# SCC Inc.

## **Technical Instructions**

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### LFS1... Flame Switch



### **Product Description**

The LFS1... flame switch is used to send a signal to a PLC or other device when the connected flame detector senses a flame. It has a pair of contacts (one normally closed, one normally open) that change state when a flame is detected.

#### **Features**

- UL approved and SIL 3 rated for continuous operation with a flame rod
  - UL approved and SIL 2 rated for intermittent operation with a UV scanner
  - 0-10 VDC output for flame signal strength
  - Multi-color LED provides operational status

#### **Product Part Numbers**

The following LFS1... flame switches are available:

Part Number	Flame Detector	Operating Voltage	
LFS1.21A1		120 VAC	
LFS1.21A2	UV scanner or flame rod	230 VAC	

### Accessories

AGK11.7	Plug-in base required with each LFS1 flame switch.
AGK65.1	Conduit holder with five M16 x 1.5mm threaded holes. This is required to connect conduit to plug-in base AGK11.7.
ADP-M16XE500(5)	5-pack of M16 x 1.5mm to 1/2" NPSM metal conduit adapters compatible with liquid-tight or EMT fittings.
QRA4.U	Ultraviolet flame scanner, forward viewing, normal sensitivity, with 3/4" NPSM connection. For more information, see Document No. n7711.
THERMAL-75X75	Thermal barrier for use with the QRA4.U flame scanner. Adapts a 3/4" NPSM thread to a female 3/4" NPT connection. Rated for scanner tube temperatures up to 280°F. For more information, see Document No. QRA-1300.
AGG02	Heat insulating lens with spring washer and O-ring, for applications where the temperature at the scanner will exceed 176°F, to be mounted inside thermal barrier THERMAL-75X75. For more information, see Document No. QRA-1300.

### Accessories (continued)

#### AZL23.00A9



#### **TDCCOMBO**



#### ARC466890660



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LFS1-DIN



Backlit programming display unit for any LFS1... flame switch. The AZL23.00A9 is required to adjust parameter settings.

Pre-made 7-foot cable and adapter for connecting the AZL23.00A9 display to the LFS1... flame switch.

RC unit required when using a flame rod on a system with an ungrounded neutral connection. Connects to terminal 2 (neutral) and the ground terminal on the AGK11.7 plug-in base.

Adapter for replacing obsolete LFE10... burner controls with an LFS1... flame switch.

Mounting kit used to connect LFS1... plug-in base AGK11.7 onto a DIN rail with a 15mm or greater depth. For more information, see Document No. LFS-1500.

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### Approvals

The LFS1... flame switch has the following approvals:



#### **Applied directives:** $\mathbf{C}\mathbf{E}$

- Low Voltage Directive
- Pressure Equipment Directive
- Gas Appliances Regulation (EU)
  - Electromagnetic Compatibility EMC (immunity) \*)
- \*) The compliance with EMC emission requirements must be checked after the flame safeguard is installed in equipment



EAC Conformity (Eurasian Conformity)



ISO 9001:2015 ISO 14001:2015 OHSAS 18001:2007



China RoHS Hazardous substances table: http://www.siemens.com/download?A6V10883536

The LFS1... flame switch has the following SIL ratings and parameters:

Part Number	Flame Detector	SIL Rating	PFHD [1/h]	MTTFD [y]	SFF	
	Flame rod	SIL3	1.80E-08	6500	≥99%	
LFS1.21Ax	QRA4.U or QRA4.U and flame rod	SIL2	2.30E-07	510	≥99%	

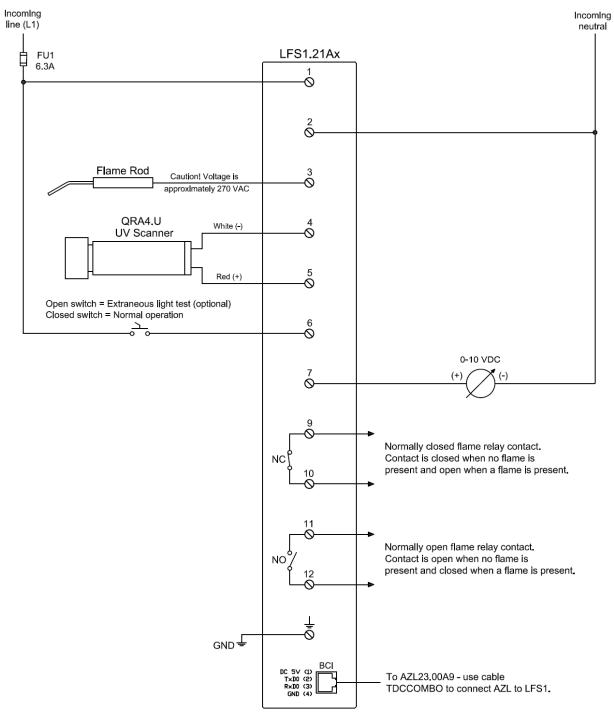
#### Table 2: LFS1... SIL Ratings and Parameters

## Wiring

Table 3: LFS1 Terminal Designations and Ratings				
Terminal	Function	Rating	Parameter	
1	Incoming power - line	LFS1.21A1 - 120V, 6.3A LFS1.21A2 - 230V, 6.3A	N/A	
2	Incoming power - neutral	N/A	N/A	
3	Flame rod signal	270 VAC 20 μA maximum	182	
4	QRA ground (-)	N/A	N/A	
5	QRA signal (+)	Extraneous light test - 290 VAC Normal operation - 250 VAC 700 μA maximum ≥ 20 μA required to register a flame signal ≤ 5 μA required to lose flame signal	N/A	
6	Extraneous light test input	1 mA maximum	N/A	
7	0-10 VDC output for flame signal strength	0.1 mA maximum Increments of 40 mVDC	699.00 699.01	
9, 10	Normally closed (NC) relay output	1 A maximum 250 VAC, 125 VDC maximum	217.00 217.01	
11, 12	Normally open (NO) relay output	1 A maximum 250 VAC, 125 VDC maximum	217.00 217.01	
Ţ	Incoming power – ground	N/A	N/A	

Table 3: LFS1 Terminal Designations and Ratin	gs
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### Wiring (continued)



#### Notes:

- 1. There are three spare neutral terminals on the AGK11.7 wiring base directly connected to terminal 2.
- 2. There are four ground terminals on the AGK11.7 wiring base.
- 3. Terminal 31 on the AGK11.7 wiring base is not used.

#### Parameters

The LFS1... has several parameters that can be adjusted or viewed with the AZL23.00A9 display unit.

These parameters are broken up into three main groups by password access:

- **Info / Ser** Level access does not require a password and encompasses all the parameters that an end user might have to view or adjust.
- **Service** Level access does require a password and encompasses all the parameters that a service technician might need to access.
- **OEM** Level access requires a different password than the service level, and enables the OEM to access all available parameters, including safety-related parameters.

The parameters on the LFS1... are organized into groups of 100. Each group of 100 is described below:

- 000: Changing passwords
- 100: General information / configuration
- 200: Flame response times
- 600: Analog output configuration
- 700: Fault history
- 900: Operational data

Some parameters have multiple indexes. For example, parameter 699 will initially display as 699:00 (index 0) but can be changed to 699:01 (index 1). To move between indexes, use the following procedure:

When first accessing parameter 699, 699:00 will display. The "699" will be flashing. Press the ENTER key once, and the "00" will begin flashing. Press the + or - key to move between the various indexes. To change the value stored in an index, press ENTER again and use the + or - key to change the value. Once the correct value is displayed, press ENTER to store it.



Figure 3: LFS1... Parameter Example with Indexes

Every LFS1... parameter is described thoroughly in the following LFS1... parameter list.

#### LFS Series

Parameter	Parameter	<b>LEGEND</b> - Password Access: S = Set Shaded parameters = Frequently us			
Number	Name			Range	Description
					000 Level: Passwords
041	Service Level PW		SAFE	Any 4 characters	The service level password can be changed here. It must be exactly 4 characters in length. Enter the current OEM password first, then enter the same new password twice to change it ( $c = current$ , $n = new$ , $r = repeat$ ).
042	OEM Level PW	0	SAFE1	Any 5 characters	The OEM level password can be changed here. It must be exactly 5 characters in length. Enter the current password first, then enter the same new password twice to change it (c = current, n = new, r = repeat).
060	Not Used		Rea	ad only	This parameter is displayed but not used on the LFS1.
				100 Le	vel: General Information / Configuration
102	Production Date	Info			Date that the LFS1 was produced in the DD.MM.YY format.
103	Serial Number				Serial number of the LFS1.
113	Burner ID	Not set		0-99999999	The burner ID can be viewed through the AZL2 but can only be set using the ACS410 software with the OCI410.40 OEM cable. The burner ID must be all digits (no letters), from 1-8 digits in length. Typically the burner serial number is used. This serves as an identifier for the parameter set. The burner ID must be set in order to perform a parameter backup to a PC using the ACS410 software.
164	Startups		Reset only		Displays the total number of startups. To reset this value, press and hold the info button until the value begins to flash, then let go. The value will automatically change to 0. Press the info button again to confirm the reset.
166	Total Startups	Info			Displays the total number of startups. Not resettable.
170	Number of Relay Cycles		Read only		Displays the number of cycles on different internal relays in the LFS1. Index 00 = Flame relay (FR) cycles Index 01 = Auxiliary relay (HR) cycles Index 02 = this index is not used on the LFS1 Index 03 = this index is not used on the LFS1
171	Max Relay Cycles				Displays the maximum number of relay cycles allowed on the internal relays of the LFS1. The value of this parameter is set to 1,000,000.
182	Flame Sensitivity	0	0 0 0-3		Sets the minimum current required to register a valid flame signal when using a flame rod. $0 = 1\mu A$ $1 = 2\mu A$ $2 = 4\mu A$ $3 = 8\mu A$

Parameter	Parameter	LEGEND - Password Access: S = Service O = OEM Info = Info menu Ser = Service menu   Shaded parameters = Frequently used Default Range Description					
Number	Name						
					200 Level: Flame Response Times		
217.00	Flame Valid Response Time		0	0-11.907 sec	Sets the minimum length of time that a flame signal must be present before the LFS1 considers it a valid flame signal. The LFS1 has a base time of 0.3 seconds, so the setting of this parameter will add to that base time.		
217.01	Flame Failure Response Time (FFRT)	0	0	0-11.907 sec	Sets the flame failure response time (FFRT). The FFRT is the maximum length of time that the flame signal can go away before the LFS1 considers the flame no longer valid. The LFS1 has a base FFRT of 1 second, so the setting of this parameter will add to that base time.		
				600	0 Level: Analog Output Configuration		
699.00	0-10 VDC Output Scale (Flame Rod)		13	5-35	Scales the 0-10 VDC output from terminal 7 when using a flame rod. The default setting of 13 will scale the output for 0 VDC at a $0\mu$ A current and 10 VDC at approximately a $20\mu$ A current. See page 14 for details.		
699.01	0-10 VDC Output Scale (QRA4.U)	S	16	5-35	Scales the 0-10 VDC output from terminal 7 when using a QRA4.U scanner. The default setting of 16 will scale the output for 0 VDC at a $0\mu$ A current and 10 VDC at approximately a $12\mu$ A current. See page 14 for details.		
					700 Level: Fault History		
701-702	Fault History	Ser Read only		ad only	Shows the current status (fault) along with the second most recent fault. 701 = current status, 702 = most recent fault. Each fault has indexes that provide additional information about the fault: Index 00 = fault code Index 01 = start number Index 02 = phase Index 03 = this index is not used on the LFS1		
					900 Level: Operational Data		
920	Flame Signal	,			Displays the raw flame signal from 0-100% for any flame scanner type. Same as parameter 954.		
936	Not Used		_		This parameter is displayed but not used on the LFS1.		
951	Incoming Voltage	Ser	Rea	ad only	Displays the real time mains voltage.		
954	Flame Signal				Displays the raw flame signal from 0-100% for any flame scanner type. Same as parameter 920.		

### Sequence Diagram

The following sequence diagram illustrates when input and output terminals are expected to be energized or de-energized.

			NORMAL OPERATION				EXTRANEOUS		
							LIGHT	TEST	
			No Flame Signal Present	Flame Signal Present	Alarm		No Flame Signal Present	Flame Signal Present	
		AZL Display	oP : P1	oP : P2	Loc		oP : P1	oP : P2	
	Terminal	Description							
S	1	Main Voltage							
INPUTS	3 / 5	Flame Signal	х		х		x		
≤	6	Extraneous Light Test					x	Х	
TS	7	0-10 VDC	0 VDC	Varies	0 VDC		0 VDC	Varies	
OUTPUTS	9 / 10	NC Contact		Х				Х	
on	11 / 12	NO Contact	Х		Х		Х	Х	



#### **Extraneous Light Test**

Terminal 6 on the LFS1... can be used to activate or de-activate an extraneous light test when using a QRA4.U UV scanner. The purpose of the test is to check for a defective UV scanner that is sensing a flame when a flame is not present.

Terminal 6 is a line voltage input. Removing voltage from the terminal puts the LFS1... into extraneous light test mode. Applying voltage to terminal 6 puts the LFS1... into normal operation. When using a flame rod, line voltage should always be connected to terminal 6.

When the LFS1... is in extraneous light test mode, the voltage to the QRA4.U UV scanner is amplified to 290 VAC. During normal operation, the voltage on the QRA4.U is 250 VAC. The increased voltage on the scanner makes for a more stringent test and will find a scanner that is close to failing.

Table 5 below shows what happens during the extraneous light test depending on whether the QRA4.U UV scanner is sensing a flame.

	Status LED	Position of NC Contact (9/10)	Position of NO Contact (11/12)	Display on AZL
No Flame Signal Present	Flashing yellow	Closed	Open	oP : P1
Flame Signal Present	Alternating yellow / green	Open	Open	oP : P2

#### Table 5: Extraneous Light Test

The primary indicator that a flame signal has been detected during the extraneous light test is that the NC flame relay contact opens. When this happens, the flame scanner should be replaced.

Below is the sequence of operation for the extraneous light test:

- 1. The test should be conducted with the burner off.
- 2. Power is removed from terminal 6.
- 3. The normally open (NO) contact (terminals 11/12) opens, even if it was closed prior to removing power from terminal 6.
- If the QRA4.U scanner is working properly, the normally closed (NC) contact (terminals 9/10) remains closed. If the QRA4.U scanner has failed, the normally closed (NC) contact opens.
- 5. Replace the QRA4.U scanner if it has failed.
- 6. Apply power to terminal 6 to end the extraneous light test.

### Troubleshooting

	Table 5: LFS1 Complete Fault Code List							
Fault Code	No. of LED Blinks	Description	Corrective Action					
10	10	This fault is a catchall and can be caused by a variety of issues, including wiring errors and internal LFS1 errors. It can also be caused by a short-circuited QRA4.U UV scanner.	Double-check all wiring. If using a UV scanner, unplug scanner and reset the fault. If the fault persists, replace the LFS1 flame switch.					
167	15	A manual lockout was caused by pressing the Info button and any other button at the same time on the AZL23.	Reset the fault					

The LFS1... has two possible fault codes that can occur.

When a fault occurs, the LED on the LFS1 will turn solid red. To determine what the fault code			
is, press and hold the button on the LFS1 for more than three seconds and then let go. The			
red LED will blink a certain number of times according to the table above. If an AZL23 is			
connected, the AZL23 will display "Loc" followed by the fault code. To reset the fault, press the			
button on the LFS1 for two seconds and then release.			

The fault history is stored in the 700 set of parameters. These are only accessible with an AZL23 remote display. To access the 700 set of parameters on the AZL23, press and hold the Info button until "SEr" is displayed, then let go. The LFS1... stores the last two fault codes:

Parameter 701 displays information about the current status of the LFS1... Parameter 702 displays information about the most recent fault.

Each fault code listed has indexes that provide additional information about the fault:

Index 00 = Fault code Index 01 = Start number Index 02 = Phase Index 03 = Load

Index 01 will display a value of ".\_\_\_". This means that the AZL23 display ran out of room to display the start number. When this happens, hold down the info button to display the value.

An example of how the AZL23 displays a fault code in the fault history is shown below:



### Status LED

There is an LED on the front of the LFS1... that displays the current status of the flame switch. Table 4 below describes what each LED color code represents.

Table 4: Color Codes of the LF31 Status LED			
Color	Status		
None	No operating voltage		
Solid yellow	No valid flame signal		
Solid green	Valid flame signal		
Flashing green	Weak flame signal <sup>1</sup>		
Flashing yellow	Extraneous light test active – no flame signal present		
Alternating yellow/green	Extraneous light test active – flame signal present		
Alternating yellow/red	Undervoltage (AZL displays Ph01)		
Solid red	Alarm		
Flickering red	Interface diagnostics mode <sup>2</sup>		

#### Table 4: Color Codes of the LFS1... Status LED

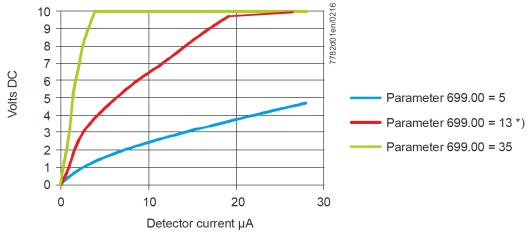
- 1. A weak flame signal is less than 24  $\mu A$  DC when using a UV scanner and less than 2  $\mu A$  DC when using a flame rod.
- 2. Interface diagnostics mode is accessed by pressing and holding the reset button for more than three seconds. To exit interface diagnostics mode, press and hold the reset button again for more than three seconds.

### **Specifications**

Electrical characteristics	Mains voltage	
	- LFS1.21A1	85-132 VAC
	- LFS1.21A2	170-253 VAC
	Mains frequency	50-60 Hz
	Power consumption	50 VA
	External fuse (recommended)	6.3 A, 250 VAC
	Internal fuse between terminals 11 and 12 (non-replaceable)	1.6 A, 250 VAC
Operating environment	Ambient temperature Mounting position Degree of protection Weight	-4 to 140°F [-20 to 60°C] Optional IP40 0.32 lb [145 g]

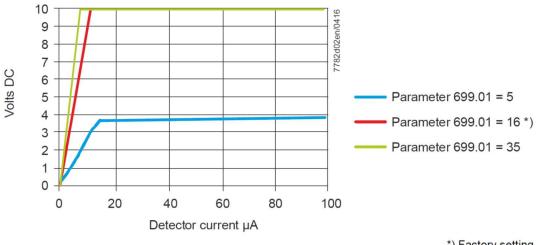
#### 0-10 VDC Output Scaling

Terminal 7 on the LFS1... flame switch is a 0-10 VDC output based on the micro-amp signal being measured by the flame detector. The scaling of the 0-10 VDC output can be set via parameter 699.00 (when using a flame rod) or 699.01 (when using a QRA4.U). The scaling of the 0-10 VDC output has no effect on the flame signal strength safety thresholds. The two charts below should be used as a guide.



\*) Factory setting

Figure 1: 0-10 VDC Output Scaling When Using a Flame Rod

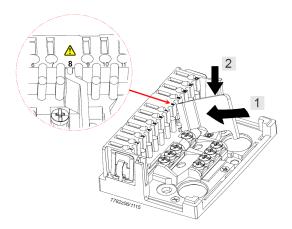


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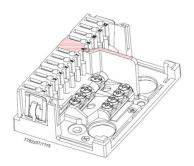
Figure 2: 0-10 VDC Output Scaling When Using a QRA4.U UV Scanner

### **Installation Notes**

• The separating plate supplied with plug-in base AGK11.7 should be installed into terminal 8 as shown below.



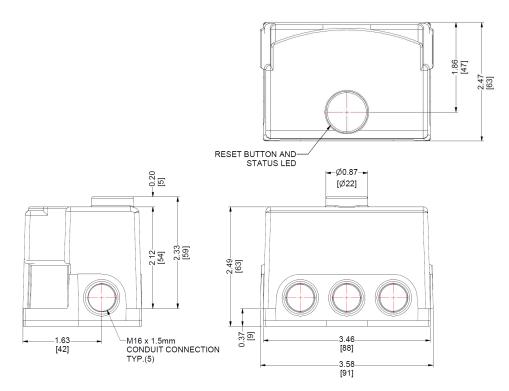
The separating plate should be connected so that the top of the plate is level with the top of the plug-in base as indicated by the red hatched region shown below.



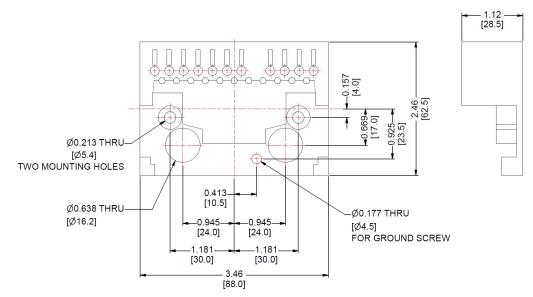
- When using the LFS1... flame switch in a system with a non-grounded neutral connection and a flame rod as the flame detector, RC unit ARC466890660 must be connected between terminal 2 and the ground terminal on plug-in base AGK11.7.
- Single electrode operation (using a common electrode for ignition and flame sensing) is not allowed.
- It is possible to connect both a flame rod and UV scanner to the LFS1... flame switch. If one or both flame detectors sense a flame, the LFS1... considers the burner to have a valid flame.
- When measuring the 0-10 VDC output on terminal 7, the measuring equipment should have at least a CAT III safety rating.
- If replacing an LFE10..., the ground connection on terminal 10 of the LFE10... wiring base must be removed.

#### Dimensions

LFS1.21Ax with Plug-in Base AGK11.7 and Conduit Holder AGK65.1



AGK11.7



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