



# GAS & SPECIALTY SENSORS

## INFRARED REFRIGERANT GAS DETECTOR IR-F9 SERIES

**Honeywell Analytics**  
experts in gas detection



### DESCRIPTION

The **Honeywell Analytics IR-F9 Series refrigerant detector** is a highly accurate, affordable, micro-processor based infrared sensor that will provide years of reliable service. A true "diffusion" sensor, the **IR-F9 Series** does not require either the use of pumps or filters and allows all points of detection to be monitored perpetually. The versatile sensor is housed in a high mass metal bench structure that enables thermal stability and freedom from the effects of vibration.

### FEATURES

- Available in seven different refrigerants
- R134a, R22, R404a, R407a, R410a, R422a, R507a
- Visual indication
- Infrared technology
- 4-20 mA output
- Easy calibration with cal kit
- No pump
- Continual monitoring
- Optional RS-485 Modbus communication



IR-F9

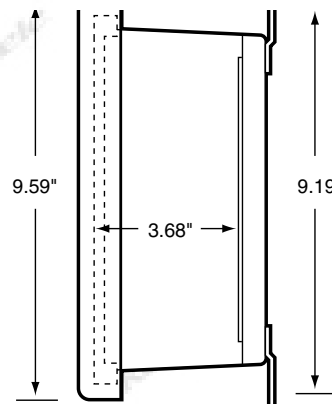
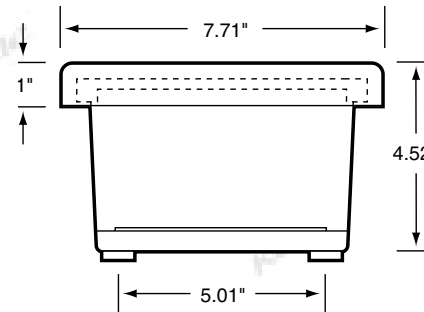
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### SPECIFICATIONS

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| <b>Supply Voltage</b>        | 24 VDC regulated 1.2A maximum   |
| <b>Accuracy</b>              | ±3% full scale  |
| <b>Signal Output</b>         | 4-20 mA @ 500Ω  |
| <b>Repeatability</b>         | 1% full scale   |
| <b>Measurement Range</b>     | 0-1000 ppm standard<br>(0-500 ppm to 0 to 3000 ppm)                               |
| <b>Sensing Technology</b>    | Dual infrared sensor  |
| <b>Calibration Interval</b>  | Every 6 months  |
| <b>Visual Indication</b>     | For testing and verification of<br>4-20 mA loop,<br>calibration and operation     |
| <b>Response Time</b>         | 10 seconds with full scale<br>calibration gas @ 0.75 liters/<br>minimum flow rate |
| <b>Gases Detected</b>        | R134a, R22, R404a, R407a,<br>R410a, R422d, R507a                                  |
| <b>Operating Temperature</b> | -20° to 140°F (-28° to 60°C)  |
| <b>Operating Humidity</b>    | 0% to 99% RH non-condensing   |
| <b>Enclosure Rating</b>      | NEMA 4 fiberglass reinforced<br>polyester   |
| <b>Dimensions</b>            | 9.59"H x 7.71"W x 4.52"D<br>(24.4 x 19.6 x 11.5 cm)                               |
| <b>Weight</b>                | 4.4 lb (2.0 Kg)   |
| <b>Warranty</b>              | 1 year  |

### MOUNTING DIMENSIONS



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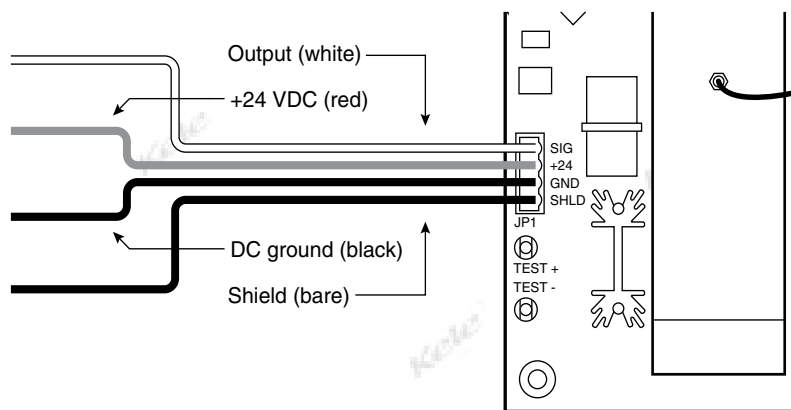
### WIRING

**White** connects to signal input of monitoring equipment

**Red** connects to 24 VDC power supply positive side

**Black** connects to 24 VDC ground side

**Bare wire wrap** connects to case ground at monitoring equipment (earth ground)



### INSTALLATION / OPERATION

#### Installation

The **IR-F9** can only report what it is seeing at the moment and it is very important the sensor be located where leaks are most likely to occur. CFC/HCFC/HFC vapor is heavier than ambient air, so in a room with no air movement it will tend to settle. For quickest detection, mount the sensor about one to two feet from the floor, close to the potential leak source. Be aware the indicated concentration may not be representative of personnel exposure and easy access for the required calibration and maintenance could be compromised. Some recommended considerations are as follows:

1. Must be easily accessible for calibration and maintenance.
2. Always mount the sensor vertically.
3. Mount the sensor close to the potential leak source for fastest possible leak detection.
4. Protect sensor from water, excessive humidity, and wash-down.
5. Always make a drip loop in the conduit.
6. Never mount sensor on a vibrating surface.

#### Operation

The **IR-F9** has two internal pushbutton(s), and two adjustment pots that are utilized for navigation of test functions, calibrations, and operating modes. In addition, a pair of test points is also provided that assist in the connection to standard meter leads for use in the upcoming calibration and diagnostic procedures.

\*NOTE: The pushbutton(s) must be pressed the correct number of times and at the correct rate.

### ORDERING INFORMATION

| MODEL              | DESCRIPTION   |
|--------------------|---|
| <b>IR-F9-R134A</b> | Stand-alone infrared refrigerant detector for R134a |
| <b>IR-F9-R22</b>   | Stand-alone infrared refrigerant detector for R22   |
| <b>IR-F9-R404A</b> | Stand-alone infrared refrigerant detector for R404a |
| <b>IR-F9-R407A</b> | Stand-alone infrared refrigerant detector for R407a |
| <b>IR-F9-R410A</b> | Stand-alone infrared refrigerant detector for R410a |
| <b>IR-F9-R422D</b> | Stand-alone infrared refrigerant detector for R422d |
| <b>IR-F9-R507A</b> | Stand-alone infrared refrigerant detector for R507a |

#### RELATED PRODUCTS

|                          |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| <b>DRM</b>               | Dual relay module  |
| <b>NIOSHSCBA-WC</b>      | Self-contained breathing apparatus kit with SCBA-WALCASE wall case   |
| <b>UCK-1</b>             | Universal calibration kit for non-corrosive gases (N <sub>2</sub> , CO <sub>2</sub> , CH <sub>4</sub> , H <sub>2</sub> , O <sub>2</sub> , CO, and refrigerants)                          |
| <b>420MDBS</b>           | Interface module 4 to 20 mA to RS485 with Phoenix connector  |
| <b>Calibration Gases</b> | CO, CO <sub>2</sub> , NO <sub>2</sub> , O <sub>2</sub> , CH <sub>4</sub> , NH <sub>3</sub> , N <sub>2</sub> , H <sub>2</sub> S, H <sub>2</sub> , and Refrigerants (See calibration page) |

#### ACCESSORIES

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| <b>DCP-1.5-W</b> | Power supply, 24 VAC IN to 24 VDC OUT         |
| <b>DCPA-1.2</b>  | Power supply, 120 VAC IN to 24 VAC/24 VDC OUT |

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