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Introduction

Congratulations on your purchase of the CleanAlert FILTERSCAN® Air Filter Clog Detection System. The CleanAlert FILTERSCAN® is intended for continuous and automatic monitoring of the clogging of an air filter installed into a household or commercial forced air heating, air conditioning, or heat pump system. Please read all instructions carefully to insure years of trouble-free operation. We're sure you will enjoy outstanding performance when the FILTERSCAN® is installed by a qualified HVAC technician and properly operated.

In The Box

1. FILTERSCAN® Monitor
2. 4 “AA” Batteries (FS-242-B, FS-242-BW and FS-242-BWR models only)
3. Installation and Operation Guide
4. Template for attaching the FILTERSCAN® Monitor to an air duct
5. Mounting Screws
6. Packaging / box
7. External wall adapter power supply – Optional (FS-242-B, FS-242-BW and FS-242-BWR models only)
8. FILTERSCAN® Receiver (FS-242-CWR and FS-242-BWR models only)
9. 2 “AAA” Batteries (Receiver only)

Tools Required

1. Power Drill
2. 7/64” Drill bit
3. 3/8” Drill bit or Step Drill
4. #2 Phillips Screwdriver
5. ½” Drill Bit (if Model CA-4DP Differential Pressure kit ordered)
6. Eye and Ear Protection
7. Dust Mask

Safety

WARNING! READ AND UNDERSTAND ALL INSTRUCTIONS. Failure to follow all instructions may result in electrical shock or serious personal injury.

Application

FILTERSCAN® is an air filter clogging detection system. It has been designed to monitor the amount of dirt building on an air filter and alert the user when the amount of clogging reaches a pre-determined threshold.

The FILTERSCAN® Monitor is compatible with most air filters ranging in differential pressure drop from 0.10”wg to 4.0”wg and with single and multi-speed blower HVAC systems, and most VAV (Variable Air Volume) systems. Note: The Monitor must be mounted downstream if the VAV system is set to the constant torque mode.

If the wireless option has been installed, the FILTERSCAN® Monitor will transmit alarm conditions to a remote Receiver. The Receiver may be located up to 100 feet from the Monitor depending upon line-of-sight and obstacles located between the Monitor and Receiver.
FCC Compliance

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

NOTE: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

-- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
-- Increase the separation between the equipment and the receiver.
-- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
-- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user’s authority to operate the equipment.

FCC ID Number: AUPFS-242

IC Compliance

This Class B digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.

Cet appareil numérique de la classe B est conforme à la norme NMB-003 du Canada.

This device complies with Industry Canada license-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

Cet appareil est conforme à Industrie Canada exempts de licence RSS norme. Opération est soumis aux deux conditions suivantes: (1) cet appareil ne peut pas causer de brouillage et (2) cet appareil doit accepter toute interférence, y compris les interférences pouvant causer un fonctionnement intempestif du dispositif.

Model: FS-242-BW  Modèle: FS-242-BW
Model: FS-242-CW  Modèle: FS-242-CW
IC Certification/Registration Number IC: 10341A-FS242
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Monitor Installation

The CleanAlert FILTERSCAN® Air Filter Clog Detector, Model FS-242, MUST be installed at the RETURN side plenum (NOT the SUPPLY side: See Appendix) either upstream, downstream, or differentially across the air filter (using the optional tubing kit Model CA-4DP). Best results have been found when installing downstream of the air filter (that is, between the air filter and the system blower fan, usually located at the return duct of the HVAC system). Note: The Monitor must be mounted downstream if the VAV system is set to the constant torque mode.
1. The FILTERSCAN® Monitor is to be attached to the external wall of the air duct, either upstream or downstream from the air filter to be monitored. NOTE: The minimum distance for positioning the FILTERSCAN® Monitor from the air filter is six (6) inches. Also Note: The Monitor must be mounted downstream if the VAV system is set to the constant torque mode.

2. Locate an area on the return duct, preferably downstream from the air filter (that is, between the air filter and the system blower), large enough to place the Monitor template on a flat surface and where there are NO obstacles inside the duct. There should be sufficient clearance (6” minimum) from the surrounding walls and from any components of the air supply system.

3. Place the Monitor template at the location found in the previous step, such that “TOP” is facing upward. NOTE: The FILTERSCAN® Monitor front panel must be clearly visible when installed.

4. Using the template, drill one large hole (3/8”) for the sensor and four small holes (7/64”) for the mounting screws. NOTE: If installing on a DUCT BOARD plenum, see below. Otherwise Go To 5.
   a. Obtain Toggle Bolts (available at Home Depot)
      (1) #1/8” x 2” SKU 261181 Package of 25 for $5.21
      (2) #1/8” x 3” SKU 261203 Package of 25 for $7.25
   b. Use toggle bolts that are one inch longer than the thickness of the duct board to allow the toggle to expand after inserting through mounting hole.
   c. Drill 3/8” holes at the four FILTERSCAN Monitor mounting hole locations (see Drill Template) as well as the Sensor Tube location.
   d. Insert the bolt alone through the FILTERSCAN housing from the inside. Once through the housing, screw on the toggle a few threads such that the fins fold toward the housing. Do this for all four mounting holes.
   e. Apply silicone sealant or air duct sealer to the inner sides of the toggle (see Appendix) such that when the toggle expands inside the duct, the silicone will seal the hole and secure the toggle to the inside of the duct to help prevent the toggle from dropping into the duct if the screw is removed at a later date after the sealant has cured.
   f. Insert each toggle through the duct board holes, insuring the Sensor Tube aligns with the Sensor Tube hole.
   g. Once all four toggles are fully inserted through the duct board, lightly pull the housing away from the duct board while tightening each bolt, until all four are securely fastened, without crushing the duct board. Make sure the Sensor Tube seal has been squeezed between the housing and duct board to insure no air leakage.

5. Attach the FILTERSCAN® Monitor by aligning its sensor tube with the larger hole and secure the Housing using the mounting screws supplied. The sensor tube does not extend into the duct.

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**WARNING!**

Ensure that the HVAC system blower motor/fan is turned OFF until told to otherwise!

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**WARNING!**

Do NOT insert anything into the Sensor Tube! Doing so could result in sensor damage and malfunction.
6. **IMPORTANT!** Set the Upstream/Downstream switch so that it matches the FILTERSCAN® Monitor position with respect to the air filter (that is, OFF for upstream mounting or ON for downstream or differential mounting). The switch can be accessed by removing the front cover of the Monitor.

7. **Apply power:**
   a. Models FS-242-B, FS-242-BW, and FS-242-BWR - Insert the wall mount power adapter into the FILTERSCAN® power receptacle, or install 4 AA batteries and replace the Monitor front cover. See Appendix for battery replacement.
   b. Models FS-242-C, FS-242-CW, and FS-242-CWR – These models should be installed by a qualified electrician and are powered from the HVAC system’s auxiliary 24 VAC/DC power supply. A typical installation will have that power run through installer-provided conduit to the FILTERSCAN®.
   c. The **STATUS** LED should come on green momentarily then turn and remain red. This indicates that the unit has not yet been calibrated to the air filter and HVAC system upon which it is installed.
8. Wait for approximately 15 seconds (warm up and stabilization time).
9. Install a clean, new air filter into the HVAC system.
10. Depress the ZERO/CLEAN button ONCE. The STATUS LED will blink yellow for several seconds while the FILTERSCAN® records the system’s FAN OFF condition, then turn to blinking green. This indicates proper operation and that you are ready to move to next step. If the unit detects the zero air flow is out of limits, the STATUS LED will blink red. In this case, check to see that the HVAC system blower fan is OFF and no conditions exist during this part of the calibration that would cause air to be moving within the HVAC ducts, such as opening and closing of doors or windows. If no such condition exists, contact the company that you purchased the FILTERSCAN® from for repair information.
11. Adjust the thermostat temperature adjustment to either increase or decrease the room temperature by at least ten degrees, enough to signal the HVAC system to turn on heating or cooling at maximum blower speed.
12. Once the HVAC system blower fan turns on, wait one minute for the blower fan to stabilize.
13. Depress the ZERO/CLEAN button once. The STATUS LED should turn from blinking green to blinking yellow for several minutes. This indicates that the unit is calibrating itself to the air filter and HVAC system into which it is installed. Once calibration is completed, the STATUS LED will blink green a few times then turn off.
14. Return the thermostat to normal operating temperature. This concludes the installation of the FILTERSCAN® Monitor.
15. The SERVICE FILTER control is a fine tuning adjustment that has been calibrated to the mid-range, Recommended Setting at the factory. This control allows the user to change the point at which the clog alarm will be triggered. Turning the SERVICE FILTER adjustment clockwise will cause the FILTERSCAN® to issue an alarm at a lower level of filter clogging. Turning the SERVICE FILTER adjustment counter-clockwise will cause the FILTERSCAN® to issue an alarm at a higher level of filter clogging.
Receiver Installation – Wireless Option Only

1. Remove the front cover of the Receiver by depressing the latch at the top of the Receiver housing, rotating the front cover downward, and lifting the front cover out of the housing.

2. Install two AAA batteries.

3. Your FILTERSCAN® Monitor and Receiver have been paired (matched) at the time of manufacturing and should require no further attention.

4. To test the pairing of the Monitor and Receiver:
   a. Monitor and Receiver should be turned on and in close proximity to each other.
   b. Test the Receiver by inserting a paperclip through the small hole in the front cover of the Receiver until the click of a switch is felt, then immediately pressing the SEND button on the Monitor. This transmits a signal to the Receiver, which turns on the Red LED and Beeper.
5. To insure proper operation when Receiver is placed in a desired remote location, retest the Receiver as described above. This remote procedure may require two people.

**NOTE:** Although the wireless transmission range is up to 100 feet, it is greatest with no obstructions between the Monitor (transmitter) and Receiver. Any obstructions, such as walls, floors, and ceilings will reduce the range of transmission, and relocation of the Receiver may be required. Retest with each location to ensure proper operation.

6. Mount the Receiver vertically by using the screws or adhesive strip supplied.

7. Install the front cover by placing the bottom flanges into the housing and rotating the cover upward until the top latches into the housing.

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**Operation**

### System Monitoring

The **STATUS LED** will blink green approximately once per minute (called a heartbeat) to indicate that the unit is functioning properly. Usually the **FILTERSCAN®** will be in the standby mode, conserving power. It wakes up periodically to monitor air filter condition, battery level, and system operation. If no alarm conditions are detected, the **FILTERSCAN®** goes back to sleep after several minutes of monitoring.

**NOTE:** Should there be a power failure the **FILTERSCAN®** will save all parameters such as the clean air filter calibration and the current state of the air filter. When power is restored, the **FILTERSCAN®** Monitor will continue operation with no user action required. The same applies when replacing depleted batteries.

### Alarm Modes

The **FILTERSCAN®** provides both audible and or visual alarms indicating a clogged air filter, a low battery, or a system malfunction. There is also a wireless option which allows remote monitoring of system conditions.

**NOTE:** The HVAC system blower fan must be running when the **FILTERSCAN®** Monitor attempts to check air filter condition. Since the **FILTERSCAN®** Monitor checks the air filter condition periodically, it may take several days to detect, trigger, and alarm a clogged filter condition.
Clogged Air Filter

When the FILTERSCAN® detects a clogged air filter, an alarm condition is triggered. The red STATUS LED will illuminate, blinking five times approximately every ten minutes until the alarm condition is reset. There will also be an audio alert which corresponds to the visual alarm indication. The clogged filter alarm is reset by following the instructions in the section “Calibrating When Installing a New Air Filter” below.

NOTE: A new air filter should always be installed whenever the CALIBRATE operation is performed.

Low Battery

When the FILTERSCAN® detects a low battery condition, an Alarm condition is triggered. The STATUS LED will blink yellow approximately once per minute to indicate a low battery in the Monitor. Replacing the Monitor batteries (see the Appendix for instructions) will reset the alarm condition.

Malfunction

When the FILTERSCAN® detects an internal malfunction, an alarm condition is triggered. The red STATUS LED will illuminate continuously until the malfunction is corrected. In the unlikely event this should occur, remove power from the FILTERSCAN® by removing the batteries, unplugging the optional AC Adapter, or in the case of conduit-powered models (“C”) contacting your HVAC system electrician to have the power to the Monitor cut. Wait for a minute and restore power. If your FILTERSCAN® unit is operating with both AC Adapter and batteries installed, both will need to be removed in order to reset the malfunction. If this does not reset the malfunction alarm, contact the company that you purchased the FILTERSCAN® from for repair information.

Calibrating When Installing a New Air Filter

Whenever a new air filter is installed, the FILTERSCAN® clog detector system must be calibrated. Calibration establishes the clogged air filter detection threshold based upon the condition recorded for a new air filter. When a new air filter is installed, its condition is recorded and saved in nonvolatile memory.

1. Insure that the HVAC system is OFF at the thermostat.
2. Remove the dirty air filter from the HVAC system.
3. Install a new, clean air filter into the HVAC system.
4. Make sure the FILTERSCAN® Monitor power is ON and the low battery indication is not being displayed.
5. Depress the ZERO/CLEAN button on the FILTERSCAN® Monitor.
6. Wait for the red STATUS LED to illuminate.
7. Depress the ZERO/CLEAN button again.
8. Wait several seconds for the STATUS LED to change from blinking yellow to blinking green.
9. Turn the HVAC system ON at the system thermostat.
10. Set the thermostat temperature adjustment to either increase or decrease the room temperature by four degrees, which should be enough to signal the HVAC system to turn heating or cooling on.
11. Wait one minute for the HVAC system blower fan to turn on and stabilize.
12. Depress the ZERO/CLEAN button again.
13. Wait several minutes for the STATUS LED to turn from blinking yellow to blinking green. During this time, the unit is recording the condition of a clean air filter.
14. Wait several seconds for the blinking green STATUS LED to turn OFF.
15. Return the thermostat to normal operating temperature.
Your FILTERSCAN® Monitor is now calibrated to the type of air filter you have installed. Depending on the air filter type and manufacturing tolerances, you may need to calibrate the FILTERSCAN® air filter clogging detector each time a new air filter is installed.

**Automatic Adjustment**

**ATTENTION - HVAC systems with two-speed blowers!** Typical HVAC systems will have different blower speeds for Heat and A/C. The FILTERSCAN® Monitor automatically adapts to the changes in HVAC blower speeds.

**Frequently Asked Questions**

**All Models**

- Can the FILTERSCAN® be mounted upstream (on the supply side) of the HVAC blower?
  - No, only upstream or downstream of the air filter or differentially across the air filter.
- Can I install the FILTERSCAN® on a multi-speed blower HVAC system?
  - Yes.
- Can I install the FILTERSCAN® on a Variable Air Volume (VAV) HVAC system?
  - As of the writing of this manual, the FILTERSCAN® will operate with most VAV systems in production. Note: The Monitor must be mounted downstream if the VAV system is set to the constant torque mode.
  - What effect, if any, does opening or closing air vent registers have on the FILTERSCAN® performance after the FILTERSCAN® has been calibrated to a new air filter?
    - Any significant changes in system pressure caused by register changes or other factors will change the point at which the clog alarm will occur. The greater the number of system registers, the less effect on the system’s pressure when one or two registers are changed and therefore the less effect on when the clog alarm will occur. Regular changes to system registers will make the performance unpredictable.

**Model FS-242-C, CW, & CWR**

- How is the conduit mechanically connected to the FILTERSCAN® monitor?
  - There is a conduit connector knock-out located on the lower side of the monitor housing.
- What voltage is acceptable to power the FILTERSCAN® monitor via the conduit?
  - Typically 24V AC/DC, although an input voltage as low as 12V DC is acceptable.

**Model FS-242-B, BW, & BWR**

- Do I have to install batteries if I power the Monitor from the optional AC adapter?
  - No
- Can I utilize both the AC Adapter and batteries for backup?
  - Yes, you can install batteries even though you also have an AC adapter installed. Such “backup” is unnecessary however because the monitor’s non-volatile memory stores all operating parameters in the event of a power failure.

**Receiver Model FS-201**

- How far can I mount the Receiver from the Monitor?
  - Up to 100 feet, depending on line-of-sight. However, obstacles such as walls between the Receiver and Monitor will decrease the effective range of the device.
- Can multiple Receivers be utilized in a single monitor system?
  - Yes. All receivers would be paired with the single monitor.
Can a single Receiver be used with multiple monitors?

No, since each Receiver is paired with an individual monitor.
Future Receiver models will have the capability to be paired with additional monitors.

### Specifications

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### Warranty


For the a period of one (1) year following the date of purchase of the Product, if the Product ceases to function and/or functions improperly due to a defect in material or workmanship, CleanAlert, LLC will repair or replace the Product (at its sole discretion) free of charge to the customer. This warranty does not apply to:

1. Damage caused by accident, abuse or mishandling of the Product after it has left CleanAlert, LLC’s facility;
3. Units which have been subject to unauthorized repair and/or have been opened, taken apart or otherwise modified;
4. Units not used properly;
5. Damages exceeding the cost of the Product; and
6. Damages that are considered normal wear and tear (in CleanAlert, LLC’s sole discretion).
A Product requiring warranty service shall be sent by the customer to CleanAlert’s facility in West Chester, PA. This warranty does NOT cover the costs of having the Product transported to CleanAlert, LLC for warranty service. The customer is responsible for safely sending the Product to CleanAlert, LLC.

**Wireless Option**

**Transmitter**

In a wireless system, the FILTERSCAN® Monitor contains a wireless transmitter, operating at a frequency of 418 MHz, which is activated whenever there is an alarm condition. Transmissions are very short in duration and intermittent until the alarm condition is reset.

Each FILTERSCAN® Monitor is randomly assigned one of over 16 million identification addresses at the time of manufacture. This is important in systems where neighbors have installed similar wireless systems.

**Receiver**

The FILTERSCAN® Receiver contains a wireless receiver, also operating at a frequency of 418 MHz, which is activated intermittently, listening for an alarm condition. The Receiver listens for the FILTERSCAN® transmitter’s identification address and responds only to transmissions originating from your system’s Monitor. This prevents inadvertent activation when neighboring buildings also have FILTERSCAN® systems in operation.

Alerts at the Receiver are normally reset automatically after Monitor calibration. In addition, the Receiver alerts may be manually reset: depress the LISTEN pushbutton by inserting a straightened paper clip through the small hole located near the bottom of the Receiver cover until the click of a switch is felt. See figure in section “Receiver Installation 4.” Hold for five to ten seconds until a beep is heard.

**Learn Mode**

Each FILTERSCAN® Receiver has the ability to learn and store a FILTERSCAN® Monitor’s identification address. Your FILTERSCAN® system, consisting of a Monitor and a Receiver, has had both components identification addresses matched at the factory. In the event that a replacement Receiver is introduced into your system, that Receiver must learn the system Monitor’s identification address. In order to accomplish this, both the Receiver and Monitor must be located close to each other. The steps are:

1. Remove the Receiver front cover.
2. Depress the LEARN button located next to the batteries.
3. Within 5 seconds, depress the SEND button at the Monitor. After several seconds, the Monitor will beep once. Then, after another several seconds, the monitor will beep twice.
4. Reinstall the Receiver front cover.
5. To confirm proper pairing of the Receiver to the Monitor,
   a. After mounting the Monitor and Receiver, depress the LISTEN pushbutton by inserting a straightened paper clip through the small hole located near the bottom of the Receiver cover until the click of a switch is felt. See figure in section “Receiver Installation 4.”
   b. Within 5 seconds, depress the SEND pushbutton on the Monitor. This may require a second person.
c. The Red indicator should illuminate and the Beeper should sound for approximately five seconds, indicating that the Receiver is mounted within range of the Monitor.

**NOTE:** The best transmission range is obtained when a direct line-of-sight between the Monitor and Receiver exists. Any obstructions, such as floors and walls, will decrease the operating range of the system, and relocation of the Receiver may be required.

**Low Battery Indicator**

Receiver: When the FILTERSCAN® Receiver detects a low battery condition, the Receiver's yellow STATUS LED will blink approximately once per minute.

Monitor: When the FILTERSCAN® Receiver detects a low battery condition at the Monitor, the Receiver's yellow STATUS LED will blink three times every minute.

**Identification Address**

Creating an identification address is performed by depressing the SEND button on the Monitor. Immediately remove the Monitor cover. Wait about ten seconds until the first beep. Depress the **Create Address** button located inside the Monitor directly under the small flexible PCB (the center of the three push button switches). The green LED will start flashing. After about one second, depress the Create Address button again. The green LED will turn off. All of these steps must be completed before the second set of two beeps.

**NOTE:** The Create Address button is accessible internally in the Monitor and intended only to be used by factory technicians. Instructions are included here to allow the user to change the address in the unlikely event that a neighbor’s FILTERSCAN happens to have the same address, and to eliminate interference from that neighbor’s FILTERSCAN Monitor.

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Appendix

Glossary

Dirty Air Filter ............... An air filter which has been in use and has collected some amount of dirt or dust particles that discolor the filter fibers or element but do not substantially affect the air flow through it.

Clogged Air Filter .......... An air filter which has collected a sufficient amount of dirt or dust particles to not only discolor the filter fibers or element but decrease the air flow through the filter as well. The FILTERSCAN® typically identifies a filter as clogged when the differential pressure within an HVAC system increases to 1.5 to 2 times the initial differential pressure identified when the unit was calibrated with a clean filter.

Monitor ......................... The sensor voltage detection and signal processing portion of the system, which may contain an optional wireless transmitter.

Receiver ....................... The optional portion of the system containing a wireless receiver of data and indicating various alarm conditions.

Address ....................... One of 16 million randomly assigned identification numbers of each monitor.

Indicators

Green STATUS LED...... The blinking Green STATUS LED at the FILTERSCAN® Monitor or Receiver indicates normal operation.

Yellow STATUS LED..... The blinking Yellow STATUS LED at the FILTERSCAN® Monitor indicates a process is occurring and can also indicate a low battery condition at the Monitor or Receiver.

Red STATUS LED........ The Red STATUS LED at the FILTERSCAN® Monitor and Receiver is an alarm indicator which blinks whenever an alarm condition occurs.

Beeper......................... The audible beeper at the FILTERSCAN® Monitor and Receiver is an alarm indicator which beeps whenever certain alarm conditions occur.

Battery Replacement

Access ......................... Remove the front cover from the FILTERSCAN® Monitor or Receiver housing. Remove the batteries.

Installation ................. Insert four (4) AA batteries in the battery holder of the FILTERSCAN® Monitor, or insert two (2) AAA batteries in the battery holder of the FILTERSCAN® Receiver, and replace the front cover. CleanAlert recommends using DURACELL® COPPERTOP batteries.
Alarm Indications

Monitor/Transmitter Alarm Indications

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<td>Replace Filter and Recalibrate</td>
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<td><strong>STATUS</strong> LED flashes yellow every minute.</td>
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<td><strong>STATUS</strong> LED flashes red five times every ten minutes. Beeper sounds with LED flash. Supersedes the Heartbeat indication.</td>
<td>Replace filter, recalibrate, and depress the Listen button of the Receiver for several seconds until a short beep is heard and the green LED illuminates</td>
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Monitor Installation on Duct Board

Add duct sealant to toggle before inserting. This will help prevent the toggle from falling into duct at a later date if the FILTERSCAN unit is removed from the duct.
Various HVAC Configurations for Monitor Installation

Switch 1 OFF
Upstream Position

Switch 1 ON
Downstream Position

This is “Upstream”

This is “Downstream”

Air In

Return Air Duct

Air Supply Duct

A/C Coil

Air Filter

Blower

Air Out

Air In

Return Air Duct

Air Supply Duct

A/C Coil

Air Filter

Blower
If the air filter is located on a wall or ceiling, the FILTERSCAN will be mounted "Downstream" in all cases.
**Tubing Kit mounting differentially across the air filter**

The FILTERSCAN may be mounted on either side of the air filter.

Up-flow with vertical return and supply & Tubing Kit mounted differentially across the air filter.

This is differentially across the air filter and always set to "Downstream".

Switch 1 ON

Downstream Position
Optional Dry Contact Relay Output Operation

1. When power is first applied after installation of a Model FS-242-C or FS-242-CW, the Red Status LED will illuminate indicating that calibration is needed. The relay output will activate continuously during that time when the Red Status LED is illuminated.

2. During calibration to a new or serviced air filter, the relay output will activate, alternating on and off during the calibration process.

3. During a clog alarm or malfunction, the relay output will activate, alternating on and off whenever the Red Status LED indicates those conditions.

4. Check below vs. WiFi operation ------------

5. 1. Assuming the wired relay output is connected to a building automation system, controller, alarm system, etc. those systems should know if the wires have been cut or disconnected.
2. So, the user should use the Common and NC contacts to complete a loop in the system.
3. However, if the FILTERSCAN should lose power, there would be no indication. Unless the relay changes state.
4. Well, for the relay to change state with a power loss, it would have had to been on while power was on.
5. But, with FS power on, the only time the relay would have power is when +5vs is on.
6. It appears we can't have the above. But, that's almost how it oersted now.
7. In any case, the relay cannot be powered on all the time since the +5vs is not always on.
8. And, the relay should not activate whenever the +5vs is applied. It should be “quiet” at all times.
9. And activate on a clog alarm. Okay to pulse on and off five times or stay on for the duration of the five beeps.
10. Since the relay is not an option with the battery model, no need to signal a low battery condition with the relay.
11. The only other relay signal could be a malfunction, such as a sensor failure.

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FILTERSCAN Model FS-242-C and FS-242-CW Wiring (with optional relay output)

Optional Alert Dry Contact Relay Output
Activates momentarily upon any alert

Maximum Switching Current: 1.0A

N.O.  COM  N.C.

N.O.  Common  N.C.
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