



# Force-i

## Installation & Operation Manual



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## 1. Introduction

This manual contains all the necessary information in regard to the installation, troubleshooting, operation and maintenance of this unit. Ensure instructions in this manual are adhered to at all times. Failing to comply with these recommendations will invalidate the warranty.



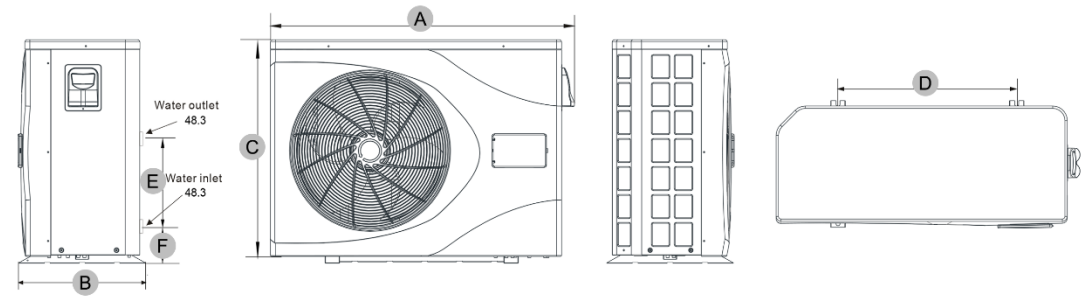
The Evo Force-i series heat pump is our high performance pool and spa inverter heat pump that provides year round pool heating with the lowest running costs.

MODEL	Evo Force-i 9	Evo Force-i 12	Evo Force-i 17	Evo Force-i 19	Evo Force-i 24	Evo Force-i 28-3
Heat output at 27°C air/26°C water (kW)	9	12	17	19.5	24.2	28.3
Heat output at 15°C air/26°C water (kW)	7.4	9.7	12.4	15.4	19.9	23.3
Cooling output at 35°C air/30°C water (kW)	4.5	6.4	8.6	10.5	14.2	16.5
C.O.P. at 27°C air	16.13~6.76	16.28~6.79	15.71~6.76	16.16~6.19	16.11~6.05	16.13~6.10
Consumed power (kW)	0.33~1.33	0.18~1.77	0.24~2.52	0.28~3.15	0.35~4.00	0.42~4.64
Power supply	220-240/1/50	220-240/1/50	220-240/1/50	220-240/1/50	220-240/1/50	380-415/3/50
Max current (amps) per phase	9.3	12.1	14.7	18.7	24.1	11.7
Connection type	10amp	15amp	hard wired	hard wired	hard wired	hard wired
Fan quantity	1	1	1	1	2	2
Fan speed (RPM)	400-800	400-800	500-750	500-900	400-800	400-900
Noise dB(A) at 1M	40-50	42-52	44-53	45-56	46-57	48-58
Noise dB(A) at 1M in silence mode	40	42	44	45	46	48
Refrigerant gas	R32	R32	R32	R32	R32	R32
PVC Water connection (mm)	40	40	40	40	40	40
Water flow volume (L/min)	60	80	90	110	150	160
Water pressure drop (max) kPa	4	4.5	5	6	11	15
Net dimensions L/W/H (mm)	1046/453/768	1046/453/768	1161/490/862	1161/490/862	1161/490/1274	1161/490/1274
Net weight (kg)	52	58	69	90	111	120

\* Performance condition: 27°C air / water 26°C / humid 80% \* The data above is based on the EVO heat pump only, it does not include auxiliary devices. Product specification information provided above is correct at the date of printing, this data may change without notice. Please speak with an EvoHeat Specialist for the most current product specifications.

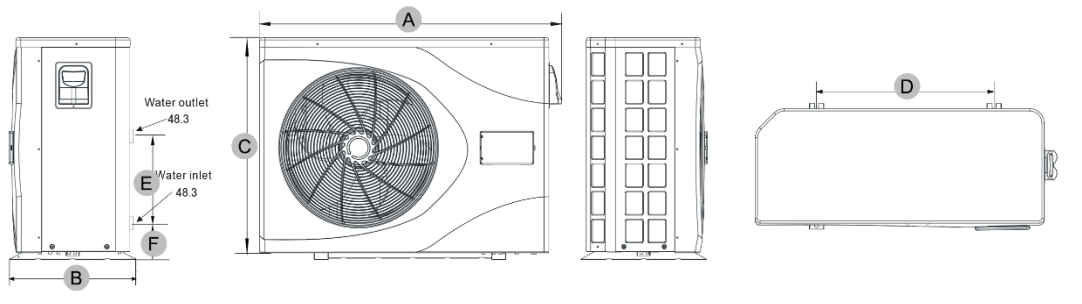
2. Unit Dimensions

Force-i 9 & Force-i 12



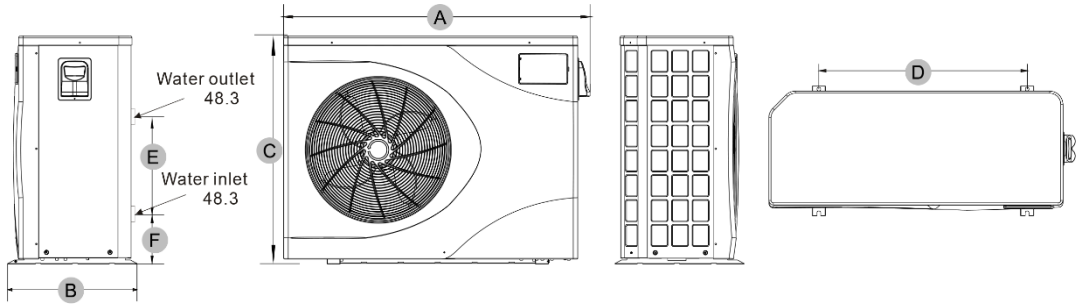
Force-i	A (L)	B (W)	C (H)	D	E	F
9 & 12	1046	453	768	615	350	100

Force-i 17



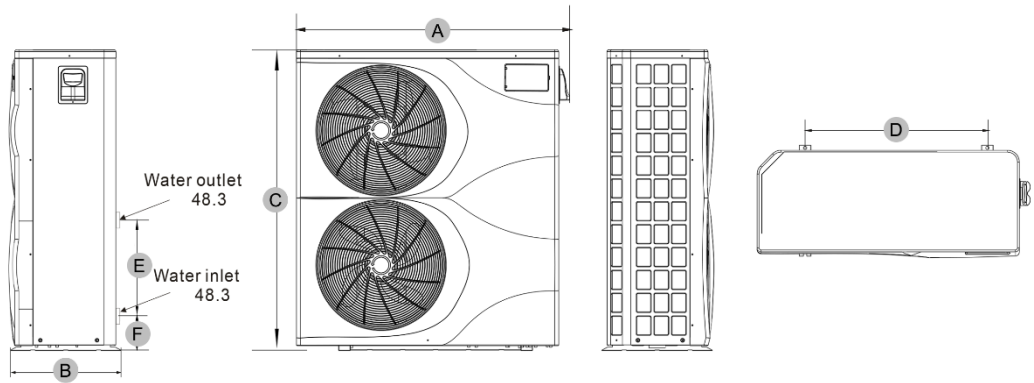
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Force-i 19



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19	1161	490	1274	790	465	97

Force-i 24 & Force-i 28-3



Force-i	A (L)	B (W)	C (H)	D	E	F
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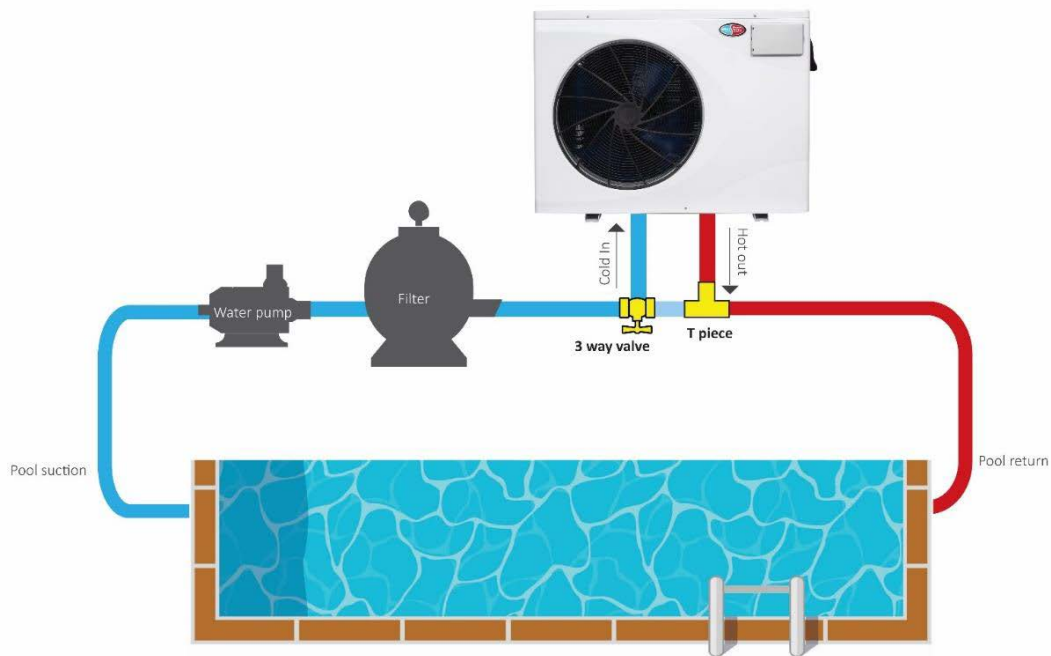
# QUICK START GUIDE

## **IMPORTANT THINGS TO NOTE**

- Ensure you meet the minimum clearances and recommended installation locations as outlined in the manual.
- All heat pump accessories are contained in a plastic bag inside the packaging of your heat pump unit.

## **PRE-INSTALLATION**

1. Position the heater on a level pad in the desired location on the pool water return line (as shown in the example image below).
2. Install the supplied antivibration rubber pads under the feet of the unit.
3. Install the supplied condensation barb to the underside of the unit and direct the condensation to an appropriate drainage point.



## **PLUMBING INSTALLATION**

**PLEASE NOTE:** Evo heat pumps standard plumbing fitting size can accept 40mm NB PVC pipe for connection to the pool or spa filtration plumbing.

1. Attach the supplied barrel unions to the cold inlet and hot outlet (hand tighten).
2. Use plumbing tape and ensure the 'O' ring is in position when sealing.
3. Install a 3-way valve at the cold-water inlet and create a bypass by connecting a "T" piece into the heated line.
4. Make the plumbing connections and brace pipework where necessary.








## ELECTRICAL CONNECTION

**PLEASE NOTE:** Electrical connection should only be completed by licenced personnel and in accordance with all relevant Australian Standards, applicable laws and local legislations.

1. Remove the external cover to the electrical terminal by removing the screws and the terminal cover panel.
2. Feed the electrical cable in through the conduit nipple and attach the electric supply wires to the applicable Active Neutral and Earth connections located in the electrical terminal.
3. To complete the electrical connection, install electrical conduit, UF cable or other suitable means as specified (as permitted by local electrical authorities) and connect the cable to a dedicated power supply branch circuit equipped with the appropriate size circuit breaker, or time delay fuse protection.

## INITIAL START UP AND COMMISSIONING

**PLEASE NOTE:** The water pump must be running and water circulating through the heat pump for the system to operate.

1. Turn on your water filter pump.
2. Check for water leaks and verify flow to and from the pool.
3. Turn on the electrical power supply to the EvoHeat unit.
4. Press the ON/OFF  button of the controller to be green for on (off is white), it will start within 60 seconds
5. Ensure the fan icon is showing 5 fan blades  (performance mode)
6. Click on the large temperature display on the main screen to enter the parameter menu 
  - a. Click the sun icon  to activate heating mode
  - b. Click the temperature display to set the desired pool water temperature 
  - c. Enter the temperature via the digital keypad and click enter
7. After the system has been running for a running for approximately 5 minutes; check the Temperature Differential (TD) of the entering cold water to the exiting heated water:
  - a. Press the graph symbol in the top right corner of screen 
  - b. Review the inlet and outlet water temperatures and adjust the water flow by opening or closing the 3-way valve installed at the cold water inlet to achieve a target TD of approximately 2°C (e.g 22°C inlet water and 24°C outlet water) 
8. If there is any interruption to water flow (i.e. when the water pump is turned off), the unit will automatically turn off and display an E03 error code - no water flow. This is normal and the system will restart once water flow is reinstated.

## INITIAL HEAT UP TIME

Initial heat up times will vary depending on the size of your pool, environmental conditions and the capacity of the system installed. After installation please allow the unit and pool pump to run continuously until the desired pool water temperature is reached (it may take several days for the pool to initially reach the set temperature).

**FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION  
SEE THE REST OF THIS MANUAL**

## 4. Safety Instructions

Installation, repair or relocations must be done by a fully qualified person and not by the customer. If done incorrectly it may cause fire, electric shock, water leakage and other hazards.

A circuit breaker must be installed for the unit.

To avoid risk of electrical shock, the unit must have a good power connection and earthing.

The unit is equipped with an over-load protection system. After a previous stoppage, the unit will not start for at least 3 minutes.

Do not use any means to accelerate the defrosting processor or to clean other than those recommended by the manufacturer.

The unit must be stored in a room without any continuously operating ignition sources (for example: open flames, an operating gas appliance or an operating electric heater.)

Do not pierce or burn.

Be aware that refrigerants may not contain an odour.

If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard.

The appliance shall be installed in accordance with national wiring regulations.

Before obtaining access to terminals, all supply circuits must be disconnected.

An all-pole disconnection device must be incorporated which as at least 3mm clearances in all poles, a leakage current that may exceed 10mA, residual current device (RCD) having a rated residual operating current not exceeding 30mA and disconnection must be incorporated in the fixed wiring in accordance with the wiring rules.

The unit should be installed, operated and stored in a room with a floor area larger than 30m<sup>2</sup>.

- The installation of pipe-work shall be kept to a minimum 30 m<sup>2</sup>
- Spaces where refrigerant pipes shall be compliance with national gas regulations.
- Servicing shall be performed only as recommended by the manufacturer.
- The appliance shall be stored in a well-ventilated area where the room size corresponds to the room area as specified for operation.
- All working procedure that affects safety means shall only be carried by competent persons.

Transport of equipment containing flammable refrigerants

- Compliance with the transport regulations
- Marking of equipment using signs
- Compliance with local regulations
- Disposal of equipment using flammable refrigerants
- Compliance with national regulations
- Storage of equipment/appliances
- The storage of equipment should be in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. Storage of packed (unsold) equipment
- Storage package protection should be constructed such that mechanical damage to the equipment inside the package will not cause a leak of the refrigerant charge.
- The maximum number of pieces of equipment permitted to be stored together will be determined by local regulations.

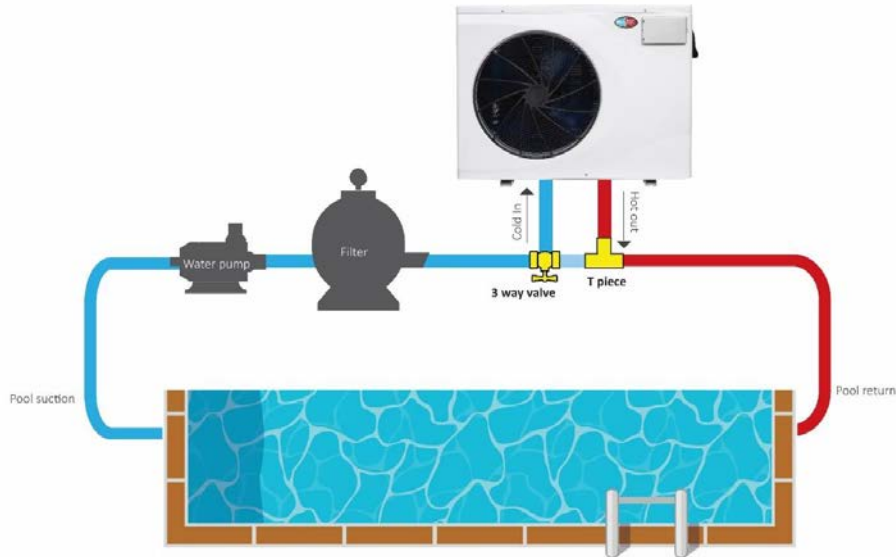
Use supply wires suitable for 75°C

\* Caution: Single wall heat exchanger, not suitable for potable water connection.



## 5. Installation

### 5.1 System Installation



The factory only provides the main unit and the water unit, other items in the illustration above are necessary spare parts for the water system that are to be provided by the user or the installer.

#### ATTENTION

Please follow these steps when using for the first time:

1. Open valve and charge water
2. Make sure that the pump and the water-in pipe have been filled with water.
3. Close the valve and start the unit.

NOTE: It is necessary that the water-in pipe is higher than the pool surface.

*The schematic diagram is for reference only. Please check the water inlet/outlet label on the heat pump while plumbing the unit.*

**IMPORTANT:** EvoHeat heat pumps MUST be connected by a licensed electrician. Under no circumstances should an unlicensed person attempt to install or repair an EvoHeat heat pump themselves. Heater electrical installation undertaken by an unlicensed installer will void the warranty. Correct installation is required to ensure safe and efficient operation of your pool heater.

Before installation it is very important to ensure 5 variables are carefully checked to allow the unit to operate correctly.

- Heater Condition
- Location
- Clearances & Air Flow
- Adequate water flow & plumbing
- Correct electrical connection & supply

### 5.2 Heater Condition

Check the heater packaging upon delivery for any obvious signs of damage. Inform your supplier IMMEDIATELY if there is any evidence of rough handling. When the heater has been removed from the packaging check the refrigerant gauge on the front panel of the unit. The gauge should be showing a pressure of approx. 10 – 20 on the outside red band – any less than this figure means there may be a leak in the refrigerant system and you should immediately contact your EvoHeat Dealer.

NOTE: All accessories (drain barb, rubber feet, Wi-Fi module and barrel unions) and installation manuals are inside the DHP-R service panel. Please ensure to remove the service panel to locate these items.



### 5.3 Location Recommendations

Installation and service must be performed by a qualified installer.

Evo recommend the heat pump should be installed in an outdoor location with appropriate ventilation. Installing the heater indoors without adequate ventilation, or in a poorly ventilated enclosed space, will result in very poor performance and can, in extreme cases, damage the heater. Ensure the heater is installed in a well-ventilated area with plenty of fresh air.

Evo recommend the heat pump should ONLY be installed in a location with appropriate ventilation.

The Evo pool heat pump should be installed with a minimum clearance of at least 3.5m to the water's edge. Furthermore, EvoHeat recommend installing the heat pump no greater than 7.5 meters away from the water's edge due to heat loss from the piping.

The heat pump should be installed a maximum of 5m below the water level of the pool/spa.

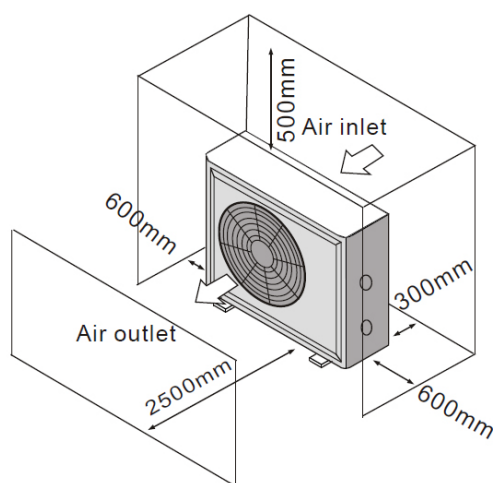
Make sure the heat pump is not located where large amounts of water may run-off from a roof into the unit. Sharp sloping roofs without gutters will allow excessive amounts of rain water mixed with debris from the roof to be forced through the unit. A water deflector may be needed to protect the heat pump.

If installing the heater on an existing pump/filtration system the heater must be installed AFTER the filter and BEFORE the chlorinator/sanitizer.

The heat pump should be installed on a flat level surface.

In the event that a suitable outdoor location is unavailable please contact Evo Industries for specialist technical advice ON 1300 859 933.

### 5.4 Airflow Clearances



Installing the heater indoors or in an enclosed space will result in very poor performance and can in extreme cases damage the heater. Ensure the heater is installed in a well-ventilated area with plenty of fresh air, a minimum gap between walls/fences etc of 600mm on the sides and 500mm overhead clearance.

Leave sufficient space for unobstructed airflow into and out of the heater. Do not locate the heater in an enclosed area, or the discharged cold air will recirculate into the unit and consequently lower the heating efficiency as well as possible icing up.

If you do not have a location with these suggested clearances, please contact our EvoHeat Tech Support Specialist to discuss appropriate installation locations.

## 5.5 Adequate Water Flow

All EVOHEAT heat pumps have a factory preset internal water flow switch. If there is insufficient water flow the heater will not operate.

It is CRITICAL that there is sufficient water flow to the unit. Incorrect water flow can cause a loss of efficiency and possible damage to the unit. Optimal water flow rates are listed in the EvoHeat manual. It is imperative that water flow is kept as close as possible to these flow rates. Correct water flow not only offers optimal heater performance, but may also prevent possible damage to your heater.

Before connecting the heater to the plumbing, all piping must be thoroughly flushed to ensure no debris can enter the heater. Failure to remove pipe debris can jam or damage the flow switch and may cause damage to the heater. When cleaning the pool it is advisable to turn off your heater as restricted water flow may cause the heater to shut down and indicate low water flow fault (E03 error) or high pressure fault (E01 Error).

**IMPORTANT: A Variable speed pump or bypass valve and plumbing MUST be fitted to allow water flow to be adjusted through the heater. Do not direct connect a water pump with higher flow than required to the heat pump.**

## 5.6 Rubber Feet

All EvoHeat units are provided with rubber feet which EvoHeat highly recommend being installed. The rubber feet help reduce vibration of the unit and help provide a space below the heat pump to install the drainage barbs.

## 5.7 Condensate Drain Barb

Fit the condensate drain barb into the 2 holes under the unit if you need to direct water away from the heater. Put in hot water if stiff.



## 5.8 Drainage & Condensation

Whilst the heater is operating, water in the air condenses on the fins of the evaporator. In the instance of high humidity, the condensate may be several litres per hour. This may give the impression that the heater is leaking, however this is a normal function of heat pumps.

The heater will automatically activate reverse cycle or de-icing mode when required which also increases condensate discharge. This normally occurs at temperatures below 8 degC. The condensate water will discharge through the base of the heater. As an option a pipe can be connected to the drain on the base of the unit to direct condensate water to an appropriate location.

NOTE: A quick way to verify that the water is condensation is to shut off the unit and keep the pool pump running. If the water stops running out of the basepan, it is condensation. AN EVEN QUICKER WAY IS to TEST THE DRAIN WATER FOR CHLORINE – if there is no chlorine present, then it's condensation.

## 5.9 Plumbing

The Swimming Pool Heat Pumps exclusive rated flow titanium heat exchanger requires no special plumbing arrangements except bypass (please set the flow rate according to the nameplate). The water pressure drop is less than 10kPa at max.

Flow rate: Since there is no residual heat or flame Temperatures, the unit does not need copper heat sink piping. PVC pipe can be run straight into the unit.

Location: Connect the unit in the pool pump discharge (return) line downstream of all filter and pool pumps, and upstream of any chlorinators, ozonators or chemical pumps.

Standard model have slip glue fittings which accept 40 mm PVC pipe for connection to the pool or spa filtration piping. By using a 50 NB to 40NB you can plumb 40NB.

Give serious consideration to adding a quick coupler fitting at the unit inlet and outlet to allow easy draining of unit for winterizing and to provide easier access should servicing be required.

### 5.10 Electrical Connection

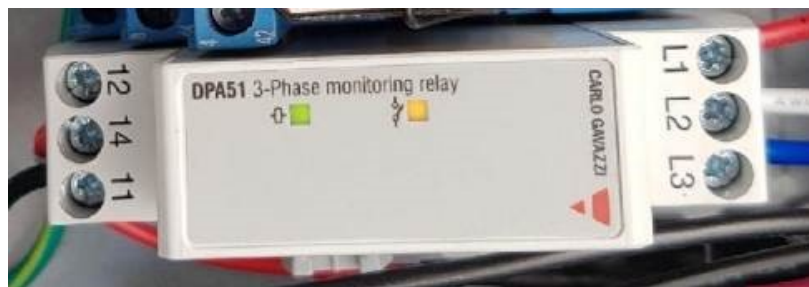
**IMPORTANT:** Always use a qualified Electrician to perform any electrical work. A licensed electrician must read the information before connecting.

Ensure the power cable and circuit breaker are of a suitable size for the heater being installed. Also check that there is adequate voltage and current available at the heater connection to run the unit.

Voltage range should be 220-230 volts for single phase, and 380-400 volts for 3 phase units. Voltage ranges outside these parameters will cause heater damage and void your warranty.

1. Ensure power is disconnected during installation or service.
2. Always comply with the national and local electrical codes and standards.
3. Ensure electrical cable size is adequate for heater requirements at the installation location.
4. The heater must be equipped with a circuit breaker and isolation device.
5. Circuit breaker must be installed between the heater and the water circulation pump if the water pump is hard-wired into the heater. Please note recommended circuit breaker sizes make no allowance for a water pump hard wired into the heater.
6. The unit must be well earthed. Remove the front panel to access the electrical connection terminals of the heater. The electrical wiring diagram is affixed to the inside of the front panel.

**Correct phase connection is important with 3 phase heaters. NOTE: if 2 lights are showing on the 3 PHASE relay monitor this means the EvoHeat heat pump has been wired correctly (one orange light and one green light). If only one light is showing, the phases are out of rotation and need to be rotated to get the correct phase rotation.**

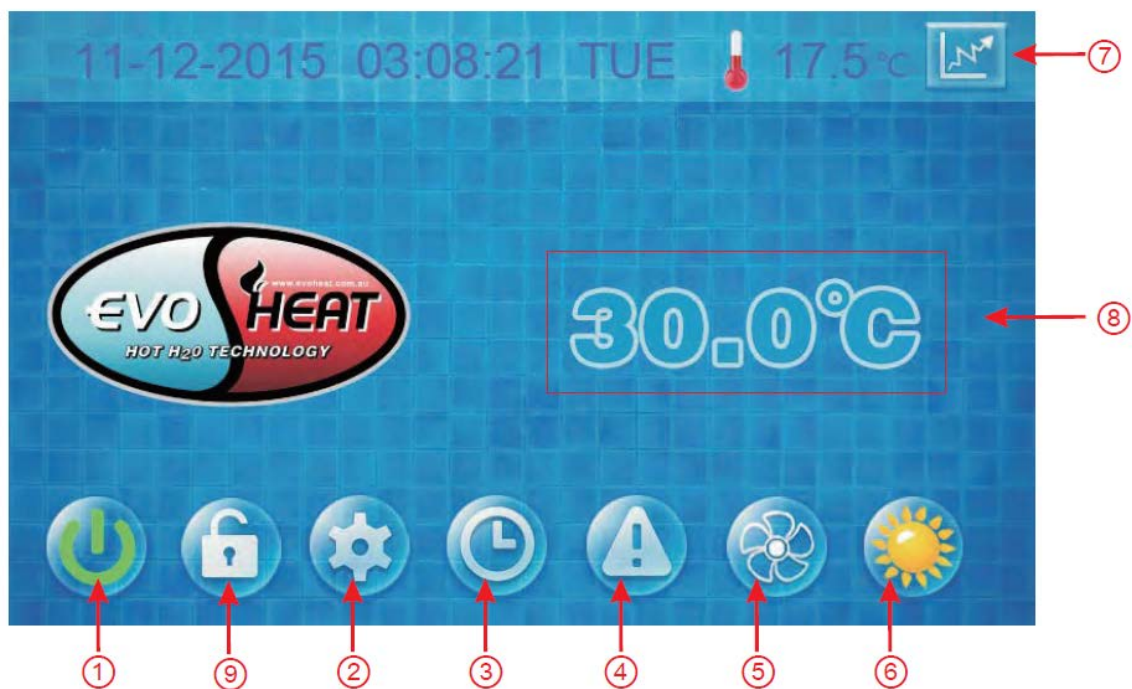


### 5.11 Initial Start-up

Refer to the Quick Start Guide, page 6 for instructions on the initial start-up and commissioning of the unit.

## 6. Operation

### 6.1 Main Controller Interface



No.	Name	Function
1	ON/OFF	Start up or shut down the unit
2	PARAMETER	View the unit state and the parameter
3	CLOCK	Set the clock or turn the timer on/off. When the timer is on, this button is green
4	FAULT DISPLAY	View fault history
5	SILENT SETTING	Turn on/off silent function and set timing of the Low speed function
6	MODE	Enter mode settings and the target temp. settings interface
7	TEMP. CURVE	View temp. and power curve
8	WATER INLET TEMP.	Enter mode settings and the target temp. settings interface
9	LOCK	Lock or unlock the screen. <b>Use the code "022" to unlock</b>

### 6.2 Functions of the Controller

#### 6.2.1 Start-up & Shut-Down

To turn the unit on or off, press the ON/OFF button (1).

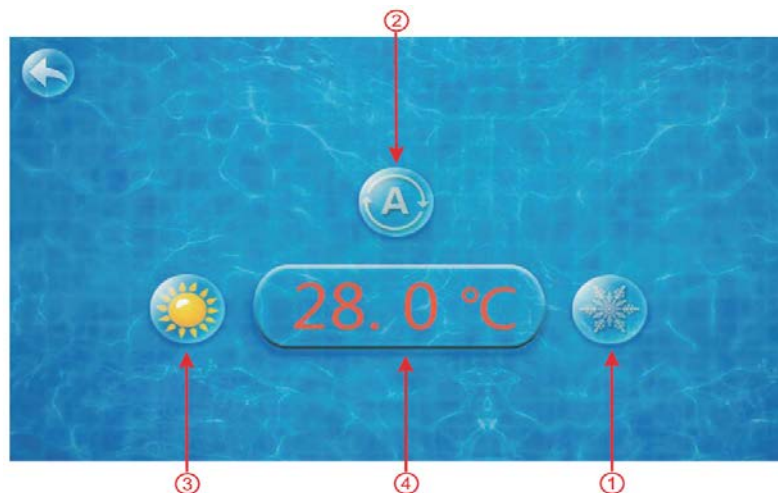
#### 6.2.2 Switching Modes & Setting the Target Temperature

In the main interface, click the MODE (6) button or WATER INLET TEMP. (8) button to get the following menu:

Choose from the modes: refrigeration mode (1), automatic mode (2) or heating mode (3).

*Note: When the unit is designed for single automatic mode or single thermal mode, the mode cannot be switched.*

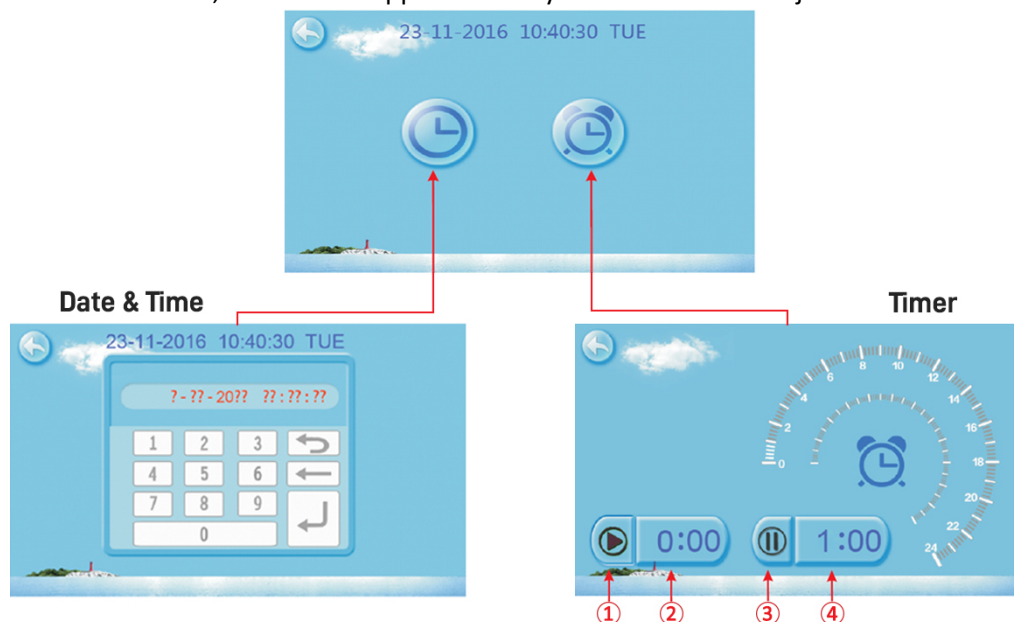
From this screen, pressing the temperature (4) will allow you to adjust it as desired.





### 6.2.3 Clock Settings

After clicking the CLOCK button, a menu will appear where you can choose to adjust either Time or Timer settings.



### Setting the Date & Time

Click the value you wish to change to set the time directly. Press confirm to save the settings.

For example, if the setup time were 23/11/2016 at 1:00pm; you would input: 23-11-16 13:00:00. Be aware that if the input format is incorrect, pressing the confirm button will save the wrong time.

### Timer Settings

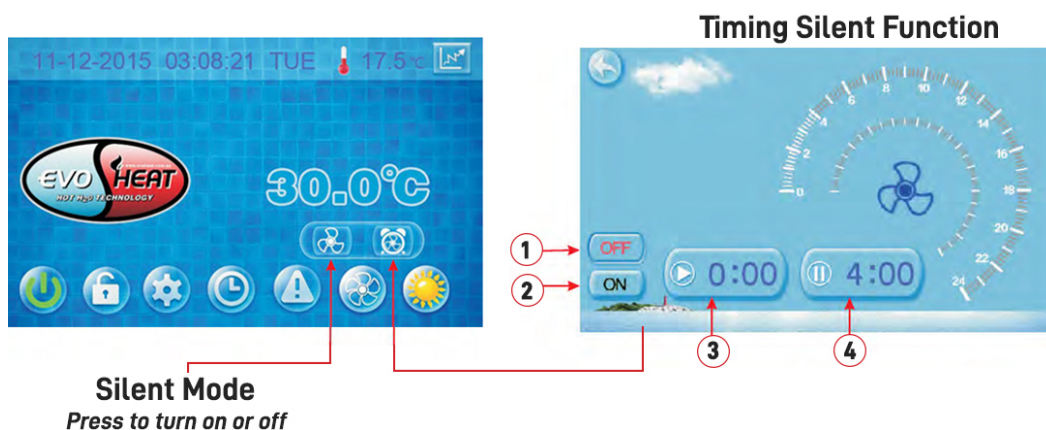
No.	Name	Button Colour	Function
1	Timing Start Button	Start: Green End: Grey	Click this button to start or end the timing start setting function
2	Timing On Setting		Click to set the start time of the timer.
3	Timing End Button	Open: Red End: Grey	Click this button to start or end the timing end setting function.
4	Timing Off Setting		Click to set the end timer of the timer.

When the timer is on, the clock button will be green on the main interface.

### 6.2.4 Silent Setting & Silent Timing

Pressing the SILENT TIMING button (5) from the main menu will bring up the silent settings. Press the left-hand fan symbol to enable silent mode. To exit silent mode, follow the steps and press the button again.

**NOTE:** When silent mode is enabled, the icon will display with only 3 fans compared to 5 when the mode is off.




Pressing the alarm clock symbol will display the screen shown above on the right.

No.	Name	Colour	Function
1	Timing silent off	Used: Red Unused: Grey	Click to use or unused timing off function
2	Timing silent on	Used: Green Unused: Grey	Click to use or unused timing silent function
3	Timing silent start time		Click this button to set the timing silent start time
4	Timing silent end time		Click this button to set the timing silent end time


The start and end time values me be within the range of 0:00 – 23:00; the value can be precise to the hour digit.


Example: Click ‘ON’ to use timing silent. The unit will begin silent mode from 0:00 and end at 4:00. Click ‘OFF’ to turn off the timing silent manually, however the unit will turn off this setting once it reaches the end time.

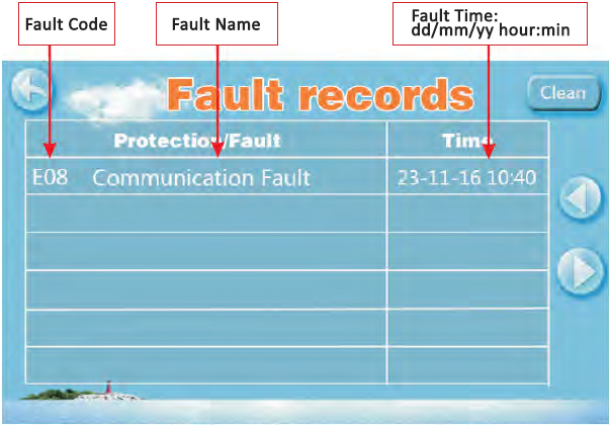
### 6.2.5 Fault History

If there is no failure, the main interface will display a static “”

When a fault occurs, the fault icon will flash. When this occurs, the failure interface will record the time, code and name of the fault.

After troubleshooting, if you do not check the failure record, the main interface will display a static symbol: “”

If you check the failure record, the main interface will display a static: “”



The failure record is in reverse order according to the time of occurrence. Press the clean key to delete all fault records.

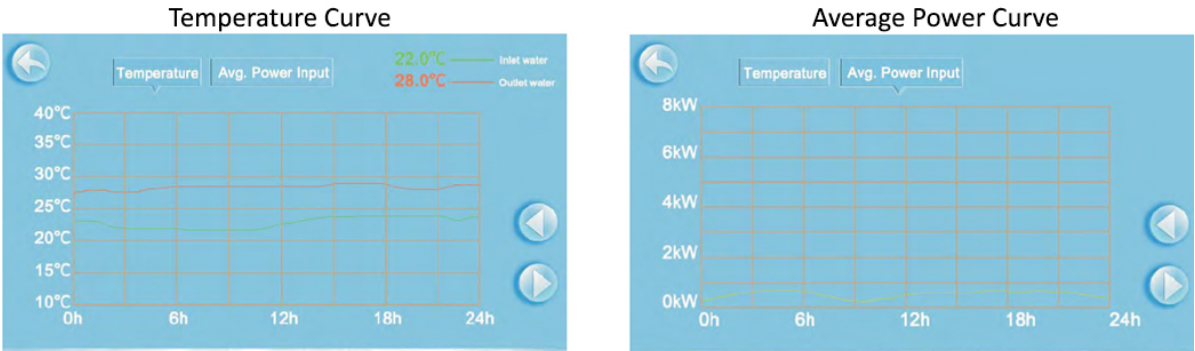
### 6.2.6 Colour Display Calibration

Keep clicking quickly on the blank area at any interface until you hear a long beep. You will then enter the calibration interface. Click “+” to start calibration. When you hear the beep again, you will finish calibration and exit.

Note: The wire controller can display the temperature unit as “F” or “C” according to the model you bought.

### 6.2.7 Temperature Curve

Press the TEMP CURVE (7) button to view the temperature curve & average power curve.



The temperature curve automatically updates every hour and will be stored for 60 days.

If the unit is powered off after less than 1 hour of operation, the data in this period will not be saved.

## 7. Troubleshooting

EvoHeat have developed a YouTube Channel where you will find useful videos - from setting up your timers to setting up the EvoHeat app. View it to see resolutions to some of our most asked, yet easily solved questions: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCfYiOxHuybBuC1NZcqUnrcA>



### 7.1 Electronic Control Fault Table

Protect/fault	Fault display	Reason	Elimination Methods
Standby	Non		
Normal boot	Non		
Inlet Temp. Sensor Fault	P01	The temp. Sensor is broken or short circuit	Check or change the temp. sensor
Outlet Temp. Sensor Fault	P02	The temp. Sensor is broken or short circuit	Check or change the temp. sensor
Ambient Temp. Sensor Fault	P04	The temp. Sensor is broken or short circuit	Check or change the temp. sensor
Coil1 Temp. Sensor Fault	P05	The temp. Sensor is broken or short circuit	Check or change the temp. sensor
Suction Temp. Sensor Fault	P07	The temp. Sensor is broken or short circuit	Check or change the temp. sensor
Discharge Temp. Sensor Fault	P081	The temp. Sensor is broken or short circuit	Check or change the temp. sensor
High Pressure Prot.	E01	The high-pressure switch is broken	Check the pressure switch and cold circuit
Low Pressure Prot.	E02	Low pressure1 protection	Check the pressure switch and cold circuit
Flow Switch Prot.	E03	No water/little water in water system	Check the pipe water flow and water pump
Anti-freezing Prot.	E07	Water flow is not enough	Check the pipe water flow and whether water system is jammed or not
Primary Anti-freezing Prot.	E19	The ambient temp. Is low	
Secondary Anti-freezing Prot.	E29	The ambient temp. Is low	
Inlet and outlet temp. too big	E06	Water flow is not enough and low differential pressure	Check the pipe water flow and whether water system is jammed or not
Low temperature protection	Non	The environment temp. is low	
Comp. Overcurrent Prot.	E051	The compressor is overload	Check whether the system of the compressor running normally
Exhaust Air over Temp Prot.	P082	The compressor is overload	Check whether the system of the compressor running normally
Communication Fault	E08	Communication failure between wire controller and mainboard	Check the wire connection between remote wire controller and main board
Antifreeze Temp. Sensor Fault	P09	Antifreeze temp sensor is broken or short circuited	check and replace this temp sensor
Waterway Anti-freezing Prot.	E05	Water temp. or ambient temp. is too low	
EC fan feedback Fault	F051	There is something wrong with fan motor and fan motor stops running	Check whether fan motor is broken or locked or not
Pressure sensor Fault	PP	The pressure Sensor is broken	Check or change the pressure sensor or pressure
Fan Motor1 Fault	F031	1. Motor is in locked-rotor state 2. The wire connection between DC-fan motor module and fan motor is in bad contact	1. Change a new fan motor 2. Check the wire connection and make sure they are in good contact
Low AT Protection	TP	Ambient temp is too low	
Fan Motor2 Fault	F032	1. Motor is in locked-rotor state 2. The wire connection between DC-fan motor module and fan motor is in bad contact	1. Change a new fan motor 2. Check the wire connection and make sure they are in good contact.
Communication Fault (speed control module)	E081	Speed control module and main board communication fail	Check the communication connection
Coil2 Temp. Sensor Fault	P15	The temp. sensor is broken or short circuit	Check or change the temp. sensor

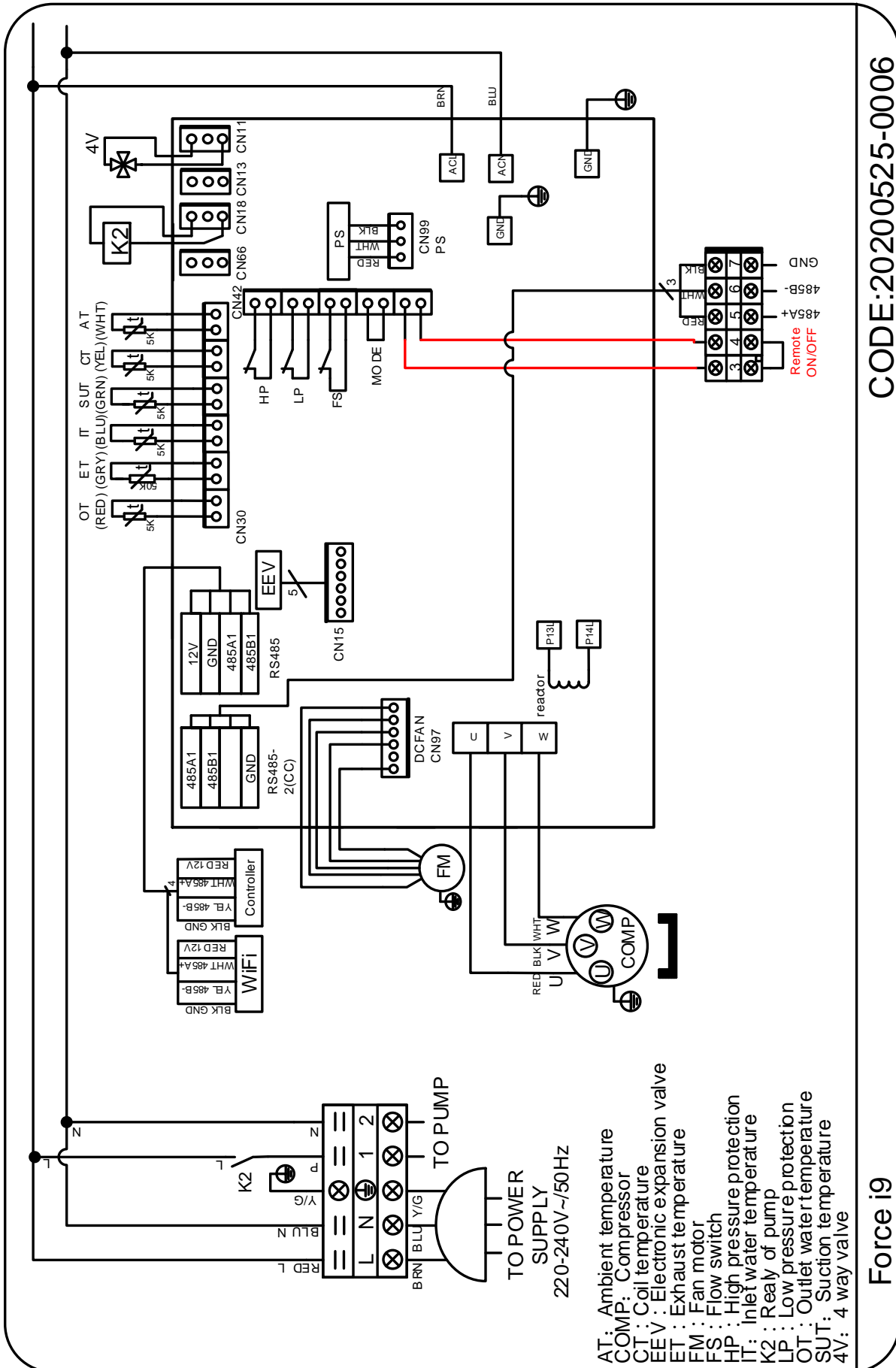
## 7.2 Frequency Conversion Board Fault Table

Protection/Fault	Fault Display	Reason	Elimination Methods
Drv1 MOP alarm	F01	MOP drive alarm	Recovery after the 150s
Inverter offline	F02	Frequency conversion board and main board communication failure	Check the communication connection
IPM protection	F03	IPM modular protection	Recovery after the 150s
Comp. Driver Failure	F04	Lack of phase, step or drive hardware damage	Check the measuring voltage check frequency conversion board hardware
DC Fan Fault	F05	Motor current feedback open circuit or short circuit	Check whether current return wires connected motor
IPM Overcurrent	F06	IPM Input current is large	Check and adjust the current measurement
Inv. DC Overvoltage	F07	DC bus voltage>Dc bus over-voltage protection value	Check the input voltage measurement
Inv. DC Lessvoltage	F08	DC bus voltage<Dc bus over-voltage protection value	Check the input voltage measurement
Inv. Input Lessvolt.	F09	The input voltage is low, causing the input current to be high	Check the input voltage measurement
Inv. Input Overvolt	F10	The input voltage is too high, more than outage protection current RMS	Check the input voltage measurement
Inv. Sampling Volt	F11	The input voltage sampling fault	Check and adjust the current measurement
Comm. Err DSP-PFC	F12	DSP and PFC connect fault	Check the communication connection
Input Over Cur.	F26	The equipment load is too large	
PFC Fault	F27	The PFC circuit protection	Check the PFC switch tube short circuit or not
IPM Over heating	F15	The IPM module is overheat	Check and adjust the current measurement
Weak Magnetic Warn	F16	Compressor magnetic force is not enough	
Inv. Input Out Phase	F17	The input voltage lost phase	Check and measure the voltage adjustment
IPM Sampling Cur.	F18	IPM sampling electricity is fault	Check and adjust the current measurement
Inv. Temp Probe Fail	F19	Sensor is short circuit or open circuit	Inspect and replace the sensor
Inverter Overheating	F20	The transducer is overheat	Check and adjust the current measurement
Inv. Overheating Warn	F22	Transducer temperature is too high	Check and adjust the current measurement
Comp. Overcut. Warn	F23	Compressor electricity is large	The compressor over-current protection
Input Over Cur. Warn	F24	Input current is too large	Check and adjust the current measurement
EEPROM Error Warn	F25	MCU error	Check whether the chip is damaged Replace the chip
V15V over/undervoltage fault	F28	The V15C is overload or undervoltage	Check the V15V input voltage in range 13.5v~16.5v or not

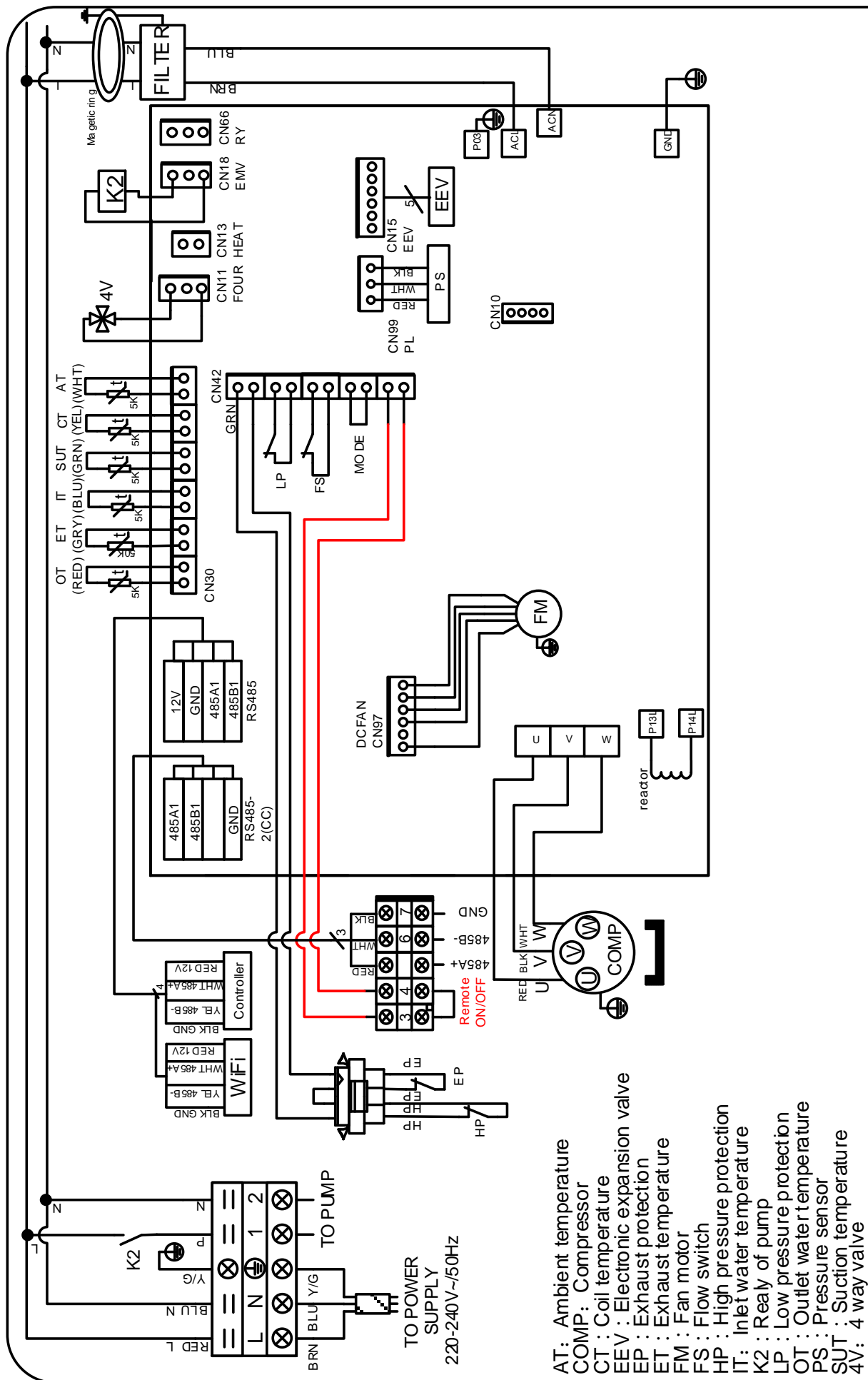


## 8. Appendix

### 8.1 Wiring Diagrams

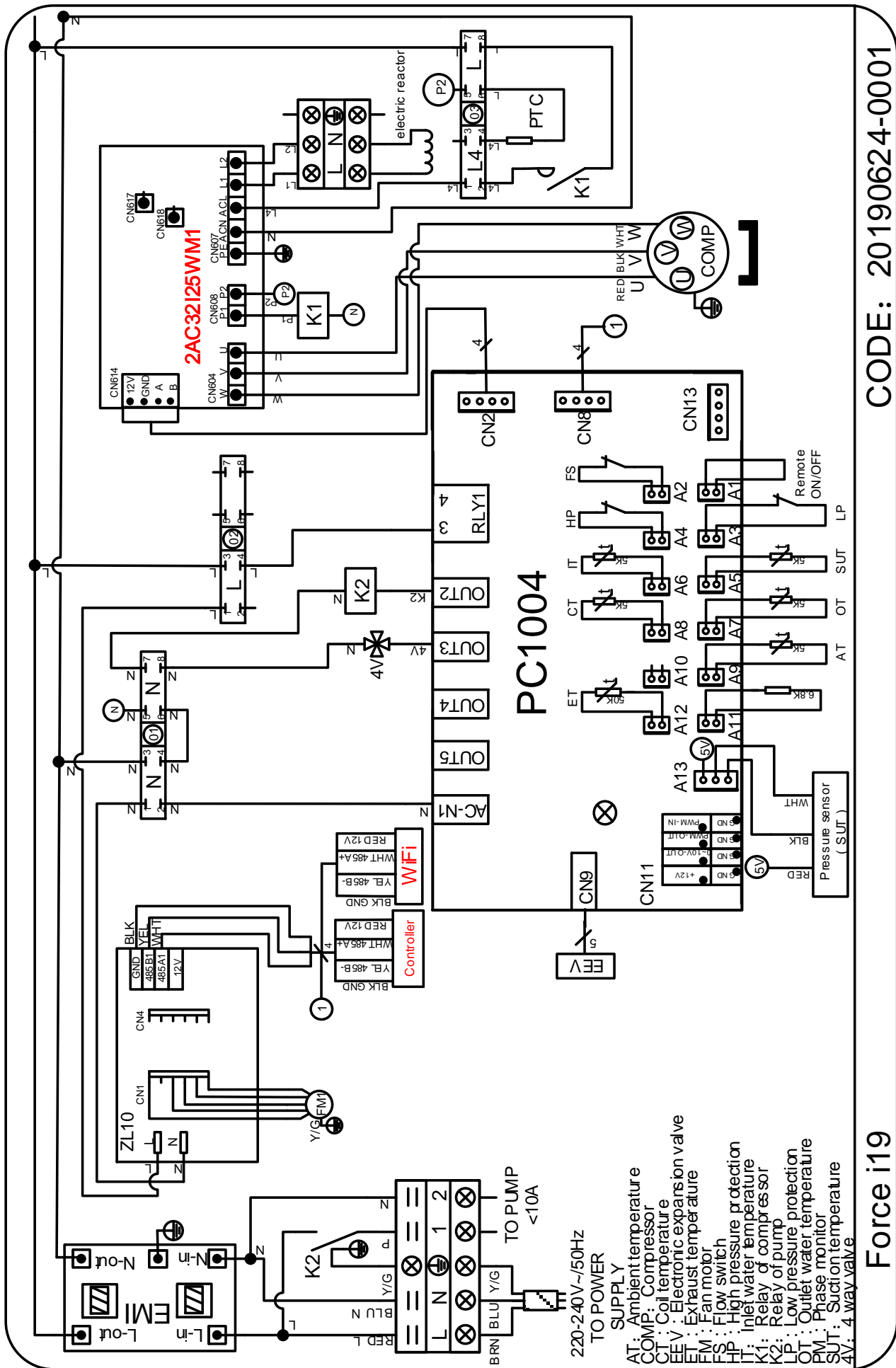






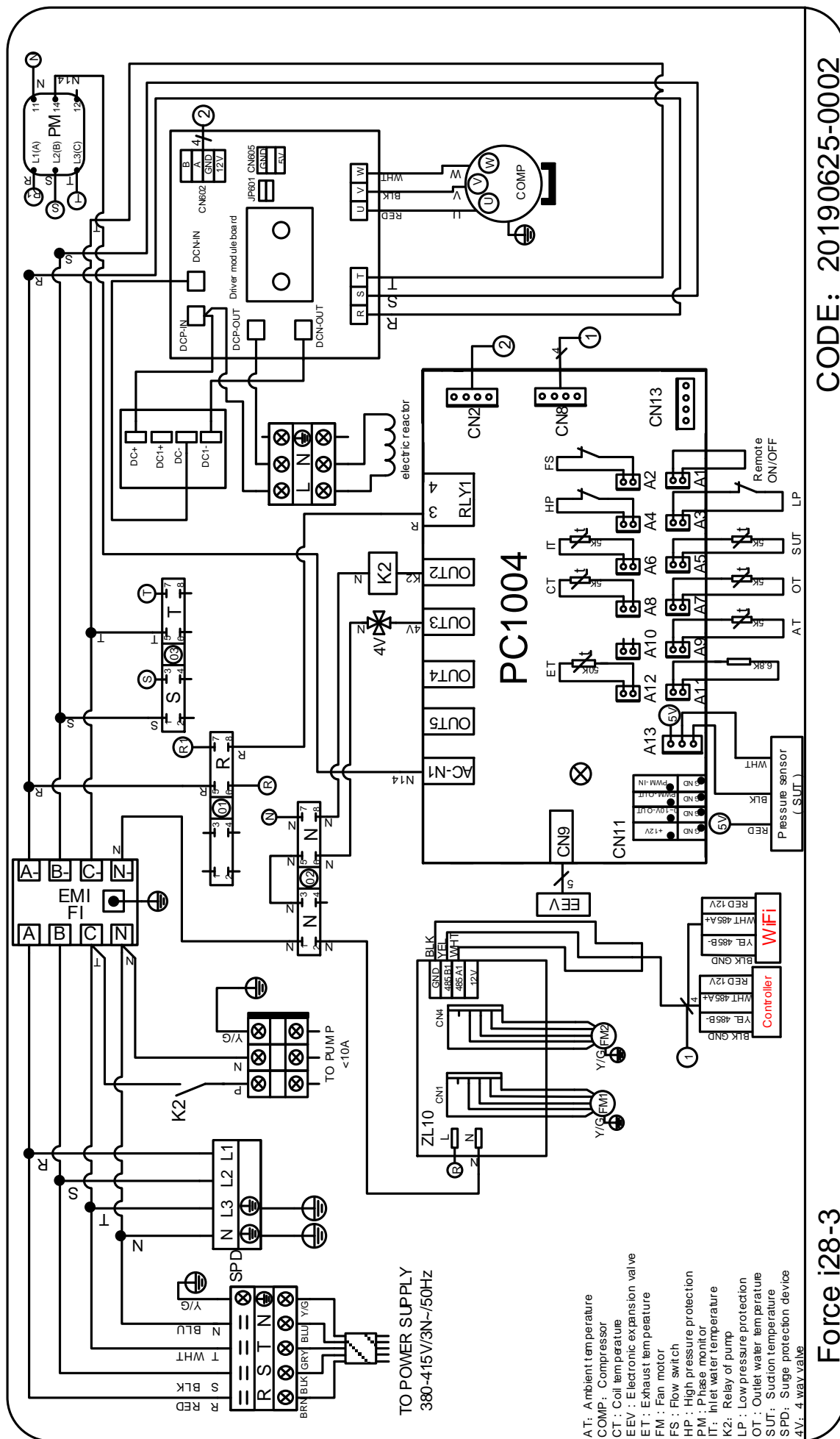
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## 8.2 Parameter List

Meaning	Default	Remarks
Refrigeration target temperature set point	27°C	Adjustable
Heating the target temperature set point	27°C	Adjustable
Automatic target temperature set point	27°C	Adjustable

## 8.3 Cable Specifications

### Single Phase Unit

Nameplate maximum current	Phase line	Earth line	MCB	Creepage Protector	Signal Line
No more than 10A	2 x 1.5mm <sup>2</sup>	1.5mm <sup>2</sup>	20A	30mA less than 0.1 sec	n x 0.5mm <sup>2</sup>
10~16A	2 x 2.5mm <sup>2</sup>	2.5mm <sup>2</sup>	32A		
16~25A	2 x 4mm <sup>2</sup>	4mm <sup>2</sup>	40A		
25~32A	2 x 6mm <sup>2</sup>	6mm <sup>2</sup>	40A		
32~40A	2 x 10mm <sup>2</sup>	10mm <sup>2</sup>	63A		
40~63A	2 x 16mm <sup>2</sup>	16mm <sup>2</sup>	80A		
63~75A	2 x 25mm <sup>2</sup>	25mm <sup>2</sup>	100A		
75~101A	2 x 25mm <sup>2</sup>	25mm <sup>2</sup>	125A		
101~123A	2 x 35mm <sup>2</sup>	35mm <sup>2</sup>	160A		
123~148A	2 x 50mm <sup>2</sup>	50mm <sup>2</sup>	225A		
148~186A	2 x 70mm <sup>2</sup>	70mm <sup>2</sup>	250A		
186~224A	2 x 95mm <sup>2</sup>	95mm <sup>2</sup>	280A		

### Three Phase Unit

Nameplate maximum current	Phase line	Earth line	MCB	Creepage Protector	Signal Line
No more than 10A	2 x 1.5mm <sup>2</sup>	1.5mm <sup>2</sup>	20A	30mA less than 0.1 sec	n x 0.5mm <sup>2</sup>
10~16A	2 x 2.5mm <sup>2</sup>	2.5mm <sup>2</sup>	32A		
16~25A	2 x 4mm <sup>2</sup>	4mm <sup>2</sup>	40A		
25~32A	2 x 6mm <sup>2</sup>	6mm <sup>2</sup>	40A		
32~40A	2 x 10mm <sup>2</sup>	10mm <sup>2</sup>	63A		
40~63A	2 x 16mm <sup>2</sup>	16mm <sup>2</sup>	80A		
63~75A	2 x 25mm <sup>2</sup>	25mm <sup>2</sup>	100A		
75~101A	2 x 25mm <sup>2</sup>	25mm <sup>2</sup>	125A		
101~123A	2 x 35mm <sup>2</sup>	35mm <sup>2</sup>	160A		
123~148A	2 x 50mm <sup>2</sup>	50mm <sup>2</sup>	225A		
148~186A	2 x 70mm <sup>2</sup>	70mm <sup>2</sup>	250A		
186~224A	2 x 95mm <sup>2</sup>	95mm <sup>2</sup>	280A		

If the unit is to be installed outdoors, ensure that a UV resistant cable is used.

## 8.4 Comparison Table of Refrigerant Saturation Temperature

Pressure (MPa)	0	0.3	0.5	0.8	1	1.3	1.5	1.8	2	2.3
Temperature (R410A)(°C)	-51.3	-20	-9	4	11	19	24	31	35	39
Temperature (R32)(°C)	-52.5	-20	-9	3.5	10	18	23	29.5	33.3	38.7
Pressure (MPa)	2.5	2.8	3	3.3	3.5	3.8	4	4.5	5	5.5
Temperature (R410A)(°C)	43	47	51	55	57	61	64	70	74	80
Temperature (R32)(°C)	42	46.5	49.5	53.5	56	60	62	67.5	72.5	77.4

## 9. Maintenance

### **Do I need to get my unit serviced?**

It is recommended that you get your EvoHeat unit serviced once a year by your local certified air conditioning or refrigeration technician. If your unit is located in a coastal area, more frequent maintenance may be necessary. During the service, they will check the operational pressures of the refrigeration system and give the unit and fins a good clean to ensure maximum performance.

### **Do we have recommended service agents?**

EvoHeat have a large database of recommended service agents. Please contact EvoHeat tech support on 1300 859 933 for your local service agent details.

### **Should I check my unit regularly?**

We recommend you check your unit regularly to avoid potential issues and damage to your heat pump.

### **What should I be checking regularly?**

Check the water inlet/outlets often for leaks. You should avoid the condition of no water or air entering into the system, as this will influence unit's performance and reliability.

You should clear the pool/spa filter regularly to avoid damage to the unit as a result of the dirty or clogged filter.

The area around the unit should be dry, clean and well ventilated. Make sure there is nothing blocking the airflow of the heater e.g. Leaf litter.

Discharge all water in the water pump and water system, so that freezing of the water in the pump or water system does not occur. You should discharge the water at the bottom of water pump if the unit will not be used for an extended period. You should check the unit thoroughly and fill the system with water fully before using it for the first time after a period of time.

Check the power supply and cable connection often, should the unit begin to operate abnormally, switch it off and contact the qualified technician



**CHECKS TO THE AREA**

Prior to beginning work on systems containing flammable refrigerants, safety checks are necessary to ensure that the risk of ignition is minimised. For repair to the refrigerating system, the following precautions shall be complied with prior to conducting work on the system. prolonged period of no usage.

**WORK PROCEDURE**

Work shall be undertaken under a controlled procedure to minimise the risk of a flammable gas or vapour being present while the work is being performed.

**GENERAL WORK AREA**

All maintenance staff and others working in the local area shall be instructed on the nature of work being carried out. Work in confined spaces shall be avoided. The area around the workspace shall be sectioned off. Ensure that the conditions within the area have been made safe by control of flammable material.

**CHECKING FOR PRESENCE OF REFRIGERANT**

The area shall be checked with an appropriate refrigerant detector prior to and during work, to ensure the technician is aware of potentially flammable atmospheres. Ensure that the leak detection equipment being used is suitable for use with flammable refrigerants, i.e. non-sparking, adequately sealed or intrinsically safe.

**PRESENCE OF FIRE EXTINGUISHER**

If any hot work is to be conducted on the refrigeration equipment or any associated parts, appropriate fire extinguishing equipment shall be available to hand. Have a dry powder or CO2 fire extinguisher adjacent to the charging

**NO IGNITION SOURCES**

No person carrying out work in relation to a refrigeration system which involves exposing any pipe work that contains or has contained flammable refrigerant shall use any sources of ignition in such a manner that it may lead to the risk of fire or explosion. All possible ignition sources, including cigarette smoking, should be kept sufficiently far away from the site of installation, repairing, removing and disposal, during which flammable refrigerant can possibly be released to the surrounding space. Prior to work taking place, the area around the equipment is to be surveyed to make sure that there are no flammable hazards or ignition risks. No Smoking signs shall be displayed.

**VENTILATED AREA**

Ensure that the area is in the open or that it is adequately ventilated before breaking into the system or conducting any hot work. A degree of ventilation shall continue during the period that the work is carried out. The ventilation should safely disperse any released refrigerant and preferably expel it externally into the atmosphere. prolonged period of no usage.

**CHECKS TO THE REFRIGERATION EQUIPMENT**

Where electrical components are being changed, they shall be fit for the purpose and to the correct specification. At all times the manufacturer's maintenance and service guidelines shall be followed. If in doubt consult the manufacturer's technical department for assistance.

The following checks shall be applied to installations using flammable refrigerants:

The charge size is in accordance with the room size within which the refrigerant containing parts are installed;

The ventilation machinery and outlets are operating adequately and are not obstructed; If an indirect refrigerating circuit is being used, the secondary circuit shall be checked for the presence of refrigerant;

Marking to the equipment continues to be visible and legible. Markings and signs that are illegible shall be corrected;

Refrigeration pipe or components are installed in a position where they are unlikely to be exposed to any substance which may corrode refrigerant containing components, unless the components are constructed of materials which are inherently resistant to being corroded or are suitably protected against being so corroded.

### **CHECKS TO ELECTRICAL DEVICES**

Repair and maintenance to electrical components shall include initial safety checks and component inspection procedures. If a fault exists that could compromise safety, then no electrical supply shall be connected to the circuit until it is satisfactorily dealt with. If the fault cannot be corrected immediately but it is necessary to continue operation, an adequate temporary solution shall be used. This shall be reported to the owner of the equipment, so all parties are advised.

Initial safety checks shall include:

- That capacitors are discharged: this shall be done in a safe manner to avoid possibility of sparking;
- That there no live electrical components and wiring are exposed while charging, recovering or purging the system;
- That there is continuity of earth bonding.

### **CABLING**

Check that cabling will not be subject to wear, corrosion, excessive pressure, vibration, sharp edges or any other adverse environmental effects. The check shall also consider the effects of aging or continual vibration from sources such as compressors or fans.

### **REPAIRS TO SEALED COMPONENTS**

- 1) During repairs to sealed components, all electrical supplies shall be disconnected from the equipment being worked upon prior to any removal of sealed covers, etc. If it is necessary to have an electrical supply to equipment during servicing, then a permanently operating form of leak detection shall be located at the most critical point to warn of a potentially hazardous situation.
- 2) Particular attention shall be paid to the following to ensure that by working on electrical components, the casing is not altered in such a way that the level of protection is affected. This shall include damage to cables, excessive number of connections, terminals not made to original specification, damage to seals, incorrect fitting of glands, etc.

Ensure that apparatus is mounted securely.

Ensure that seals or sealing materials have not degraded such that they no longer serve the purpose of preventing the ingress of flammable atmospheres. Replacement parts shall be in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications.

NOTE: The use of silicon sealant may inhibit the effectiveness of some types of leak detection equipment. Intrinsically safe components do not have to be isolated prior to

### **REPAIR TO INTRINSICALLY SAFE COMPONENTS**

Do not apply any permanent inductive or capacitance loads to the circuit without ensuring that this will not exceed the permissible voltage and current permitted for the equipment in use.

Intrinsically safe components are the only types that can be worked on while live in the presence of a flammable atmosphere. The test apparatus shall be at the correct rating. Replace components only with parts specified by the manufacturer. Other parts may result in the ignition of refrigerant in the atmosphere from a leak.

### **DETECTION OF FLAMMABLE REFRIGERANTS**

Under no circumstances shall potential sources of ignition be used in the searching for or detection of refrigerant leaks. A halide torch (or any other detector using a naked flame) shall not be used.

### **LEAK DETECTION METHODS**

The following leak detection methods are deemed acceptable for systems containing flammable refrigerants.

Electronic leak detectors shall be used to detect flammable refrigerants, but the sensitivity may not be adequate, or may need re-calibration. (Detection equipment shall be calibrated in a refrigerant-free area.) Ensure that the detector is not a potential source of ignition and is suitable for the refrigerant used. Leak detection equipment shall be set at a percentage of the LFL of the refrigerant and shall be calibrated to the refrigerant employed and the appropriate percentage of gas (25 % maximum) is confirmed.

Leak detection fluids are suitable for use with most refrigerants but the use of detergents containing chlorine shall be avoided as the chlorine may react with the refrigerant and corrode the copper pipe-work.

If a leak is suspected, all naked flames shall be removed/ extinguished.

If a leakage of refrigerant is found which requires brazing, all of the refrigerant shall be recovered from the system, or isolated (by means of shut off valves) in a part of the system remote from the leak. Oxygen free nitrogen (OFN) shall then be purged through the system both before and during the brazing process.

### **REMOVAL AND EVACUATION**

When breaking into the refrigerant circuit to make repairs or for any other purpose conventional procedures shall be used. However, it is important that best practice is followed since flammability is a consideration. The following procedure shall be adhered to:

- Remove refrigerant;
- Purge the circuit with inert gas;
- Evacuate;
- Purge again with inert gas;
- Open the circuit by cutting or brazing.

The refrigerant charge shall be recovered into the correct recovery cylinders. The system shall be "flushed" with OFN to render the unit safe. This process may need to be repeated several times. Compressed air or oxygen shall not be used for this task.

Flushing shall be achieved by breaking the vacuum in the system with OFN and continuing to fill until the working pressure is achieved, then venting to atmosphere, and finally pulling down to a vacuum. This process shall be repeated until no refrigerant is within the system. When the final OFN charge is used, the system shall be vented down to atmospheric pressure to enable work to take place. This operation is absolutely vital if brazing operations on the pipe-work are to take place.

Ensure that the outlet for the vacuum pump is not close to any ignition sources and there is ventilation available. working on them.

### **LABELLING**

Equipment shall be labelled stating that it has been de-commissioned and emptied of refrigerant. The label shall be dated and signed. Ensure that there are labels on the equipment stating the equipment contains flammable refrigerant.

### **RECOVERY**

When removing refrigerant from a system, either for servicing or decommissioning, it is recommended good practice that all refrigerants are removed safely.

When transferring refrigerant into cylinders, ensure that only appropriate refrigerant recovery cylinders are employed. Ensure that the correct number of cylinders for holding the total system charge is available. All cylinders to be used are designated for the recovered refrigerant and labelled for that refrigerant (i.e. special cylinders for the recovery of refrigerant). Cylinders shall be complete with pressure relief valve and associated shut- off valves in good working order. Empty recovery cylinders are evacuated and, if possible, cooled before recovery occurs.

The recovery equipment shall be in good working order with a set of instructions concerning the equipment that is at hand and shall be suitable for the recovery of flammable refrigerants. In addition, a set of calibrated weighing scales shall be available and in good working order. Hoses shall be complete with leak-free disconnect couplings and in good condition. Before using the recovery machine, check that it is in satisfactory working order, has been properly maintained and that any associated electrical components are sealed to prevent ignition in the event of a refrigerant release. Consult manufacturer if in doubt.

The recovered refrigerant shall be returned to the refrigerant supplier in the correct recovery cylinder, and the relevant Waste Transfer Note arranged. Do not mix refrigerants in recovery units and especially not in cylinders.

If compressors or compressor oils are to be removed, ensure that they have been evacuated to an acceptable level to make certain that flammable refrigerant does not remain within the lubricant. The evacuation process shall be carried out prior to returning the compressor to the suppliers. Only electric heating to the compressor body shall be employed to accelerate this process. When oil is drained from a system, it shall be carried out safely.

### **DECOMMISSIONING**

Before carrying out this procedure, it is essential that the technician is completely familiar with the equipment and all its detail. It is recommended good practice that all refrigerants are recovered safely. Prior to the task being carried out, an oil and refrigerant sample shall be taken in case analysis is required prior to re-use of reclaimed refrigerant. It is essential that electrical power is available before the task is commenced.

- a) Become familiar with the equipment and its operation.
- b) Isolate system electrically.
- c) Before attempting the procedure ensure that:
  - Mechanical handling equipment is available, if required, for handling refrigerant cylinders;
  - All personal protective equipment is available and being used correctly;
  - The recovery process is always supervised by a competent person;
  - Recovery equipment and cylinders conform to the appropriate standards.
- d) Pump down refrigerant system, if possible.
- e) If a vacuum is not possible, make a manifold so that refrigerant can be removed from various parts of the system.
- f) Make sure that cylinder is situated on the scales before recovery takes place.
- g) Start the recovery machine and operate in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- h) Do not overfill cylinders. (No more than 80 % volume liquid charge).
- i) Do not exceed the maximum working pressure of the cylinder, even temporarily.
- j) When the cylinders have been filled correctly and the process completed, make sure that the cylinders and the equipment are removed from site promptly and all isolation valves on the equipment are closed off.
- k) Recovered refrigerant shall not be charged into another refrigeration system unless it has been cleaned and checked.

### **CHARGING PROCEDURES**

In addition to conventional charging procedures, the following requirements shall be followed.

- Ensure that contamination of different refrigerants does not occur when using charging equipment. Hoses or lines shall be as short as possible to minimise the amount of refrigerant contained in them.
- Cylinders shall be kept upright.
- Ensure that the refrigeration system is earthed prior to charging the system with refrigerant.
- Label the system when charging is complete (if not already).
- Extreme care shall be taken not to overfill the refrigeration system.

Prior to recharging the system, it shall be pressure tested with OFN. The system shall be leak tested on completion of charging but prior to commissioning. A follow up leak test shall be carried out prior to leaving the site.

The safety wire model is 5\*20\_5A/250VAC, and must meet the explosion-proof requirements.

## 10. Warranty



**Please refer to the EvoHeat website for warranty details**

- Australia: [www.evoheat.com.au](http://www.evoheat.com.au)
- South East Asia: [www.evoheat.com.sg](http://www.evoheat.com.sg)

1. Warranty terms are from date of purchase.
2. This warranty excludes any defect or injury caused by or resulting from misuse, abuse, neglect, accidental damage, improper voltage, vermin infestation, incompetent installation, any fault not attributable to faulty manufacture or parts, any modifications which affect the reliability or performance of the unit.
3. This warranty does not cover the following:
  - a. Natural Disasters (hail, lightening, flood, fire etc.)
  - b. Rust or damage to paintwork caused by a corrosive atmosphere
  - c. When serviced by an unauthorized person without the permission of Evo Industries
  - d. When a unit is installed by an unqualified person
  - e. Where a unit is incorrectly installed
  - f. When failure occurs due to improper or faulty installation
  - g. Failure due to improper maintenance (refer Operating Instructions)
  - h. 'No Fault Found' service calls where the perceived problem is explained within the
  - i. Costs associated with delivery, handling, freighting, or damage to the product in transit.
4. If warranty service is required you should:
  - a. contact Evo Industries Australia on 1300 859 933 or via our Contact page on our web site
  - b. provide a copy of your receipt as proof of purchase
  - c. have completed the online warranty registration or provide a completed warranty card.
5. Onsite technical service is available within the normal operating area of your Evo Industries authorized Service Centre. Service outside this area will incur a traveling fee.
6. Unless otherwise specified to the purchaser, the benefits conferred by this express warranty and additional to all other conditions, warranties, rights and remedies expressed or implied by the Trade Practices Act 1974 and similar consumer protection provisions contained in legislation of the States and Territories and all other obligations and liabilities on the part of the manufacturer or supplier and nothing contained herein shall restrict or modify such rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities.

### Warranty Registration

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