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Friedrich Enhances FreshAir[™] PTHP Make-Up Air Control Capabilities – Ultimate In-Room Ventilation & Comfort

As the industry's premier PTAC innovation leader, Friedrich pioneered fully integrated, active, make-up air capabilities in packaged terminal air conditioning. We are pleased to announce 2 new feature enhancements to our award winning FreshAir PTAC's make-up air control capabilities that will further enhance our efficiency, comfort, and indoor air quality delivery. Now, when you select Friedrich FreshAir PTHP and pair it with Friedrich's FreshAir wall mounted thermostat control (VRPXEMRT3 or VRPXEMWRT3) these 2 new, specifiable, features are available for additional make-up air operation:

A. FreshAir MUA Occupancy Control

- Utilizing the occupancy sensor in the VRPXEM(W)RT3 control and the correct dip switch settings on the PVH board, the make-up air door is capable of auto closing in room "unoccupied" status. It will auto restart as the room enters "occupied" status. Standard factory setting is enabled.

B. FreshAir MUA Humidity Control Enhancement

- With RH management engaged via the VRPXEM(W)RT3 control and the correct PVH dip switch settings, make-up air can be set to automatically deactivate and re-activate given the RH sensed by the in-room control. Upon selecting this feature via dip switch settings on the PVH, If RH in the room is detected above 70%, make-up air will deactivate, closing the MUA door. Once RH falls below 60% in the room, make-up air will automatically restore to active/on status opening the door and re-engaging the MUA fan. Standard factory setting is enabled.

Important Phase-In Information

FreshAir PTHP (PVH) with manufactured dates after April 2023, serial 2304G06121, have been upgraded to include these enhanced capabilities. These new features are not retroactive as a standard. Upgrading existing PVH models with these features would require a PVH control board replacement and a VRPXEM(W)RT3 control.

Addition information regarding activation and deactivation of these features can be found in the latest Installation & Operations Manual (IOM) on Friedrich.com.

Dip Switch Setting

Switch 1-Reserved.

Switch 2-Heat pump enable/disable.

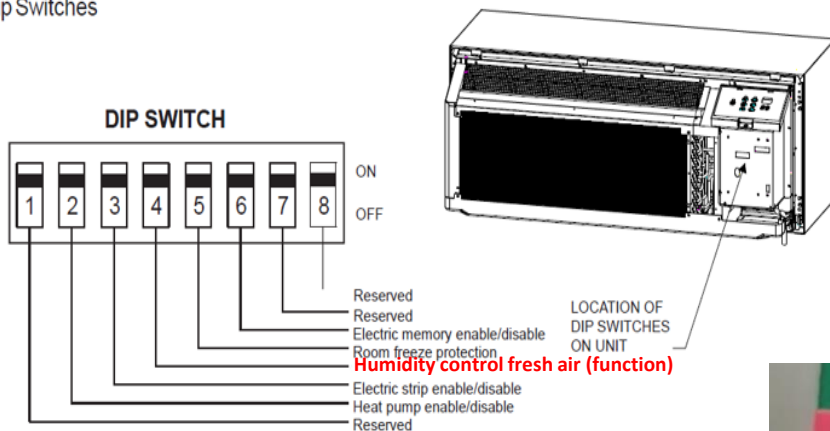
Moving Dip Switch #2 to "OFF" can be set as Emergency Heat Override. In the unlikely event of a compressor failure, a heat pump unit may be switched to operate in only the electric heat mode until repairs can be made.

Switch 3-Electric strip enable/disable.

Switch 4- **Humidity control fresh air (Factory set: ON)**

Switch 5-Room Freeze Protection

Figure 28
Dip Switches

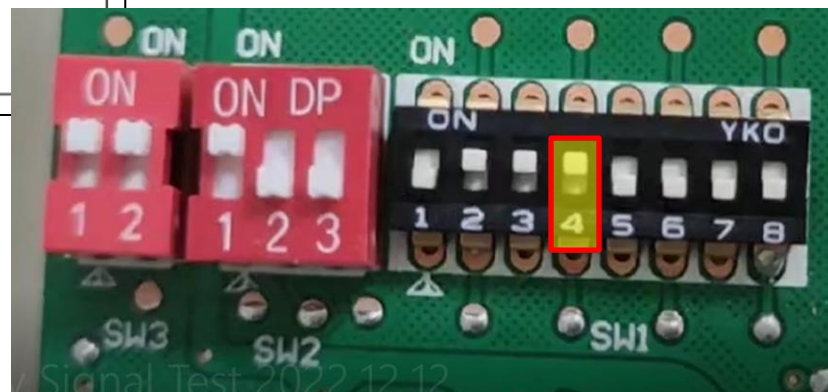


RH Control Setting: SW1 Dip Switch

Factory Standard: ON

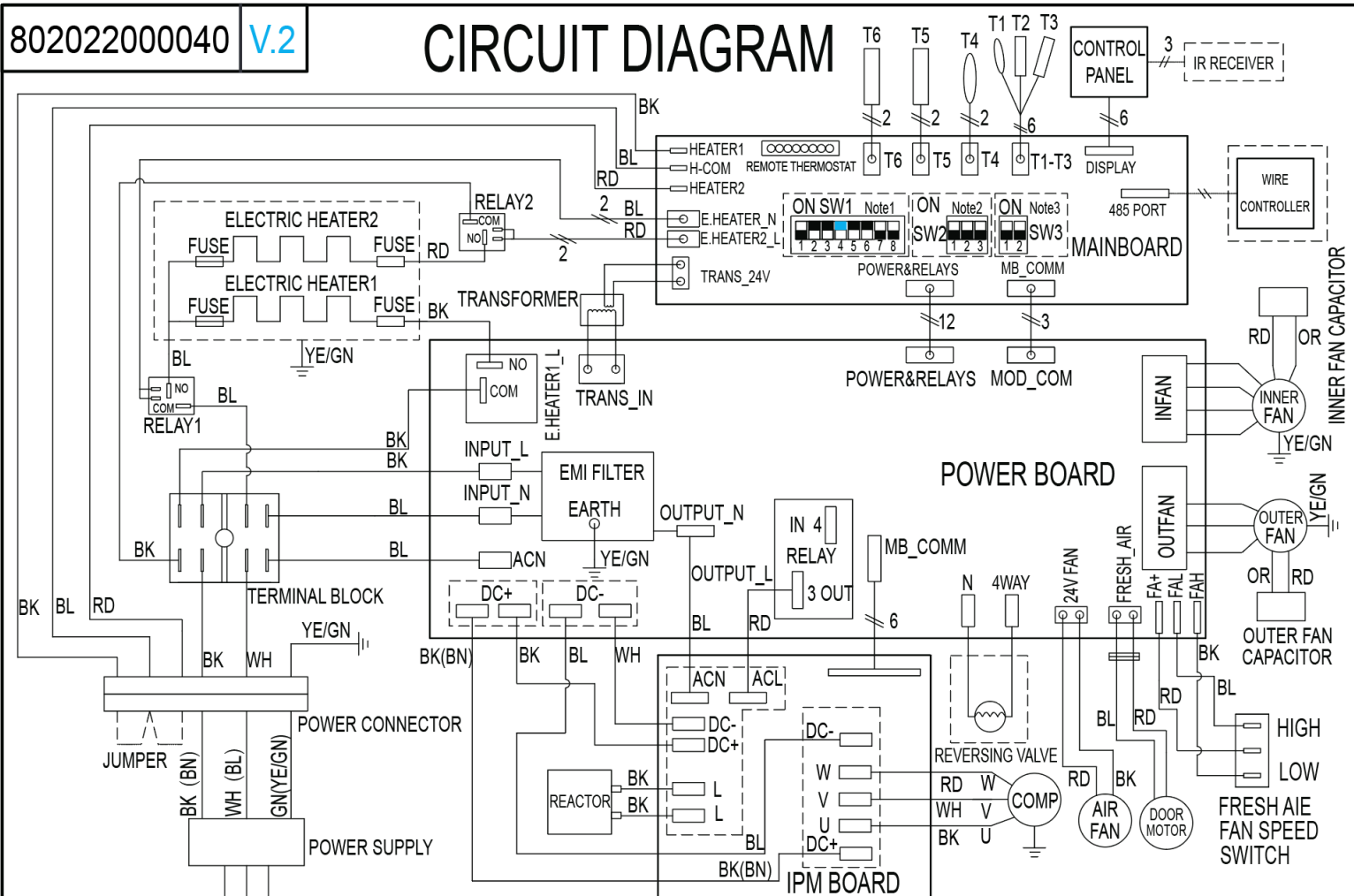
-Enables MUA auto door control

To deactivate RH MUA auto door control dip switch 4 should move to off position



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CIRCUIT DIAGRAM



COLOR CODE	Note1 SW1 FUNCTION(ON-Enable, OFF-Disable)	Note2 SW2 MODEL TYPE SWITCH	Note3 SW3 FUNCTION GUIDANCE	WARNING:		
BK-BLACK WH-WHITE BN-BROWN OR-ORANGE RD-RED YE/GN-YELLOW/GREEN BL-BLUE GN-GREEN	1-Reserved 2-Heat pump 3-Electric heater 4-Humidity control fresh air 5-Freeze protect	9K 12K ON SW2 1 ON,2 OFF,3 OFF	1-Fresh Air Enable/Disable 2-Fresh Air CONTINUOUSLY Running/CYCLES With Indoor Fan	SWITCHES SW2 ARE FOBBIDEN TO CHANGE, OTHERWISE UNIT WILL FAIL TO WORK AND MAY BE DAMAGED !		
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