# UNITED ELECTRIC **Model 24, Differential Pressure Switch**

# Brass or Polysulfone<sup>®</sup>, Adjustable Ranges 1 to 45 PSID DESCRIPTION

The 24 Series differential pressure and vacuum switches offer a unique blend of compact size, excellent performance, environmental protection and attractive price. Available with brass or polysulfone<sup>®</sup> pressure connections, the Model 24 will stand up in your most corrosive applications. The precision snap-acting switch and sensitive diaphragms combine to provide a narrow deadband and repeatability of approximately  $\pm 1\%$  of range span. The convenient, externally accessible adjustment screw is multi-turn to provide easy set point adjustability. The force-balanced design gives the Model 24 excellent vibration resistance.

The Model 24 was designed to be a compact, cost-effective differential pressure switch for applications such as proof-of-flow,



filter monitoring, etc. It depends on two opposing diaphragms to sense pressure on the "High"and "Low" pressure outputs of a system. The resulting pressure differential is transmitted through a linkage to a snap-action electrical switch, providing an output when a pre-set difference is exceeded. This set point can be easily modified while under pressure via an external adjusting screw. This adjustment "pre-loads" the actuation mechanism, which results in excellent vibration-resistance. Straight pressure and vacuum versions, with a single diaphragm, are also available.

## **SPECIFICATIONS**

### **GENERAL**

Storage Temperature: -20 ° to 180 °F (-29 ° to 82°C) Ambient Temperature: 30 ° to 160°F (-1 ° to 71 °C). Set point typically shifts less than  $\pm 0.6\%$  of range for a 50°F (28°C) ambient temperature change; consult factory for special ratings

Max Media Temperature: 200°F (93°C) at 100 psi working pressure

Shock: Set point repeats after 15G, 10 millisecond duration.

Vibration: Set point repeats after 2.5 G, 5-500 Hz.

Enclosure Classification: Complies with enclosure type 4 requirements with optional water tight conduit connector. Reinforced polyester body, stainless steel cover with gasket.

Set Point Repeatability: Typically  $\pm$  1% of full scale range

Switch Output: SPDT precision snap-acting design with mechanical contact life of 10 million cycles. Actual life depends on electrical load and cycle frequency

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#### Table 1

Model	Adjustable Range		Typical Deadband		*Max Working Pressure		**Proof Pressure	
	psid	bar	psid	bar	psi	bar	psi	bar
Polyurethane (polyether) diaphragm, ethylene propylene O-Ring, 1/4" NPS (female) (mechanical) polysulfone® pressure connection								
011	1 to 10	70 mbar to 0.7	0.75	0.05	150	10	150	10
012	4 to 45	0.3 to 3.0	1.0	0.07	150	10	150	10
Polyurethane (polyether) diaphragm, ethylene propylene O-Ring, 1/4" NPT (female) brass pressure connection								
013	1 to 10	70 mbar to 0.7	0.75	0.05	150	10	150	10
014	4 to 45	0.3 to 3.0	1.0	0.07	150	10	150	10

\* Working Pressure: The pressure range within which two opposing sensors can be safely operated and still maintain set point adjustability provided the difference in pressure between them does not exceed the designated adjustable range.

\*\* Proof Pressure: The maximum pressure to which a pressure sensor may be occasionally subjected, which causes no permanent damage. The unit may require calibration (e.g. start-up testing)

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# Electrical Rating: Rated to 5 A resistive and 5 A inductive (75%PF) at 125 VAC

and 250 VAC, 1/4 HP; 5 A resistive and 3 A inductive at 30 VDC and 0.5 A resistive and 0.25 inductive at 125 VDC. Gold flash over silver contacts for minimum loads of 5 mA at 6 VDC, 2 mA at 12 VDC and 1 mA at 24 VDCWeight: 6.5 oz.

Electrical Connection: 7/8"hole for optional 1/2"NPT conduit connector. Terminal block with screw terminals. Max wire size 16 AWG

Pressure Connection: Models 013-014: 1/4" NPT (female) brass: models 011-012, : 1/4" NPS (female) FDA compliant\* Udel® polysulfone, non-tapered to minimize connection stress with 1/4" NPT (male) fittings - max torque is 2-ft.lbs.

Mounting & Installation: Surface mount with two screws through clearance holes, or mount by pressure connections



U.S & Canada UL Listed, cUL Certified



### Europe

Low Voltage Directive (LVD) 2006/95/ECUEC Compliant to LVD- The Low Voltage Directive does not apply to products for use in hazardous locations



Model	Dimension A inches (mm)	Pressure Connection			
011, 012	2.75 (69.9)	1/4" NPS (F) Polysulfone			
013, 014	3.13 (79.5)	1/4" NPT (F) Brass			

### **ORDERING INFORMATION**

### SPECIFY ABC (FROM TABLE BELOW EXAMPLE: 24012

А Туре	B Model (See Table 1)	C Options
24= 24 Series	011=011 012=012 013=013 014= 014	<ul> <li>-= None</li> <li>M020= Red status light, 115VAC only. Specify whether light turns on or off with increasing or decreasing pressure</li> <li>M201= Factory set switch; specify increasing or decreasing and set point</li> <li>M262= Buna-N diaphragm</li> <li>M540= Viton® construction (deadbands &amp; low end of range may increase slightly). Wetted parts include Viton® diaphragm and/or O-Ring plus standard connection material. M900=</li> <li>M900= Water tight conduit fitting; converts 7/8" hole to 1/2" NPT fitting; must specify for compliance to NEMA 4</li> </ul>

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