

Temperonic 4 Zone Natural Ventilation Control Operators Manual



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Controller Features:

- Controls 4 Curtain Actuators (10 Amp, 115/230V, 1/2HP)
- Controls 2 Heaters (20 Amp, 115/230V) if only 3 Actuators are used.
- Supports 4 Probes
- Select Probes to use for Curtains and Heaters
- Curtain Timers Accurate to 1 Second
- Different Temperatures can be set for Each Zone
- Heater Run Timers Record How Long Heaters Run
- Automatic Curtain Timer Adjustment for Sudden Temperature Changes
- Manual Curtain Movement with Latching
- High and Low Temperature Records
- 4 Digit Display
- User Friendly Setting Adjustments
- Indicators for Curtain and Heater Activity
- High and Low Alarm Settings
- Alarm Relay to Trigger Auto Dialer or Alarm System
- Wind Sensor Option to Close Curtain when Windy

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Controller Features

4 Digit Temperature Display.

4 Zone Natural Ventilation Control



ADJUST



Status Indicators show when actuators are moving or heaters are on.



SELECT

Mode



Open

Close

Curtain 1

Open

Close

Curtain 2

Open

Close

Curtain 3

Open

Close

Curtain 4

Heat Zone 1

Heat Zone 2

5 Buttons used to easily modify and save parameters. Use the buttons to scroll through display information.

Model: NV4C2H

Control Operation

Under normal operating conditions, the control will show the average room temperature on the red LED display. Any Alarm codes will flash on the display.



The  button can be used to change from display mode to settings mode or even hidden settings mode.

The  and  buttons will scroll through the various display mode values. The  and  buttons will display additional information.

Factory Settings

At times, it may be necessary to completely reset a control to the factory settings. This is accomplished by holding down the 3 buttons ,  and  as the power is turned on to the control.

The buttons must be held down until the display shows the room temperature.

Alarms

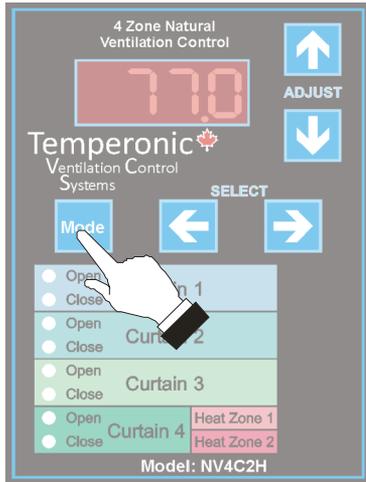
When the control encounters an alarm condition, an alarm code will flash on the LED display. The Alarm Output indicator will also flash. If an external alarm is connected, it will be activated (for any alarms other than Power Failure Reset). When the alarm condition has been cleared, the  button will reset the alarm.

The LED Display will normally show the average room temperature. In the event of an alarm condition, the LED display will flash alarm codes 4 times. The following codes may appear.

<i>LED Display</i>	<i>Alarm Description</i>
HI 1	High temperature Probe 1 (Change Parameter AL.HI to reduce the chance of a high temp. alarm)
HI 2	High temperature Probe 2
HI 3	High temperature Probe 3
HI 4	High temperature Probe 4
LO 1	Low temperature Probe 1 (Change Parameter AL.LO to reduce the chance of a low temp. alarm)
LO 2	Low temperature Probe 2
LO 3	Low temperature Probe 3
LO 4	Low temperature Probe 4
PS1 - PS4	Probe has shorted. This appears when the wires to a particular probe have shorted.
noPb	No valid probes are connected.
PF	Power Failure Reset. This appears after the controller has reset – usually due to a power failure.

When alarms have occurred, be sure you **do not press** the  button since this will clear all alarms. Once all the alarm codes have been noted, the mode button may be pressed to clear the alarms. The alarm condition must have been corrected in order to clear the alarm code. For High and Low temperature Alarms, change AL.HI and AL.LO at the end of the Standard Settings.

Display Mode:



To return to the default display mode:

Press the **Mode** Button. If the display flashes **Set.1** then press the mode button again. The display will then show the average temperature of the connected sensors.

NOTE: Control will automatically return to the default display mode 2 minutes after the last button press.

From the default display mode, use the select arrows  and  to display various values. These values are described in the following sections.

HI° High Temperature

This display Parameter shows the highest average temperature. Press both the  and  arrow at the same time to reset all high and low readings.

LO°1 Low Temperature

This display Parameter shows the lowest average temperature since reset.

PRb1 Probe 1 Temperature

This display Parameter shows the temperature at probe 1. The following Parameters show the other individual probe readings.

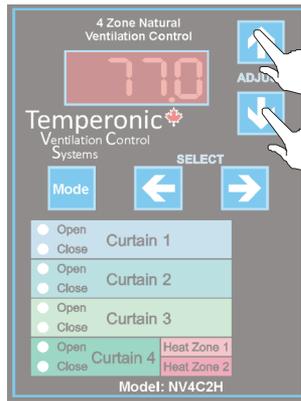
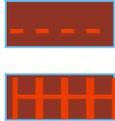
Prb2 Probe 2 Temperature

Prb3 Probe 3 Temperature

Prb4 Probe 4 Temperature

Act Manually Move All Actuators.

Press the Up Arrow
To move both curtains
Closed. Press the
Down Arrow to move
both curtains Open.
If the direction button is
held for 8 seconds or more
the curtain movement will
'latch'. To indicate this, the
display will change from
horizontal lines
to horizontal lines
with sides
when latched.



Up to
Close

Down to
Open

Curtains will stay latched until the Mode button is pressed (or the opposite direction is chosen). Note that latched curtain actuators will NOT operate automatically. To return to display room temperature while latched, the Select Arrows must be used to return to the default display Parameter. When a curtain is latched, the Open or Close indicator will flash.

Wind Sensor Status:

If Wind Sensor Operation has been enabled (see the wind sensor settings in the hidden settings) then this Parameter will indicate if the wind sensor is detecting wind, if the curtain is closing due to wind and if the open delay timer is active.

Upper segment lights up to indicate curtain is closing due to wind sensor

Lower segment indicates curtain will not open due to open delay timer



Decimal Point lights up when wind sensor flap moves toward the sensor

Act1 ACT2 ACT3 ACT4

Manually Move Individual Actuators

Press the Up Arrow to close the actuator for the zone. Press the Down Arrow to open the actuator for the Zone. Individual actuators will latch if the direction arrow is held for more than 8 seconds (See Above)

run Run Time

This Parameter displays the number of minutes since the last run time reset. This parameter is to be used in combination with the next 2 parameters allowing the operator to determine exactly how much the heaters are running. The maximum value is 9999 minutes (just over an hour short of a full week). When 9999 is reached all 3 timers stop counting.

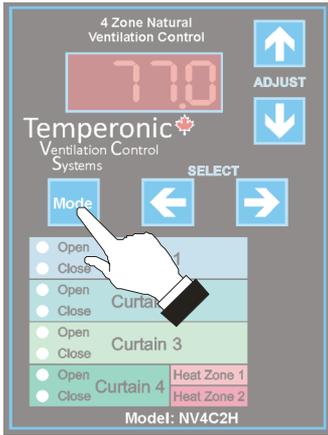
▲ Press
Both Up
and
▼ Down to
Reset
Run Time

Hrt1 Hrt2 Heater 1 and 2 Run Times

These parameters show how many minutes the heaters were running. run.t will show the total time since the last reset and Hrt1 will show how many minutes heater 1 was running during that time. Hrt2 is the same but it shows heater 2 run time.

Standard Settings:

To view or modify Standard Settings,



Press the **Mode** Button. If the display flashes **Set.P** then you are in the Standard Settings Mode. You may need to press the **Mode** Button a second time to get **Set.P** to appear on the display.

The  arrow will increase Parameter values. The  arrow will decrease Parameter values.

NOTE: Control will automatically return to the default display mode 2 minutes after the last button press.

Use the select arrows  and  to choose various parameters.

Set.P Set Point Zone 1

This parameter is the reference temperature for zone 1. The curtain will open and close based on this temperature. The heater will also turn on and off relative to this temperature.

*If the security setting is on (Hidden Parameter SECU), it will not be possible to adjust anything other than settings **SEt.1** and **SEt.2**.*

OFS.1 Curtain 1 Temperature Offset

In certain cases, it may be necessary for one curtain actuator to work from a slightly different reference temperature than the Set Point. The OFS.1 parameter allows the user to specify a temperature offset. If the offset is set at 3.0°, then the centre of the deadband will be found at the Set Point + 3.0° and the curtain won't begin opening till the room is warmer by 3.0°. If it is set at -3.0° then the curtain will begin opening at a temperature 3.0° cooler than if this parameter was left at 0.

db.1 Curtain Dead Band Zone 1

This parameter defines the dead band for Zone 1. This is the temperature above and below the set point where the curtain will remain where it is. The dead band is centred on the set point. A dead band of 3.6° will not move the curtain unless the temperature climbs 1.8° above the set point or drops 1.8° below the set point.

OPn.1 Curtain Open On-Time Zone 1

When the temperature is high enough and the curtains are to open, the actuator will open for the amount of time specified in this setting. Then the curtain will

stop and remain in place for the “Off Time” below. There are 3 settings in the hidden settings that will automatically adjust the timers for a longer on-time if the room temperature is very far from the target temperature.

CLo.1 Curtain Close On-Time Zone 1

When the room temperature is cool enough, the curtains will begin to close. The curtain will run for the amount of time specified in this setting then it will stop and remain in place for the “off” time (see next parameter).

OFF.1 Curtain Zone 1 Off Time

After the curtain moves open or closed for the time specified, the curtain will stop for the time specified here. This allows time for the room temperature to adjust.

The next 5 settings are very similar to Zone 1 but apply to Curtain Zone 2 through 4

OFS.2 db.2 OPn.2 CLo.2 OFF.2

OFS.3 db.3 OPn.3 CLo.3 OFF.3

OFS.4 db.4 OPn.4 CLo.4 OFF.4

HEA.1 Heater Turn-On Temperature Zone 1

This parameter defines the turn-on point for the heater. It is important to set this value a few degrees lower than the point at which the curtain begins closing since the heater should only operate when the curtain is closed. Typically, this value will be a negative value that is greater than half of the dead band value.

HEA.2 Heater Turn-On Temperature Zone 2

This parameter defines the turn-on point for the heater. It is important to set this value a few degrees lower than the point at which the curtain begins closing since the heater should only operate when the curtain is closed. Typically, this value will be a negative value that is greater than half of the dead band value.

AL.HI High Temperature Alarm Setting

This parameter defines the high temperature alarm setting. This parameter specifies a value relative to the set point. If any of the probes exceed a temperature of the Set Point + this parameter, a high temperature alarm will be issued for the probe.

AL.LO Low Temperature Alarm Setting

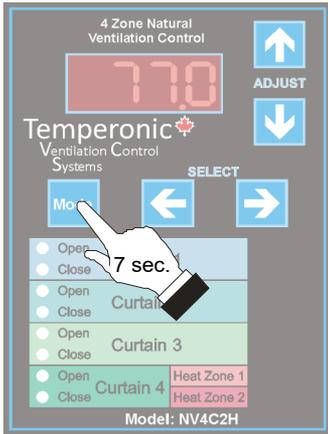
This parameter defines the low temperature alarm setting. This parameter specifies a value relative to the set point. If any of the probes drop below the temperature of the Set Point + this parameter, a low temperature alarm will be

issued for the probe.

Setting	Units	Factory Default	Range	Record Your Settings
SETP Set Point	°F	77.0	-40 to 99	
	°C	25.0	-40 to 37.2	
OF1 Offset Temp. Zone 1	°F	0.0	-36 to 36	
	°C	0.0	-20 to 20	
db1 Dead Band Zone 1	°F	3.6	0 to 36	
	°C	2.0	0 to 20	
Qon1 Curtain Open On-Time	Seconds	10	0 to 254	
Co1 Curtain Close On-Time	Seconds	15	0 to 254	
Of1 Curtain Off Time	Seconds	50	0 to 254	
OF2 Set Point Zone 2	°F	0.0	-36 to 36	
	°C	0.0	-20 to 20	
db2 Dead Band Zone 2	°F	3.6	0 to 36	
	°C	2.0	0 to 20	
Qon2 Curtain Open On-Time	Seconds	10	0 to 254	
Co2 Curtain Close On-Time	Seconds	15	0 to 254	
Of2 Curtain Off Time	Seconds	50	0 to 254	
OF3 Set Point Zone 3	°F	0.0	-36 to 36	
	°C	0.0	-20 to 20	
db3 Dead Band Zone 3	°F	3.6	0 to 36	
	°C	2.0	0 to 20	
Qon3 Curtain Open On-Time	Seconds	10	0 to 254	
Co3 Curtain Close On-Time	Seconds	15	0 to 254	
Of3 Curtain Off Time	Seconds	50	0 to 254	
OF4 Set Point Zone 4	°F	0.0	-36 to 36	
	°C	0.0	-20 to 20	
db4 Dead Band Zone 4	°F	3.6	0 to 36	
	°C	2.0	0 to 20	
Qon4 Curtain Open On-Time	Seconds	10	0 to 254	
Co4 Curtain Close On-Time	Seconds	15	0 to 254	
Of4 Curtain Off Time	Seconds	50	0 to 254	
HEA1 Heater Offset	°F	-3.6	-36 to 0	
	°C	-2.0	-20 to 0	
HEA2 Heater Offset	°F	-3.6	-36 to 0	
	°C	-2.0	-20 to 0	
ALH High Temp. Alarm	°F	9.0	-36 to 0	
	°C	5.0	-20 to 0	
ALLO Low Temp. Alarm	°F	-7.2	-36 to 0	
	°C	-4.0	-20 to 0	

Hidden Settings:

To view or modify Hidden Settings,



Press and hold the **Mode** Button until the display flashes **run** (about 7 seconds) then you are in the Hidden Settings Mode.

The  arrow will increase Parameter values. The  arrow will decrease Parameter values.

NOTE: Control will automatically return to the default display mode 2 minutes after the last button press.

Use the select arrows  and  to choose various parameters.

run Heat Control System On / Off

Whenever the curtains are in-use, this setting must be set to “On”. When set to Off, all curtains will stay where they are (manual move still works). Heater Outputs will continue to function when Off to prevent the room from freezing.

DeGr Temperature Units

This parameter allows selection of temperature units between °F and °C.

Prb.1 Prb.2 Prb.3 Probes to use for Curtain 1, 2 and 3

This control supports up to 4 indoor probes. This parameter allows selection of the probes to be averaged and used by Curtain zones 1, 2 or 3. Any combination of the 4 probes can be selected. Setting this parameter to ‘off’ will turn off the curtain and it will not move automatically.

Prb.4 Probes to use for Curtain 4

This parameter selects the probes to use for Curtain 4 similar to the above setting. Note that Setting Prb.4 to ‘Off’ enables heat stages to operate using the relays normally dedicated to operation of Curtain 4.

CLSt Wind Sensor Close Timer

This parameter defines how long the curtains will run closed after wind is detected by the wind sensor. This is usually set to several seconds. The timer gets reset every time wind is detected by the sensor. When this Parameter is set to 0, the wind sensing function is disabled. If the control is not equipped with the optional wind sensor board, this parameter must be set to 0 for proper operation of the control.

NOpt Wind Sensor Open Delay Timer

If the curtain closes due to wind, the temperature would normally cause the curtain to open again right away. To prevent this, an open delay timer prevents the curtains from opening for up to 254 minutes (4 hours). Normally, this value should be set to between 30 and 60 minutes. This timer is reset each time the wind sensors detect wind.

UUit Wind Sensor High Temperature Inhibit

This parameter sets a temperature at which point the wind sensor is ignored. On very warm days, the curtain should remain open even if it is very windy. If the probe for a curtain is at or above the temperature specified here, the wind sensor will be ignored and the curtain will open normally even if the wind sensor is detecting wind.

PbH.1 Heater 1 Probes to Average

This parameter specifies the probes to use for the Zone 1 Heater.

PbH.2 Heater 2 Probes to Average

This parameter specifies the probes to use for the Zone 2 Heater.

Hdif Heater Differential

When a heater turn on, it is important that it is allowed to run for a while before shutting off again. This parameter specifies how much the temperature in the room must climb before the heater shuts off. If a Heater is set up to turn on at 60°F and the heat differential is set to 0.7°F, then the heater will not shut off until the room temperature reaches 60.7°F.

Cdif Curtain Differential

There may be unusual conditions where the temperature in the room changes rather quickly. Since the curtains operate on a timing cycle that may take over a minute to complete, the curtain differential can stop a curtain from moving open or closed when there is a rather sudden change in temperature. It works much the same as the heater differential. For example, if the Curtain Differential is set to 0.8°F and if the curtain starts to open at 77°F and the temperature in the room suddenly drops by 1.0°F while the actuator is running, the curtain will stop due to the fact the temperature dropped by a value greater than the curtain differential.

Automatic Curtain Adjustment

The next 3 settings allow an automatic increase in the on-time when the room temperature is quite distant from the set point. There are times when the outdoor temperature can change quite suddenly and a slow moving curtain can take a long time to compensate for this sudden change. Then next 3 parameters can greatly speed up the response of a curtain to a sudden and significant change in temperature. Examine the parameters and the diagram and example on the following page to understand how these parameters work. These settings will affect the on and off times of both curtains in the same manner.

CCnA Curtain Timer Compensation No Adjust Band

The value entered here indicates the temperature range above and below the Dead Band where the Curtain Open On-Time (Parameter **OPn.1**) and Curtain Close On-Time (Parameter **CLo.1**), follow the On-Times set in Parameters **OPn.1** and **CLo.1**. This parameter is disabled if parameters **CMOT** and **CCPb** are set to 0.

CMOT Maximum On-Time

The value entered here indicates the Maximum On-Time that the curtain will use. If the Maximum On-Time entered here is greater than the [Open On-Time (Parameter **OPn.1**) + Off-Time (Parameter **OFF.1**)], or greater than the [Close On-Time (Parameter **CLo.1**) + Off-Time (Parameter **OFF.1**)], the controller will give the Off-Time a value of 5 seconds. Otherwise, the on time is increased and the off time is decreased as needed.

CCpb Timer Compensate Proportional Band

The value entered here indicates the bandwidth over which the curtain goes from (Minimum On-Time, Maximum Off-Time) to (Maximum On-Time, Minimum Off Time).

For example:

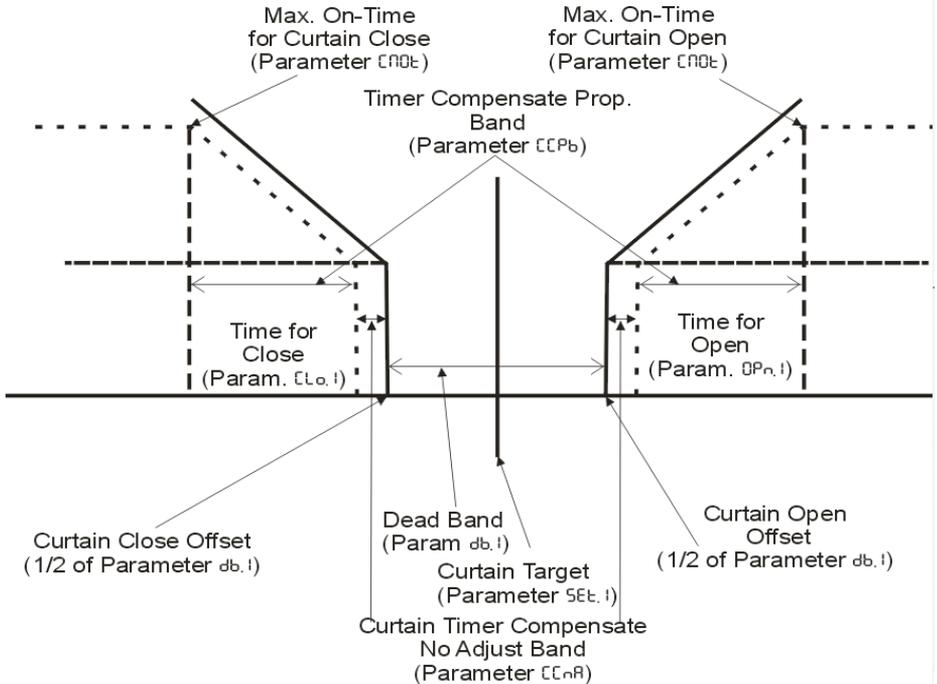
Parameter SEt.1 (Set Point)	70.0°F
Parameter db.1 (Curtain Dead Band)	5.0°F
Parameter OPn.1 (Curtain Open On-Time)	60 sec.
Parameter OFF.1 (Curtain Off-Time)	60 sec.
Parameter CCnA (Cur. Timer Comp. No Adjust Band)	1.0°F
Parameter CMOT (Max. On-Time)	90 sec.

Parameter CCpb (Timer Comp. Prop. Band)	2.0°F
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Using example settings: When the Temperature in the room increases and reaches 72.5°F (Parameter **SEt.1** + 1/2 of Parameter **db.1**), the curtain starts to cycle Open for 60 sec. (Parameter **OPn.1**) Off for 60 sec. (Parameter **OFF.1**). The curtain will continue to cycle Open 60 sec., Off 60 sec. for another 1.0°F increase in temperature (73.5°F), since this is the value set in Parameter **CCnA** (No adjust band setting). If the temperature continues to rise in the room (73.6°F to 75.5°F, 2.0°F bandwidth set in Parameter **CCpb**), the controller will gradually increase

the Open On-Time and decrease the Off Time until the Max. Open On-Time is 90 sec. (Parameter CMOT). The Off time would be reduced to 30 seconds. These settings are only an example of how the controller is capable of lengthening the Open On-Time automatically as the temperature increases, to have the curtain in the fully open position quicker. The example shows the procedure which takes place on a temperature increase in the room. The same approach is taken when the temperature decreases in the room and the curtain closes.

Diagram of Curtain Using Proportion Bandwidth operation.

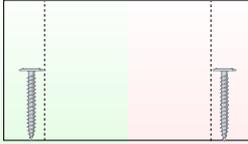


Hidden Settings Table:

Setting	Units	Factory Default	Range	Record Your Settings
run Curtains On/Off		on	On / Off	
degr Temp. Units		°F	°F / °C	
Prb1 Curtain 1 Probes to use.		1	off, 1 to 4	
Prb2 Curtain 2 Probes to use.		2	off, 1 to 4	
Prb3 Curtain 3 Probes to use.		3	off, 1 to 4	
Prb4 Curtain 4 Probes to use.		4	off, 1 to 4	
CLSt Wind Sense Close Timer	Seconds	0	0 to 254	
NOpt Wind Open Delay Timer	Minutes	0	0 to 254	
WUt Wind High Temp Inhibit	°F °C	86.0 30.0	-40 to 99 -40 to 37.2	
PrH1 Heater 1 Probes to use.		12	off, 1 to 4	
PrH2 Heater 2 Probes to use.		34	off, 1 to 4	
Hif Heater Differential	°F °C	0.9 0.5	0 to 36 0 to 20	
Cdf Curtain Differential	°F °C	0.9 0.5	0 to 36 0 to 20	
CCnA Curtain No Adjust Band	°F °C	0.0 0.0	0 to 36 0 to 20	
CMOT Curtain Max On-Time	Seconds	0	0 to 254	
CCbP Curtain Adj. Prop. Band	°F °C	0.0 0.0	0 to 36 0 to 20	
SECU Security Status		Off	On/Off	

Control Mounting Instructions

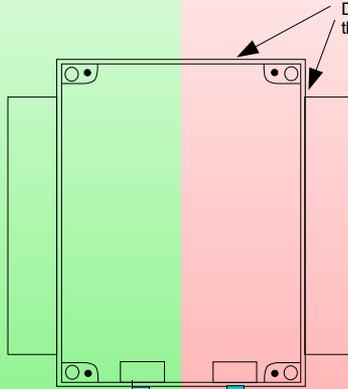
Mount to a flat, inside wall.



Don't Mount to an uneven wall. It will cause the box to warp and it will not seal well.
Don't Mount on an outside wall, the cool temperature can cause water to form inside the enclosure.



Leave at least 10" of space on the heat-sink side of the control.



Don't drill holes in the top or side of the enclosure.

Don't block access to the heat sink by mounting too close to conduit or boxes. This can make board replacements very difficult.

All Wiring Enters the Bottom of the Enclosure

Use Shielded cable for probes and potentiometer

Cross High Voltage Wires at 90°

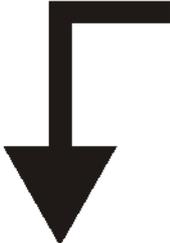
Don't run low voltage wires next to high voltage wires. Don't cross at an angle other than 90°

High Voltage Wiring

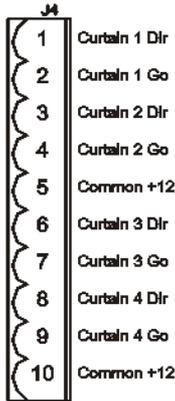
Do

Don't

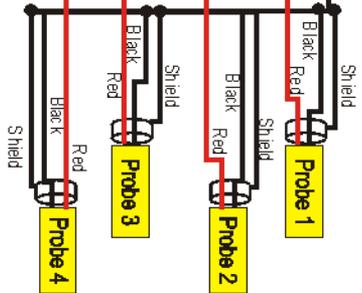
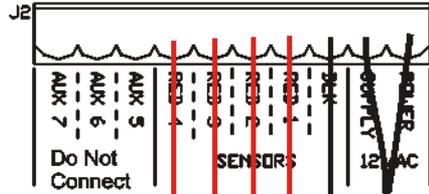
NV4C2H WIRING DIAGRAM



Wiring to relays on next page.



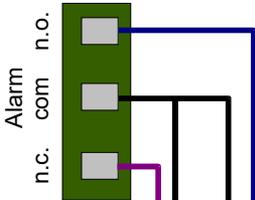
Relay Drive Device in a socket. If relays do not operate properly but everything else is fine, replace the ULN2803 in this socket. (Typically needed after lightning damage)



Connect 12Vac or DC power supply to 9 and 10 (no polarity, + and - don't matter)

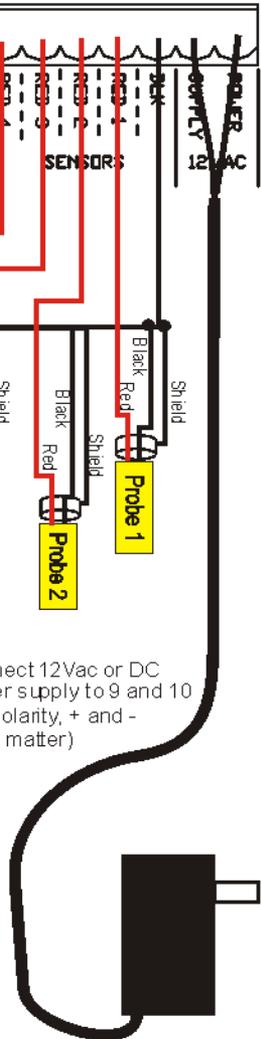
Power supply wire can be extended up to 150' using 18 or 20 gauge wire.

Alarm Contacts



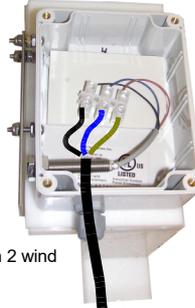
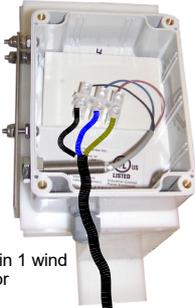
n.c. and com are connected together when all is well.

n.o. and com are connected together when in alarm.



12 Volt Power Supply

Wind Sensor Wiring Instructions:

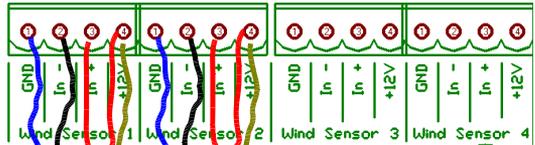


Mount the wind sensor inside the room on the stud wall near the top of the curtain with the metal flapper towards the curtain. Adjust the height of the sensor on the wall to establish a minimum curtain opening even during windy conditions.

Blue Wire to GND
Brown to +12V
Black to In -

Jumper In+ to +12V

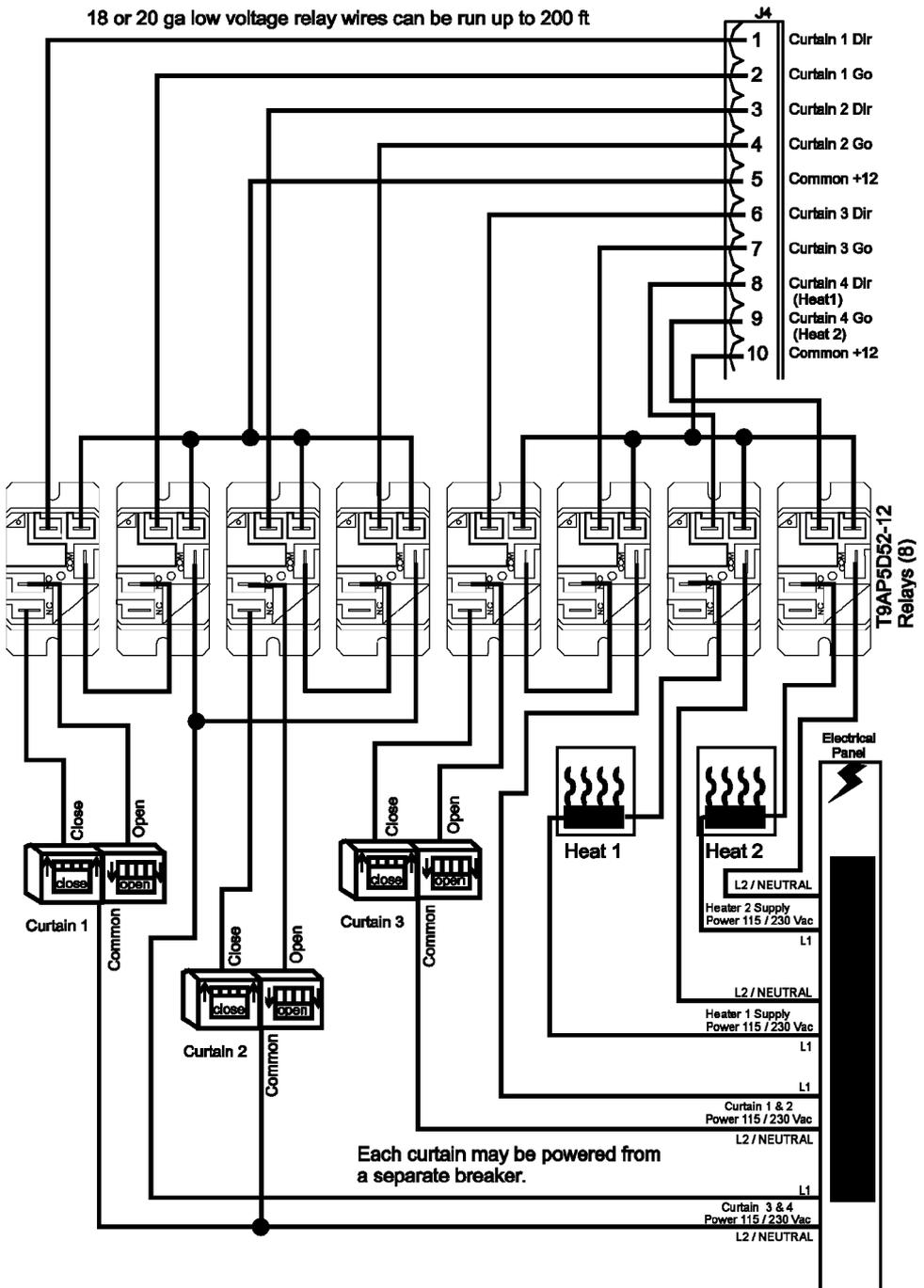
Wind Sensor Board in bottom of control



The Wind Sensors require the optional Wind Sensor Board. Part Number BD-NVWI4. Sensors on Curtains 3 and 4 are connected in the same manner as Sensors 1 and 2 shown here.

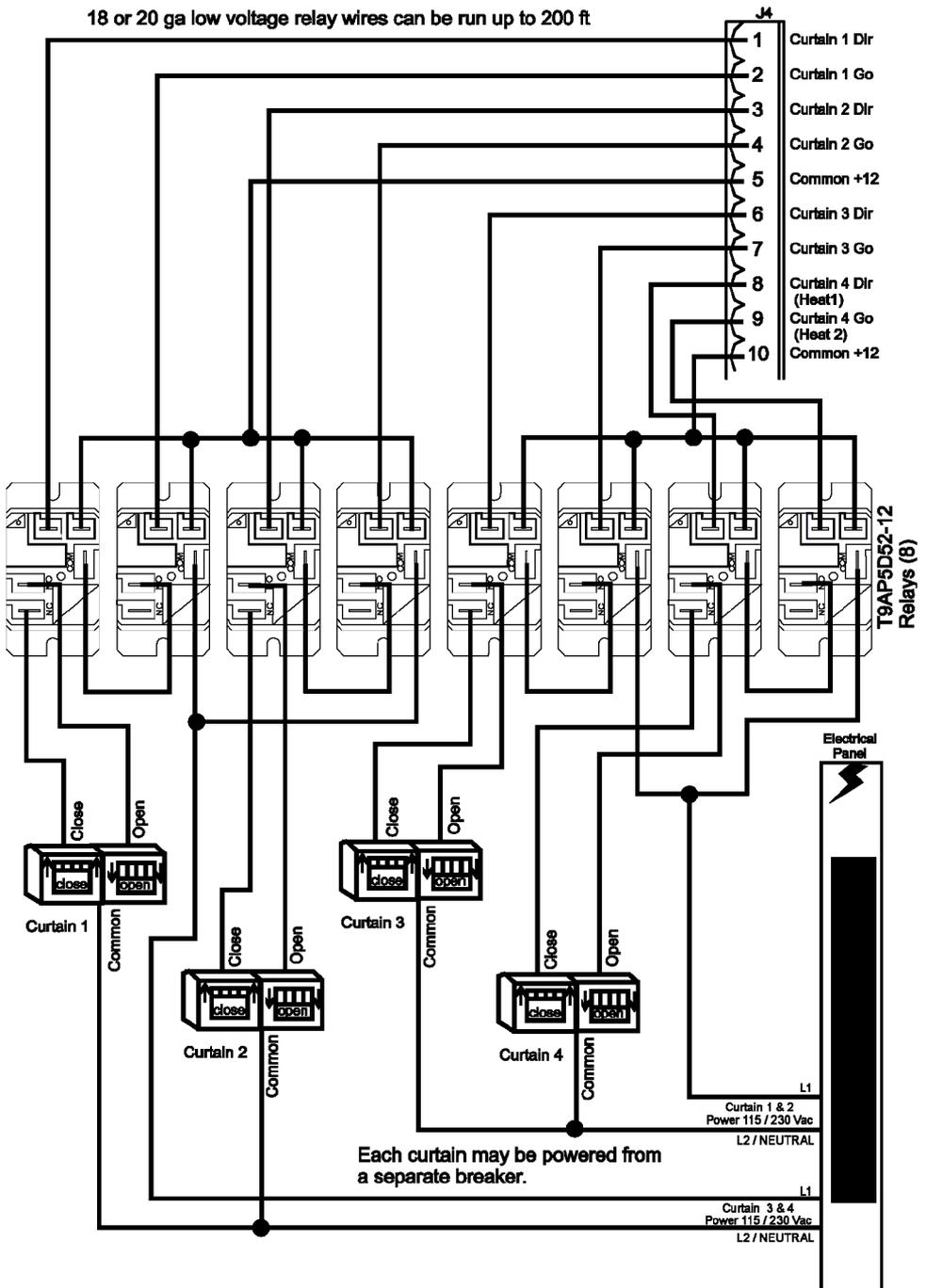
NV4C2H WIRING DIAGRAM 3 Curtains, 2 Heaters

18 or 20 ga low voltage relay wires can be run up to 200 ft



NV4C2H WIRING DIAGRAM 4 Curtains

18 or 20 ga low voltage relay wires can be run up to 200 ft



Limited Warranty

Veldhuis Digital Engineering Ltd. hereby warrants that should this unit prove defective, Veldhuis Digital Engineering Ltd. will repair the unit free of charge but subject to the following conditions and a time period of 1 year at 100% coverage of parts and labour to repair or replace the unit as determined by Veldhuis Digital Engineering Ltd.. Veldhuis Digital Engineering Ltd. assumes no responsibility for losses resulting directly or indirectly from the use of this control unit beyond the replacement or repair of the control unit.

1. The unit must have been installed in accordance with the installation instructions contained in this manual, such that the contents of the control are protected from moisture and dust using liquid tight connections on all wiring into the control housing. Any holes cut into top or side of control enclosure void warranty of controller.
2. No modification of the control has been done by anyone other than qualified Veldhuis Digital Engineering Ltd. personnel.
3. The control unit must not have been subject to abuse, misuse or accident or operated other than as specified in this manual. Any decision on this condition by Veldhuis Digital Engineering Ltd. will be final.
4. Warranty will only be provided to the original purchaser of this product and proof of purchase must be provided at the time of a warranty request. Warranty period begins at date of manufacture as found on the control unit unless date of sale and serial numbers are clearly indicated on proof of purchase documents.
5. This warranty is only applicable to control unit NV4C2H
6. All shipping charges are the responsibility of the purchaser.
7. For best warranty service, return a defective control unit to your local dealer along with proof of purchase of the unit.

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