to the heater and heated hose controls.

The optional **Ambient Temperature Compensator** senses change in ambient temperature and increases or decreases the amount of heat produced by the heater or heated hose tape. The fluid is heated higher on cold days than on hot days. The part number for this accessory is 218564. See page 34 to install it.

### How to use the OPTIONAL Ambient Temperature Compensator (ATC)

Most fluid heaters produce, or output, just the amount of heat selected on its TEMP SET dial, regardless of ambient temperature changes during the day. So, in order to maintain good foam development in outdoor foam applications, the operator must continually adjust the fluid temperature as ambient temperature changes.

The optional Foam-Cat Heater ATC feature automatically checks and adjusts the fluid temperature. The ATC Sensor (E-Fig. 1) which is designed to have no effect on heater output at 80°F (27°C), senses ambient temperature above or below 80°F (27°C) and automatically raises or lowers the heater output.

With the Heater TEMP SET at 115°F (46°C), and at an ambient temperature of 60°F (16°C), the heater output automatically rises to 125°F (52°C). As the ambient temperature rises to 80°F (27°C), no compensation is needed and the fluid is heated to just 115°F (46°C). As the ambient temperature rises to 100°F (38°C), the heater output is automatically lowered to 108°F (42°C).

Keep in mind these points when using the ATC:

1. An ATC is needed only when the ambient temperature varies more than 20° above or below 80°F (27°C).
2. At an ambient temperature of about 80°F (27°C), the heater heats the fluid only to the selected temperature.

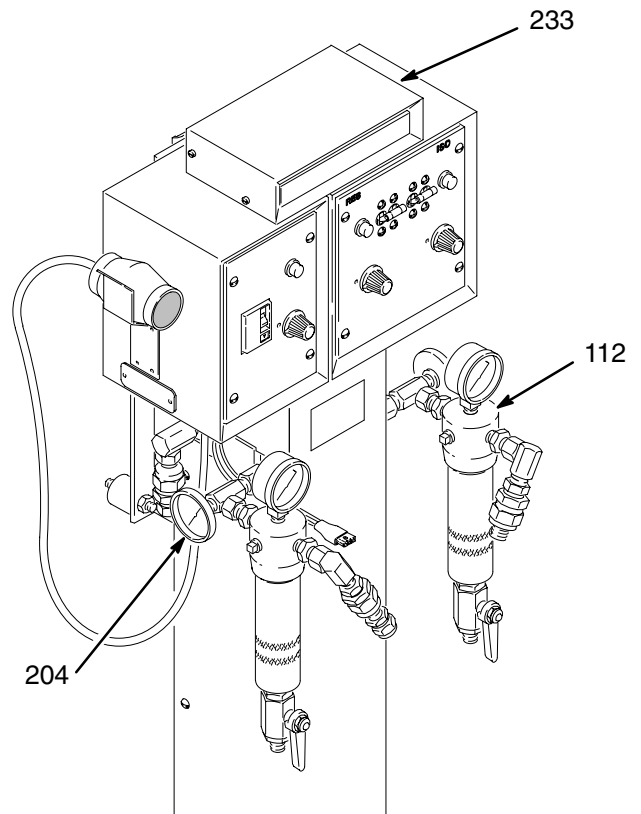


Fig. 3


01294

# Installation

## 3. How to Size a Generator for outdoor remote applications

| Style        | Hose Control | Model  | With Hydraulic Pump Motor | WATTS (240 VAC) |         |
|--------------|--------------|--------|---------------------------|-----------------|---------|
|              |              |        |                           | 1 Phase         | 3 Phase |
| Foam-Cat 200 | NO           | 235839 | NO                        | 5,100           | 7,650   |
| Foam-Cat 200 | YES          | 235259 | NO                        | 8,880           | 11,340  |
| Foam-Cat 400 | NO           | 235840 | NO                        | 10,200          | 15,300  |
| Foam-Cat 400 | YES          | 235260 | NO                        | 13,980          | 15,300  |
| Foam-Cat 400 | YES          | 235840 | YES                       | 13,980          | 15,300  |
| Foam-Cat 400 | YES          | 235260 | YES                       | 13,980          | 15,300  |

## 4. Mount the Heater

**⚠ WARNING**  
**ELECTRIC SHOCK HAZARD**  
To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not expose the heater to rain.

If you have purchased the heater module separately, bolt it securely to the Graco Pump Stand, part no. 217296 (see manual 307551) or to a wall. A mounting hole diagram is on the back cover of manual 307551.

**⚠ CAUTION**  
All critical air and fluid connections in the Foam-Cat equipment are clearly labeled ISO or RES. Make only ISO to ISO and RES to RES connections to avoid fluid crossover which will permanently damage the components.

**⚠ CAUTION**  
If you are using a Freon injector, mount it downstream from the heater so it does not pass through the heater.

# Installation

## 5. Flush the Heater

### WARNING



#### INJECTION HAZARD

To reduce the risk of serious injury, follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** on page 6 before flushing the heater or spray system and whenever you are instructed to relieve pressure.

### WARNING



#### FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD

Before flushing, disconnect the electrical power to the heater to reduce the risk of static sparking, which can cause fire or explosion.

### CAUTION

The heater was tested in lightweight oil which was left in to protect the parts during shipment. The oil must be flushed or purged from the system to avoid material contamination.

### NOTES

1. Use a solvent that is recommended by your material supplier, and be sure it is compatible with the heater's wetted parts.
2. Some material will be contaminated whether you simply purge the oil from the heater or use a solvent to thoroughly flush. Discard that material.
3. For long term shutdown or storage, flush with a compatible solvent and then flush with a lightweight oil. Leave the oil in the system to protect it during shutdown.
4. Some material suppliers provide maintenance services which include flushing and storage.
5. Never flush the hoses. It is very difficult to remove all moisture from hoses which have been flushed, and the moisture will contaminate the ISO and RES.

### Procedure

1. Relieve the pressure.
2. Disconnect the material hoses, if connected.

3. Remove the outlet fittings (X) from both fluid filter outlet nipples (114).
4. Plug each outlet nipple (114) with a swivel (P/N 156173) and plug (P/N 101754). These parts are shown exploded on the left side of Fig. 4 and assembled on the right side of Fig. 4.
5. Connect your flushing system supply hose to the IN port of one of the heaters.
6. Open the filter drain valve (111). Have a waste container ready to catch the draining solvent.
7. Turn on the flushing system and use the lowest possible pressure to flush the heater for several seconds.
8. Shut off the flushing system and close the drain valve.
9. Repeat this procedure for the other side of the heater.
10. Continue the setup by connecting the electrical service. When you are ready to prime the system, the procedure on page 14 tells how to purge the remaining solvent from the heater.

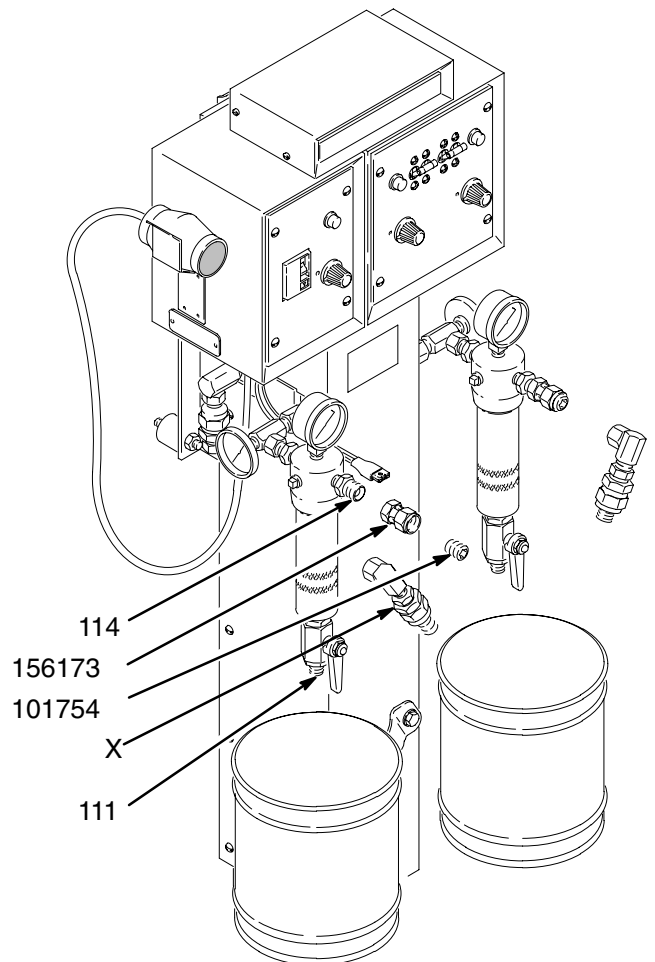


Fig. 4

01689

# Installation

## 6. Connect the Electrical Service

### ⚠ WARNING



#### ELECTRIC SHOCK HAZARD

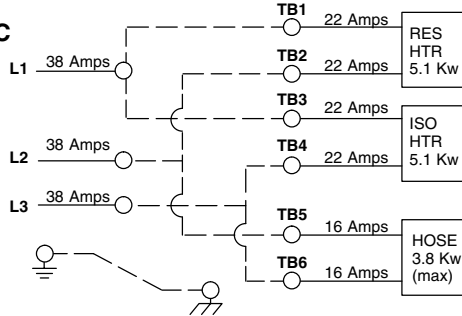
To reduce the risk of serious injury, including electric shock, all electrical wiring must be done by trained and qualified personnel and comply with all local codes and regulations.

The electrical requirements for the heater and heated hose controls and the wiring diagram are shown on the inside cover of the junction box (233). Wire the heater to your electrical service. Three jumper wires are included.

This is the information on the label (205) under the junction box cover.

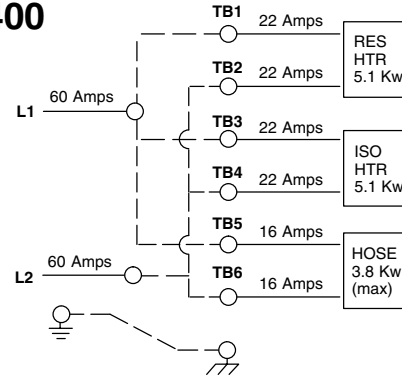
### FOAM-CAT 400

Model 235260  
3 phase, 240 VAC



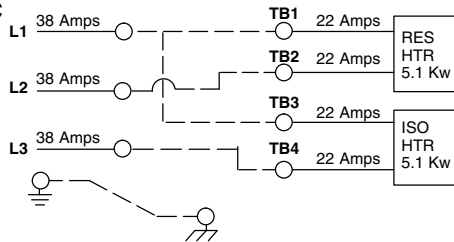
### FOAM-CAT 400

Model 235260  
1 phase, 240 VAC



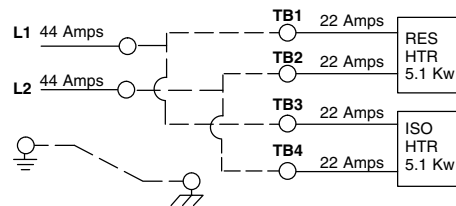
### FOAM-CAT 400

Model 235840  
3 phase, 240 VAC



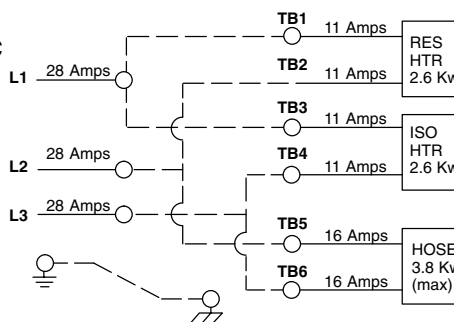
### FOAM-CAT 400

Model 235260  
1 phase, 240 VAC



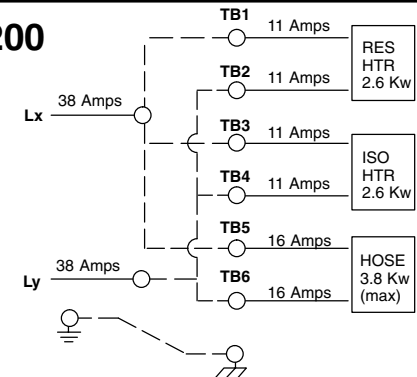
### FOAM-CAT 200

Model 235259  
3 phase, 240 VAC



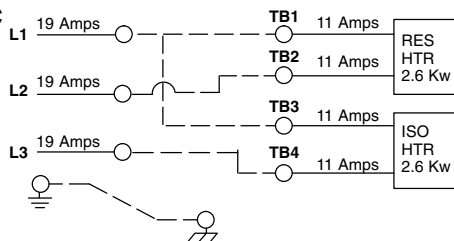
### FOAM-CAT 200

Model 235259  
1 phase, 240 VAC



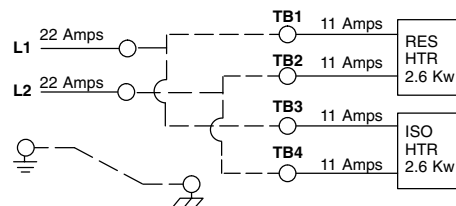
### FOAM-CAT 200

Model 235839  
3 phase, 240 VAC




### FOAM-CAT 200



Model 235839  
1 phase, 240 VAC



# Installation

## 7. Ground the System

**WARNING**



**FIRE, EXPLOSION, AND ELECTRIC SHOCK HAZARD**  
Before operating the heater, ground the system as explained below. Also read the section **FIRE, EXPLOSION, AND ELECTRIC SHOCK HAZARD** on page 5.

The following are minimum requirements for grounding a basic system. Your system may include other equipment or objects which must be grounded. Check your local electrical code for detailed grounding instructions. Your system must be connected to a true earth ground.

1. *Heater:* wire the heater to a positively grounded power supply. The heater is grounded through the electrical wiring to a grounding screw (227) in the junction box base (228). See Fig. 5.

Redundant grounding is recommended to further reduce the risk of electric shock. The long lines of the shielded-wire heated hose have higher than normal capacitive leakage current to ground.

In a mobile installation, be sure the truck or trailer is grounded to a true earth ground.

2. *Pump:* connect a ground wire and clamp to a true earth ground as shown in your separate pump manual.
3. *Fluid hoses:* use only grounded hoses with a maximum of 500 ft. (150 m) combined hose length to ensure grounding continuity.

4. *Air hoses:* use only Graco heated hose, which are electrically conductive.
5. *Spray gun:* obtain grounding through connection to a properly grounded fluid hose and pump.
6. *Object being sprayed:* ground according to local code.
7. *Fluid supply container:* ground according to local code.
8. *All solvent pails used when flushing:* ground according to local code. Use only metal pails, which are conductive. Do not place the pail on a non-conductive surface, such as paper or cardboard, which interrupts the grounding continuity.
9. *To maintain grounding continuity when flushing or relieving pressure,* always hold a metal part of the gun firmly to the side of a grounded metal pail, then trigger the gun.

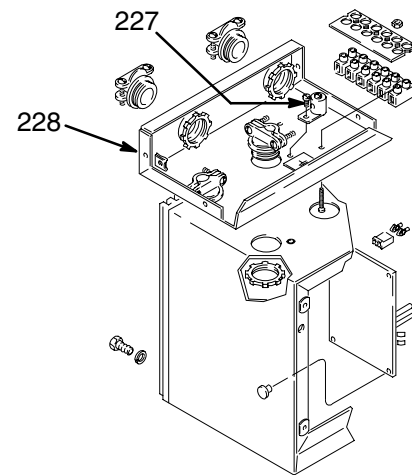


Fig. 5

# Installation

## 8. Prime the Heater

### ⚠ CAUTION

Prime the heater and sprayer with fluid before turning on the heater to reduce the risk of overheating and burning out the heater element.

### ⚠ WARNING



#### FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD

To reduce the risk of fire or explosion, do not use the heater with flammable liquids, such as fluids having flash points below 200° F (93° C).

Specific priming instructions for the Foam-Cat Sprayers are given in the sprayer manual, 307541 or 307542. If the heater is used in other spray systems, use the following priming guidelines together with your system priming instructions.

**NOTE:** Refer to Fig. 1, page 7 to identify the parts mentioned in this section, except where noted otherwise.

1. Be sure the heater has been flushed.
2. Close the feed pump air inlet valves.
3. Put a waste container under each heater drain valve.
4. Be sure the heater and heated hose controls (K) are turned OFF. See Fig. 6.
5. Open each pump's fluid intake valve.
6. Open the main air shutoff valve.
7. Adjust the supply container air dryer equipment. See the air dryer manual.

8. Open the feed pump air valve.
9. With the air or hydraulic power to the proportioning pump set at a low pressure, turn on the pump.
10. When the solvent has been thoroughly purged from both sides of the heater and ISO and RES appear, shut off the proportioning pump and close the heater drain valves.
11. Remove the swivel and plug from each filter fluid outlet.

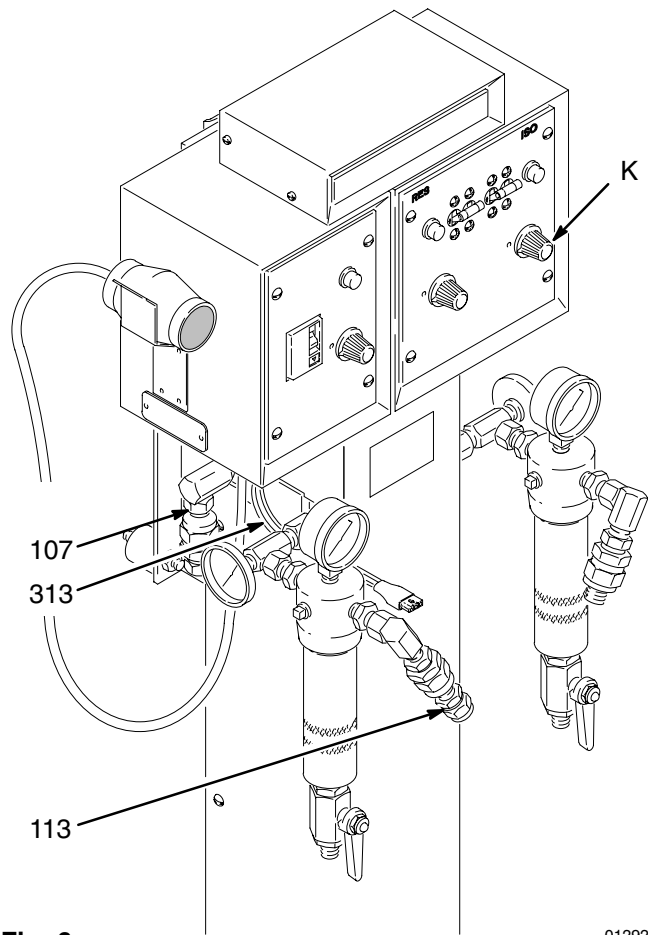


Fig. 6

01292

# Installation

## 9. Connect the Hoses

### WARNING



#### INJECTION HAZARD

To reduce the risk of overpressurizing the heater and pump, which can cause component rupture, serious injury or property damage, follow these precautions:

1. Do not install any fluid shutoff device at the fluid outlet (Y) of either the heater or filter (112). See Fig. 7.
  2. Use at least 15 ft. (4.5 m) of fluid hose between the fluid outlet and any fluid control device such as a shutoff valve, regulator, or spray gun.
  3. To reduce strain on the hose near the hose couplings, route the heated hoses through the clamp (126) on the front of the heater.
  4. Turn hose heat on 15 minutes before turning pump on to reduce heat expansion pressure.
1. Connect the fluid supply hoses from the displacement pump to the proper fluid inlet union (107) on each side of the heater. See Fig. 7.
  2. Connect the fluid dispense hoses of the heated hose assembly to the fluid outlet union (113) of each fluid filter.
  3. Connect a main air supply hose (C) to the manifold (D) on the side of the pump stand. See Fig. 1, page 7.
  4. Connect the heat tape connector of the heated hose assembly to the heated hose control box cable (313). See Fig. 7.
  5. Connect the heated hose assembly air hose (F) to the jumper hose from the air manifold (D). See Fig. 1.

## 10. Prime the Hoses

1. Tightly close the spray gun fluid valves and disconnect the gun from its manifold. Refer to the gun manual.
2. Hold each side of the gun manifold over a separate grounded waste container, open the fluid valves and allow fluid to flow out until all air is purged. Close fluid valves. See the gun manual.
3. Check for fluid connection leaks. Relieve fluid pressure and correct.
4. Increase pressure and check again for leaks.
5. Insulate hose connections and install the abrasion cover as instructed in manual 307544.

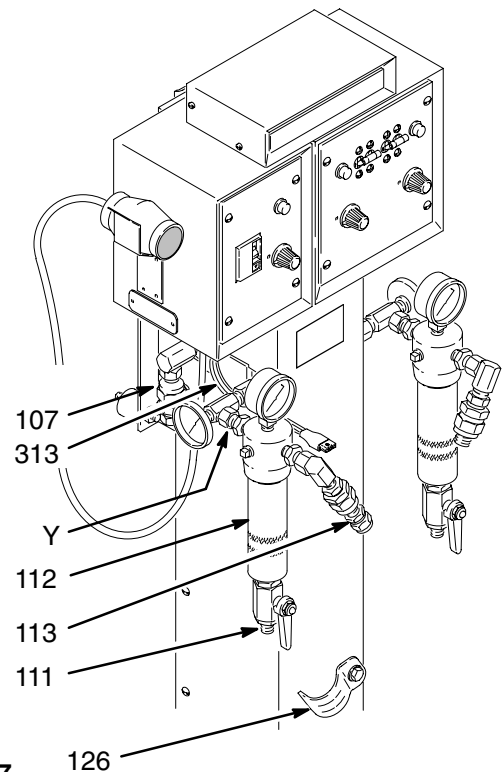


Fig. 7

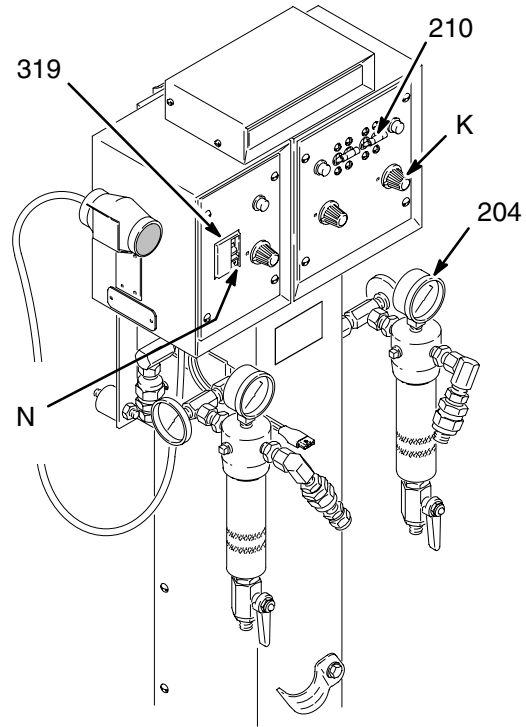
01691

# Installation

## 11. Adjust the Heater

1. Measure the incoming voltage on the junction box power in terminal block from pins 1 to 2, pins 3 to 4, and pins 5 to 6. See Fig. 10 or 11, pages 21 and 23. Voltage must read 200 to 240 VAC rms between each set of pins.
2. Set all three Temperature Set dials (K) to **CAL**. See Fig. 8.
3. Turn the circuit breakers (210 and 319) to **I** (ON). See Fig. 8.
4. Check that the input voltage is still correct.
5. The heater lamps should blink within 10 seconds after turning on the circuit breakers. With fluid flowing only, check the heater thermometers (204) regularly and manually adjust the fluid temperature as needed. See Fig. 8.
6. The heated hose control lamp should start blinking soon after turning on the circuit breaker. The duration of ON versus OFF time indicates power applied.
7. If using a heated hose control, test the Ground Fault Interrupter (GFI) daily. To test, depress the button (N). See Fig. 8. If the circuit breaker shuts off, the GFI is working properly.

**NOTE:** If the lamps do not start blinking in the time specified above, check for possible problems and solutions in the Troubleshooting guide, starting on page 18.



**Fig. 8**

01691



# Troubleshooting

## WARNING

To reduce the risk of injury from burns or electric shock, never operate the heater with any heater shield or panel removed. Disconnect the main electrical power to the heater before removing any heater panels.

To reduce the risk of serious injury, including injection, follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** on page 6 before checking or repairing any part of the heater or spray system.

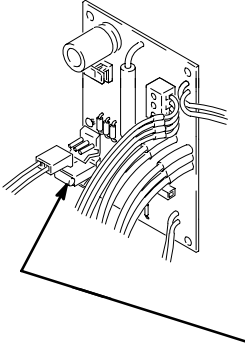
**NOTE:** Try the recommended solutions in the order given for each problem to avoid unnecessary repairs.

### Heated Hose


| Problem                                      | Cause  | Solution   |
|--|--|--|
| Heated Hose Control indicator lamp stays on  | Faulty triac (281)                             | Check triac wiring. See Fig. 13, page 25.  |
|  | Faulty circuit board (223 or 306)              | Replace. See page 30.  |
|  | Faulty Hose Sensor Simulator (304)             | Be sure simulator is firmly plugged into circuit board.<br>Check simulator resistance. See page 23.                            |
|  | Hose Sensor Simulator (304) not plugged in     | Plug in.   |
| Heated Hose Control indicator lamp stays off | Heated hose not plugged into control box       | Check, plug in.  |
|  | Wiring or voltage problem                      | Check the wiring and the voltage: 200–240 VRMs during fluid flow and at stall. See <b>Adjust the Heater</b> , Step 1, page 16. |
|  | Faulty circuit board                           | Replace. See page 30.  |
|  | Hose thermostat is bad                         | Check. See manual 307544.  |
| Hose temperature fluctuates                  | Hose Sensor Simulator (304) out of calibration | Be sure simulator is firmly plugged into circuit board. Check calibration. See page 34.  |
|  | Faulty Hose Sensor Simulator (304)             | Replace. See page 34.  |

# Troubleshooting

## Heater

| Problem   | Cause   | Solution  |
|---|---|---|
| Heater Control indicator lamp stays on<br><br> | Flow rate too high to maintain set temperature  | Decrease flow rate; using smaller orifice nozzle reduces flow rate.<br><br>Release gun trigger; lights should go off in a few seconds.<br><br>Maximum flow rates are:<br>Foam-Cat® 200: 15 lb/min (6.8 kg/min)<br>Foam-Cat® 400: 30 lb/min (13.5 kg/min)  |
|   | Faulty Sensor Probe (256)                       | Check the following for both sides of heater: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Probe connector is aligned properly into all 3 male pins of circuit board.</li> <li>2. Probe protrudes 1.44" (36 mm) from manifold. See Fig. 16, page 27.</li> <li>3. Check resistance. See page 20.</li> </ol> |
|   | P1 connector unplugged; see drawing to the left | Plug in.<br>Check resistance. See page 20.  |
|   | Faulty Triac                                    | Check triac wiring. See Fig. 12, page 24.<br>Check resistance. See page 24.   |
|   | The ATC, if used, is not plugged in             | Be sure ATC connector, if used, is properly plugged into circuit board.<br>Check resistance. See page 22.   |
|   | Circuit board out of calibration                | See page 32. Calibration procedure is included in replacement procedure.  |
|   | Sensor Probe (256) not plugged in               | Plug in. See page 27.   |
| Heater Control indicator lamp stays off – no heat.  | Thermostat(s) (252) open (normally closed)      | Reset thermostat by pushing reset button. See Fig. 14, page 26.   |
|   | Triac wires not connected properly              | Check triac detail. See Fig. 13, page 25.   |
|   | TEMP SET dial wires not connected               | Check wiring. See Fig. 10, page 21.   |
|   | Faulty circuit board                            | Replace. See page 30.   |
|   | AC power wiring or voltage problem              | Check for 200–240 VRMs. See <b>Adjust the Heater</b> , Step 1, page 16.   |
|   | Elements burned out or not plugged in           | Check element resistance. See page 22.  |

# Troubleshooting

| Problem   | Cause  | Solution   |
|---|--|--|
| Temperature erratic or inaccurate   | Sensor probe (256) out of position   | Probe must protrude 1.44" (36 mm) from manifold. See Fig. 16, page 27.<br>Indicator light should go out within 5 seconds of shutting gun off after flowing.              |
|   | Heater out of calibration  | Calibrate controls. See page 32.   |
|   | Improper incoming voltage  | Check the wiring and the voltage: 200–240 VRMs during fluid flow and at stall. See <b>Adjust the Heater</b> , Step 1, page 16.   |
|   | One thermostat open (normally closed), <b>Model 235260 &amp; 235840 only</b> | Reset thermostat by pushing reset button. See Fig. 14, page 26.  |
|   | Faulty sensor probe (256)  | Check resistance. See page 20. Replace. See page 27.   |
| <p>Large pressure difference between ISO and RES side, For example:<br/>600 psi (4.2 MPa, 42 bar) ISO<br/>1000 psi (7 MPa, 70 bar) RES</p> <p> <b>WARNING:</b> As this problem can be caused by clogged or blocked parts, take special care and follow the <b>Pressure Relief Procedure</b>, page 6, before checking, cleaning or clearing parts to help reduce the risk of serious injury, including injection.</p> | Thermostat(s) (252) open   | Reset thermostat by pushing reset button. See Fig. 14, page 26.  |
|   | Fluid on high pressure side is too thick                                     | Increase heater temperature on high pressure side to reduce viscosity, which should level the pressure, OR lower the temperature on the low pressure side.               |
|   | Gun nozzle impingers clogged or damaged                                      | Clean nozzle. Using an oversized cleanout pin or damaging nozzle during cleaning may increase impinger hole size and cause an imbalance of fluid. See gun manual 307546. |
|   | Blocked filters  | Check outlet filter (112; also see manual 307273).<br>Check gun check valve screen. See gun manual 307546.   |
|   | Clogged hoses  | Flush clean, if possible, or replace hose. Use and clean filters regularly. Don't allow mixed fluid to back up into hoses.   |
|   | Fluid supply low or empty  | Refill; prime system to remove air.  |
|   | Fluid pump or hose connections leaking                                       | Check for leaks and repair or tighten as needed. See pump manual also.   |

# Troubleshooting Electrical Resistance Checks

## ⚠ WARNING

To reduce the risk of serious injury, including fluid injection or electric shock:



1. Follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** on page 6 before checking or adjusting any part of the system or any component and whenever you are instructed to relieve pressure.



2. Disconnect the main electrical power to the heater before removing any heater panels.

Measuring the resistance of a part helps determine if it is working properly. If you get a measurement other than those given in the following procedures, replace the faulty part.

## Setup

1. Relieve the pressure, and shut off the main power to the heater.
2. Remove the appropriate control panels.
3. Determine the approximate temperature of the part; if the heater was operated recently, the temperature will be high.
4. To remove wires, use the accessory tool, P/N 110968 or a 3/16 in. wide screwdriver. Insert the tool into the slot below each wire on the terminal block, push the tool away from the wire and pull out the wire. See Fig. 9.
5. To reconnect the wires, push the tool into the slot, slide in the wire and release the tool.

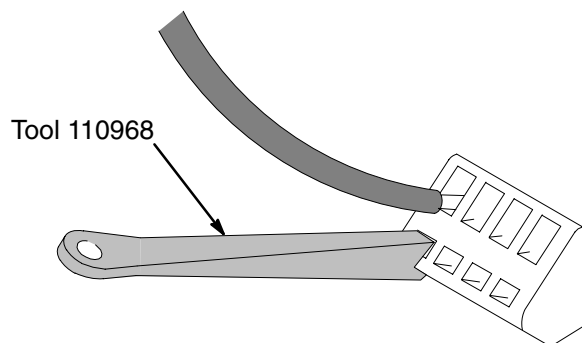


Fig. 9

01698

## Heater Sensor Probe

1. Follow the previous **Setup** instructions.
2. Remove the heater control panel (216). See Fig. 13, page 25.
3. Unplug the connector P1 at position J2 on the heater circuit board in question. See Fig. 10.
4. Check the resistance across the two outside terminals of connector P2. The resistance should be:  
  
45K to 55K ohms at 77° F (26° C), or  
10K to 20K ohms at 120° F (49° C)
5. To replace the sensor probe (256), see page 22.

## Thermostat *(normally closed)*

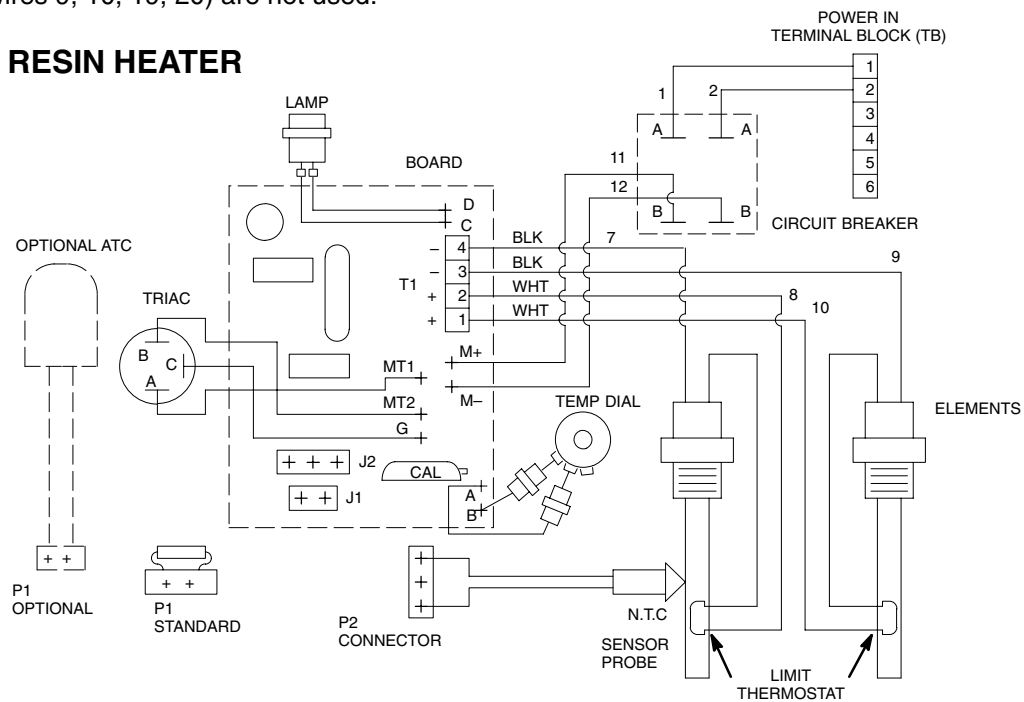
1. Follow the previous **Setup** instructions.
2. To check continuity from inside the wiring junction box, remove the wires from connector T1 and check continuity across the wires. See Fig. 10.
3. To check continuity at the thermostat, remove the front heater element shroud (238). Check for continuity across the terminals at each switch, with one lead disconnected and after pushing the reset button. See Fig. 13, page 25.
4. If there is no continuity, replace the thermostat. See page 26.

# Troubleshooting – Electrical Resistance Checks

## Heater Wiring Schematics

Heater No. 235840 is shown in Fig. 10. The wiring for Heater No. 235839 is identical except the second set of elements (wires 9, 10, 19, 20) are not used.

### RESIN HEATER



### ISO HEATER

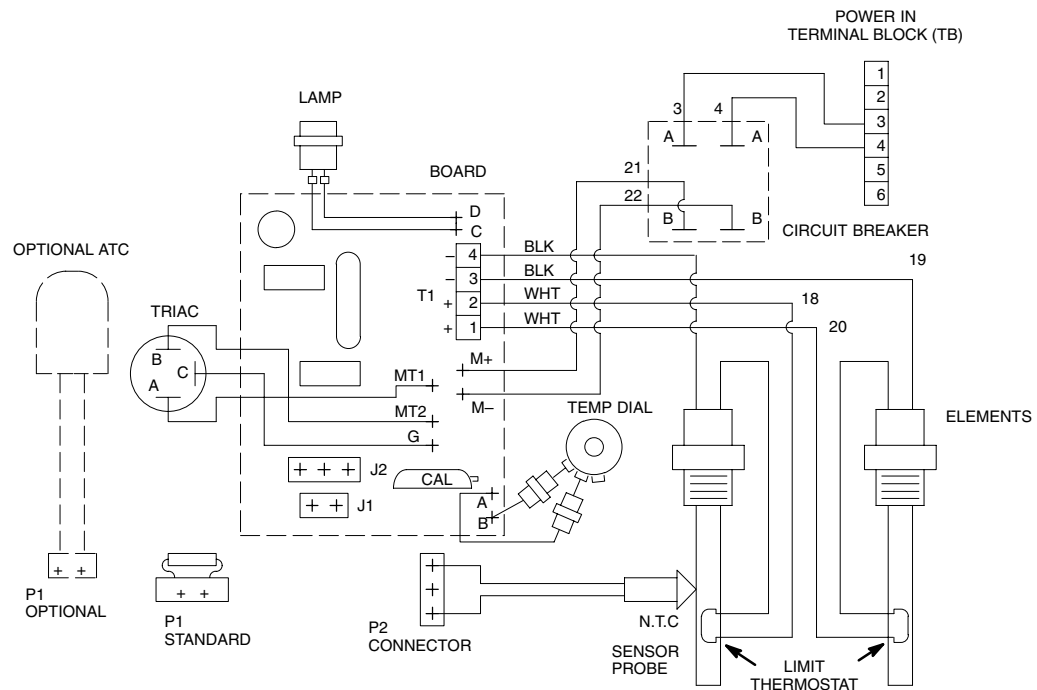


Fig. 10

# Troubleshooting – Electrical Resistance Checks

## Optional ATC (Ambient Temperature Compensator)

1. Follow the **Setup** instructions on page 20.
2. Remove the heater control panel (216). See Fig. 13, page 25.
3. Unplug the connector P1 at position J1 on both heater circuit boards and the hose circuit board. See Fig. 10 and 11.
4. Check resistance across the two terminals of each connector P1. The resistance should be:  
  
45K to 55K ohms at 77° F (26° C), or  
10K to 20K ohms at 120° F (49° C)
5. To replace the ATC, see page 34.

## Heater Element

Use this chart to identify the heater assembly and heater element wires used in your Foam-Cat® Heater.

| Foam-Cat Heater Model No. | Flow Capacity              | Heater Assy. No. | Heater Element Wire Numbers     |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|
| 235260<br>235840          | 30 lb/min<br>(13.5 kg/min) | 235840           | 7,8,9,10 RES<br>17,18,91,20 ISO |
| 235259<br>235839          | 15 lb/min<br>(6.75 kg/min) | 235839           | 7,8 RES<br>17,18 ISO            |

1. Follow the **Setup** instructions on page 20.
2. Remove the heater control panel (216). See Fig. 13, page 25.
3. Use the procedure in **Setup** to disconnect the wires in step 4.

4. Check the resistance across wires 7 and 8, and 9 and 10, on the RES board. Check the resistance across wires 17 and 18, and then 19 and 20 on the ISO board. The resistance should be as follows. If an open conditions exists, check the hi-limit thermostat. See Fig. 10, page 21.

20 to 25 ohms at 77° F (26° C)

5. To replace the heater element, see page 28.

## Hose Sensor Simulator

1. Follow the **Setup** instructions on page 20.
2. Remove the heated hose control panel (317). See Fig. 13, page 25.
3. Unplug the connector P2 at position J2 on the hose circuit board. See Fig. 11.
4. Using the procedure in **Setup**, page 20, disconnect the two leads from the hose sensor simulator (304) connect to the circuit board connector T1 at positions 2 and 4.
5. Check the resistance across the two outside terminals of connector P2. The resistance should be:  
  
45K to 55K ohms at 77° F (26° C), or  
10K to 20K ohms at 120° F (49° C)
6. Check the resistance across the two leads removed from T1. The resistance should be:  
  
13K TO 17K ohms
7. To replace the simulator, see page 34.

# Troubleshooting – Electrical Resistance Checks

## Hose Control Circuit Board

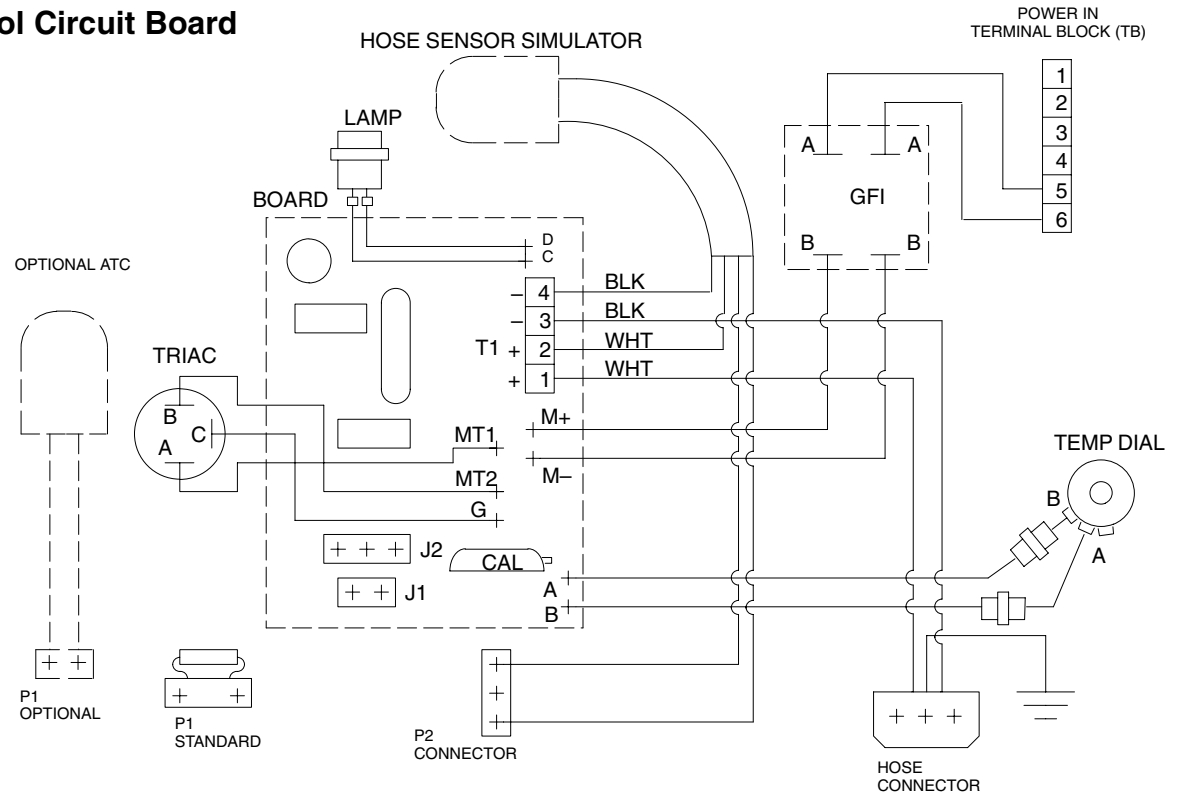


Fig. 11

01690

# Troubleshooting – Electrical Resistance Checks

## Triac

1. Follow the **Setup** instructions on page 20.
2. Grasp the connector of each triac lead and unplug them from the triac (281). See Fig. 13, page 25.

3. Clamp the positive and negative meter leads to the pins indicated in the chart in Fig. 12. Replace the triac if any one of the readings is incorrect.

**NOTE:** When using a digital V.O.M. with automatic range, for example, a Model 77 Fluke, infinity = 10 megohms or greater.

4. To replace the triac, see page 25.

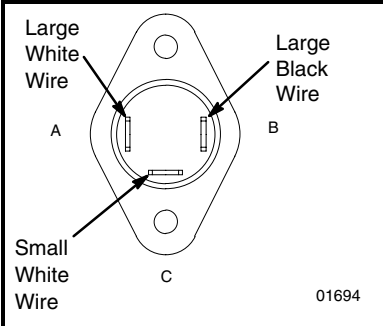
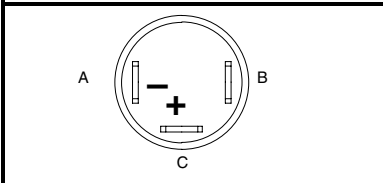
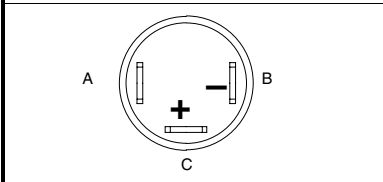
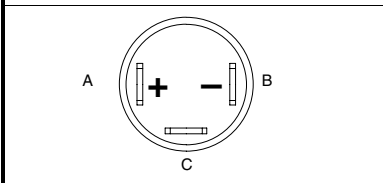
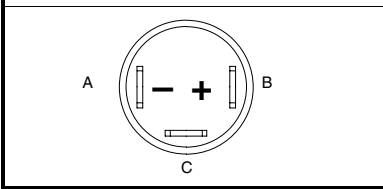
|  |  |  |                    |                     |
|--|--|--|--------------------|---------------------|
|    | <div>+</div> <div>POSITIVE</div> <div>METER LEAD</div> <div>TO PIN</div> | <div>-</div> <div>NEGATIVE</div> <div>LEAD</div> <div>TO PIN</div> | CORRECT<br>READING | OHMMETER<br>SETTING |
|    | C  | A  | 0–100 ohms         | 200 ohms            |
|   | C  | B  | Infinity           | 200K ohms           |
|  | A  | B  | Infinity           | 200K ohms           |
|  | B  | A  | Infinity           | 200K ohms           |

Fig. 12



# Service – Triac, Hi-Limit Thermostat

## WARNING

To reduce the risk of serious injury, including burns from hot fluid or hot metal; fluid injection; or electric shock:



1. Cool the fluid in the heater by pumping unheated fluid through it for two minutes before removing the front heater panel (238).
2. Follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** on page 6 before checking or adjusting any part of the system or any component and whenever you are instructed to relieve pressure.
3. Disconnect the main electrical power to the heater before removing any heater panels.

## Replacing the Triac

1. Relieve the pressure, and shut off the main power to the heater.
2. The triac leads should be disconnected if you performed the **Electrical Resistance** check. If not, see the procedure on page 24.
3. Remove the screws (292 or 337), lockwashers (291 or 336) and the triac (281 or 306a).
4. Apply conductive paste (order Graco P/N 110009) to the bottom flange of the new triac. Position the triac as shown in Fig. 13.
5. Reconnect the leads firmly to the triac. See the DETAIL in Fig. 13.
6. Reinstall the control panel cover.

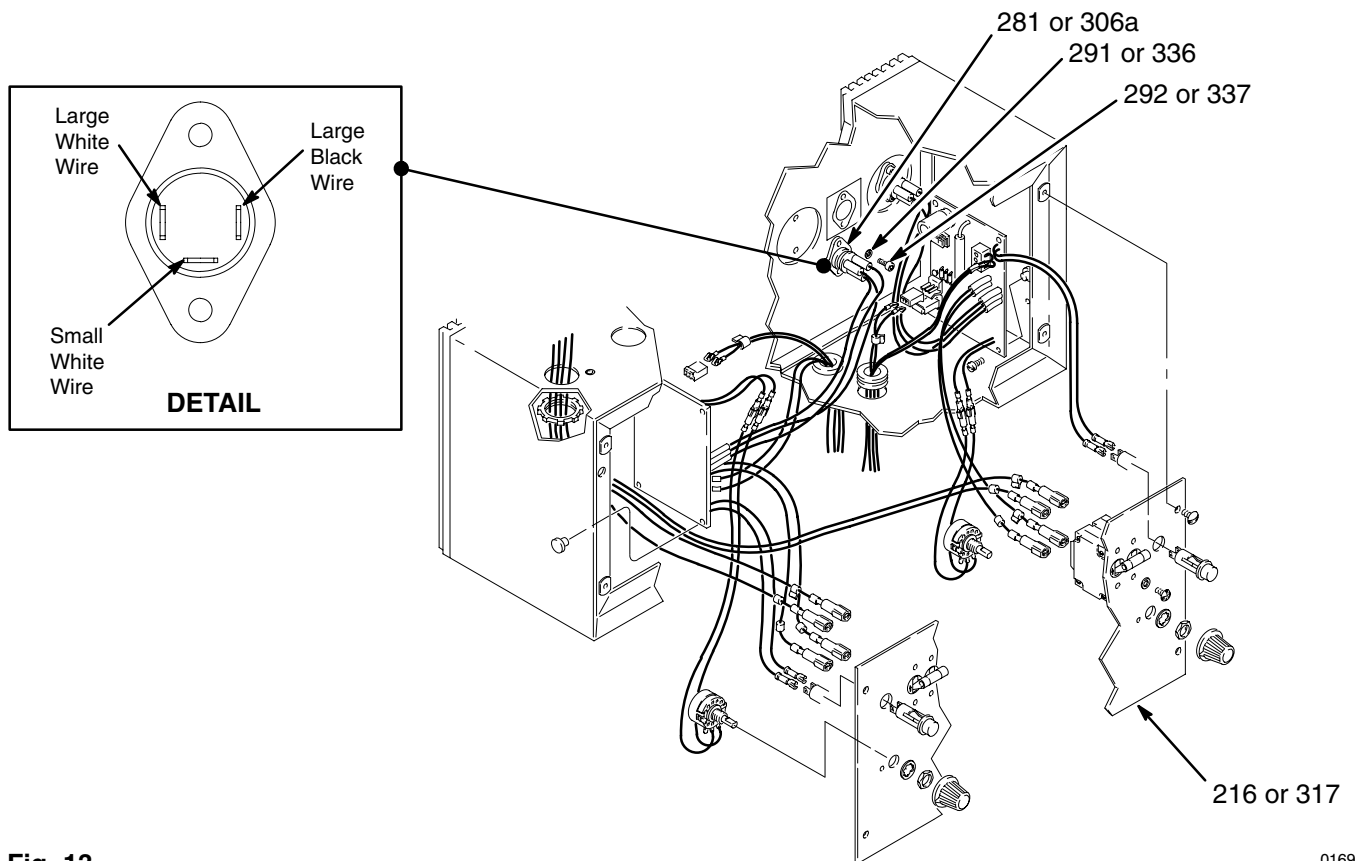


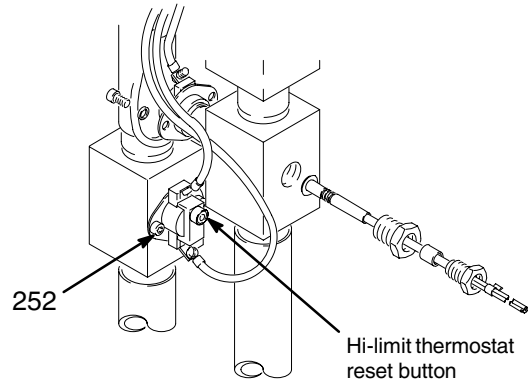
Fig. 13

01696

# Service – Triac, Hi-Limit Thermostat

## Replacing the Hi-Limit Thermostat

1. Relieve the pressure, and shut off the main power to the heater.
2. Remove the front heater shroud (238). See page 39.
3. Disconnect the wires to the thermostat (252). See Fig. 14.
4. Remove the screws, lockwashers and the thermostat.
5. Apply conductive paste (order Graco P/N 110009) to the bottom flange of the new thermostat.
6. Install a new thermostat and tighten the screws.
7. Reconnect the wires.
8. Be sure the reset button is pushed in. See Fig. 14.
9. Reinstall the heater shroud (238).



**Fig. 14**

01692

# Service – Heater Sensor Probe

## WARNING

To reduce the risk of serious injury, including burns from hot fluid or hot metal; fluid injection; or electric shock:



1. Cool the fluid in the heater by pumping unheated fluid through it for two minutes before removing the front heater panel (238).



2. Follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** on page 6 before checking or adjusting any part of the system or any component and whenever you are instructed to relieve pressure.



3. Disconnect the main electrical power to the heater before removing any heater panels.

## Replacing the Heater Sensor Probe

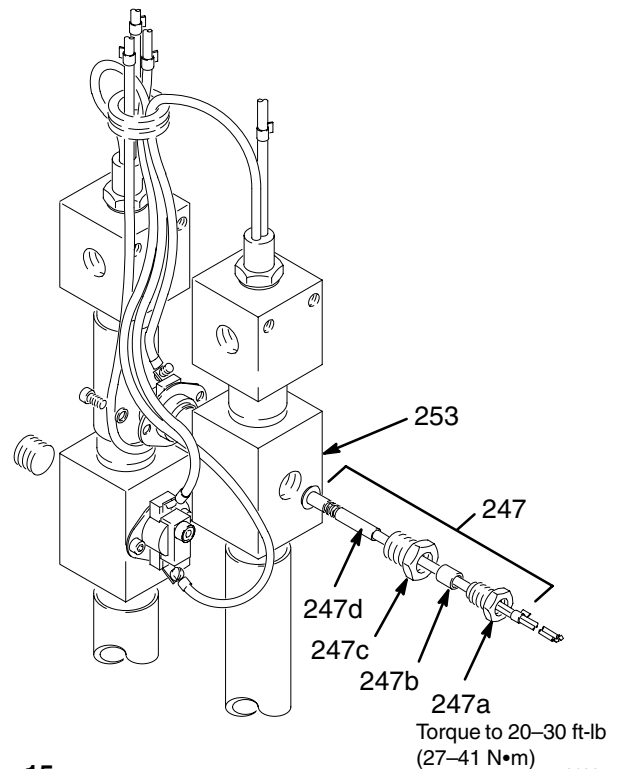
**NOTE:** Use Repair Kit 220650.

1. Relieve the pressure, and shut off the main power to the heater.
2. Perform the electrical resistance check on page 20.
3. Disconnect the power cord. Remove the front heater panel (238).
4. Cut the probe wires close to the connector P2 in the control box. Using a screwdriver, push the pins in the connector down and out. Save the connector.
5. Unscrew the adapter (247c) and remove the probe assembly (247) from the manifold (253). See Fig. 15.
6. Push the probe (247d) through the adapter (247c). Feed the probe wires through the seal (247b) and packing nut (247a). Push the seal into the adapter (247c) and then apply PTFE tape to its threads.
7. Use needle nose pliers to push the probe into the manifold (253) so it is between two heater element coils, is touching the heater element cord, and protrudes 1.44 in. (36 mm) from the manifold. A gauge (286) can be used to verify this distance. Finger-tighten the packing nut (247a). See Fig. 16.
8. Tighten the adapter (247c) fully into the manifold.
9. Tighten the packing nut (247a) to 20–30 ft-lb (27–41 N•m).

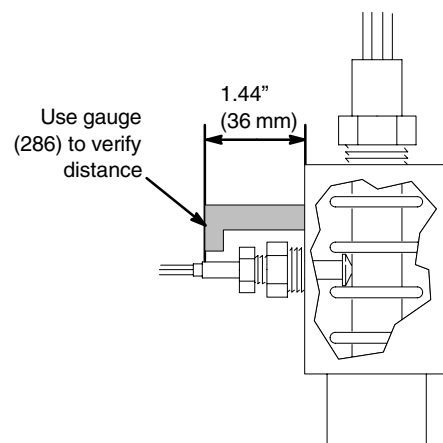
10. Guide the probe wires through the opening in the bottom of the control box.
11. Insert the new probe wires into the outer slots of the connectors P2. See Fig. 19, page 29. Do not connect a wire to the center.
12. Calibrate the probe.

## Calibrating the Heater Sensor Probe

1. Monitor the temperature of the fluid flowing at the thermometers.
2. If the temperature does not go low enough at the MIN setting, turn the calibrate potentiometer as instructed on page 32.



**Fig. 15**



**Fig. 16**

# Service – Heater Element

## ⚠ WARNING

To reduce the risk of serious injury, including burns from hot fluid or hot metal; fluid injection; or electric shock:



1. Cool the fluid in the heater by pumping unheated fluid through it for two minutes before removing the front heater panel (238).



2. Follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** on page 6 before checking or adjusting any part of the system or any component and whenever you are instructed to relieve pressure.



3. Disconnect the main electrical power to the heater before removing any heater panels.

**NOTE:** Refer to Fig. 17 except where noted.

1. Relieve the pressure, and shut off the main power to the heater.
2. The heater element wires and sensor probe wires should already be disconnected since doing the electrical resistance check. If not, see the procedure on page 20.
3. Connect the control panel cover (216) to the control box with one screw to keep it out of the way. See Fig. 20, page 30.
4. Remove the front heater cover (238). See page 39. Disconnect the heating element wire from the thermostats.
5. Pull the disconnected wires out the bottom. Be careful not to pull the connectors off the wires.
6. Remove all four nuts (102) and lockwashers (103) from the side flanges of the heater mounting bracket (234). See Fig. 17.
7. Lift up slightly on the heater and pull it a few inches away from the heater mounting bracket. Lean the top of the heater toward the pump stand and use a strap wrapped around the control box and the proportioning pump motor to hold the heater at an angle of about 4 in. (101 mm) from the pump stand.
8. Remove the screw (235A) and lockwasher (236A) from behind the front flange of the manifold.
9. From the back of the heater mounting bracket (234) remove the top screws (235B) and lockwasher (236B) only from the side of the heater you are working on.
10. Push the heater element tube (243) up slightly, tip the bottom of the tube out and away from the rear panel, and then pull it away from the heater. Keep the tube upright to avoid spilling any fluid left in the tube.
11. *If the front heater element is bad*, loosen the adapter (247c) one turn. Refer to Fig. 18. Unscrew the heater element and pull it out of the tube.  
  
*If the rear heater element is bad*, unscrew it and pull it out of the tube.
12. Install a new heater element (254).

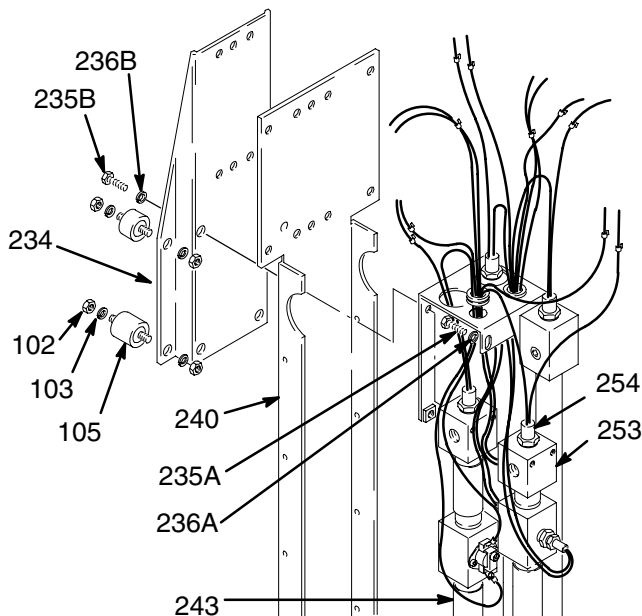


Fig. 17

01296

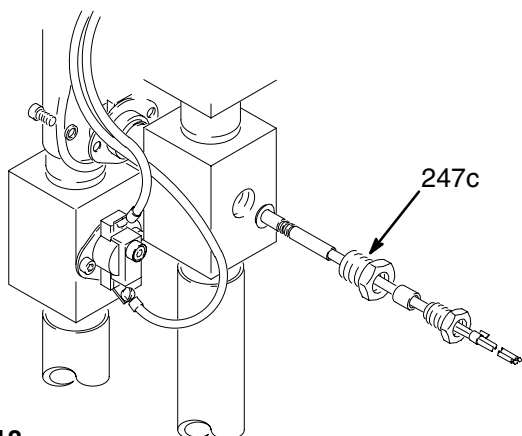


Fig. 18

01692

# Service – Heater Element

**NOTE:** If replacing the rear element, go to Step 16.

13. If the front heater element was replaced, tighten the probe adapter (247c) just one turn.
14. Reposition the heater element tube on the rear panel (240). Install the screw (235A) and lock-washer (236A) into the manifold (253) through the back of the manifold bracket front flange. Engage a couple of threads.
15. Reinstall the screw (235B) and lockwasher (236B) through the rear of the mounting bracket (234). Tighten firmly and then finish tightening the front screw and lockwasher.

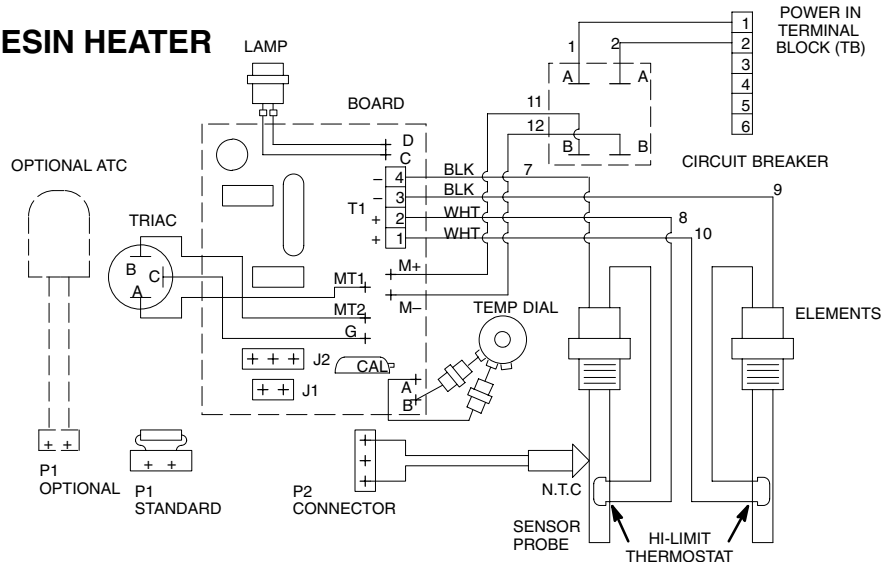
**NOTE:** You may find it easier to position and install the screws (235A and 235B) if one person holds up the heater element tube while another person installs the screws.

16. Remove the control panel cover (216). Guide the wires of the heater up through the bottom of the control box.
17. Remove the strap holding the heater. Position the heater mounting bracket over the threaded shafts of the cylindrical mounts (104 and 105). Install the lockwashers (103) and nuts (102).
18. Connect the heating element wire to the Hi-Limit Thermostat.
19. Reinstall the heater element and thermostat wires at terminal block T1 of the circuit board. See Fig. 19 for the proper wire positions.
20. Reinstall the control panel cover (216).

## Wiring Schematics

Heater No. 235840 is shown in Fig. 19. The wiring for Heater No. 235839 is identical *except* the second set of elements (wires 9, 10, 19, 20) are not used.

### RESIN HEATER



### ISO HEATER

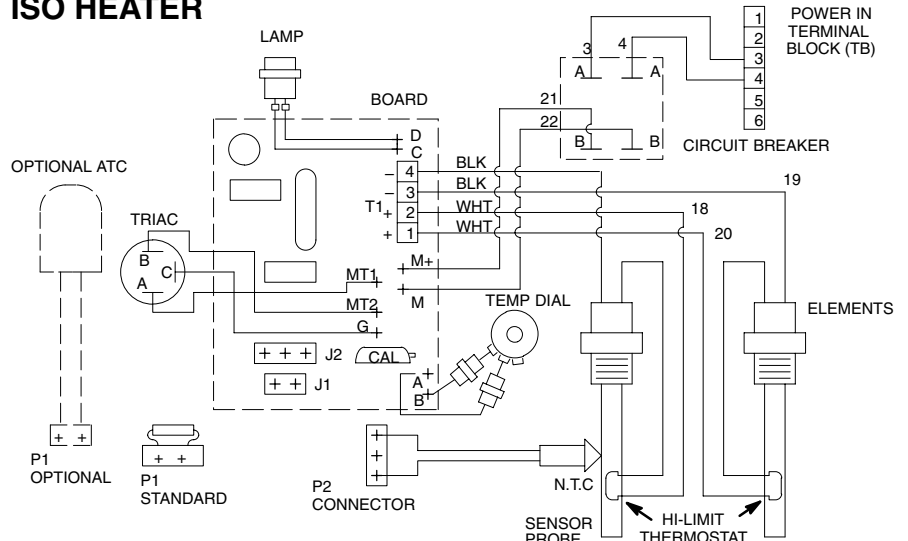


Fig. 19

# Service – Circuit Board

## Replacing a Circuit Board

### ⚠ WARNING



Have a person qualified in electrical repair replace a circuit board. An incorrectly installed circuit board can bypass built-in safety features or cause the heater to overheat. This can result in serious injury or can cause a circuit board to fail immediately.

### ⚠ WARNING

To reduce the risk of serious injury, including fluid injection or electric shock:



1. Follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** on page 6 before checking or adjusting any part of the system or any component and whenever you are instructed to relieve pressure.



2. Disconnect the main electrical power to the heater before removing any heater panels.

**NOTE:** Use replacement part 235255.

## Disassembly

1. Relieve the pressure, and shut off the main power to the heater.
2. Remove the control panel cover (216 or 317).
3. Unplug the wires leading to the TEMP SET dial.
4. Unplug the wires of the indicator light (214 or 314) from behind the control panel (216 or 317). Unplug the wires from the triac (223a or 306a), noting the position of the wires. See Fig. 20 and 21.
5. Disconnect the heater element wires at terminal block T1. See Fig. 21.
6. Unplug the power wires (RES wire no. 11 and 12; ISO wire no. 21 and 22) from the circuit breaker (210 or 319). See Fig. 21.
7. Remove and keep the screws (284 and 335) from each corner of the circuit board. Remove the board. See Fig. 20.
8. Remove the screws (291 or 336) and washers (292 or 337) from the triac (223a or 306a).

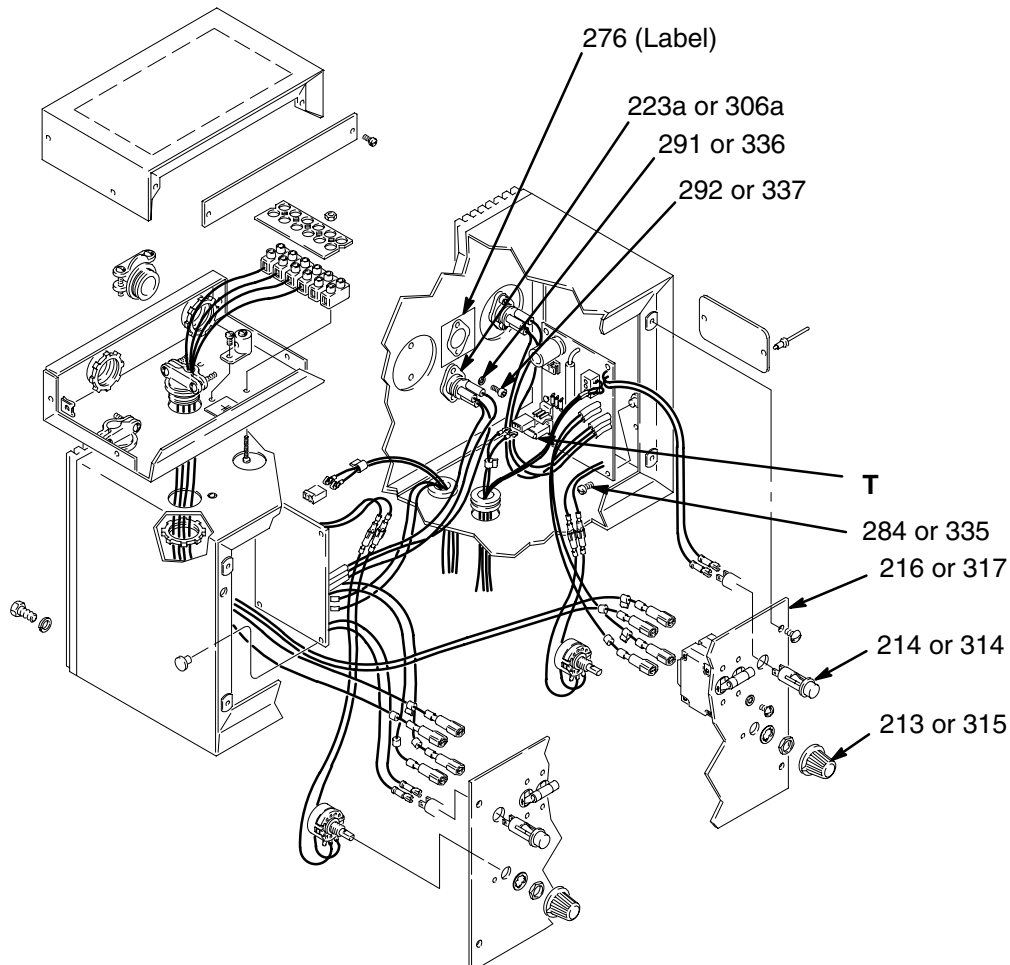


Fig. 20

01298

# Service – Circuit Board

## Reassembly

1. Apply conductive paste (Graco P/N 110009) to the bottom flange of the triac (223a or 306a). Position the triac as shown in Fig. 20. Use the screws (291 or 336) and lockwashers (292 or 337) to mount the triac to the back of the control.
2. Position the new circuit board in the control box. Install the screws (284 or 335), starting the first screw at the lower front corner. After each screw is started, snug them tightly.
3. Plug in the triac wires, if not plugged in. See Fig. 13, page 25. Verify the triac wiring with the label (276) located inside the control box. See Fig. 20, page 30.

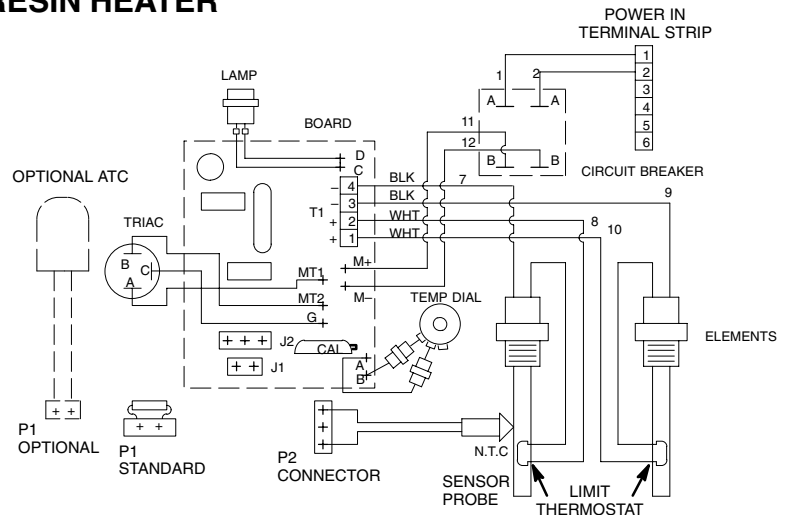
**NOTE:** See **Setup** on page 20 for how to reconnect the wires.

4. If used, plug the ATC connector (T) into the circuit board position J1. Otherwise, make sure the 2 pin connector is installed at J1 with the 47.5K resistor. See Fig. 20 and 21.
5. Reinstall the heater element wires into terminal block T1, in the positions indicated in Fig. 21.
6. Plug the indicator light leads (214 or 314) into the rear of the indicator light. See Fig. 20 and 21.
7. Plug in the wires leading to the TEMP SET dial (213 or 315). See Fig. 20 and 21.
8. Plug the sensor probe connector P2 into the circuit board at position J2. See Fig. 20 and 21.
9. Reinstall the control panel cover (216 or 317) and tighten the screws firmly.

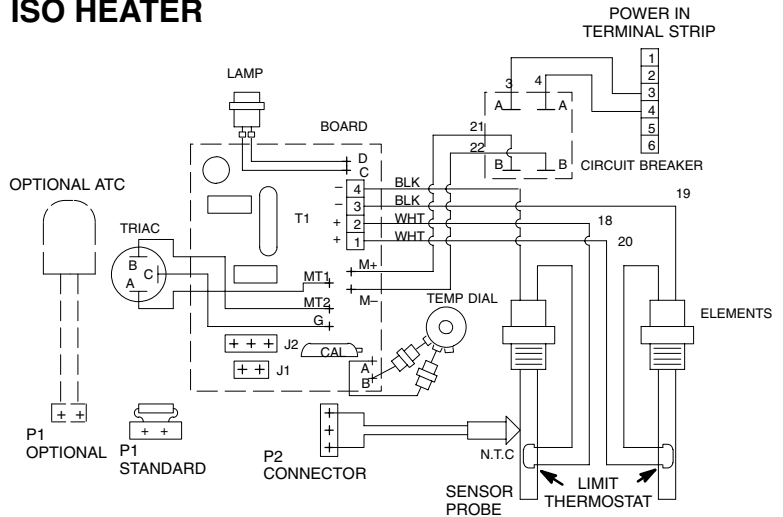
## Wiring Schematics

Heater No. 235840 is shown in Fig. 21. The wiring for Heater No. 235839 is identical except the second set of elements (wires 9, 10, 19, 20) are not used.

### RESIN HEATER



### ISO HEATER



### HOSE HEATER

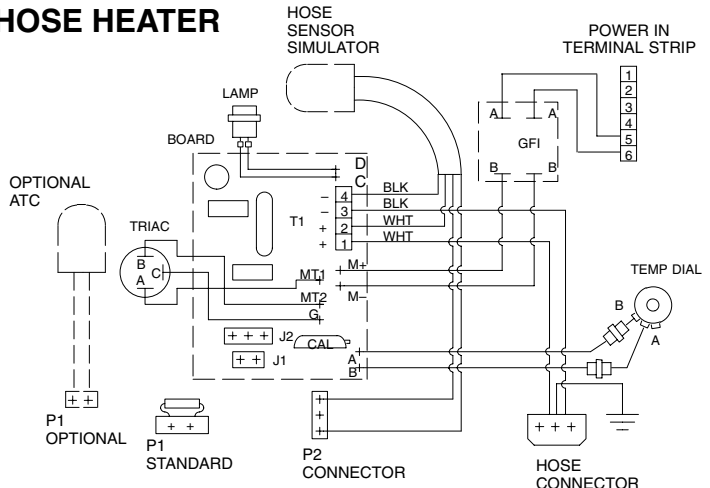


Fig. 21

# Service Calibrating the Controls

## Calibrating the Controls

### WARNING

To reduce the risk of serious injury, including fluid injection or electric shock:



1. Follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** on page 6 before checking or adjusting any part of the system or any component and whenever you are instructed to relieve pressure.



2. Disconnect the main electrical power to the heater before removing any heater panels.

**NOTE:** The thermometers normally read very low during no-flow conditions. This is due to the influence of the metal surrounding the gauge which is exposed to the air.

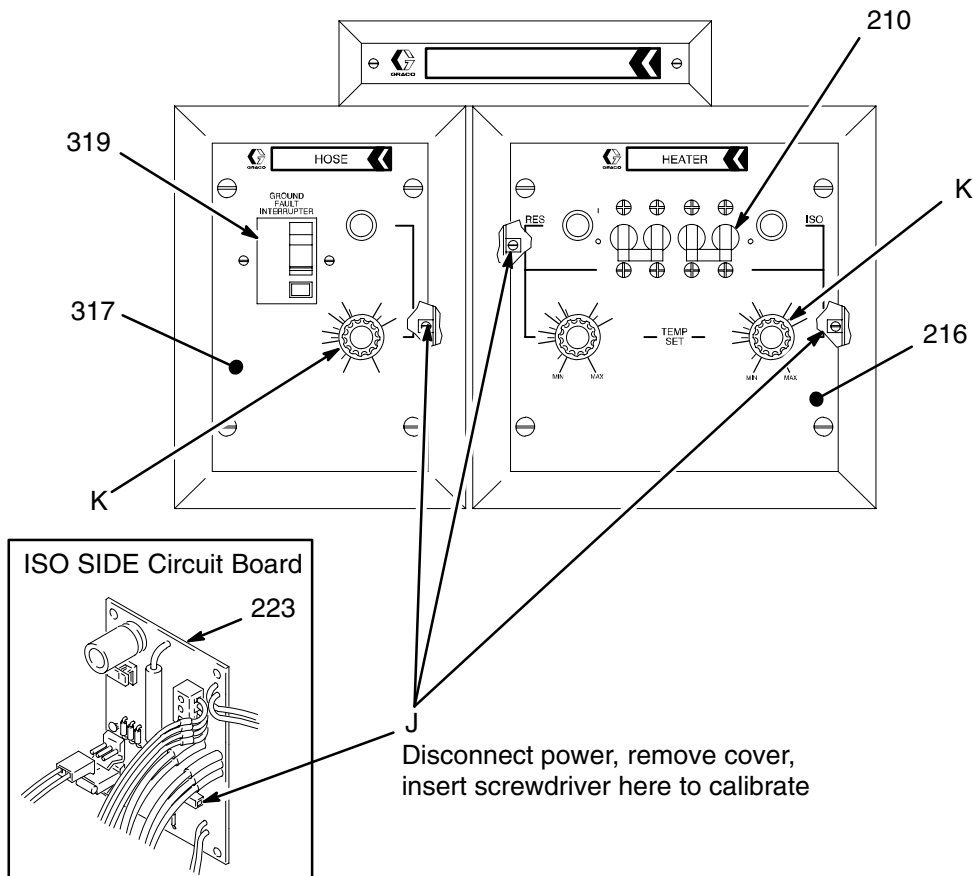
6. If the temperature is not within range:
  - a. Turn the circuit breakers (210 or 319) to **O** (OFF).
  - b. Shut off the main power to the heater.
  - c. Remove the control panel cover (216 or 317).
  - d. Insert a small screwdriver into the calibrate resistor (J) and adjust as follows:

- (1) *To increase temperature*, turn the screwdriver counterclockwise 1 complete turn for every 4° of increase needed.

**NOTE:** If the temperature is set too high the thermostats will trip and will have to be manually reset.

- (2) *To decrease the temperature*, turn the screwdriver clockwise 1 complete turn for every 4° of decrease needed.

7. Wait for 5 minutes and check the temperature again. If it is still incorrect, repeat step 5 again.





## Notes

[illegible]

# Service Hose Sensor Simulator, Optional ATC

## WARNING

To reduce the risk of serious injury, including fluid injection or electric shock:



1. Follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** on page 6 before checking or adjusting any part of the system or any component and whenever you are instructed to relieve pressure.



2. Disconnect the main electrical power to the heater before removing any heater panels.

## Hose Sensor Simulator Replacement

**NOTE:** Use replacement part 218655.

1. Relieve the pressure, and shut off the main power to the heater.
2. Check the resistance of the simulator (304) before replacing it. See the procedure on page 23. That procedure also tells you how to disconnect the simulator leads.
3. Loosen the cable clamp (312) screws and pull out the simulator leads.
4. Install the new simulator through the clamp. Be sure that about 1/4 in. (7 mm) of insulation is cut away from the lead ends. Using the procedure in **Setup**, page 20, insert the leads.
5. Calibrate the hose sensor simulator.

## CAUTION

Calibrate the simulator as instructed below before continuing to reassemble the heater. Calibration ensures proper temperature.

## Hose Sensor Simulator Calibration

1. A Graco heated hose (P/N 218613, 218614, 947514, 947515 and 948723) must be connected to the heater.
2. Turn on the electrical power, turn on the hose circuit breaker, and set the temperature dial to **CAL**. Allow the heater to warm up.

3. If adjusted properly, the light on the hose control panel should be ON about 80% of the time and OFF about 20% of the time for 15 to 20 minutes and then start to decrease its ON time.

## WARNING



### **ELECTRIC SHOCK HAZARD**

To reduce the risk of electric shock, turn off the main power to the heater before adjusting the potentiometer.

4. If a fluid sample is too cold after 30 minutes, turn the potentiometer counterclockwise 2 turns and recheck.
5. If a fluid sample is too hot after 30 minutes, turn the potentiometer clockwise 2 turns at a time and recheck.

## Installing the Optional ATC (Ambient Temperature Compensator)

1. Relieve the pressure, and shut off the main power to the heater.
2. Remove connector P1 from each circuit board. See Fig. 23.
3. Install the new ATC through the cable clamp (207) of the main junction box (228). See page 38.

Insert two connectors (P1) of the ATC sensor through the cable clamp (207) that holds the junction box (228) to the heater control box (224).

Insert the third connector (P1) of the ATC sensor through the cable clamp (207) that holds the junction box (228) to the hose control box (309).

Connect one connector to each circuit board at position J1 of the heater and hose controls.

4. Tighten the cable clamp screws and reinstall the control panel covers and junction box cover.

**NOTE:** If your system does not include a hose control box, one set of leads and its connector will not be used. Tape these parts inside the box.

# Service – Hose Sensor Simulator, Optional ATC

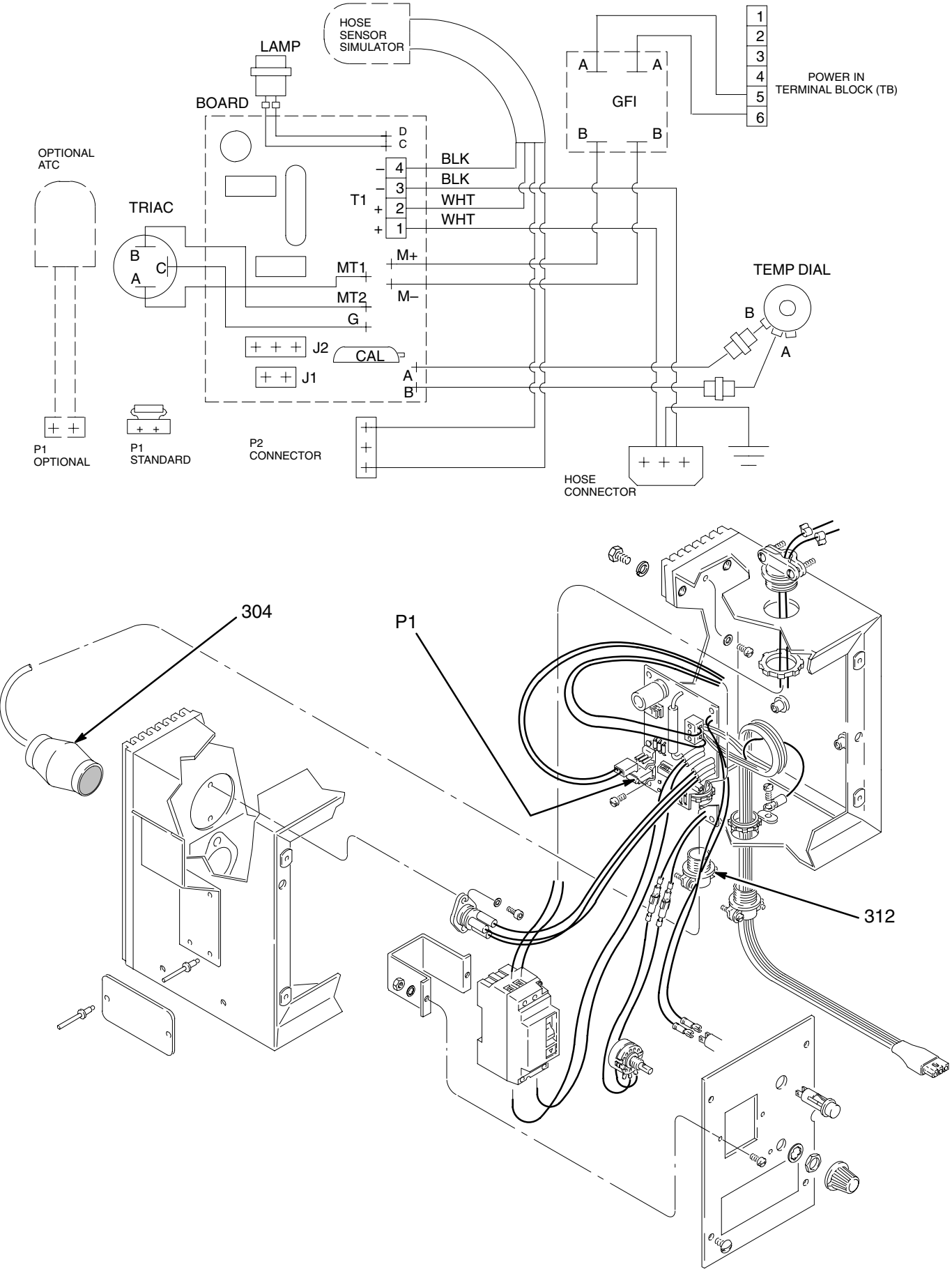
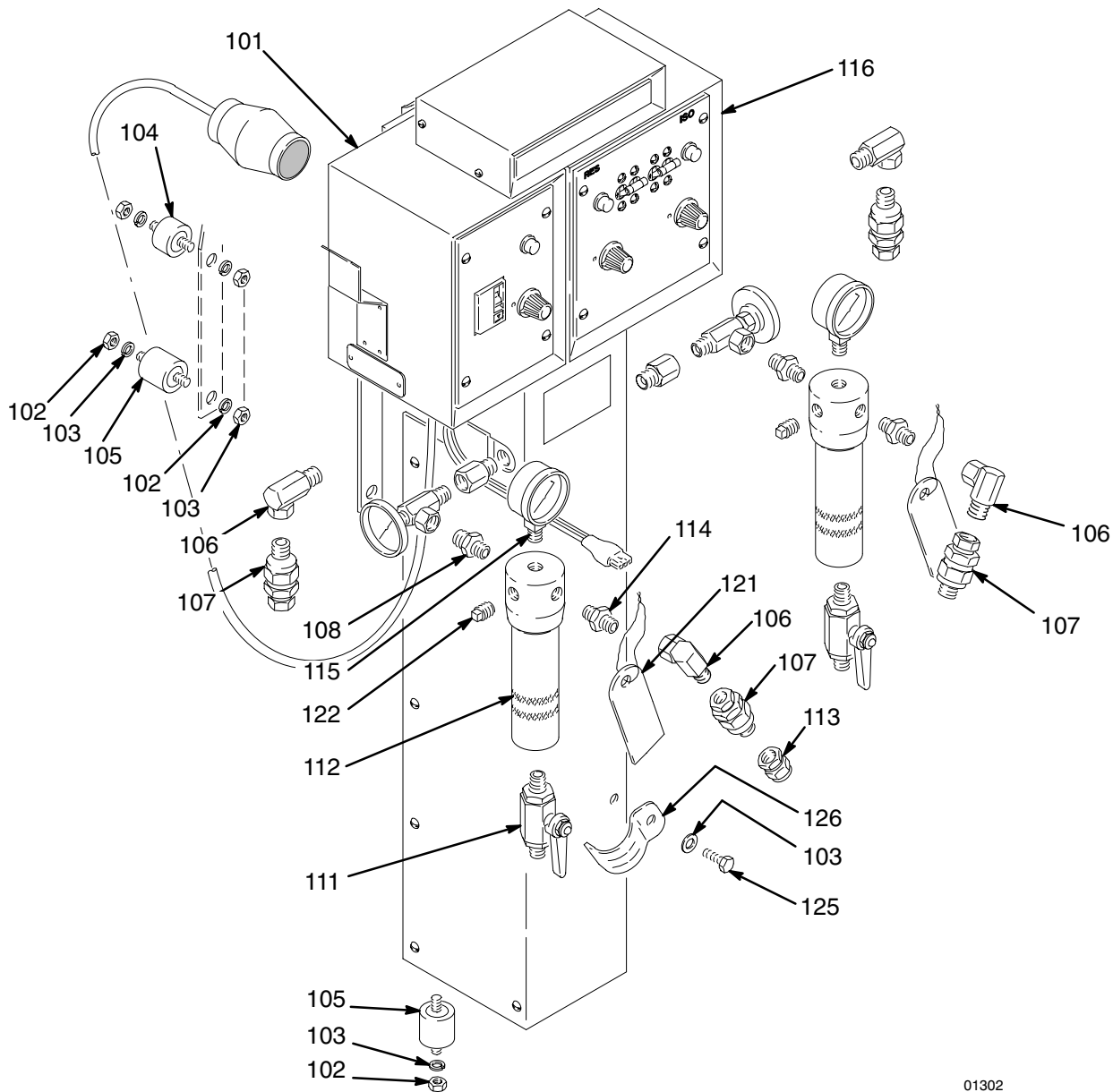


Fig. 23

# Parts – Heater Assembly

**235259** Foam-Cat Heater, 15 lb/min (6.75 kg/min)  
**235260** Foam-Cat Heater, 30 lb/min (13.5 kg/min)



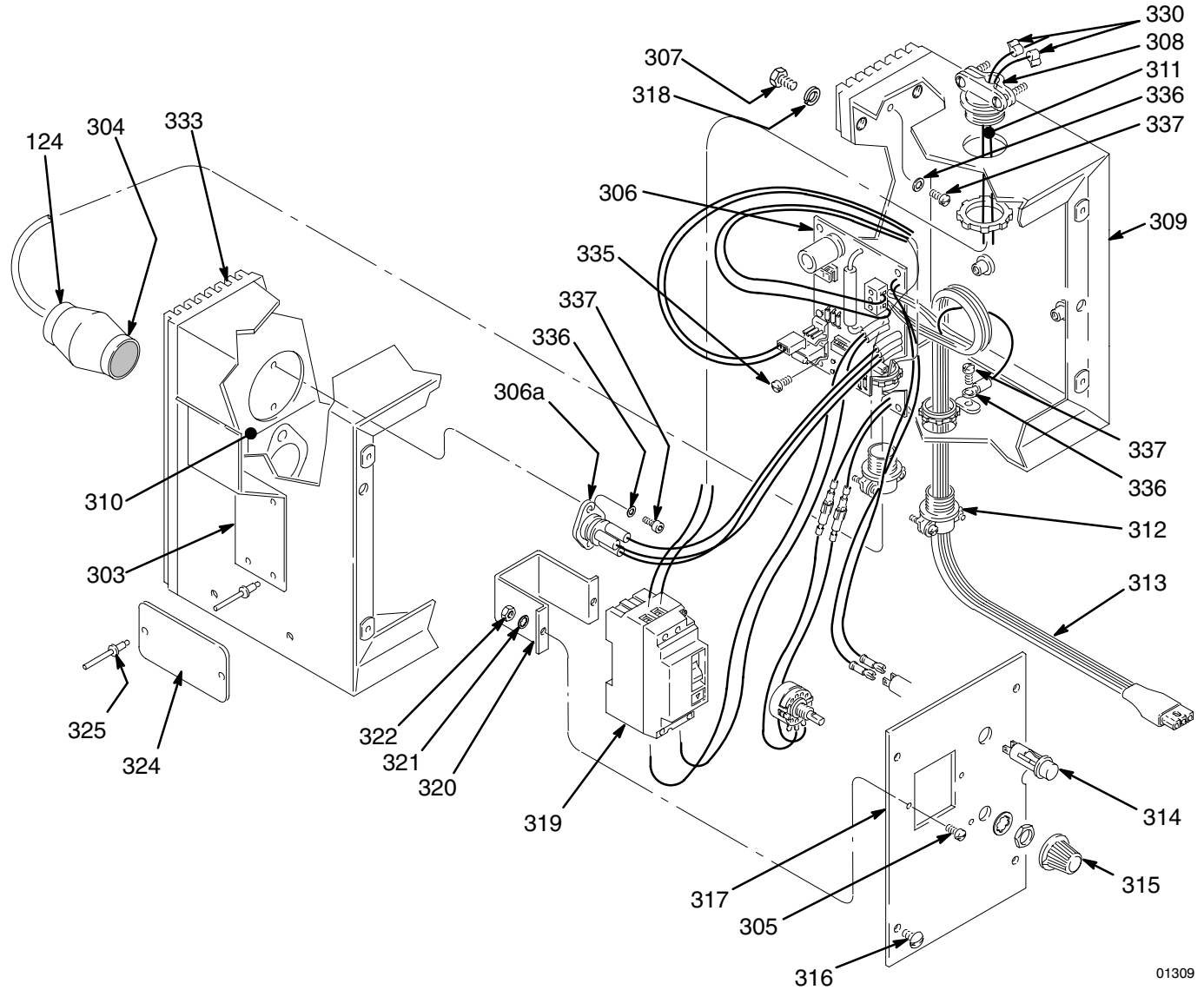
01302

| Ref No. | Part No. | Description                                     | Qty | Ref No. | Part No. | Description  | Qty   |
|---------|----------|---|-----|---------|----------|--|-------|
| 101     | 235256   | CONTROL, heated hose                            | 1   | 115     | 102814   | GAUGE, pressure, fluid; 0–3000 psi (0–20.7 MPa, 0–207 bar) range | 2     |
| 102     | 100188   | NUT, heavy, hex, 5/16"                          | 10  | 116     | 235257   | FOAM HEATER 15 lb/min (6.75 kg/min); for Model 235259            | 1     |
| 103     | 100214   | LOCKWASHER                                      | 11  |         | 235258   | 30 lb/min (13.5 kg/min); for Model 235260                        | 1     |
| 104     | 106515   | MOUNT, cylindrical; 5/16–18 x 0.75"             | 2   | 118     | 162453   | NIPPLE, 1/4 npsm x 1/4 npt(f)                                    | 1     |
| 105     | 106516   | MOUNT, cylindrical; 5/16–18 x 1.25"             | 4   | 121     | 179789   | TAG  | 2     |
| 106     | 155494   | UNION, swivel, 90°, 3/8 npt swivel x 3/8 npt(f) | 4   | 122     | 100509   | PLUG   | 2     |
| 107     | 206831   | CHECK VALVE, 3/8 npsm swivel x 3/8 npt(m)       | 4   | 124     | 054174   | TUBING, shrink   | 6 ft. |
| 108     | 168696   | NIPPLE, adapter, 3/8 npsm x 3/8 npt(f)          | 2   | 125     | 100538   | CAPSCREW   | 1     |
| 110     | 215623   | BALL VALVE, 3/8 npt(mbe)                        | 2   | 126     | 108191   | CLAMP, conduit   | 1     |
| 111     | 178747   | LEVER, valve                                    | 2   | 127     | 188065   | GAUGE, probe (not shown)   | 1     |
| 112     | 218029   | FLUID FILTER; see 307273 for parts              | 2   |         |          |  |       |
| 113     | 156173   | UNION, swivel, 3/8 npt(f) x 3/8 npsm            | 1   |         |          |  |       |
| 114     | 157350   | ADAPTER, 3/8 npt x 1/4 npt(mbe)                 | 2   |         |          |  |       |

# Parts – Heated Hose Control

## 235256 Foam-Cat Heated Hose Control

**NOTE:** The control does not include wiring junction box (233) shown on page 38.



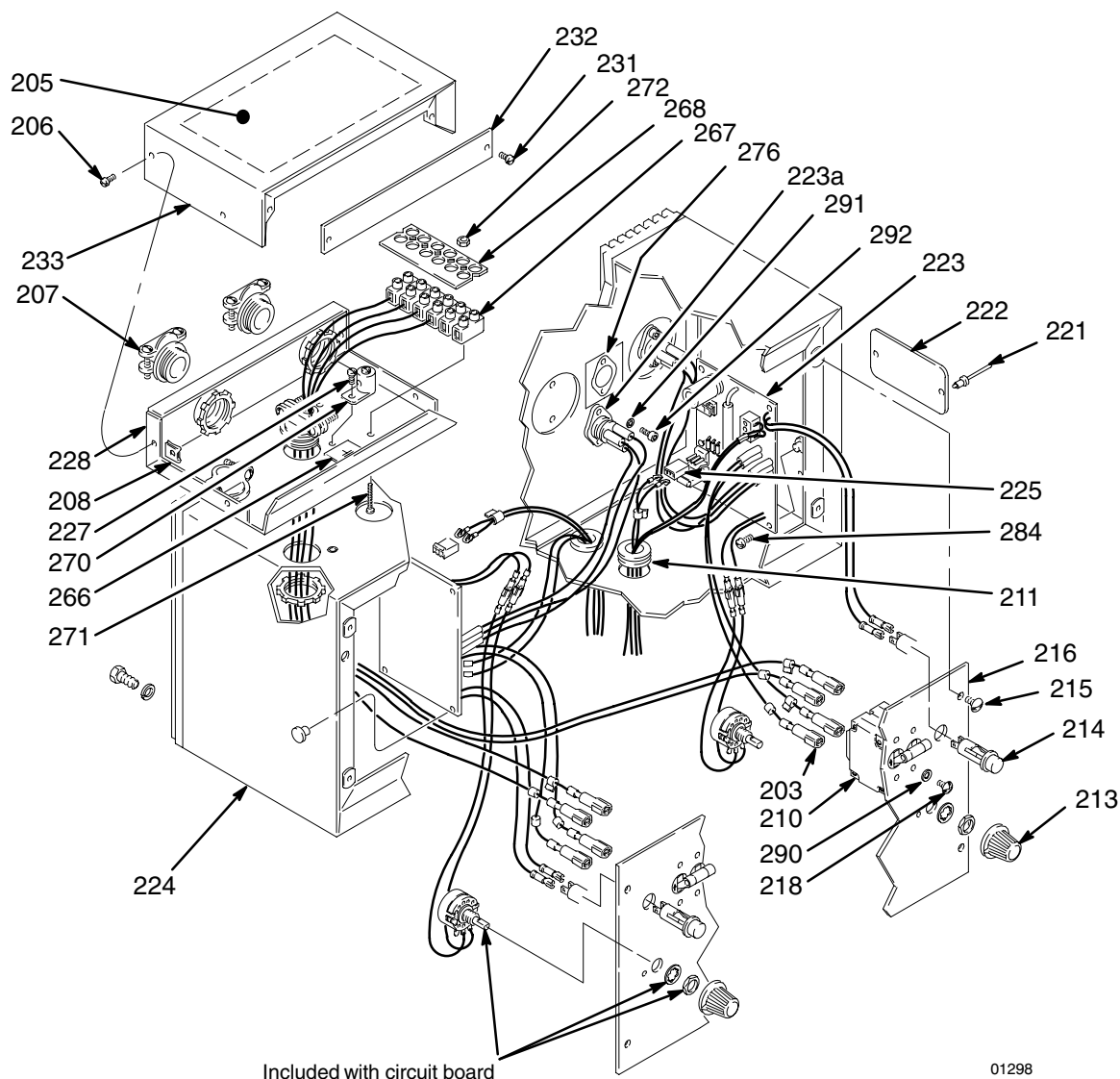
01309

| Ref No. | Part No. | Description                       | Qty    | Ref No. | Part No. | Description                       | Qty |
|---------|----------|-----------------------------------|--------|---------|----------|-----------------------------------|-----|
| 303     | 188168   | CLAMP, component                  | 1      | 317     | 188060   | PANEL, control                    | 1   |
| 304     | 218655   | SENSOR, hose simulator            | 1      | 318     | 100016   | LOCKWASHER                        | 4   |
| 305     | 100035   | SCREW, pnh, 8-32 x 1/2"           | 2      | 319     | 106490   | CIRCUIT BREAKER, 125-240V, 16 amp | 1   |
| 306     | 235255   | CIRCUIT BOARD, includes item 306a | 1      | 320     | 178486   | BRACKET, mounting                 | 1   |
| 306a    | 106594   | .TRIAC                            | 1      | 321     | 157021   | LOCKWASHER, internal              | 2   |
| 307     | 100642   | CAPSCREW                          | 4      | 322     | 100284   | NUT, hex, 8-32 x 0.130            | 2   |
| 308     | 101662   | CONNECTOR, cable clamp            | 1      | 324     | 180254   | PLATE, designation, 50/60 cycle   | 1   |
| 309     | 235253   | CONTROL BOX, heated hose          | 1      | 325     | 102472   | RIVET, blind                      | 6   |
| 310     | 188053   | LABEL, instruction                | 1      | 330     | 104615   | LABEL, designation, electrical    | 1   |
| 311     | 065278   | COPPER WIRE, 14 AWG               | 24 in. | 333     | 188063   | HEAT SINK                         | 1   |
| 312     | 105362   | CLAMP, cable                      | 2      | 335     | 110891   | THUMBSCREW nylon, 10-24 x 3/8"    | 4   |
| 313     | 217384   | CABLE, power                      | 1      | 336     | 100272   | LOCKWASHER                        | 7   |
| 314     | 104340   | LAMP, indicating                  | 1      | 337     | 102410   | CAPSCREW, sch, 6-32 x 3/8"        | 7   |
| 315     | 103083   | KNOB, selector                    | 1      | 338     | 110890   | TOOL, allen wrench (not shown)    | 1   |
| 316     | 100710   | SCREW, 10-24 x 3/8"               | 4      |         |          |                                   |     |

# Parts – Heater

**235839** Foam-Cat Heater Assembly, 15 lb/min (6.75 kg/min)

**235840** Foam-Cat Heater Assembly, 30 lb/min (13.5 kg/min)



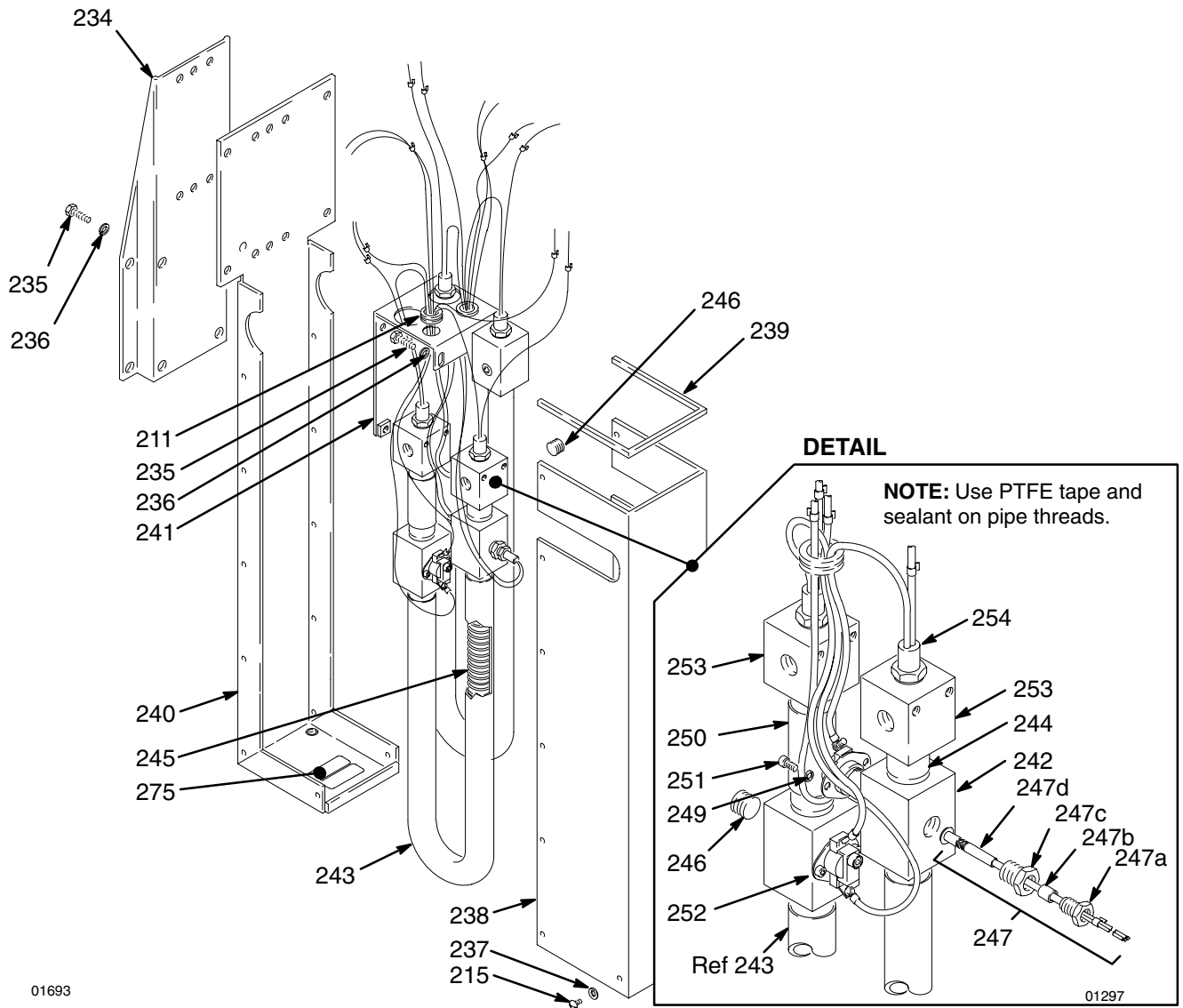
01298

**NOTE:** For additional parts of Heater, see pages 39 and 40.

| Ref No. | Part No. | Description                             | Qty | Ref No. | Part No. | Description                     | Qty |
|---------|----------|---|-----|---------|----------|---------------------------------|-----|
| 203     | 105768   | CONNECTOR                               | 8   | 225     | 106501   | CONNECTOR, electrical           | 2   |
| 205     | 178527   | LABEL, wiring diagram                   | 1   | 227     | 100700   | SCREW, pnh, 4–40 x 1"           | 1   |
| 206     | 100518   | SCREW, panhd, 6–32 x 3/8"               | 8   | 228     | 178289   | BASE, junction box              | 1   |
| 207     | 101662   | CONNECTOR, cable clamp                  | 4   | 231     | 100979   | SCREW, 10–24 x 5/8"             | 2   |
| 208     | 104620   | NUT, self retaining, No. 6–32           | 4   | 232     | 178602   | PLATE, identification           | 1   |
| 210     | 111757   | CIRCUIT BREAKER, 250V, 50–60 Hz, 30 amp | 2   | 233     | 178467   | COVER, junction box             | 1   |
| 211     | 101765   | GROMMET, buna-s                         | 6   | 266     | 172953   | LABEL, designation, ground      | 1   |
| 213     | 103083   | KNOB, selector                          | 2   | 267     | 108033   | STRIP, terminal                 | 1   |
| 214     | 104340   | LAMP, indicating                        | 2   | 268     | 108032   | MARKER, terminal strip          | 1   |
| 215     | 100710   | SCREW, 10–24 x 3/8"                     | 18  | 269     | 101674   | TERMINAL, 16–14 AWG             | 8   |
| 216     | 188056   | COVER, heater control panel             | 1   | 270     | 107154   | LUG, grounding                  | 1   |
| 218     | 103854   | SCREW, bdgh, 6–32 x 1/4"                | 8   | 271     | 105656   | SCREW, filh, 6–32 x 1.0"        | 2   |
| 221     | 102556   | RIVET, blind                            | 2   | 272     | 100072   | NUT, hex, no. 6–32              | 2   |
| 222     | 180254   | PLATE, serial, 240 V                    | 1   | 276     | 188053   | LABEL, triac                    | 1   |
| 223     | 235255   | CIRCUIT BOARD, includes item 223a       | 2   | 284     | 110891   | THUMBSCREW nylon, 10–24 x 3/8"  | 8   |
| 223a    | 106594   | .TRIAC                                  | 2   | 290     | 103836   | SCREW, bdgh, 10–32 x 3/4"       | 1   |
| 224     | 217240   | CONTROL BOX, foam heater                | 1   | 291     | 100272   | LOCKWASHER, No. 6               | 16  |
|         |          |   |     | 292     | 102410   | CAPSCREW, sch, 6–32 x 3/8"      | 8   |
|         |          |   |     | 293     | 110890   | TOOL, allen wrench, (not shown) | 1   |

# Parts – Heater

**235839** Foam-Cat Heater Assembly, 15 lb/min (6.75 kg/min)  
**235840** Foam-Cat Heater Assembly, 30 lb/min (13.5 kg/min)



**NOTE:** For additional heater parts, see pages 38 and 40.

| Ref No. | Part No. | Description  | Qty    |
|---------|----------|--|--------|
| 229     | 103711   | CONNECTOR, wire  | 0 or 3 |
| 234     | 178274   | BRACKET, mounting  | 1      |
| 235     | 100001   | CAPSCREW, hex hd, 5/16–18 x 5/8"                           | 6      |
| 236     | 100214   | LOCKWASHER, .583   | 6      |
| 237     | 100718   | LOCKWASHER, No. 10   | 14     |
| 238     | 188057   | SHROUD, front heating element                              | 1      |
| 239     | 062035   | MOLDING  | 14 in. |
| 240     | 217237   | PANEL, rear enclosure                                      | 1      |
| 241     | 217239   | BRACKET, manifold  | 1      |
| 242     | 188058   | MANIFOLD, probe/thermostat                                 | 4      |
| 243     | 188064   | U-TUBE, fluid  | 2      |
| 244     | 188054   | NIPPLE, 2.8"   | 2      |
| 245     | 217236   | COIL, heater element                                       | 2 or 4 |
| 246     | 101754   | PLUG, pipe, 3/8 npt  | 6      |
| 247     | 220650   | PROBE REPLACEMENT KIT<br><i>Includes items 247a – 247d</i> | 1      |
| 247a    | 178282   | NUT, packing   | 2 or 1 |
| 247b    | 178276   | SEAL, probe  | 2 or 1 |
| 247c    | 178279   | ADAPTER, thermistor  | 1      |
| 247d    | 235254   | PROBE, sensor, thermistor                                  | 1      |
| 249     | 103229   | CAPSCREW, sch, 8–32 x 3/8"                                 | 4 or 8 |
| 250     | 188055   | NIPPLE   | 2      |
| 251     | 100079   | LOCKWASHER, No. 8  | 8      |
| 252     | 111759   | THERMOSTAT <i>normally closed</i>                          | 2 or 4 |
| 253     | 188059   | MANIFOLD, outlet heater                                    | 4      |
| 254     | 15B138   | ELEMENT HEATER, immersion,<br>SST, 240 VAC, 2550 Watts     | 2 or 4 |
| 258     | 106535   | MARKER, wire, designation                                  | 1      |
| 275▲    | 179788   | LABEL, warning   | 1      |
| 279     | 180255   | LABEL, instruction   | 1      |
| 286     | 188065   | GAUGE, probe (not shown)                                   | 1      |

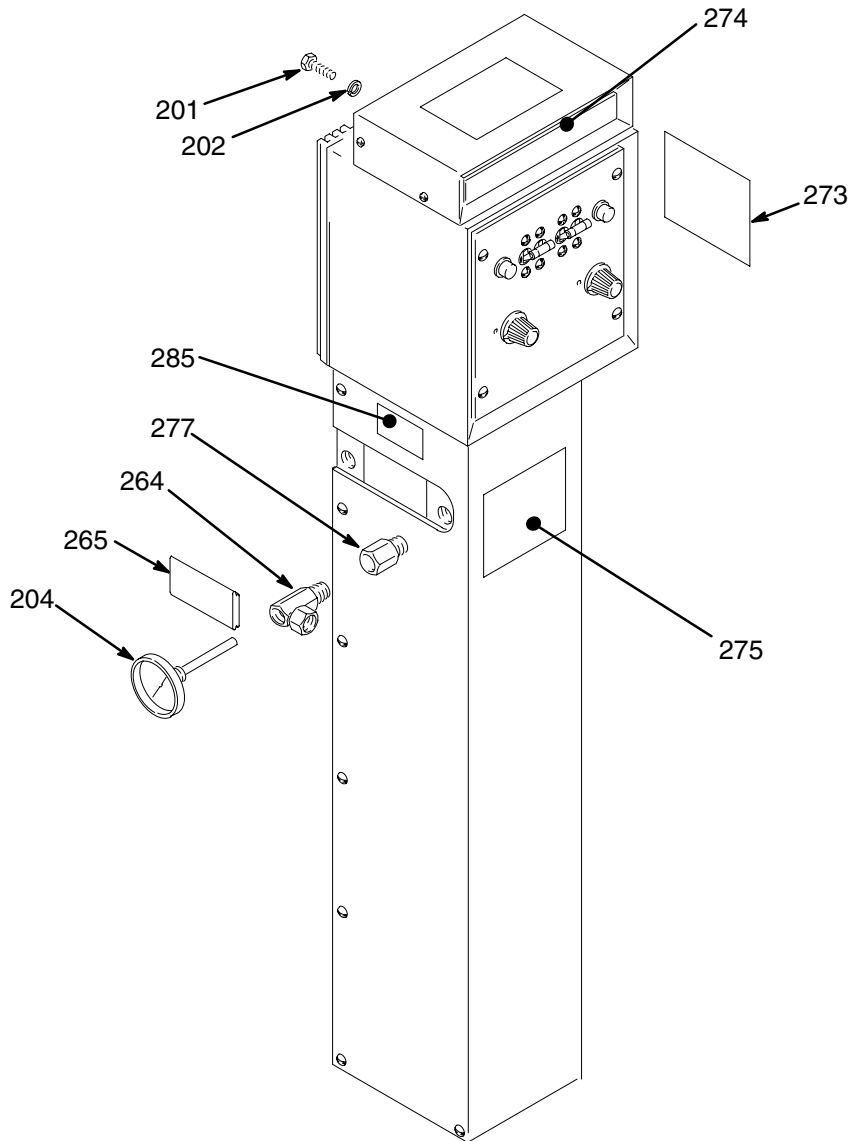
# Parts – Heater

**235839**

Foam-Cat Heater Assembly, 15 lb/min (6.75 kg/min)

**235840**

Foam-Cat Heater Assembly, 30 lb/min (13.5 kg/min)



01697

**NOTE:** For additional parts included in the Heater, see pages 38 and 39.

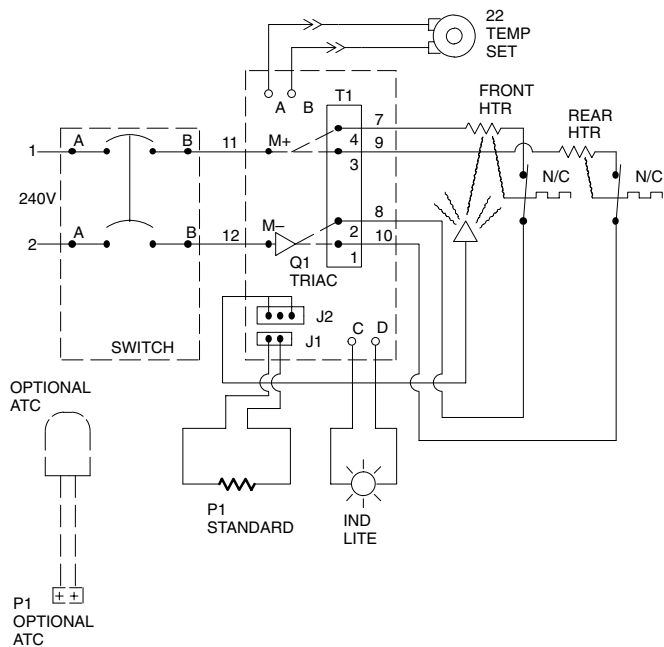
| Ref No. | Part No. | Description   | Qty | Ref No. | Part No. | Description                      | Qty |
|---------|----------|---|-----|---------|----------|----------------------------------|-----|
| 201     | 100642   | CAPSCREW, hex hd; 1/4–20 x 1-1/4"                   | 4   | 265     | 178849   | INSERT, slot                     | 2   |
| 202     | 100016   | LOCKWASHER  | 4   | 273▲    | 179786   | LABEL, warning                   | 1   |
| 204     | 102124   | THERMOMETER, dial, 50–250° F (10–120° C) range      | 2   | 274▲    | 179787   | LABEL, warning                   | 1   |
| 264     | 178825   | UNION, 90°, 1/4–18 (F) x 3/8–18(m) x 3/8 (F) swivel | 2   | 275▲    | 179788   | LABEL, warning                   | 1   |
|         |          |   |     | 277     | 150286   | ADAPTER, male to female, 3/8 npt | 2   |
|         |          |   |     | 285     | 178600   | LABEL, instruction               | 1   |

▲ Replacement Danger and Warning labels, tags and cards are available at no cost.

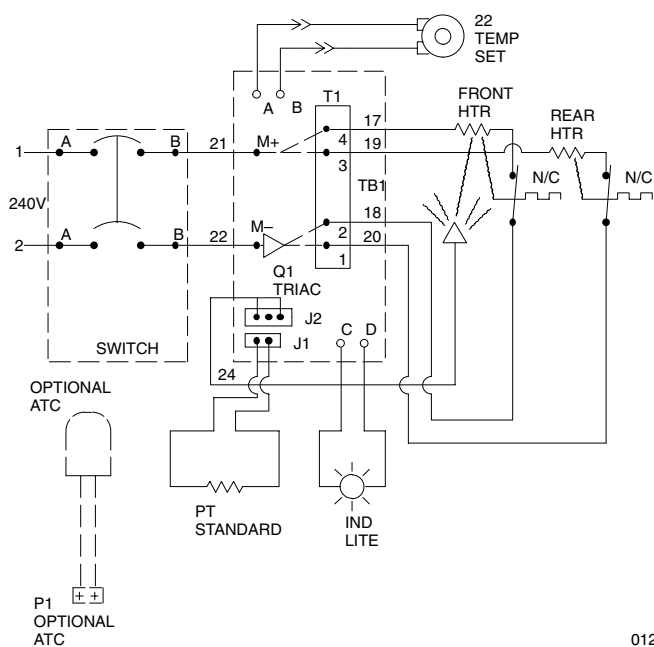


# Electrical Schematics

**Model 235840**  
**RESIN HEATER**

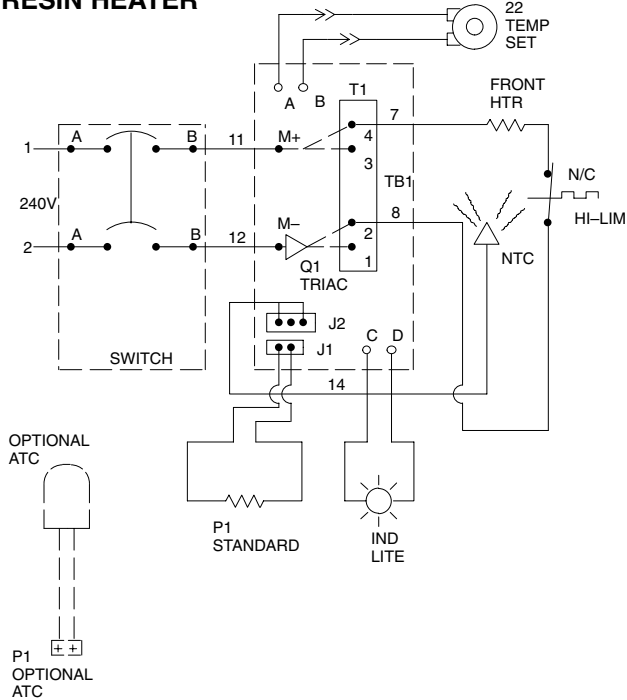


**ISO HEATER**

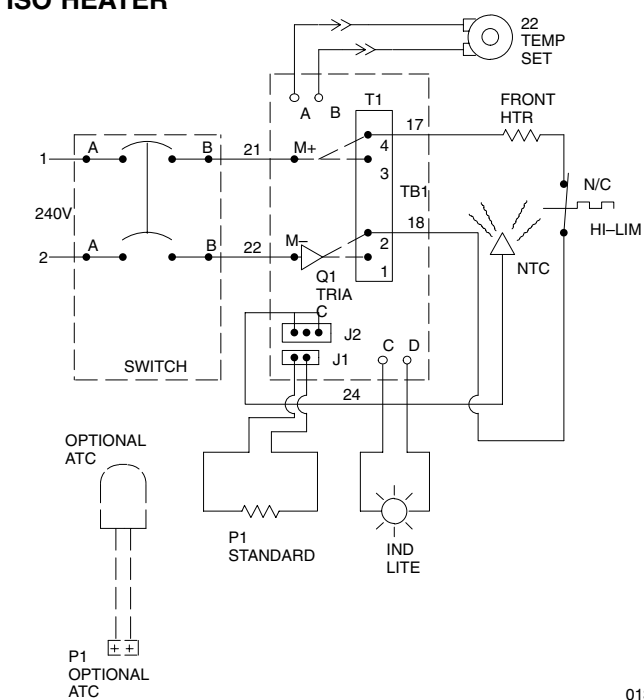


01299

**Model 235839**  
**RESIN HEATER**



**ISO HEATER**



01300

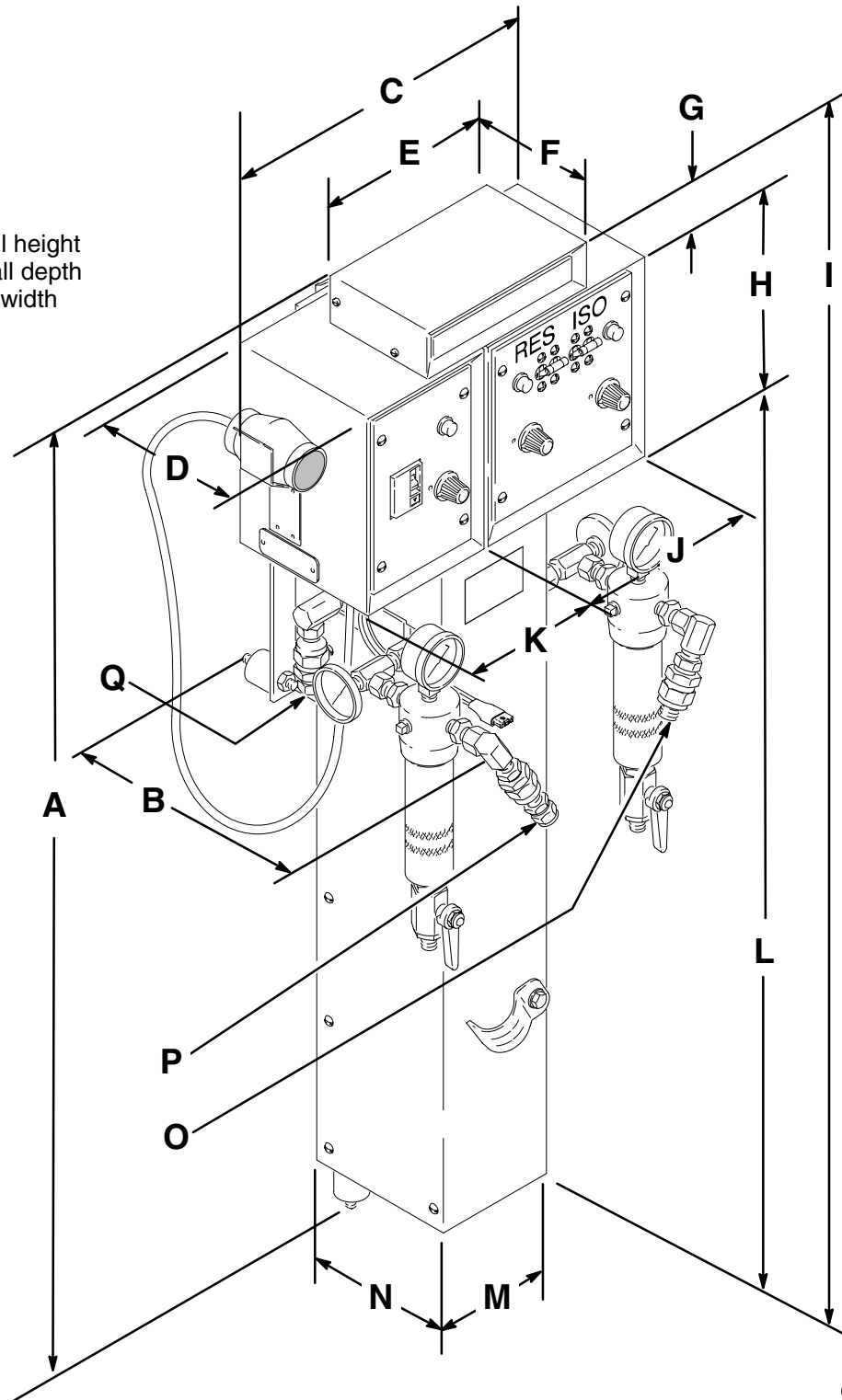
# Dimensions

|   |                              |
|---|------------------------------|
| A | 42" (1067 mm) Overall height |
| B | 12.5" (318 mm) Overall depth |
| C | 17" (432 mm) Overall width   |
| D | 8.1" (205 mm)                |
| E | 8.1" (205 mm)                |
| F | 5.1" (129 mm)                |
| G | 2.0" (51 mm)                 |
| H | 8.6" (217 mm)                |
| I | 39.6" (1005 mm)              |
| J | 8.1" (205 mm)                |
| K | 6.1" (154 mm)                |
| L | 29.0" (736.5 mm)             |
| M | 5.2" (132 mm)                |
| N | 8.5" (216 mm)                |

## Fittings

|   |                       |
|---|-----------------------|
| O | 3/8 npt(m) <b>ISO</b> |
| P | 3/8 npt(f) <b>RES</b> |
| Q | 3/8 npsm swivel       |

Weight 94 lb (42 kg)  
(Model 235260)



01292

## Technical Data

Maximum Fluid Working Pressure . . . . . 3000 psi  
(21 MPa, 210 bar)

Fluid Temperature Operating Range . . . 95–158°F (35–70°C)

Wetted Parts . . . . . Zinc-plated steel.  
303 and 321 Stainless steel, Zinc-plated brass

Ambient Temperature Operating Range . 40–104°F (5–40°C)

Approximate Pressure Drop

*Model 235839* . . . . . 7 psi pressure drop/gpm  
tested with 55 centipoise oil

*Model 235840* . . . . . 14 psi pressure drop/gpm  
tested with 55 centipoise oil

Approximate Temperature Rise Capabilities

*Model 235839* . . . . . 70° to 120°F at 1.5 gpm of oil  
(31° to 49°C at 5.7 l/min of oil)

*Model 235840* . . . . . 70° to 120°F at 3.0 gpm of oil  
(31° to 49°C at 11.4 l/min of oil)

Electrical Requirements

*Model 235839* . . . . . 8880 watt, 240 volt

*Model 235260* . . . . . 13,980 watt, 240 volt

*Model 235839* . . . . . 5100 watt, 240 volt

*Model 235840* . . . . . 10,200 watt, 240 volt

Maximum Fault Temperature

NEC T2C Standard . . . . . 446°F (230°C)

## Accessories

## 110009 Conductive Paste

## 217296 Pump Stand

## 110968 Terminal Block Tool

## HEATED HOSES

3000 psi (21 MPa, 210 bar) Maximum Working Pressure

**218613** 50 ft. (15.2 m) long

**218614** 15 ft. (4.6 m) long

**948723** 25 ft. (7.6 m) long

# Graco Standard Warranty

Graco warrants all equipment manufactured by Graco and bearing its name to be free from defects in material and workmanship on the date of sale to the original purchaser for use. With the exception of any special, extended, or limited warranty published by Graco, Graco will, for a period of twelve months from the date of sale, repair or replace any part of the equipment determined by Graco to be defective. This warranty applies only when the equipment is installed, operated and maintained in accordance with Graco's written recommendations.

This warranty does not cover, and Graco shall not be liable for general wear and tear, or any malfunction, damage or wear caused by faulty installation, misapplication, abrasion, corrosion, inadequate or improper maintenance, negligence, accident, tampering, or substitution of non-Graco component parts. Nor shall Graco be liable for malfunction, damage or wear caused by the incompatibility of Graco equipment with structures, accessories, equipment or materials not supplied by Graco, or the improper design, manufacture, installation, operation or maintenance of structures, accessories, equipment or materials not supplied by Graco.

This warranty is conditioned upon the prepaid return of the equipment claimed to be defective to an authorized Graco distributor for verification of the claimed defect. If the claimed defect is verified, Graco will repair or replace free of charge any defective parts. The equipment will be returned to the original purchaser transportation prepaid. If inspection of the equipment does not disclose any defect in material or workmanship, repairs will be made at a reasonable charge, which charges may include the costs of parts, labor, and transportation.

**THIS WARRANTY IS EXCLUSIVE, AND IS IN LIEU OF ANY OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR WARRANTY OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE.**

Graco's sole obligation and buyer's sole remedy for any breach of warranty shall be as set forth above. The buyer agrees that no other remedy (including, but not limited to, incidental or consequential damages for lost profits, lost sales, injury to person or property, or any other incidental or consequential loss) shall be available. Any action for breach of warranty must be brought within two (2) years of the date of sale.

Graco makes no warranty, and disclaims all implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose in connection with accessories, equipment, materials or components sold but not manufactured by Graco. These items sold, but not manufactured by Graco (such as electric motors, switches, hose, etc.), are subject to the warranty, if any, of their manufacturer. Graco will provide purchaser with reasonable assistance in making any claim for breach of these warranties.

In no event will Graco be liable for indirect, incidental, special or consequential damages resulting from Graco supplying equipment hereunder, or the furnishing, performance, or use of any products or other goods sold hereto, whether due to a breach of contract, breach of warranty, the negligence of Graco, or otherwise.

## **FOR GRACO CANADA CUSTOMERS**

The parties acknowledge that they have required that the present document, as well as all documents, notices and legal proceedings entered into, given or instituted pursuant hereto or relating directly or indirectly hereto, be drawn up in English. Les parties reconnaissent avoir convenu que la rédaction du présente document sera en Anglais, ainsi que tous documents, avis et procédures judiciaires exécutés, donnés ou intentés à la suite de ou en rapport, directement ou indirectement, avec les procédures concernées.

# Graco Information

**TO PLACE AN ORDER**, contact your Graco distributor, or call one of the following numbers to identify the distributor closest to you:

**1-800-367-4023 Toll Free**

**612-623-6921**

**612-378-3505 Fax**

*All written and visual data contained in this document reflects the latest product information available at the time of publication.  
Graco reserves the right to make changes at any time without notice.*

**Sales Offices:** Minneapolis, Detroit  
**International Offices:** Belgium, Korea, Hong Kong, Japan

**[www.graco.com](http://www.graco.com)**

PRINTED IN USA 308219 11/1992, Revised 11/2003