

The VESDA LaserFOCUS detector is a very early warning smoke detector designed to protect small, business-critical environments of less than 500 m² (5000 sq. ft.)

The detector works by continually drawing air into sample holes in a pipe network. The air is filtered and passed into a detection chamber where light scattering technology detects the presence of very small amounts of smoke. Detector status information is communicated on the detector display and via relays or optional interface cards.

Out-of-the-box operation

The VESDA LaserFOCUS can be installed and commissioned out-of-the-box without the need for a special interface or software programming tools.

In operation, the unique Smoke Dial display provides the user with an instant understanding of a smoke event, even from a distance. Should a fault occur, the user simply opens the field service door and activates the Instant Fault Finder feature to determine the specific fault condition. This information can then be passed onto their fire service company, ensuring that service technicians arrive onsite fully prepared.

Ultrasonic Flow Sensing

The patent-pending Ultrasonic Flow Sensing used in the LaserFOCUS provides a direct reading of the sampling pipe flow rate. The system is immune to air temperature and pressure changes and is unaffected by contamination. VESDA is the first air sampling smoke detector to use ultrasonic flow sensing.

Features

- Out-of-the-Box Installation and Commissioning
- · Ultrasonic Airflow Sensing
- · Laser-Based Absolute Smoke Detection
- · Pre-engineered pipe network designs
- · Programmable Alarm Thresholds
- · Dual Stage Air Filtration
- · Instant Recognition Display
- Instant Fault Finder™
- AutoLearn™ Smoke
- AutoLearn™ Flow
- · Field Service Access Door
- Multiple Event Logging in separate logs
- Event log up to 18000 events
- · Offline/online configuration capability
- Up to 500 m² (5000 sq. ft.) coverage*

Listings/Approvals

- UL 268 listed
- UL 268A Duct listed
- · FM approved
- FM approved for Hazardous Locations, Class I, Div. 2
- CCCF approved
- · LPCB approved
- VdS approved
- CE EN 54-20
- Class A (30 holes / 0.05% obs/m)
- Class B (30 holes / 0.15% obs/m)
- Class C (30 holes / 0.32% obs/m)

Classification of any configuration is determined using ASPIRE2.



VLF-500

Specifications

Input Power

24V DC Nominal (18-30 V DC) Voltage: Current @ 24 VDC: 410 mA nominal, 490 mA in alarm

Dimensions (W x H x D) 255 mm x 185 mm x 90 mm (9⁷/₈ in x 7¹/₈ in x 3¹/₂ in)

Weiaht Approx. 2 kg (4.4 lbs)

IP Rating

Upright, inverted or horizontal Mounting

Operating Conditions†

Detector Ambient: 0 °C to 40 °C (32 °F to 104 °F) Sampled Air: 0 °C to 40 °C (32 °F to 104 °F) 5% to 95% (non-condensing) Humidity:

Sampling Network

1 x 50 m (150 ft) (Max. 24 holes) Maximum pipe lengths:

2 x 30 m (90 ft) per branch (Max. 12 holes per branch) Pre-Engineered Option or Maximum Pipe length in Sampling Hole Options:

accordance with Pipe Modelling Design Tool (ASPIRE2™)

Air Inlet Pipe

Accepts both metric and American standard pipe sizes.

Metric: 25 mm American Pipe: IPS 3/4 in.

Up to 500 m² (5000 sq. ft.) depending on local codes and standards

3 changeover relays (Fire 1, Action, Fault), Contacts rated 2A @ 30 VDC (max). NO/NC Contacts

3 x 25 mm (1¹/_{4e} in.) cable entries (1 rear entry, 2 top entry)

Cable Termination

Screw Terminals 0.2-2.5 mm² (30-12 AWG)

Shown in Terminal Block Connections diagram, to right, plus an RS232 Programming Port. General Purpose Input (GPI) interface offers: Reset, Disable, Standby, Alarm set 1, Alarm set 2 and External Input functions.

Alarm Threshold Setting Range

0.025 - 2.00% obs/m (0.008 - 0.625% obs/ft) Alert, Action, Fire 1, Fire 2 0.025 - 20.00% obs/m (0.008 - 6.25% obs/ft) Individual Alarm Delays 0 - 60 seconds

Two Alarm Threshold Settings

Display 4 Alarm State Indicators

· Fault and Disabled Indicators

Either time or GPI based

Smoke Level Indicator

· Instant Fault Finder • Reset, Disable and Test Controls • Smoke and Flow AutoLearn Controls

Event Log

Up to 18000 events, time and date stamped in separate, non-volatile, logs for: Smoke Level, Flow Level, Detector Status and Faults

AutoLearn Smoke & Flow

· Automatically set acceptable alarm thresholds for both smoke and flow levels

Minimum 15 minutes, maximum 15 days (default 14 days)

• During AutoLearn, thresholds are NOT changed from pre-set values

Warranty Period

2 years

Ordering Information:

VLF-500-00 VESDA LaserFOCUS. European language set. English display labels VLF-500-01 VESDA LaserFOCUS. European language set. International display labels VLF-500-02 VESDA LaserFOCUS. English + Asian language set. International display labels VIC-010 VESDAnet Interface Card

VSP-005 Filter Cartridge

VSP-715 Aspirator

Display:

The display provided to the user includes a Smoke Dial and alarm and status indicators.



When the field service access door is open, the user has access to the RESET C DISABLE , Fire Test , AutoLearn and Instant Fault Finder functions. When the Instant Fault Finder function is activated, the Smoke Dial converts to a fault indicator, with the dial segment numbers corresponding to the faults listed below.

Legend of fault indicators:

6 External Device/PSU

2 Aspirator

7 Interface card 8 Field wiring

3 High flow 4 Low flow

9 AutoLearn Fail

5 n/a

10 Detector failure

Terminal Block Connections:

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			1	GPI	
	Ō	甘	2	GPI	
	0	Ħ	3	Display TX	
	0	口	4	Display RX	
	0	I	5	Display Common Ground	
	0		6	Display Power -	
	Ø		7	Display Power +	
	0	I	8	Power Return 0 VDC	From power
	0	口	9	Power In 24 VDC	supply unit
	0		10	Power Return 0 VDC	To next detector (if more than 1 detect
	©		11	Power Out 24 VDC	per Power Supply Un
	0	団	12	NC	
	0		13	Common	Fault relay
	0	口	14	NO	
	0	I	15	NC	
	Ø	\Box	16	Common	Action relay
	0	\square	17	NO	
	0	口	18	NC	
	0	耳	19	Common	Fire 1 relay
	0	\square	20	NO	

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*Depending upon local codes and standards †Operation outside these parameters will reduce detector life.

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