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1. INTRODUCTION

This manual covers the Vega LT2000 and LT2001 Control Panel. The Vega LT fire control panel provides analogue addressable detection of fire and is compatible with devices manufactured by Apollo and Hochiki. Designed to comply with EN54: parts 2 & 4, the Vega LT provides a single detection loop and can cover 16 zones. The panel is mains powered and also has space for two 12 amp-hour standby batteries (not supplied) A range of optional equipment is available to enhance the panel's standard, fixed format configuration.

The Vega LT2000 provides support for Apollo series 90,95, Discovery and Explorer detectors and the Vega LT2001 supports the Hochiki ESP range of detectors. Both versions of control panel provide the following key features: -

- □ Single detection loop
- □ Two conventional programmable sounder circuits
- Two auxiliary volt free programmable relay contacts
- Fault volt free relay contact
- □ Four auxiliary input connections
- Membrane control fascia
- B system status indications
- □ 16 zone indications
- □ 8 line 40 character liquid crystal display
- □ Integral 2.5 amp power supply unit
- Battery back-up facility



Figure 1: Vega LT Fire Control Panel

1.1 DESCRIPTION

The Vega LT consists of a backbox with 20 mm knockouts for cable entry and has a hinged, removable door which is retained with a locking screw and incorporates the panel display membrane. The panel display has 16 zonal windows, status windows, user control and a liquid crystal display. The backbox has a keyhole locating hole for positioning and can be secured through the four 4 mm indented holes located near each corner. Refer to Figure 1.

A range of optional add-ons can be supplied separately and installed during commissioning to enhance the systems capabilities. These options include: -

- □ Loop card to extend the panel to a maximum of two detection loops.
- □ Repeater driver card enables the Vega LT to communicate with VR3000 repeater panel(s)
- Event printer 24 character, thermal type. VR0053.
- □ Network interface provides communication to VegaNET graphics display system. VN2107.
- □ Network interface provides communication to Common Zone Network CZN System. VN2108.

1.2 ABOUT THIS MANUAL

This installation manual details how to install and commission the Vega LT fire control panel and range of optional equipment. It has been carefully checked for accuracy and is presumed to be correct. The manufacturer assumes no responsibility for inaccuracies and reserves the right to modify the contents without notice.

1.3 SYSTEM DESIGN

The design of the fire detection and alarm system should be in accordance with BS 5839 part 1 Fire detection and fire alarm systems for buildings -"Code of practice for system design, installation, commissioning and maintenance" and may be supplemented with customer's specific installation requirements. The fire alarm system design is beyond the scope of this document. It is therefore assumed that a basic knowledge of general fire alarm system practices, components and their use is understood.

We recommend that a suitably qualified and competent person is consulted in connection with the design of the fire alarm system and that the system is commissioned and services in accordance with the laid down specification and national standards.

The Fire Officer responsible for the property should be contacted at an early stage to discuss of any site-specific requirements.

1.4 ELECTRICAL SAFETY

Before handling any part of the control panel, ensure that adequate precautions are taken against damage to the sensitive electronic components located within the control panel. Operators and engineers should discharge themselves of any personal electro-static charge by momentarily touching a convenient earthed object.

Static charges are collected on adjacent conductors and are delivered in the form of sparks passing between the conductors through insulating space or material. The sweat layer on the human skin is a sufficient medium to store induced static charges and deliver them to any receptive conductor such as an electronic component or printed circuit board. Following these guidelines can reduce static discharges:

- □ Always use conductive or anti-static containers for transportation and storage.
- U Wear an earth wrist strap whilst handling devices, ensuring a good earth connection is maintained.
- □ Never subject a static sensitive device to sliding movement over any surface and avoid any direct contact with the pins.
- Avoid placing sensitive devices onto plastic or vinyl surfaces.
- □ Minimise the handling of sensitive devices and printed circuit boards.

All static sensitive devices are marked accordingly, but it is good engineering practice to treat all components and boards with the same degree of protection.

WARNING:

The static handling procedures must be adhered to and extreme caution must be exercised when working inside the control panel due to the presence of mains voltage 230 V AC. Failure to do so may invalidate product warranty.

Abbreviation	Translation	Description
MCP	Main Control Processor	Part number 44782-K071, the MCP card is located on the
		back of the outer door and is responsible for controlling the
		LCD Display, event printer, LED indications, reading in the
		control button key actions, VIPER upload \ download
		software. The card is also responsible for communicating
		with BLC loop processor cards, repeater output ports and
DL O	Desis Leses Osetes lles	network cards.
BLC	Basic Loop Controller	I here are two types of BLC cards, the master and slave.
MBLC	Master Basic Loop Controller	Part number 44782-K073, the MBLC card is responsible for
		communicating externally with detection loops 1 and 2. The
		VECO contacts & a failsafe fault VECO contact. The MBLC
		card also provides connections to the repeater and network
		interface cards.
SBLC	Slave Basic Loop Controller	Not applicable on Vega LT
CCT	Circuit	Reference to loop or sounder monitored circuitry.
SND	Sounder	
VFCO	Voltage Free Change Over	Also known as dry contact
PCB	Printed Circuit Board	
BGU	Break Glass Unit	Also known as Manual Call Point
EMC	Electro Magnetic Compatibility	
EOL	End of Line	EOL monitoring device used on sounder circuits
LED	Light Emitting Diode	
PSU	Power Supply Unit	
LCD	Liquid Crystal Display	
SLA	Sealed Lead Acid	Type of battery used within fire control panels
Cause & Effect		Operation of programmable outputs and functions as a
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	result of an event being registered.
1/0	Input / Output	
PC	Personal Computer	
mA	Milli amp	
BS	British Standard	
EN	European Norm	
Ah	Amperes Hour	
aB (A)		
	Ingress Protection	
mΩ	Milli onm	
KΩ	Kilo ohm	
Comms	Communications	Communications abbreviated to fit display
Config	Configuration	Configuration abbreviated to fit display

3. INSTALLATION

Installation of the fire detection and alarm system must comply with the current editions of:

- □ The IEE wiring regulations.
- □ The British Standard for Fire Detection and Alarm Systems for buildings BS 5839: part 1
- Local country legislation if outside of the United Kingdom.

Take care not to install the cables in the proximity of high voltage cables or in areas likely to induce electrical interference. Junction boxes should be avoided, but if they have to be installed then they must be clearly labelled "FIRE ALARM".

Special attention should be made in the selection of loop wiring conductor size to ensure that the voltage drop does not prevent devices operating within their specification even under minimum supply and maximum load conditions. Consideration should also be given for future expansion of the system.

It is not permissible to run more than one detection loop in single cable, but a four-core cable can be used for the feed and return of an individual loop. However, to increase the integrity of the loop it is recommended that the feed and return cable pairs use different paths around the building.

It is not permissible to run any other circuits in the same cable as a detection loop, i.e. sounder circuits, power supplies, plant shut downs etc, as the induction capacities of the cable can cause corruption of loop information and/or inter-loop "cross talk".



3.1 SYSTEM SCHEMATIC - Figure 2

Figure 2: System Schematic Diagram

The control panel has a number of internal 2.5mm terminals for connection to the external field cables.

3.2 APPROVED CABLES

To comply with EMC (Electro Magnetic Compatibility) regulations and to reduce the risk of electrical interference in the system wiring, it is recommended that screened cables be used throughout the installation. Reference to BS 5839 part 1, states there is two categories of cable,

- Category 1: required to operate for prolonged periods during a fire condition
- Category 2: not required to operate for prolonged periods during a fire condition

Cables complying to BS 6387 categories C,W, Z can be used for both categories 1 and 2, Cables deemed suitable as Category 1 can be used as category 2, but not visa versa. The following commonly available screened cables have been approved for use on sounder and detection circuits:

- □ Pirelli FP200 Gold[™]
- □ MICC (Pyro[™])
- □ Firetuff[™]
- □ Firecel[™]

Connection to the Kidde network and repeater panels should be made using Beldon 9729, UL2493 or MICC. Satisfactory operation of the system with inferior cable types cannot be guaranteed especially when not wired in accordance with to the appropriate regulations, i.e. loop wiring run in proximity to high voltage (AC mains and above) cabling.

3.3 INTERNAL CABLE ROUTING

It is important that the following procedures on internal cable routing and cable terminations inside the control panel are adhered to fully. These procedures have been established to ensure the control panel complies with the European Directive on Electromagnetic Compatibility (89/336/EEC).

The external cables must be kept to an absolute minimum length from the cable entering the enclosure to the terminating position on the relevant printed circuit board. Special attention should be made to ensure that cables do not cross over other cables where possible, as this may generate interference/electrical noise.

The detection loop and sounder circuit cabling is classed as Low Voltage and should be segregated from mains voltages. The pre-formed knockouts shown in figure 3 must be carefully removed, where required, using a flat broad-bladed screwdriver and hammer. Use of excessive force should not be required and may damage the enclosure around the knockout. The surrounding paint must be carefully removed to permit metal to metal contact between the enclosure and cable gland.



Figure 3: Knockouts and Cable Routing

Care must be taken to ensure metal filings or swarf does not fall onto the printed circuit boards. An adequate number of pre-formed knockouts have been provided on the top of the enclosure so there should be no requirement to drill any additional holes. Ensure that if a knockout is removed and unused, that the hole is filled with a good quality cable gland that is securely blanked off.

3.4 ENCLOSURE MOUNTING

The control panel should be installed within the building to be protected at a prominent location and at a height where it can be easily accessed during an emergency. The control panel should ideally be located in the entrance, foyer or hallway of the building at eye level. The panel should not be positioned where conditions may affect its performance. Areas prone to salt air, moisture, high humidity, physical abuse, and extreme temperatures should be avoided.

Remove the control panel from its packing and unlock the door using the Allen Key provided.

Note, A spare parts bag is not provided with this control panel. Battery leads and End of Line resistors are factory fitted to the associated output terminals. A spare sounder fuse is provided. Refer figure 2 for location.

Hold the panel to the wall at the desired mounting height and mark the position of the top centre keyhole. The enclosure fixing positions are shown in figure 4. The keyhole is provided on the backbox to allow the panel to be hooked onto the wall whilst the remaining four screws are located, marked and drilled accordingly. Secure the panel to the wall using suitable fixings such that adequate support is provided.



Figure 4: Enclosure Fixing Positions

3.5 EXTERNAL CONNECTIONS

3.5.1 Mains Wiring

The Vega LT control panel receives power from either a 230V, 50Hz or 120V, 60Hz power supply. The mains supply cable must take the shortest route possible from entering the enclosure to the mains supply terminals. Refer figure 5. The cable must maintain an air gap of 50mm minimum between it and any other conductors.

The mains supply requirement for the fire alarm panel is fixed wiring, using three core cable (no less than 0.75mm² and no more than 2.5mm²) or a suitable three conductor system and should be fed from an isolating switched fused spur rated at 5amp. The fused spur isolator cover should be red and marked: **FIRE ALARM – DO NOT SWITCH OFF.** The fused spur isolator must be fed from a dedicated switch or protective device at the local mains supply distribution board.

The incoming power feed cable Earth (Green or Green/Yellow) wire should be connected to the terminal block earth connection – Left hand terminal. The Neutral (Blue) wire should be connected to the middle terminal marked (N) and the Live (Brown) wire connected to the right hand terminal marked (L). Refer to Figure 5.



Figure 5: Mains Supply Input

3.5.2 Detection Loop Wiring

The external detection circuit wiring should be wired to form a loop to allow the system to maintain a degree of integrity and still function even if a section of cable becomes open circuit. It is also recommended during the system design that short circuit isolators are fitted to the detection loop, so that in the event of an external short circuit no more than 32 addressable devices will be lost. Refer to Figure 6.



Figure 6: Typical Loop Wiring

The detection loop connections are made on the Loop card terminals marked LOOP. The loop card has built in isolators so it is not required to fit additional isolators directly on the loop output. Additional short circuit isolators should be fitted at the boundaries of each fire zone.

Reference should be made to the detector manufacturer's data sheets and installation guides supplied with the detector or module for information on terminal connection etc. Ensure that the devices connected to the detection loop wiring are correctly orientated for positive and negative connections.

The detection loop cable must be stripped in accordance with the manufacturer's guidelines. The cable must be secured to the enclosure using metal compression glands and metal locking nuts in conjunction with a metal shake proof washer to ensure that the cable metal sheath is bonded to the enclosure. Refer to figure 7.



Figure 7: Loop and Sounder Circuit Compression Gland Details

When all bases are connected but before any devices are installed and with loop isolators linked out, the following tests should be carried out: -

- Loop short-circuit. Using an ohmmeter, check for short-circuit between +ve and -ve feeds.
- □ Loop open-circuit. Check continuity of the +ve and -ve leads. +ve to +ve and -ve to -ve.
- Loop short to earth. Check using an ohmmeter between the +ve and -ve leads and an earth connection.

Warning.

Do not undertake high voltage insulation testing on external wiring after loop devices are installed as this could seriously damage the equipment.

3.5.3 Sounder Circuit Wiring

Two programmable conventional sounder circuits are available on the control panel. Each circuit is rated at 1amp however it is recommended that the maximum total load shared between both circuits should not exceed 1amp. Each sounder circuit is monitored for open and short circuits. An end of line (EOL) 10 K Ω resistor 0.5W minimum should be fitted after the last sounder attached to the circuit to allow the wiring to be monitored.

All sounders must be polarised, as non-polarised sounders will signal a fault condition on the control panel. Refer to figure 8. Each sounder therefore must have an integral blocking diode that prevents the sounder from using power during normal monitoring. The polarity of the sounder output voltage is reversed when the sounder circuit is operated allowing the sounders devices to operate.



Figure 8: Typical Polarised Sounder Circuit Wiring

Should non polarised alarm devices such as mechanical bells be connected to the system, then a diode will have to be placed in line with the device to prevent faults occurring and to enable fault monitoring. A suppression diode will also be required across the device. Refer to Figure 9.



Figure 9: Typical Bell Circuit Wiring

The sounder circuit cable must be stripped in accordance with the manufacturer's guidelines and must be secured to the enclosure using metal compression glands as shown in figure 7.

3.5.4 Auxiliary Output Wiring

Auxiliary Fire Output

Two voltage free (dry contact) changeover contacts are provided which operate during any fire condition and can be used for driving local fire fighting equipment such as sprinkler systems, door release systems and roller shutter doors etc. Refer to Figure 10.



Figure 10: Typical Auxiliary Fire Output Wiring

Auxiliary Fault output

A single voltage free changeover contact is provided and operates on any panel fault condition. This output is failsafe and is normally energised. When a fault occurs, the output turns off to ensure failsafe operation, or should the system suffer a failure to all power supplies. Refer to Figure 11.



Figure 11: Typical Auxiliary Fault Output Wiring

External cables connected to the auxiliary contacts should be secured to the enclosure using metal compression glands as shown in figure7.

3.5.6 Auxiliary Input Wiring

Four non-latching input connections are available on the fire alarm panel. The inputs are located on the loop processor card, part number 44782-K073 at terminal block TB7. Applying a 0-volt connection to the terminal activates the inputs. Refer to Figure 12. The inputs are provided at the following terminal numbers: -

- 1 External Fault Input
- 2 Level 2-access/inhibit override
- 3 Programmable Input A
- 4 Programmable Input B

The programmable input settings are:

- **□** Remote Alarm (Class Change): operates the sounders continuously (default setting for input A) **or**
- Day Mode: initiates pre programmed day mode settings (default setting for input B) or
- □ Isolate Outputs: inhibits the operation of pre-programmed isolation group setting



Figure 12: Typical Auxiliary Input Wiring

Cables connected directly to the auxiliary inputs should not be taken external to the control panel. Interposing relays located within interface enclosures and mounted directly adjacent to the control panel should be used.

3.5.7 Battery Installation

To provide an emergency battery back up facility in the event of mains failure for the system, two new fully charged 12 volt sealed lead acid batteries are required. The batteries should be connected in series using the battery leads connected to the power supply unit and should be located in the bottom left hand corner of the control panel enclosure. The enclosure has space for 2x 12 Ah SLA batteries. The capacity of the batteries used will depend upon the required stand-by time and the system configuration. For battery sizes greater than 12 Ah these should be installed in a separate enclosure suitable for fire protection equipment using appropriate metal gland fixings and cables.

Before installing the batteries carry out the following procedures:

- Check the batteries for transit damage.
- Check the battery open circuit terminal voltage.
- □ Record the installation date.

The +ve of one battery is connected to the red battery lead and the –ve of the second battery is connected to the black battery lead. The –ve of the first battery is connected to the +ve of the second battery using the battery link supplied. Refer to Figure 13.



Figure 13: Internal Battery Connections

CAUTION:

Do not connect the batteries to the power supply unit leads at this stage.

The control panel power supply unit has a thermistor, which monitors the temperature of the batteries and automatically adjusts the charging current accordingly. This should be placed as close as possible to the first battery.

3.5.8 Network and Repeater Cable Wiring (Optional)

When connecting to optional network and repeater wiring, the outer insulating sheath of the cable must be removed using a proprietary cable stripper. This will expose a number of cable pairs, which will be individually wrapped in a protective sheath. This sheath must be folded back over the remaining outer insulating sheath and the metallic compression gland to ensure that the protective metallic sheath has a permanent bonding to the enclosure. The compression gland must be secured to the enclosure using a metal locking nut in conjunction with a metal shake proof washer.

4. ACCESS CONTROL LEVELS

The Vega LT has four levels of system control. Refer to Table 1. The control panel will indicate the true status condition of the installation during all four levels using the membrane display panels. Pass codes are entered on the numeric keypad. Each operation of the keypad operates an internal buzzer and updates the liquid crystal display to confirm entry.

Access	Operating	Default Pass	Comments
Level	Level	Code	
1	Normal	N/A	Control buttons inhibited. During an alarm condition certain
	operation		control buttons are functional.
2	User	7179	All control buttons are functional with restricted menu
			access. System configuration inhibited.
3	Engineer &	7134	All control buttons are functional, All menu levels become
	Installer		available and system configuration is possible.
4	Kidde	N/A	As level 3 with option to clear panel memory back to factory
	Engineer		default setting.

Table 1: Access Levels

The operation of the control panel is dependent upon the selected pass code, as certain keys only operate in specific access levels. Table 2 details the control keys and the access levels they are allowed to operate in.

Control Button	Access Level 1	Access Levels 2&3
Numeric Keys	\checkmark	\checkmark
Cancel (←)	\checkmark	\checkmark
Enter (₊)	\checkmark	\checkmark
Arrow Keys	✓	\checkmark
Silence Buzzer	\checkmark	\checkmark
Scroll	\checkmark	\checkmark
Delay Override	\checkmark	\checkmark
Silence Alarms	-	\checkmark
Reset	-	\checkmark
Evacuate	-	\checkmark

Table 2: Control buttons

4.1 ACCESS INHIBIT KEYSWITCH

An input terminal (TB7) labelled input 6 is positioned on Master Basic Loop Controller MBLC card (refer to Figure 12 for wiring information) which when shorted to 0-volts, via a switch, causes the control panel to enter into access level 2. Only by removal of the 0-volt input to the terminal will the access level be terminated.

5. CONTROLS AND INDICATION

5.1 PANEL DISPLAY

The Vega LT front panel display is divided into four discrete sections containing the control buttons, zone windows, status windows and liquid crystal display (LCD). Refer to Figure 14.



Figure 14: Front Panel Display

5.2 CONTROL BUTTON FUNCTIONS

The control buttons located on the panel front perform a number of operations. Refer to Table 3.

Control Button	Function
Numeric Keys	Allows the user to enter numbers 0 – 9.
Cancel (←)	Allows the user to answer No, quit menu display options or terminate access levels 2 & 3 completely.
Enter (لــ)	Allows the user to answer Yes, enter menu display options, and confirm input for numeric information.
Arrow Keys	Allows the user to scroll through menu display options, active alarm messages and view priority pending alarm messages. Also used during programming of the control panel.
Silence Buzzer	Silences the internal buzzer for any fire or fault alarm condition.
Scroll	Press to display the next alarm message at the current event level.
Delay Override	Overrides any pre-programmed delays and immediately operates the outputs.
Silence Alarms	Press to turn off All sounder circuits
Reset	Press to cancel All fire & fault alarm conditions and reset the system back to normal.
Evacuate	Press to turn on All sounder circuits and evacuate the building.

Table 3: Control Button Functions

5.3 STATUS WINDOW INDICATION

The status windows located on the front of the control panel provide the user with system indications. Refer to Table 4.

Indicator	Colour	Function
Fire	Red	Pulses when the panel detects a new fire condition, continuous when the user
		has silenced the alarms.
Fire Output	Red	Pulses during any fire condition when pre-programmed outputs assigned to Fire
		Alarm Routing equipment operate, continuous when alarms are silenced.
Common Fault	Yellow	Pulses when the panel detects an internal or external fault condition.
Test	Yellow	Pulses when system in test mode. Operates in conjunction with zone indications.
System Fault	Yellow	Constant when main processor card is reset or a system fault has occurred.
Disablement	Yellow	Constant to indicate the user has isolated some part of the system, zone or
		individual input or output device.
Fire Output	Yellow	Pulses to indicate a fault condition on output(s) assigned to Fire Alarm Routing
		equipment.
Power On	Green	On when power supply is present, mains or battery.

Table 4: System Status Indications

5.4 LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY LAYOUT

The liquid crystal display (LCD) provides graphical information to the user and is back lit to provide enhanced viewing under low ambient lighting conditions. The LCD provides 8 lines of 40 characters with information presented to the user in pre-defined locations depending upon the type of alarm, or user prompt. The display is generally divided into five discrete areas. Refer to Figure 15.

Area 1 (line 1 & 2) is reserved for the priority alarm header text and is located in the top left-hand corner of the display. Consisting of a maximum of 12 double height characters, the header text defines the type of active alarm or status condition.

Area 2 (line 1 top right hand corner) is used to display date & time, current access level and low priority system status information.

Area 3 (line 3) is used to display the total number of active alarms, by zone within the indicated priority queue and to indicate to the user that further alarms may be present in lower priority queues.

Area 4 (lines 4,5 & 6) is used to display zone, group or system specific alarm information. For example, during a priority one fire alarm condition, the first zone in a fire condition is displayed on line 4, the second zone line 5 and the fourth or last zone line 6. During a priority four, fault alarm condition line 4 is reserved for system faults, line 5 zone faults and line 6 group faults.

Area 5 (line 7 & 8) is used for additional information relating to alarms shown on lines 4,5 & 6. To view the additional alarm information press enter (\downarrow) button.





6. OPERATION

6.1 STATUS NORMAL

Under normal operation conditions, the green POWER ON light is on. The remaining status and zone window lights are off and the LCD status is as shown below.



Figure 16: Display – Status Normal Condition

6.2 GAINING ACCESS TO LEVEL 2 OR 3

To gain access to level 2 or 3 control buttons or menus from Status Normal condition, press any numeric button. The display will them update as shown in Figure 17.

STATUS	01	10::	24 AM
NORMAL		OCT	2003
Select password then \boldsymbol{u} :			

Figure 17: - Pass Code Request

Enter the four-digit pass code (7179) and press the enter (...) button. A pop up message will appear to confirm that the correct pass code has been accepted or not. Should an incorrect pass code be entered, repeat the procedure. Once the correct pass code is entered the display will then update and the control buttons become active. Access level status will be indicated on the display top right line. Refer to Figure 18.



Figure 18: Pass Code Accepted

If there is no activity of the panel control buttons for a 5-minute period, the Access Level automatically reverts back to normal access level 1.

6.2 FIRE CONDITION

When a fire is detected:

- □ The relevant red zone alarm light flashes
- □ The red ALARM light flashes
- □ The alarm sounder circuits are activated (unless delays are programmed)
- □ An audible buzzer on the panel sounds
- **D** The event printer prints out the full alarm details (when installed)
- □ The display updates providing the user with the alarm header text, total number of alarms, zone number and 24 character zone location text. Refer to Figure 19.



Figure 19: Fire Condition – Zone information

- □ To view additional device information, press enter (,-) button.
- The display updates providing additional device specific information, device loop, zone and address numbers, total number of active devices within the zone, device type and 24 characters of device specific location text. Refer to Figure 20.

FIRE	Access	Level	1
1st 2008 Ground Floor			
Loop 01 dev 004.1 zone 008 Break 9lass Administration	tot Block	001/00)1

Figure 20: Fire Condition – Zone & Device Information

Should additional fire conditions be detected within the **same** zone, then the total fire counter will increase and the event printer prints out the full alarm details (when installed). The total number of active zones counter will remain as one. Refer to Figure 21. The scroll button is used to view the additional device within the zone in alarm.

FIRE	Access	Level	1
1st Z008 Ground Floor			
Loop 01 dev 004.1 zone 008 Break 9lass Administration	tot Block	001/00	2

Figure 21: Multiple Fire Conditions - Same Zone

Should a second zone fire condition be detected,

- □ The relevant red zone alarm light flashes
- □ The red ALARM light flashes
- □ The alarm sounders circuits are activated (unless already active or delays are programmed)
- □ An audible buzzer on the panel sounds
- □ The event printer prints out the full alarm details (when installed)
- The display updates providing the user with the alarm header text, total number of alarms, zone number and 24 character zone location text. Refer to Figure 22.

FIRE Access	s Level 1
Total 002	
1st Z008 Ground Floor	
Lst Z013 Lower Ground & Basement	
Loop 01 dev 004.1 zone 008 to Break 9lass Administration Block	t 001∕002

Figure 22: Multiple Fire Conditions – Different Zones

Note, The highlighted zone location text indicates to the user which zone the device specific information relates to. Using the navigation arrow keys in conjunction with the scroll button, the user can browse through the various alarms present on the display.

6.3 RESETTING THE SYSTEM AFTER A FIRE CONDITION

To silence and reset the system after a genuine fire condition within the building and to switch off the internal audible buzzer:

□ Press the **SILENCE BUZZER** button (the audible buzzer stops, the zone light(s) and **ALARM** light continue flashing. The audible alarm circuits continue to sound unless programmed off)

When the fire condition has been rectified, to reset the system:

- □ Enter access level 2 using the appropriate pass code default 7179.
- □ The display will confirm access has been granted.
- Press the SILENCE ALARMS button (the audible alarms stop). The red zone alarm light(s) and the ALARM light stay on (If another zone alarm condition occurs, the new red zone alarm light and the ALARM lights, the buzzer and audible alarms sound and the original red zone alarm stays on). Note: if a second device within the original zone occurs, then the original zone light will begin to flash again.
- □ When all zone fire conditions have been rectified, press the **RESET** button. Press the cancel (←) button. The panel reverts to access level 1.

Note: It is not possible to reset the panel until the **SILENCE ALARMS** button has been pressed.

If the fire condition still exists, the panel will revert to the alarm condition. To reset the panel it may be necessary to clear smoke or heat from the detectors and to replace the glass in the manual fire call point.

6.4 FAULT CONDITIONS

When a fault occurs on a critical part of the fire alarm system, the panel responds by activating, in pulsed mode, the internal audible buzzer and operating the **COMMON FAULT** light. The LCD display is updated with specific information relating to the fault and the panels fault relay output is de-activated. Faults indicated on the LCD display are categorised as System Faults, Zone Faults and Group Faults. Repairing any particular fault condition will automatically clear the fault from the panel. If the panel is reset when faults are present, the faults will reappear after a short period of time.

6.4.1 System Faults

System status faults generally relate to control circuits and monitoring inputs wired directly inside the control panel. The types of system status faults are:

- Earth faults
- □ Loop faults
- Repeater comms faults
- □ MBLC \ SBLC comms faults
- Power Supply fault
- □ External fault
- Log on fault
- □ Config fault
- Interrupt fault

If a system fault occurs on one of the circuits inside the control panel:

- The yellow **COMMON FAULT** light flashes
- □ An audible buzzer on the panel sounds intermittently
- The event printer prints out the full alarm details (when installed and fully enabled)
- The display updates providing the user with the alarm header text, total number of alarms, system fault indication and total number of system faults present. Refer to Figure 23.

FAULT		Access	Level 1
Total 001			
System fault			tot 001
Operate 🗢 for	faults & 4	for details	3

Figure 23: System Fault

- □ To review additional system fault information, press enter (,) button.
- □ The display updates providing additional system fault specific information. Refer to Figure 24.

FAULT	Access	Level 1
Total 001 System fault		tot 001
BLC 1 Power suPPly flt		001/001

Figure 24: System fault - Power Supply Fault

Should additional system faults be detected, then the total number of faults counter will increase. The total number of active system faults will also increase. To view the new system fault information, press the enter (,-) button followed by the scroll button. Refer to Figure 25.

FAULT	Access	Level 1
Total 002 SVstem fault		tot 002
BLC 1 Loop 01 fault		002/002

Figure 25: System Fault Number 2 – Loop 01 Fault

6.4.2 Zone Fault Conditions

Zone faults generally relate to detection loop input type devices such as smoke detectors, heat detectors, break glass units and the input channel of the input \ output module. These types of devices are programmed during commissioning to geographical zone numbers located within the installation.

If a zone fault occurs, generally as a result of a faulty loop device:

- □ The yellow **COMMON FAULT** light flashes
- □ An audible buzzer on the panel sounds intermittently
- The event printer prints out the full fault alarm details (when installed and fully enabled)
- The display updates providing the user with the alarm header text, total number of alarms within the fault priority queue, zone fault information and total number of zone faults present. Refer to Figure 26.

	s Leve	∋l 1
Total 003 System fault	tot	002
Zone 013 Lower Ground & Basement	tot	001
Operate ♦ for faults & 4 for detail	ls	

Figure 26: Zone Fault Condition

Note: Figure 26 shows an example of multiple faults – Total number of priority 4 fault conditions is 3, 2 x system faults and 1 x zone fault.

- □ To review additional zone fault information, press enter (,-) button.
- The display updates providing additional zone fault specific information. Refer to Figure 27.

FAULT	Access	Leve	1 3	1
Total 003 System fault Zone 013 Lower Ground & Basem	ient	tot tot	00; 00;	2 1
Loop 01 dev 067.1 zone 013 Break 91ass Car Park Area	tot	001/	:00 :00	1 2



6.4.3 Group Fault Conditions

Group faults relate to detection loop output modules such as sounder circuit controllers, loop powered sounders and the output channel of the input \ output modules. These types of devices are assigned during commissioning to output group numbers, which are then programmed into cause & effect strategies. Output groups then operate during a zone priority 1 fire condition ringing sounders, bells and operating shutdown etc.

Note: Input devices (Smokes, Break Glass, Input modules) are assigned to Zones while output devices (Sounder modules, Output modules & Loop sounders) are assigned to output groups.

If a group fault occurs, generally as a result of a faulty loop device:

- The yellow **COMMON FAULT** light flashes
- □ An audible buzzer on the panel sounds intermittently
- The event printer prints out the full fault alarm details (when installed and fully enabled)
- The display updates providing the user with the alarm header text, total number of alarms within the fault priority queue, group fault information and total number of group faults present. Refer to Figure 28.

	Leve	∋l 1
Total 004		
System fault Zone 013 Lower Ground & Basement	tot tot	002
Grp 003 Sounders Ground Floor	tot	001
Operate ♦ for faults & ↓ for details	s	

Figure 28: Group Fault Condition

- □ To review additional zone fault information, press enter (↓) button.
- □ The display updates providing additional group fault specific information. Refer to Figure 29.

FAIIT Access	Leve	el	1
Total 004			
System fault	tot	00	2
Zone 013 Lower Ground & Basement	tot	00	1
Grp 003 Sounders Ground Floor	tot	00	1
Loop 01 dev 093.1 Grp 003 tot	001/	′00	1
Sounder cct East Corridor		0	2

Figure 29: Group Fault Condition - Group & device Information

7. PRIORITY ALARM STRUCTURE

The Vega control panel has 10 priority alarm queues which will determine how the panel will respond to an alarm condition. The default settings for loop detectors and panel associated fault conditions are set accordingly:

Fire condition	Priority 1
Pre-alarm condition	Priority 3
Fault condition	Priority 4

Using the priority structure in conjunction with the header text, systems can be customised to enable alarms of a more critical nature to override those of lesser importance. The header text is used to differentiate the type of alarm on the display while the priority queue number will determine what parameters are available to be used. Refer to Table 5.

Priority	Header	Alarm Ha	andling	Indication			Indication			
Level	Text	Latching	Non	LCD	Status	Zone or	Buzzer	Printer	Control	
		_	Latching	Display	LED	Plant				
0	Evacuate	Yes	No	Yes	Alarm	Zone	On	Yes	Program	
1	Fire	Yes	No	Yes	Alarm	Zone	On	Yes	Program	
2	Alert	Optional	Optional	Yes	None	Zone	On	Yes	Program	
3	Pre-alarm	No	Yes	Yes	Pre-alarm	Zone	Pulsed	Yes	No	
4	Fault	No	Yes	Yes	Fault	Zone	Pulsed	Yes	No	
5	Unassigned	Optional	Optional	Yes	None	Z or P	Pulsed	Yes	Program	
6	Unassigned	Optional	Optional	Yes	None	Z or P	Pulsed	Yes	Program	
7	N/A	No	Yes	No	None	Plant	No	Yes	Program	
8	N/A	No	Yes	No	None	Plant	No	No	Program	
9	N/A	No	Yes	No	None	Plant	No	No	Program	

Table 5: Priority Alarm Structure

8. FIRE & PLANT ZONE INDICATIONS

The control panel has the facility to display a maximum of 16 Fire zone alarms using both the LCD display and the 16 LED zone indications. A further 104 zones can be configured which are indicated on LCD display only therefore providing a maximum of 120 fire zones.

Plant zones can be described as non-fire related zones and although there are no LED indications available plant zones can still be configured for use within the control panel. Each individual input device can be assigned to a fire zone or plant zone.

9. MENU STRUCTURE

9.1 MAIN MENU

Access to the top-level menu structure can be performed at Access Level 2 or greater. This can be achieved during an alarm condition or from the Status Normal condition by entering the appropriate pass code followed by the operation of a numeric button 0 to 9. Refer to Figure 30.

Access Level 3	Main Menu
Isolate (de) List Set Test	
Select oPtion use 🕈 🕂 🍇	↓ or ← to exit

Figure 30: Display – Level 3 Main Menu

9.2 ISOLATE \ DE-ISOLATE MENU

The isolate menu list Table 6 provides the user dependent upon Access level with the following options.

ISOLATE – Menu Functions								
Sub-Menu 1	Sub- Menu 2	Access	Access	Function				
		Level 2	Level 3					
Zones		✓	√	Enter fire zone number to be isolated and confirm isolation using enter (,-) button from list of zones presented. To de- isolate, select isolated (flashing) zone from list and press enter (,-) button to de-isolate.				
Loop devices	Single device	✓	✓	Enter loop & device parameters and confirm isolation using enter (,J) button from the list of devices presented. To de- isolate, select isolated (flashing) device from the list and confirm de-isolation using enter (,J) button.				
	Isolate range	\checkmark	\checkmark	Enter range of device parameters and confirm isolation using enter (,-) button.				
	De-Isolate range	✓	~	Enter range of device parameters and confirm de-isolation using enter (,-) button.				
Output groups	Single groups	√	√	Enter output group number and confirm isolation using enter (\downarrow) button from the list of output groups presented. To de- isolate the output group, select isolated (flashing) group from the list and confirm de-isolation using enter (\downarrow) button.				
	Isolate Range			Enter range of output group numbers and confirm isolation using enter (\downarrow) button.				
	De-Isolate Range	√	 ✓ 	Enter range of device numbers and confirm de-isolation using enter (,-) button.				
Panel functions	BLC outputs	√	 ✓ 	Select from the list the MBLC output to be isolated and confirm isolation using enter (⊣) button. To de-isolate, select (flashing) output to be de-isolated and press enter (⊣) button.				
	Motherboard	-	-	N\A				
Plant		✓	✓	Enter plant zone number to be isolated and confirm isolation using enter (,-) button from list of zones presented. To de- isolate, select isolated (flashing) zone from list and press enter (,-) button to de-isolate.				
Local Buzzer		-	\checkmark					

Table 6: Isolation \ De-isolation Menu

9.3 LIST MENU

The List menu Table 7 provides the user dependent upon Access level with the following options. When the event printer is installed within the control panel, the user will also have the option to view or print the requested listing.

LIST – Menu Functions							
Sub-Menu 1	Sub- Menu 2	Access	Access	Function			
		Level 2	Level 3				
Zones	All Zones	✓	✓	View text message allocated to each fire zone.			
	Zone Information	✓	✓	View fire zone parameters (T1, T2, BGU override & double knock) and devices assigned to the zone.			
Loop devices	Single loop	✓	~	View all devices connected to the specified loop. Provides device type, text message & zone allocation.			
	Device range	~	~	View range of devices attached to specified loop. Provides device type, text message & zone allocation.			
	Forward scan	-	✓	View devices in one direction only. Used to identify break or			
	Reverse scan	-	✓	open circuit on loop detection cable.			
	Analogue values	-	~	View additional analogue threshold values, current & fire levels for each individual device attached to specified loop.			
	Single device value	-	~	View a specified device information including type, text message & threshold values.			
	Loop current	-	✓	Determine the amount of current used by the detection loop.			
	Loop integrity	-	~	View the number of scans against errors reported by the detection loop since the last panel reset.			
Output groups	All groups	~	~	View text message allocated to specified range of output groups.			
	Group information	~	~	View output group parameters (T3, T4, Evacuate, silence & activation control) and devices assigned to the group.			
Panel functions	BLC outputs	✓	~	View MBLC Sounder & Relay output location text messages.			
	Motherboard	-	-	N\A			
Plant	All plants	✓	✓	View text message assigned to the plant zones (when installed).			
	Plant information	✓	✓	View devices assigned to plant zones (when installed).			
Isolations	Zones	✓	✓	View complete isolated fire zones.			
	Loop devices	✓	✓	View single devices that are currently isolated.			
	Output groups	✓	✓	View isolated output groups.			
	Panel functions	✓	✓	View isolated MBLC sounder and or relay outputs.			
	Plant	✓	✓	View isolated plant zones.			
Event log	All events	✓	✓	View all events occurring on the panel in date \ time order.			
	Range (date)	-	✓	View events for the specified date.			
	Priority event	-	\checkmark	View events by priority (1 = Fire events)			
Engineer info	Panel setup	-	\checkmark	Review the setup configuration for the control panel.			
	Activations	-	~	Review the cause & effect strategy for a specified Fire zone, Device, plant Zone or Output group.			
	Fault codes	-	✓	View the list of engineers fault codes.			
	Logon faults	-	•	View new devices that have not currently been accepted onto the system. Adding or removing devices from the detection loop will produce a logon fault.			
	Config faults	-	~	Download configuration device faults. Devices that do not match the VIPER upload download site file.			
	Loop quantity	-	✓	View the total number of devices present on each detection loop.			
	Database	-	\checkmark	Not applicable			
	Check EOC indexs	-	✓	Not applicable			

Table 7: List Menu

9.4 SET MENU

The Set menu Table 8 provides the user dependent upon Access level with the following options.

SET – Menu Functions							
Sub-Menu 1	Sub- Menu 2	Access	Access	Function			
		Level 2	Level 3				
Time & Date		\checkmark	\checkmark	Enter revised Time, select AM or PM, 12 hr or 24 hr format			
				and enter Day/Month/Year and press enter (\downarrow) button to			
Drinter Status	Drinter trae			Confirms the type of printer currently installed. Standard Det			
Printer Status	Printer type	v	v	Matrix or Thermal type. Note: Vega LT uses Thermal only.			
	Printer status	\checkmark	\checkmark	Confirms the current status of the printer – enabled or			
				disabled.			
	Select type	\checkmark	\checkmark	Select type of printer installed – Standard or Thermal and			
	Soloot status	1		press enter (→) button to confirm selection.			
	Select status	·	· ·	Disable and press enter (\downarrow) button to confirm. Note: When			
				the printer is installed correctly and disabled status is set,			
				the printer will automatically print priority 0 & 1 events.			
Activate day	Day mode status	\checkmark	\checkmark	Confirms the current day mode status – active or inactive.			
mode							
	Select status	\checkmark	\checkmark	Controls the operation for day mode – Select Activate or			
				Deactivate and press enter (,,) button to confirm.			
Standard features		-	V	- Refer to Programming section of this manual.			
Custom features		-	V				
Clear memory	Zone info	-	✓	To clear Fire Zone info - press enter $(-)$ button to confirm.			
	Plant info	-	✓	To clear Plant Zone info $-$ press enter (\rightarrow) button to confirm.			
	Group info	-	✓	To clear Output Group info - press enter (↩) button to confirm.			
	Device info	-	\checkmark	To clear loop device info $\ -$ press enter (\dashv) button to confirm.			
	BLC outputs	-	\checkmark	To clear MBLC info $\ -$ press enter (,-) button to confirm.			
	Activations	-	\checkmark	To clear Activations info $\ -$ press enter (,-) button to confirm.			
	Motherboard info	-	\checkmark	N/A			
User passwords	Change level 2	-	\checkmark	Enter new level 2 pass code ####, Re-enter new level 2			
•				code #### and press enter (니) button to confirm.			
	Change level 3	-	~	Enter new level 3 new pass code ####, Re-enter new level			
	Accont logon		<u>√</u>	An option is provided to view new devices added or			
Loop comig		-	•	removed from the specified detection loop. Select 'Yes' and			
	count			press enter (⊣) button to confirm devices accepted.			
	Accept config	-	\checkmark	Download configuration device faults. Devices that do not			
	count			match the VIPER upload download site file are flagged as a			
	Autoloarn			Finally raun and are listed.			
	Autolean	-	•	specified loop number.			

Table 8: Set Menu

9.5 TEST MENU

The Test menu Table 9 provides the user dependent upon Access level with the following options.

Sub-Menu 1	Access Level 2	Access Level 3	Function
Panel Test	~	\checkmark	Press enter (-J) button to initiate a panel LED, LCD display & Buzzer test and MCP software version installed.
Device Test	-	~	Enter the device parameters to be tested and press enter (\downarrow) button to confirm. Automatic detectors pulse the base alarm LED during the test.
Output group test	-	✓	Enter the output group number to be operated and press enter () button. <u>WARNING</u> , ensure that output groups programmed to operate release units are isolated locally. Press silence alarms button to de-activate the output group and reset to select a new group to be tested or cancel to return to menus.
Alarm simulation	-	\checkmark	Enter the device parameters to be tested and press enter (-) button. <u>WARNING</u> . Output Groups will operate, ensure that groups programmed to operate release units are isolated locally. Press silence buzzer, silence alarms & reset buttons to return to status normal.
Key test	-	~	Press enter (\downarrow) button to initiate test and operate fascia key buttons as required. To exit test option, press the cancel (\leftarrow) button.
Test mode	-	~	Select activate & press enter (\downarrow) button. Enter zone number to be tested & press enter (\downarrow) button. To guit zone test mode, select de-activate & press enter (\downarrow) button.

Table 9: Test Menu

10. COMMISSIONING

The total system should be tested in accordance with the commissioning requirements of the relevant standards or national codes. Commissioning is to be carried out only after successfully completing the installation of the systems as per the installation instructions.

10.1 SYSTEM CHECKS

Check that the system has been installed to the project requirements as defined by the "As Fitted Drawings" and if appropriate, instruct the installer to carry out changes to the system. Using a multimeter, check to ensure that the mains supply is NOT present and take the precautionary steps to avoid accidental application of the supply.

10.2 INITIAL POWER UP

Disconnect any cables connected to terminals located within the control panel such as loop, sounder and auxiliary circuits. Ensure that all external wiring is clearly identified and using a multimeter, check that the cables are free from fault conditions such as earth, short-circuit and open circuits.

Connect insulated wire links to the loop terminals, +ve to +ve and –ve to –ve and fit end-of-line 10K resistors to all sounder output terminals.

Before powering up the panel, carry out these preliminary checks:

- Check for any visible signs of damage that may have been caused during the installation.
- □ Verify that all installation instructions have been adhered to.
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- Check all ribbon cables are secured and correctly connected.
- Check all temporary cable terminations are secured.
- □ All damage and/or faults must be rectified before proceeding.

CAUTION:

<u>Always apply mains power first. Do not power up using battery first as this may damage critical</u> <u>components.</u>

Apply the mains supply from the remote source. Using a multimeter check that the supply is present at the onboard mains terminals (110 or 230 Vac) and check that the panel performs the following:

- 1. The **POWER ON** status light comes on.
- 2. The SYSTEM FAULT status light comes on.
- 3. The internal buzzer operates in a constant mode.
- 4. The LCD display updates and confirms operation of system diagnostics and verification routines in progress.
- 5. The fault relay de-energises.

After a short period of time the panel performs the following:

- 1. The COMMON FAULT status light flashes.
- 2. The PSU FAULT status light flashes.
- 3. The display updates and confirms a FAULT 'BLC 1 power supply flt' is present.

The SYSTEM FAULT status light can be reset by the operation of SW2 marked RESET located within the control panel on the MCP card, part number 44782-K071. The internal buzzer can be silenced by operation of the SILENCE BUZZER button located on the front of the panel.

Connect the batteries to the power supply unit as detailed in the previous section and check that the panel reverts to normal condition and the **POWER ON** status light is on and the display reads **STATUS NORMAL**.

Note: the panel display may indicate a **SYSTEM FAULT** - '**BLC 1 Loop 01 logon fit**' condition as devices that were previously logged onto the panel during its last power up are no longer attached. The fault can be cleared using the 'accept logon count' menu option located at **Set** \rightarrow **Loop config** \rightarrow **Accept logon count**. (Refer to Table 8) Select 'Yes' to accept revised logon count. This will remove the previous devices logged onto the panel from its memory. No other faults should be present at this stage and if faults exist they will require clearing before continuing.

10.3 POWERING DOWN

To switch the control panel off always disconnect the batteries first followed by the mains ac supply.

10.4 CONNECTING THE DETECTION LOOP

With the control panel switched off to prevent accidental damage. Use an Ohmmeter to re-check the external detection loop wiring to the control panel.

- Check for continuity of the feed and return of the +ve and -ve legs of each detection loop.
- □ Check that the +ve and -ve legs of each loop has a reading greater than 20M ohm with respect to the panel earth stud.

Remove the wire links from the loop 1 terminals on the terminal board and insert the loop connections observing the polarity (+ and -).

Power up the control panel (refer 10.2) remembering to apply the mains ac supply first.

The system will perform a number of calibration diagnostic routines, which can be viewed on the display. Each detector address is checked to determine the device type. If more than one device is located at the same address, or the type code is invalid a fault will be indicated on the display after the logging on process has finished. Do not press any panel buttons during the logging on process. Upon completion check the following:

- □ The panel will indicate a **SYSTEM FAULT** '**BLC 1 Loop 01 logon fit**' due to the newly added device(s). Clear the fault using the 'accept logon count' menu option located at **Set**→**Loop config**→**Accept logon count**. (Refer to Table 8) Select 'Yes' to accept revised logon count.
- Check that the panel reverts to normal condition and the **POWER ON** status light is on and the display reads **STATUS NORMAL**.
- □ Check no other faults are present at this stage and if faults exist on the detection loop they will require clearing before continuing.
- Check that all devices attached to the detection loop are being monitored by the control panel. Use the list loop device menu option to view the device attached. (Refer to Table 7)
- Check the loop listings against installation drawings or programming sheets etc.

Repeat the above procedure for further detection loops to be connected to the control panel.

10.5 ADDING OR REMOVING LOOP DEVICES

Detection loop devices can be added or removed from the control panels memory using one of the following procedures. The procedure used depends mainly upon the criteria for the work involved when adding or removing the device(s) from the system.

Note: The detector manufacturers recommend that devices should be powered up for a minimum of 5 minutes to enable optimum operational temperatures to be reached and calibration routines completed before the control panel takes the returned data as valid information.

10.5.1 Power Down

Where the installation loop cabling has to be broken or disconnected at the device base, and to reduce noise induced within the signalling loop cable, which may cause unwanted false alarms, the preferred method is to power down the control panel using the following procedure:

- Dever down the control panel before work commences remember batteries first followed by mains.
- □ Make the modifications to the detection loop cabling as required.
- □ Fit or remove any new devices and bases.
- □ Power up the control panel mains first.
- □ Wait until the panel has re-calibrated the loop count.
- Accept the revised logon count as described in the previous section. (Refer to Table 8)

This procedure is also recommended when adding or removing break glass call points or interface modules to the detection loop.

10.5.2 Processor Restart

Where detector bases have been installed without the detector head and the detection loop wiring integrity is maintained, a processor restart can be applied to add or remove devices from the system. This procedure negates the requirement to power down the control panel and can also be used when changing device types. The control panel will display appropriate fault conditions as the devices are added or removed from the detection loop wiring. To apply a processor restart the internal buttons MUST be operated in the following order.

- □ Fit, remove or change the device(s) located in the detector base(s).
- Press the processor restart button (SW1) located on the MBLC card, part number 44782-K073.
- Press the processor restart button (SW1) followed by the processor Reset button (SW2) located on the MCP card, part number 44782-K071.
- □ Wait until the panel has re-calibrated the loop count.
- Accept the revised logon count as described in the previous section. (Refer to Table 8)

Note: A processor restart will request all detection loops to begin logging the attached detectors.

10.5.3 Auto Learn

The auto learn facility is available through the **Set** menu structure (Refer Table 8) and saves considerable time when installing a system as it allows the user to specify the loop to be logged. It is recommended that the auto learn option is only used where detector bases are pre-installed without the detector head and the detection loop wiring integrity is maintained.

- Fit, remove or change the device(s) located in the detector base(s).
- □ Select the Auto Learn menu option **Set** \rightarrow **Loop config** \rightarrow **Autolearn**. (Refer to Table 8)
- □ Enter the loop to be re-learned.
- □ Wait until the panel has re-calibrated the loop count.
- Accept the revised logon count as described in the previous section. (Refer to Table 8)

10.6 CONNECTING SOUNDER CIRCUITS

With the control panel switched off to prevent accidental damage. Use an Ohmmeter to re-check the external sounder circuit wiring to the control panel.

- Transfer the end-of line resistor to the last device on each sounder circuit output.
- □ From within the panel, check that all sounder circuits have a 10K resistance between the cable pairs and that each cable has a reading greater than 20M ohm with respect to the panel earth stud.

Connect the sounder circuit cable to the sounder circuit terminals and power up the control panel.

For each sounder circuit carry out the following procedures:

- Ensure that no sounder outputs are energised. Apply a short-circuit condition to one of the sounder circuits and ensure that the COMMON FAULT and the SOUNDER FAULT status light comes on, a SYSTEM FAULT is indicated on the LCD display and the internal buzzer operates pulsed.
- □ Clear the fault condition and check that the panel reverts to the normal operating condition i.e. the **POWER ON** status light is on and the display reads **STATUS NORMAL.**
- Apply an open circuit condition to a sounder circuit and ensure that the COMMON FAULT and the SOUNDER FAULT status light comes on, a SYSTEM FAULT is indicated on the LCD display and the internal buzzer operates pulsed. Clear the fault condition and check that the panel reverts to normal operation.

To check the operation of the sounder circuits enter the password and press the manual **EVACUATE** button located on the panel Front Panel Display. The audibility level of the sounders should be checked to ensure that they conform to relevant standard or national codes and to the customer's satisfaction. Check that **ALL** sounder devices are operating correctly. Press **SILENCE BUZZER**, **SILENCE ALARM** and **RESET** buttons to return the system to **STATUS NORMAL**.

The system should now be clear of fault conditions and ready to configure site-specific zone & device text messages and cause & effect strategy programming to complete the installation.

11. PROGRAMMING STANDARD & CUSTOM FEATURES

Site specific information can be configured on the control panel using two methods, directly through the panel menu options using the key buttons or using a computer running the upload download software application, VIPER. Information within the control panel is stored in a number of modules, which have been designed to help programming of the panel.

Unless stated, the module descriptions located within the control panel menu structure are identical to the VIPER application and contain the same configurable options and setting parameters.

The top-level menu options, available in both the panel and VIPER are STANDARD FEATURES and CUSTOM FEATURES.

11.1 PANEL SET-UP

Panel Set-up options define the way in which the panel is configured, such as the number of loops, zones and hardware settings. The options are generally presented as a series of questions with a list of answers to select. On VIPER a 'site file' is created containing all the relevant panel settings, messages and cause / effect strategy which is then down loaded to the control panel during the commissioning stage.

- \Box Using the panel menu, panel setup is located at Set \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Panel setup.
- □ Using the VIPER software, panel set-up is located at Edit \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Panel setup.

The following Table 10 details the options available:

STANDARD FEATURES – PANEL SETUP						
Option	Function					
Company message	Allows a 2 x 24-character company name or text message to be shown on the LCD display during STATUS NORMAL conditions and replaces the default Kidde logo.					
Install logo	Set to 'Yes' to view the Kidde logo during STATUS NORMAL conditions. Set to 'No' to view the 2 x 24 character text message.					
Date program last changed	IST This option is automatically updated by the control panel or VIPER and indicates when the programming was last altered.					
Loop quantity	Determines the number of loop cards installed in the panel and is automatically updated during power up by the control panel. In VIPER this option is manually adjusted to define the number of loops required by the site file.					
Protocol	Defines the type of detection protocol to be used, Apollo or Hochiki ESP. The control panel MCP card automatically identifies the BLC card loop software protocol and updates the setting during power up. On VIPER this option is manually adjusted to enable the correct device library (Apollo or ESP) to be loaded.					
Install printer	Set to 'Yes' to install the main panel event printer.					
Fire zones	Defines the number of fire zones used within the panel menu structure and the number of LED display cards installed within the panel enclosure. Range available – 24 (default), 56, 88 and 120. Note: zone indications on the Vega LT are fixed at 16.					
Plant zones	Set to 'Yes' to install the 64-non fire related plant zones, allows access to the panel menu structure for plant zones. Note: on Vega LT it is not possible to install the optional 64 yellow zone LED indication card.					
Install repeater	Set to 'Yes' when installing the repeater output driver card, part number 44782-K076.					
Day mode stop Determines the automatic stop time during day mode operation. The user manually enables operation, the pre-programmed detection is then adjusted automatically. Day mode operation will a revert to normal operation at the pre-defined time.						
Pre silence delay	Inhibits the operation of the silence alarms button during an alarm condition for the pre-defined time period. A message 'Silence inhibited for xx seconds' appears while the timer counts down. This is a panel only selectable option and is not available from VIPER.					
Recal time	Automatic device calibration and panel system checks are performed at the pre-defined time. A fault condition is indicated when devices fall outside normal operating thresholds or a system check fails.					
LCD backlight on	Set to 'Yes' to permanently switch on the LCD back light display. This is a panel only selectable option and is not available from VIPER.					
Active repeater	Defines the number of active repeaters to be attached to the main control panel. Each active type repeater panel has a unique address, which is polled by the main panel.					
Repeater printer	Set to 'Yes' if one or more repeater panels have event printers fitted to enable additional commands specific to printers to be transmitted.					
Auto. Alarm text Set to 'Yes' to automatically display the device specific information during a fire condition. The required to press the enter button (,) to view the bottom two lines of information on the display.						
Latching faults	Faults displayed on the control panel are generally all non-latching. After the fault condition is corrected, the system will revert back to Status Normal. Set to 'Yes' to make all faults latching.					
Serial port 1	Used to interface the control panel with third party equipment such as Pager, BMS systems or with the Kidde networks, VegaNET or CZN. This option depends upon the software version installed within the MCP card, which provides the interface to Data Output, VegaNET, & CZN System. Refer VegaNET & CZN manual for further details.					

MBLC input 7	 This input can be programmed to perform one of the following functions:- Remote alarm (default) – operates output groups that are programmed to respond to manual evacuate. Day Mode – initiates day mode without using panel menu structure. Isolate Group Range – isolates specified output groups. This is a panel only selectable option and is not available from VIPER.
MBLC input 8	 This input can be programmed to perform one of the following functions:- Day Mode (default) – initiates day mode without using panel menu structure. Remote alarm – operates output groups that are programmed to respond to manual evacuate. Isolate Group Range – isolates specified output groups. This is a panel only selectable option and is not available from VIPER.
Mb-01 to Mb-16	Not available on Vega LT

Table 10: Standard Features – Panel Set-up

11.2 ZONE FIRE INFORMATION

The system can be divided into 16 zones with each zone containing one or more loop devices. The zone information options allow the user to define the zone specific parameters and are available from the following locations:

- □ Using the panel menu, **zone fire info** is located at **Set** \rightarrow **Standard features** \rightarrow **Zone fire info** followed by the required zone number.
- □ Using the VIPER software, Zone Information is located at Edit \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Zone information.

The following Table 11 details the options available:

STANDARD FEATURES – ZONE INFORMATION						
Option	Function					
Text message	Zone text, a 24-character text message, used to describe the location of the zone within the installation or building.					
T1	A delay timer attributed to each individual zone which can be set to a maximum of 60 seconds. During an					
Acknowledge delay	alarm condition, the integral buzzer will sound, the panel will indicate the location of the alarm condition and a timer located to the right of the zone LCD display text will begin counting down. If the alarm is not acknowledged by pressing the 'Silence Buzzer' button on the control panel within the time period a full alarm will be generated and output groups will operate. Pressing 'Silence Buzzer' will initiate the T2 investigation timer.					
T2	A second delay timer attributed to each individual zone which can be set to a maximum of 600 seconds. The					
Investigation delay	the operation timer will begin counting down upon operation of the 'Silence Buzzer' providing a further delay to the operation of output groups. The integral buzzer will remain silent and the panel LCD display will indicate the alarm condition with the T2 timer counting down.					
BGU Override	Applicable to each individual zone. Break Glass devices generally override any T1 & T2 settings to enable a					
	full alarm to be generated and output groups to operate. Set to 'No' to allow break glass devices to utilise the T1 & T2 settings therefore delaying the operation of output groups.					
Double knock override	Applicable to each individual zone. Set to 'Yes' to enable any two devices within the same zone to automatically override T1& T2 settings during a fire condition.					

Table 11: Standard Features – Zone Information

11.3 LOOP DEVICE INFORMATION

The loop device information options allow the user to define the specific loop device parameters. There are two main categories of loop devices, input devices and output devices.

Input devices such as Ionisation, Optical, Heat, Flame Detector, Beam Detector, Break Glass Units and the Input channel of the Input Output module are generally assigned to fire ZONES. Plant zones can also be used to indicate non fire related events.

Output devices such as Loop Sounder, Sounder Circuit Controller Relay Units and the Output channel of the Input Output modules are assigned to OUTPUT GROUPS.

Loop Device Information can be programmed from the following locations:

- □ Using the panel menu, Loop device info is located at Set \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Loop device info \rightarrow followed by the required loop and device number.
- □ Using the VIPER software, Loop Device Information is located at Edit →Standard features → Loop Device information.

Note: not all parameters apply to each type of input or output type device.

The following Table 12 details the options available:

STANDARD FEATURES – LOOP DEVICE INFORMATION							
Option	Function						
Device type	Determines the type of device logged onto the panel for the specified loop address. Using VIPER this can be altered when changing the device type on the loop.						
Text message	Device text, a 24-character text message, used to describe a precise location for the device within the allocated zone number. Note: Zone & Device text messages together describe the location of the event within the installation or building.						
Zone number	Assigns the input type devices to the appropriate zone number, in the range 1 to 120. The Vega LT has 16 LED indications on the panel fascia. Each zone may contain one or more devices. Devices default to zone 000.						
Normal sensitivity	During Status Normal the individual detector's (smoke or heat) alarm sensitivity levels can be altered for pre- alarm and alarm conditions. The options for selection depend upon type of device installed. Apollo XP95 options are						
	 Standard - Pre-alarm level = 45 & Alarm level = 55 Low - Pre-alarm level = 55 & Alarm level = 65 						
	□ High - Pre-alarm level = 35 & Alarm level = 45						
	Apollo Discovery has 5 mode settings. Refer detector user guides.						
	Hochiki ESP Smoke detectors are automatically compensated by the control panel and are calibrated daily.						
	□ Standard - Pre-alarm level = 85% of alarm level & Alarm level = 160 to 241.						
	Low - Pre-alarm level = 85% of alarm level & Alarm level = $\pm 20\%$ of standard fire level. High _ Pre-alarm level = 85% of alarm level & Alarm level = $\pm 20\%$ of standard fire level						
	Hochiki FSP Heat detectors are						
	□ Standard - Pre-alarm level = 85% of alarm level & Alarm level = 160						
	Low - Pre-alarm level = 85% of alarm level & Alarm level = 192						
	High - Pre-alarm level = 85% of alarm level & Alarm level = 152						
Day mode	During Day Mode operation alarm sensitivity levels are automatically adjusted to the pre-programmed settings						
sensitivity	and apply to most input type devices. The options for selection depend upon type of device installed.						
	Standard - Pre-alarm level = 45 Alarm level = 55 & Isolate device						
	□ Low - Pre-alarm level = 55, Alarm level = 65 & Isolate device.						
	☐ High - Pre-alarm level = 35, Alarm level = 45 & Isolate device.						
	Apollo Discovery has 5 mode settings & Isolate device. Refer detector user guides for mode settings.						
	Hochiki ESP options are						
	□ Low - Pre-alarm level = 85% of alarm level & Alarm level = + 20 % of standard fire level & Isolate						
	□ High - Pre-alarm level = 85% of alarm level & Alarm level = - 20% of standard fire level & Isolate.						
	Note: the panel will not allow the pre-alarm sensitivity to be higher than the fire alarm						
Group number	Assign output type devices or modules to the appropriate output group number. Range 1 to 500. Note: Output Groups 501 to 512 are reserved for special functions and should not be used for general cause \ effect programming. Each output group may contain one or more devices or modules. Devices default to group 000						
Priority level	Determines the alarm condition priority level Fire detection smoke BGU & heat devices should remain						
T Honty level	unaltered at default setting 1 unless specific installation requirements are necessary. Input modules can be						
	assigned to lower priority revers tor signaling plant more along etc as required.						
Latching alarm	reset the system after an alarm condition has occurred. Non-latching alarms apply to input modules and BGU						
Dragram hy	type devices and will automatically return to status normal after the alarm device returns to normal condition.						
Program by	zone to output group programming. Where special cause / effect strategies are required single device to						
	output programming can be achieved by setting this option. The device remains linked to the associated zone						
	number as geographical within the building this is where it is located and will operate the panel displays						
	accordingly, however, within the panel programming it is treated by exception and will operate its own output						
Custom text	Default text describing the individual detector or interface type can be altered to 1 of 50 pre-programmed (12						
	character max) custom text messages. Custom type messages are entered from the custom features menu.						
	Example, default text - 'Input dev' can be changed to read 'Shop Unit'						
Flash LED	Set to 'No' to turn off flashing base LED indication on Apollo Discovery and Hochiki multi-sensor detectors only.						
BGU flag	Set to 'Yes' to turn on the priority interrupt flag setting (Apollo only) on certain interface modules. Default						
	setting for Break Glass Units. The option can only be configured at the control panel.						

Table 12: Standard Features – Loop Device Information

11.4 PANEL FUNCTIONS (STANDARD OR BLC OUTPUTS)

The panel functions option defines parameters for the basic loop controller BLC sounder and relay outputs.

Panel functions can be programmed from the following locations:

- □ Using the panel menu, **BLC outputs** is located at **Set** → **Standard features** → **BLC Outputs** → followed by the required output to be programmed.
- □ Using the VIPER software, Panel Functions (Std Outputs) is located at Edit → Standard features → Panel functions (STD outputs)

The following Table 13 details the options available:

STANDARD FEATURES – PANEL FUNCTIONS					
Option	Function				
Location \ type	Describes the type of BLC monitored circuit or relay output located within the control panel.				
Custom type	Default text describing the individual output type and can be changed to 1 of 50 pre-programmed (12 character max) custom text messages. Custom type messages are entered from the custom features menu.				
Text message	A 24-character text message can be entered to describe the use of the individual output circuit. Example MBLC01 Scct1 = Sounders Ground Floor, MBLC01 VFCO1 = Fire Brigade Link				
Group Number	Default set at CMN (common alarm) operating on any fire condition. To configure as programmable, set BLC output circuits and relay contacts to an output group number. Range 1 to 500. Note: Output Groups 501 to 512 are reserved for special functions and should not be used for general cause \ effect programming. Each output group may contain one or more devices or modules. Devices default to group 000.				
Manual Sound	Associated to the common alarm operation. Set to 'Yes' to allow the output circuit to operate when the control panels 'Evacuate' button is pressed.				
Clear	Associated to the common alarm operation. Determines whether the output will switch off when the panels 'Silence Alarm' button or 'Reset' button is pressed.				

Table 13: Standard Features – Panel Functions

11.5 OUTPUT GROUP INFORMATION

The output group information option defines parameters for the software programmable output groups. There are 512 programmable output groups available to create a site-specific cause / effect evacuation strategy. Output Groups 501 to 512 are reserved for special functions and should not be used for standard programming.

Panel functions can be programmed from the following locations:

- □ Using the panel menu, **Output group info** is located at **Set** \rightarrow **Standard features** \rightarrow **Output group info** \rightarrow followed by the required output group number to be programmed.
- □ Using the VIPER software, Output Group Information is located at Edit \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Output Group Information.

The following Table 14 details the options available:

STANDARD FEATURES – OUTPUT GROUP INFORMATION						
Option	Function					
Text message	A 24-character text message should be entered to describe the location within the building for the output sounders & modules that are associated to the individual output group. Example Group 1 = Sounders Ground Floor, Group 2 = Sounders Second Floor, etc					
Group action	Output groups can be assigned to one of the following command actions, Programmable (Program), Common, Silence or Reset.					
	Set to 'Common' to operate outputs associated to the group during any fire condition raised on the control panel.					
	Set to 'Reset' operates output(s) associated to output group for approximate time delay period specified in T3 after operation of panel 'Reset' button by the user.					
	Set to 'Silence' operates output(s) associated to output group for approximate time delay period specified in T3 after operation of panel 'Silence Alarm' button by the user.					
Manual sound	Set to 'Yes' to allow the output group to operate when the control panels 'Evacuate' button is pressed.					
Clear	Determines whether the output group will switch off its associated output modules when the panels 'Silence Alarm' button or 'Reset' button is pressed.					
Т3	Determines the Delay time period to the operation of output modules associated to the output group. Each					
Delay	individual group has a delay time available from 000 to 600 seconds.					
T4 Alert delay	Determines the Alert delay time period where sounders and output modules will provide a pulsing output condition for the specified time period before switching to constant alarm condition. Each individual group has an alert timer available from 00 to 60 minutes or select INF for infinite continuous pulsing until the system is silenced or reset.					

BGU Override T3	Set to 'Yes' to enable activation of a break glass unit to override any T3 timer.
BGU Override T4	Set to 'Yes' to enable activation of a break glass unit to override any T4 timer.

Table 14: Standard Features – Output Group Information

11.5.1 Fire Output

Output Group 512 is reserved for signalling to Fire Output routing equipment. The Fire Output display light turns on during any fire condition when one or more output type device, loop or panel derived has been assigned to output group 512. The Fire Output turns off when the panel is Reset. The output does not operate if the class change input is activated.

11.5.2 **Isolate Output Group**

Output Group 511 is reserved for signalling the panel isolate status condition to a remote system such as a BMS or Pager system using an output type module. Output group 511 will activate its associated loop or panel derived outputs when any part of the system is isolated at access level 2 or 3. The output group will only deactivate when all isolations are removed from the system.

11.6 SET ACTIVATIONS

The control panel can be programmed to perform a number of different cause and effect strategies to meet the system design and installation requirements. In order to perform the evacuation programming, output modules and sounders connected to the detection loop together with panel output circuits located on the BLC cards, are attributed to Output Groups. Programming is achieved through the panel software by linking the output groups to either fire zones, plant zones, or by exception, single loop devices. Output groups can also be linked to other output groups to perform phased evacuations where the expiry of delay timers T3 & T4 trigger other groups to start operating.

The most basic evacuation procedure is a common alarm system, where a more complex cause & effect strategy is required; the preferred and simple method of programming the control panel is using the zone to output group.

The following examples describe some possible cause & effect strategies,

11.6.1 **Common Alarm Installations**

To create a common alarm evacuation & shutdown cause & effect strategy for sounder and relay modules,

Using Loop Device Information, Table 12 and Panel Functions, Table 13 assign all sounder circuits, panel or loop, to Output Group 1.

Using Loop Device Information set the Group 1 attributes as follows: -

- Enter appropriate text = e.g. Common Sounders
- Action = common
- Manual Sound = Yes
- □ Clear = Silence

Using Loop Device Information, Table 12 and Panel Functions, Table 13 assign all relay modules or outputs, panel or loop, to Output Group 2.

Using Loop Device Information set the Group 2 attributes as follows: -

- Enter appropriate text = e.g. Plant Shutdowns
 - Action = Common
- Manual Sound = No
 - Clear = Reset

Note: relay modules & contacts, after a fire condition generally de-activate with a panel reset and do not operate when the manual Evacuation button is pressed.

No further programming should be necessary.

11.6.2 Zone by Zone Alarm Installations

To create a geographical zone evacuation & shutdown cause / effect strategy,

Using Loop Device Information, Table 12 and Panel Functions, Table 13 assign all **sounder circuits located in zone 1**, panel or loop, to Output Group 1.

Assign Zone 2 sounders to Output Group 2 Repeat until all sounders are allocated to a separate Output Group.

Using Loop Device Information set the Group 1 attributes as follows: -

	Enter appropriate text	= e.g. Sounders Zone One or Sounders Ground Floor
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- □ Action = Program
- □ Manual Sound = Yes □ Clear = Silence

Using Loop Device Information, Table 12 and Panel Functions, Table 13 assign all **relay modules or outputs located in Zone 1**, panel or loop, to the next available Output Group.

Assign Zone 2 relay modules to next available Output Group. Repeat until all relay modules are allocated to a separate Output Group.

Using Loop Device Information set the Group attributes as follows: -

Enter appropriate text	= e.g. Plant Shutdowns Zone One
Action	= program
Manual Sound	= No
Clear	= Reset

Activations can be programmed from the following locations:

- □ Using the panel menu, Activations is located at Set \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Activations \rightarrow Zone followed by the required zone number to be programmed.
- □ Using the VIPER software, Set Activations is located at Edit \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Set Activations \rightarrow Zone to Output Groups.

Using the control panel, assign zone 1 to operate sounder output group 1 using the programming style 'Evac' Assign zone 2 to operate sounder output group 2. Repeat for the remainder of the sounder groups followed by the relay module output groups.

Using VIPER software, assign zone 1 to evacuate output group 1 using the evacuation style symbol, capital 'E' as shown in Figure 31 and repeat for the remaining zones.

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O/P Group	Text Message	Zone 001	25 C	overe 003	ed By 004	/ Th ⁻ 005	is Pa 006	anel 007	008	009	010	011	012
001	Sounders Ground Floor	E	 _ _	' - _	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	' -
003	Sounders Second Floor	-	-	E	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
004	Sounders Fourth Floor	-	-	-	E -	Ē	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
006	Sounders Fifth Floor Shutdowns Ground Floor	Ē	-	-	-	-	E -	-	-	-	-	-	-
008	Shutdowns First Floor Shutdowns Second Floor	-	E -	- E	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
010	Shutdowns Third Floor Shutdowns Fourth Floor	-	-	-	E -	- E	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
012	Shutdowns Fifth Floor Unassigned Text	-	-	-	-	-	E -	-	-	-	-	-	-
014	Unassigned Text	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
016	Unassigned Text	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
018	Unassigned Text	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
L 018	Unassigned lext	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Figure 31: Example VIPER – Set Activations – Zones to Output Groups

11.6.3 Activation Styles

Activation styles are used to determine how the output groups respond during an alarm condition. There are eight different activation styles to select from when programming zones to output groups as shown in Table 15.

Activation Style	VIPER Symbol
Evacuate – Outputs operate in constant mode & timers are overridden.	E
Alert – Outputs operate in pulsed (alert) mode and include any T3 & T4 settings.	A
1 st device output groups operate in Alert mode, 2 nd device within the same zone output	1
groups operate in Evacuate mode and include any T3 & T4 settings.	
1 st device output groups remain Silent, 2 nd device within the same zone output group	2
operate in Evacuate mode and include any T3 & T4 settings.	
1 st device 1 st zone output groups operate in Alert mode, 2 nd device 2 nd zone (different	3
zone) output groups operate in Evacuate mode and include any T3 & T4 settings.	
1 st device 1 st zone output groups remain silent, 2 nd device 2 nd zone (different zone) output	4
groups operate in evacuate mode and include any T3 & T4 settings.	
Infinite Alert with T3 ignored.	5
Infinite Alert including T3.	6

Table 15: Activation Styles

11.6.4 Zone and Output Group Timers

Timers are attributed to Zones and Output Group to enable more complex evacuation cause and effect strategies to be performed as shown in Figure 32.

Input devices are assigned to Zones - Output devices are assigned to Groups

T1 and T2 are assigned to each input - Zone

T1 = Alarm Accept Time delay

T2 = Alarm Investigation Time Period

T3 and T4 are assigned to the Output Group

T3 = Delay to the operation of the Group

T4 = Alert period (pulsing sounders) delay



Figure 32: Zone and Output Group Timers

The various timers when used in conjunction with the fire zones and output groups can create a number of different cause & effect strategies. The example shown in Figure 33 provides the following: -

Zone of origin to provide Alarm Accept (T1) delay of 1 minute Investigation (T2) time of 3 minutes Adjacent Zones delayed for a further 2 minutes (T3) Adjacent Zones to Alert (pulsing) for further 2 minutes (T4) Constant alarm to follow upon completion of the Alert delay

Note: Operation of a Break Glass or the Delay Override button will override T2.





11.6.5 Single Device to Output Group Programming

Single Device to Output Group programming effectively removes the device from the zone voting allowing the activation of the individual device to trigger different output groups. To programme Single Device to Output Groups the device must first be removed from its zone voting, set the **Program by** option to **Device** using VIPER. Refer Table 12.

Activations can be programmed from the following locations:

- □ Using the panel menu, Activations is located at Set \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Activations \rightarrow Device followed by the required device address number to be programmed.
- □ Using the VIPER software, Set Activations is located at Edit \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Set Activations \rightarrow Device to Output Groups.

Select the output group number to be programmed, style of activation and enter the device address parameters to activate the output group.

11.6.6 Plant Alarm to Output Group Programming

Output Groups can also be programmed to respond to the activation non-fire related devices assigned to Plant Alarm zones.

Plant Alarms can be programmed from the following locations:

- □ Using the panel menu, Activations is located at Set \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Activations \rightarrow Plant followed by the required device address number to be programmed.
- □ Using the VIPER software, Set Activations is located at Edit \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Set Activations \rightarrow Plant Alarms to Output Groups.

11.7 REPEATER INFORMATION

The Repeater information option defines parameters for the active style repeater panels attached to the system. The active style repeaters are fully monitored by the main control panel and have a unique address switch. The repeater panel has an integral power supply unit, a monitored sounder circuit output and a voltage free relay contact output. A 24-character text message, used to describe the location of the repeater within the installation, can be programmed at the main panel. The output circuits located within the repeater panel can also be associated to the output groups, which will then operate as programmed within the cause & effect strategy.

Repeater Information can be programmed from the following locations:

- □ Using the panel menu, **Repeater info** is located at **Set** \rightarrow **Standard features** \rightarrow **repeater info** \rightarrow followed by the required output group number to be programmed.
- □ Using the VIPER software, Repeater Information is located at Edit \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Repeater Information.

11.8 MOTHERBOARD INFORMATION

Not applicable to Vega LT control panel.

11.9 PRIORITY HEADER TEXT

Header text is used to describe the type of alarm that has activated on the control panel and is associated to the alarm priority level. The header text can be customised to suite the installation requirements.

Priority Header Text can be programmed from the following locations:

- □ Using the panel menu, Header text is located at Set \rightarrow Custom features \rightarrow Header text \rightarrow followed by the required priority level to be programmed.
- □ Using the VIPER software, Priority and Header Text is located at Edit \rightarrow Custom features \rightarrow Priority and Header Text.

The following Table 16 details the options available:

CUSTOM FEATURES – PRIORITY AND HEADER TEXT		
Priority	Text	
Priority 0	EVACUATE	
Priority 1	FIRE	
Priority 2	ALERT	
Priority 3	PRE-ALARM	
Priority 4	FAULT	
Priority 5	UNASSIGNED	
Priority 6	UNASSIGNED	
Priority 7	UNASSIGNED	
Priority 8	UNASSIGNED	
Priority 9	UNASSIGNED	

Table 16: Priority Header Text

11.10 CUSTOM DEVICE TEXT

The device text is used to describe the type or model of device located on the detection loop and can be customised to suite the installation requirements. For example to change the description of the input output module to read Shop Unit.

Custom Device Text can be programmed from the following locations:

- □ Using the panel menu, **Custom text** is located at **Set** \rightarrow **Custom features** \rightarrow **Custom text** \rightarrow followed by the required text message number to be programmed.
- □ Using the VIPER software, Custom Device Text is located at Edit \rightarrow Custom features \rightarrow Custom Device Text.

A maximum of 50 custom device text messages can be stored within the control panel memory for allocation to the loop devices.

11.11 PLANT ALARM INFORMATION

The system can accommodate up to 64 non fire related Plant Alarm zones with each zone containing one or more loop input type devices. The plant alarm information options allow the user to define the zone specific text descriptor and are available from the following locations:

- □ Using the panel menu, Plant alarm info is located at Set \rightarrow Custom features \rightarrow Plant alarm info followed by the required zone number.
- □ Using the VIPER software, Plant Alarm Information is located at Edit \rightarrow Custom features \rightarrow Plant Alarm information.

The following Table 17 details the options available:

STANDARD FEATURES – ZONE INFORMATION		
Option	Function	
Text message	Plant Zone text, a 24-character text message, used to describe the location of the Plant Zone within the installation or building.	
T1	Not applicable to Plant Zones	
Acknowledge delay		
T2	Not applicable to Plant Zones	
Investigation delay		
BGU Override	Not applicable to Plant Zones	
Double knock	Not applicable to Plant Zones	
override		

Table 17: Custom Features – Plant Alarm Information

11.12 NETWORK INFORMATION

Refer to Plug in Options section of this manual.

12 PLUG IN OPTIONS – INSTALLATION AND COMMISSIONING

12.1 VEGA LOOP CARD - Part Number 44782-K074

Installation

- 1. Ensure that the control panel is powered down. Disconnect the stand-by battery and mains supply.
- 2. Install the 44782-K074 card into the next available fixing plug located on the BLC motherboard card as shown in Figure 34.



Figure 34: Loop Card Installation

- 3. Secure the card to the earth retaining bar using the single M3 fixing screw.
- 4. Ensure the loop card plug is fully inserted into the motherboard socket.
- 5. Connect the external detection loop cables to the terminals located on the new loop card as shown in the Figure 6.
- 6. Power up the system. Apply mains supply first followed by the stand-by battery.

Set-up

4.

1. Using the panel menu structure, locate the option 'Loop quantity'. This can be found from the top-level menu under:

Set \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Panel setup. Refer Table 10.

- 2. Increase the **Loop quantity** count.
- 3. Using the panel menu structure, locate the option **Autolearn**. This can be found from the top-level menu under:
 - **Set** \rightarrow **Loop config** \rightarrow **Autolearn**. Refer Table 8.
 - Enter the loop number to **Autolearn** the new detection loop.
- 5. Upon completion of the loop Autolearn process, the panel will indicate a 'logon fault'
- 6. Using the panel menu structure, locate the option 'Accept logon count'. This can be found from the toplevel menu under:
 - Set \rightarrow Loop config \rightarrow Accept logon count. Refer Table 8.
- 7. Check the correct number of detectors attached to the new loop is recorded at the control panel. This can be found using the panel menu structure; locate the option **Single loop**. This can be found from the top-level menu under:

List \rightarrow Loop devices \rightarrow Single loop. Refer Table 7.

Using VIPER

- 1. The control panel is now ready to receive site-specific data.
- 2. Using the upload \ download software application, VIPER, download from the control panel to computer, the site file information.
- 3. Using the computer, enter all relevant detector location text, zone information and assign any required cause and effect evacuation strategy.
- 4. Save the site file information before uploading to the control panel.

12.2 REPEATER CARD - Part Number 44782-K076

Installation

- 1. Ensure that the control panel is powered down. Disconnect the stand-by battery and then the mains supply.
- 2. Install the 44782-K076 card into the plug located on the motherboard card as shown in Figure 35.



Figure 35: Repeater Card Installation

- 3. Secure the card to the earth retaining bar using the single M3 fixing screw.
- 4. Ensure the repeater card plug is fully inserted into the motherboard socket.
- 5. Connect the external transmission cables to the terminals located on the repeater card as shown in Figure 36 and 37.









Figure 37: Repeater Panel External Wiring – option 2

- 6. Set the switches located within each unit as shown on the diagrams above.
- 7. Power up the system. Apply mains supply first followed by the stand-by battery.

Set-up

- 1. Using the panel menu structure, locate the option Install repeater. This can be found from the top-level menu under:
 - Set \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Panel setup. Refer table 10.
- 2. Change the option to 'Yes'.
- The main panel monitors active repeater panels attached to the system. The number of active repeater 3. panels has to be defined in the **panel setup** and is specified using the panel menu structure. Locate the option Active repeaters. This can be found from the top-level menu under:
 - Set \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Panel setup. Refer table 10.
- 4. Enter the total number of active repeaters attached to the system.

Note, all passive repeaters attached to the main panel should be addressed at '0'. Active repeater panels should be addressed in order from 1 to F. The address switch, SW 2 is located within the repeater panel on card number 44782-K077-00.

12.3 **PRINTER ASSEMBLY- Part Number VR0053**

Installation

- Ensure that the control panel is powered down. Disconnect the stand-by battery and then the mains 1. supply.
- Open the panel outer door and remove the printer blanking plate from the outer door. 2.
- 3. Install the VR0053 printer assembly as shown in Figure 38 using the fixings provided:



Figure 38: Printer Installation

- 4. Using the 16-way ribbon cable supplied, connect printer interface card 44782-K050 PLG 2 to the MCP card 44782-K071 card PLG 6.
- 5. Using the cable supplied, connect the printer interface card supply terminals TB 1 marked 24V, 0v direct to the 2.5A power supply output terminals.
- 6. Power up the system. Apply mains supply first followed by the stand-by battery.
- Ensure that the Power On indicator LED D1 located on the printer interface card is illuminated. 7.
- Press the 'paper feed' button located on the fascia plate to ensure that the paper is running free within 8. the printer mechanism.

Set-up

1. Using the panel menu structure, locate the option Install printer. This can be found from the top-level menu under:

Set \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Panel setup. Refer table 10.

- 2. Change the option to 'Yes'.
- Locate the option Enable printer. This can be found from the top-level menu under: 3.
- Set \rightarrow Printer status. 4. Change the available options to read:
 - = Thermal
 - Printer TypePrinter status = Enabled
- 5. The printer will confirm that it is fully operational by printing 'Printer installed'.

Paper Replacement

- 1. Open the panel outer door to gain access to the printer assembly.
- 2. Remove the paper pivot bar by unscrewing the knurled thumbscrew and withdrawing the paper pivot bar.
- 3. Remove any old paper and the cardboard roller from the paper pivot bar and discard.
- 4. Locate the paper roll in the paper holder and insert the first 20-mm (approx.) of paper by hand in the slot provided in the back of the printer assembly. Note, the paper is loaded the opposite way to the way it is rolled and is automatically detected by the printer and fed through to the opposite side of the mechanism.
- 5. Fasten paper pivot bar in position with the knurled thumbscrew.
- 6. Close the panel outer door and secure.
- 7. The event printer is now ready for use.

12.4 VEGANET NETWORK CARD - Part Number VN2107

Installation

- 1. Ensure that the control panel is powered down. Disconnect the stand-by battery and mains then the supply.
- 2. Install the 29-020527-001 card using the fixings supplied above the MBLC card as shown in Figure 39.



Figure 39: Network Interface Card Installation

- 3. Using the 10-way ribbon cable supplied with the network card, connect PLG 2 to the MBLC card PLG 9.
- 4. Connect the supply cables (5v, 0v) located at TB1 on the network card to the supply output terminals located on the MBLC card at TB 8.
- 5. Connect the external network transmission cables to other panels located on the network as shown in Figure 40.



Figure 40: VegaNET Network External Wiring

6. Set the panel address switches, SW 1 & SW 2 located on the network card as shown on Table 18.

	Panel 1	Panel 2	Panel 3	Panel 32
SW1,SW2	1,0	2,0	3,0	0,2

Table 18: Panel Address Settings

7. Ensure that the following software EPROMS are installed in the MCP and Network cards: IC 9 = P28185-1xx □ 44782-K071 □ 29-

8. Power up the system. Apply mains supply first followed by the stand-by battery.

Set-up

- Using the panel menu structure, locate the option Serial Port 1. This can be found from the top-level 1. menu under:
 - Set \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Panel setup. Refer table 10.
- 2. Change the option to 'MARS/VDS Network'.

12.5 CZN NETWORK CARD - Part Number VN2108

Installation

- 1. Ensure that the control panel is powered down. Disconnect the stand-by battery and mains then the supply.
- 2. Install the 29-020527-001 card using the fixings supplied above the MBLC motherboard card as shown in Figure 39.
- 3. Using the 10-way ribbon cable supplied with the network card, connect PLG 2 to the MBLC card PLG 9.
- 4. Connect the supply cables (5v, 0v) located at TB1 on the network card to the supply output terminals located on the MBLC card at TB 8.
- 5. Connect the external network transmission cables to other panels located on the network as shown in Figure 41.



Figure 41: CZN System VegaNET Network External Wiring

6. Set the panel address switches, SW 1 & SW 2 located on the network card as shown in Table 19..

	Panel 1	Panel 2	Panel 3	Panel 32
SW1,SW2	1,0	2,0	3,0	0,2

Table 19: Network Card Address Settings

7. Ensure that the following software EPROMS are installed in the MCP and Network cards:

□ 44782-K071 IC 9 = P28175-1xx □ 29-020527-001 IC 9 = P01160-1xx

8. Power up the system. Apply mains supply first followed by the stand-by battery.

Set-up

1. Using the panel menu structure, locate the option **Serial Port 1**. This can be found from the top-level menu under:

Set \rightarrow Standard features \rightarrow Panel setup. Refer table 10.

2. Change the option to 'CZN System'.

13 MAINTENANCE

Maintenance of equipment external to the control panel will be detailed in the appropriate manufacturer's literature.

At weekly intervals a different fire detector or manual call point of the system should be tested to ensure that the system is capable of operating under alarm conditions. Operation of the alarm sounders should be checked, which also provides a regular reminder to those occupying the premises that there is a fire alarm system with a particular sound. The test should be performed at a regular time to avoid confusion between a test and a genuine fire condition.

To test the panel lights, audible buzzer and the verify the software installed within the control panel,

- 1. Enter Level 2 or 3.
- 2. From the Test menu select $\textbf{Test} \rightarrow \textbf{Panel Test}$
- 3. Press the enter button (\downarrow) .

Make sure that all panel lights come on for five seconds and then go off and the audible buzzer sounds for five seconds and then stops. The LCD display will perform a self-check and display the panel software serial number. Check that the panel reverts to Level 1.

The back up batteries are maintenance free but should be replaced every 4-5 years.

The components of the control panel are designed to last for 15 years. All printed circuit boards are selfmonitoring and therefore should only be replaced as required.

13.1 ROUTINE MAINTENANCE

Routine maintenance should be carried out in accordance with BS 5839 Pt 1 section 6 or the relevant national standard and any work necessary should be performed.

All performance checks undertaken should be recorded in a system logbook.

As a minimum, the following performance checks must be undertaken on each maintenance visit.

WARNING:

The static handling procedures must be adhered to and extreme caution must be exercised when working inside the control panel due to the presence of mains voltage 230 V AC.

- 1. Remove dust and dirt from the panel exterior using a soft brush or a lint cloth. A solvent, which is harmless to the finishes of metal and plastic, may be applied to more stubborn stains.
- 2. Examine the exterior of the enclosure for any signs of damage or loose cable glands and rectify any faults found.
- 3. Remove any dust or dirt from the interior of the control panel using a soft brush or a vacuum cleaner.
- 4. Examine the printed circuit boards for signs of over-heating or damaged tracks. Replace any defective items.
- 5. Examine the battery terminals for security and for signs of corrosion and replace or repair as required. Refer to 3.5.7.

13.2 TEST MODE

To facilitate tests on the fire detection system the control panel can be set to operate in Test Mode using the **Test** menu option. Refer to Table 9. When a detector or manual call point is triggered within the zone selected for test, the programmed output groups are suppressed. The zone under test will be indicated on the LCD and the test light will flash. The Zone light will operate momentarily during the activation of the loop device and will automatically reset. Test mode is de-activated using the **Test** menu option.

14. PANEL AND LOOP DEVICE FAULT CODES

Fault codes Table 20 are used to provide engineer's with additional information regarding the type of fault generated by the control panel and are indicated on the LCD display in the bottom right hand corner. Refer to Figure 42.



Figure 42: Fault Codes

Fault Code	Description	Further explanation
00	No Error	Not applicable on Vega LT
01	Test Failed	Electronic device test has failed. Refer Table 9
02	Device Missing	Device removed from detection loop
03	Memory Failure	Not supported on Vega LT
04	Type Changed	Device type located on detection loop has altered
05	Contamination Fault	Dirty detector
06	Local PSU Fault	Fault on PSU connected to loop I/O modules
07	Loop O/P Short Circuit	Fault on monitored output of loop module
08	Loop O/P Open Circuit	Fault on monitored output of loop module
09	Loop I/P Short Circuit	Fault on monitored input of loop module
10	Loop I/P Open Circuit	Fault on monitored input of loop module
11	Power Failure	Fault on supply connected to loop I/O modules
12	Device Low Level	Low analogue value returned from loop device
13	Device High Level	Not supported on Vega LT
14	Sub-Address Fault	Not applicable on Vega LT
15	Address Fault	ESP only – Head removed from addressable master base
16	Unspecified Error	Not supported on Vega LT
17	Illegal Type	Unrecognised device on detection loop
18	Sounder Short Circuit	Fault on monitored output
19	Sounder Open Circuit	Fault on monitored output
20	Motherboard Output Short Circuit	Not applicable on Vega LT
21	Motherboard Output Open Circuit	Not applicable on Vega LT
22	Motherboard Input Short Circuit	Not applicable on Vega LT
23	Repeater Sounder Fault	Active repeater panels only
24	Motherboard Input Open Circuit	Not applicable on Vega LT
25	Remote PSU AC Fault	Not applicable on Vega LT
26	Remote PSU Battery Fault	Not applicable on Vega LT
27	Remote PSU Charger Fault	Not applicable on Vega LT
28	Drift Flag Set	Discovery device correct operating limits
29	Invalid Approval Code	Not applicable on Vega LT
30	Invalid Site Address	Not applicable on Vega LT
31	Sensitivity Mismatch	Discovery mode setting does not match panel configuration
32	Discovery Write Failure	Panel unable to configure device – Faulty device

Table 20: Fault Codes

Main Panel Messages			
Message	Possible Cause	Action	
Fail Safe Alarm	The MBLC card has detected a fire alarm condition but is unable to transmit the alarm data to the MCP card. The MBLC operates a hardwired fail safe line connected to the MCP to indicate the Fail Safe Alarm. Note: Under fail safe operation the MBLC directly operates its own sounder and relay outputs.	Reset the system. If problem persists contact Technical Help Line for further information.	
Logon fault	Device(s) found or lost on the loop(s) that does not match the previously stored device database. New devices added or removed during commissioning. Faulty device, bad loop connection or faulty loop card.	Replace faulty device or loop card. Check external loop wiring. Check loop configuration against as fitted installation drawings. Refer section 10.4 and 10.5.	
Config fault	The actual devices attached to the detection loop and logged onto the control panel do not match the uploaded VIPER site file. OR Operator has incorrectly changed a device type in the Viper site file OR has added a device that has not been logged onto the detection loop.	Check the Viper site file against the control panel loop listing. The device types in Viper should match the actual devices attached to the detection loop.	
BLC * re-init, Repeater * re-init,	The MBLC or Repeater panel at the address * indicated has transmitted a message to the MCP indicating that it is waiting to be initialised. The processor-reset button on the MBLC or Repeater panel has been pressed. The software on that MBLC or Repeater panel has dropped out of program.	Switch off the control panel or repeater panel and check connections to internal circuit boards.	
Repeater * comms failure	The Repeater panel at that address * indicated is not replying to messages from the main panel. Faulty communications device or faulty board located within the panel.	Check communication cable wiring. Check Repeater panel address switch settings. Replace faulty boards.	
Repeater Sounder fault	The Repeater panel has reported a sounder short or open circuit fault on its external wiring. Note: The panel also reports a repeater sounder fault during communications fault with the Repeater panel.	Check sounder circuit wiring. Check communication cable wiring.	
Alarm during autolearn re-learn loop	During the autolearn process an alarm occurred on a different detection loop. The autolearn process was halted and did not complete successfully.	Re-learn the specified detection loop.	
Interrupt Fault – Apollo only	The device alarm interrupt flag has been raised on a detection loop, which has not been maintained for enough consecutive scans to generate an alarm condition. If this occurs 5 times on the same loop by any device within a 24 hour period the Interrupt Fault is raised. Possible cause noise induced on detection loop.	Check for faulty device located on the detection loop. Check loop cabling for induced noise. If problem persists contact Technical Help Line for further information.	
Apollo only			

Bad loop Count	The quantity of loop cards located within the control panel is different to that specified within the panel set up option. Faulty BLC or Loop card. OR BLC Communications failure. OR New BLC recently installed.	Replace faulty boards. Check panel set-up (refer section 11.1) and log the detection loop (refer section 10.4 & 10.5)
Device Unregistered	A device has been reported by the MBLC card, which does not appear in the panel memory. Device added to system without power down or auto-learn. Faulty device – possible device answering to address that is not connected to the loop.	Check detection loop wiring against as fitted system drawings. Locate and replace faulty device.
Loop fault	Open or short circuit on loop. Wiring problem, Faulty loop card or device.	Check detection loop wiring. Replace faulty loop card or device.
Double Address fault	2 or more devices on a loop with the same address. Wrongly addressed devices. Faulty Device responding to wrong address.	Check detection loop wiring against as fitted system drawings. Note: Base LEDs operate on Apollo double addressed devices.

Table 21: Panel Fault Diagnosis

Repeater Panel Messages			
Message	Cause	Action	
Polling Failure – type 2 repeater only	The repeater panel has failed to communicate with main control panel. Main panel is not addressing the repeater panel correctly. Repeater wrongly addressed or noise induced on communication wiring. Active repeaters not installed in panel set up.	Check external wiring for induced noise. Check Repeater panel address switch settings. Check panel set-up.	
Repeater Off-line – type 1 and 2	The repeater panel is not receiving data from the main control panel. Communication cable-wiring fault. Faulty communications device or Faulty board. Repeaters not installed in panel set up	Check external wiring. Check panel set-up. Replace faulty cards.	

Table 22: Repeater Panel Fault Diagnosis

16. RECOMMENDED SPARES LIST

Description	Part Number
Box Assembly	43782-K143
Membrane Fascia	39155-K049
Master Control Processor (MCP)	44782-K071-03
Master Basic Loop Controller (MBLC)	44782-K073-02
Loop Card	44782-K074
LED Indication Card	44782-K170
Power Supply Unit 2.5 amp	28730-K002
Graphic LCD Display	43782-K141
Logo Plate (Blank)	50-100079-205
Harness MCP – MBLC	43682-K032
Harness MCP – MBLC	43682-K037

Table 23: Recommended Spares List

Model number	LT 2000	LT 2001	
Protocol	Apollo	Hochiki	
Number of detection loops	1	1	
Loop circuit load (maximum)	250mA	250mA	
Devices supported	S90, XP95, Discovery, Explorer	ESP	
Number of zone LED indications	1	6	
Number of status LED indications		8	
Number of Sounder circuits	2 - progr	ammable	
Sounder circuit (shared load)	1 A at 24V	dc nominal	
End of line unit	10 K ohm	ns resistor	
Number of auxiliary relays	2 x NC,C,NO volt free c	contacts - programmable	
Auxiliary relay contact rating	1A at 2	24V dc	
Design standard	EN54 p	art 2 & 4	
Panel dimensions (mm)	460mm (W) x 342m	nm (H) x 148mm (D)	
Weight (no batteries)	81	Kg	
Knock outs	14	Тор	
Colour and finish	Ash grey semi-g	loss light textured	
IP rating	30 (inde	oor use)	
Operating temperature & humidity	-5°C to 40°C. N	lax relative 93%	
Emission	BS EN50081-1:1992:part 1 Reside	ntial, Commercial and Light industry	
	Class	B limits	
Immunity	BS EN50130-4: 1995: part 4 alarm s	ystems: Electromagnetic compatibility	
	Product family standard: immunity r	requirements for components of fire,	
	intruder and soci	al alarm systems	
Power supply rating	2.5Amp	at 24V dc	
Mains operating voltage	110V to 230V ac	c – 50Hz to 60Hz	
Battery supply (integral)	2 x 12V 12Ah		
Battery standby with 40mA loop	24Hr standby plus 0.5Hr during alarm		
load & 0.5A sounder alarm load	Fire 9 Outloop foult continuous cound. Foult intermittant cound using		
Buzzer for local audible indication	piezoelectric buzzer operating at 60 dB (A) at 1 m		
Common fault relay contact	Normally On – 1 x NC and 1 x NO contacts		
External fault input	Internal switched 0V input		
Access level 2 input	Internal switched 0V input	- allows keyswitch enable	
Programmable MBLC input 7	mode control or Isolate output groups		
Programmable MBLC input 8	Internal switched 0V input – Day mode control (default setting) or Isolate output groups or Remote evacuate		
Number of repeater panels	A maximum of 10 repeater panels - 6 with optional user controls		
supported		·	
Repeater output driver card	Part Number	- 44782-K076	
Repeater cable specification	Screened twisted pair - Belden 9841 or similar		
Repeater part number	VR3000 o	r VR3000P	
Network support	CZN System or VegaNET Display System		
Network card part numbers	CZN - VN2108 & V	/egaNET – VN2107	
Network cable specification	2 x Individually screened twiste	d pairs – Belden 9729 or similar	
Printer type (optional)	Thermal – Part Number VR0053		
Detection loop specification	Pirelli FP200 Gold™, MICC (P	yro [™]), Firetuff [™] and Firecel [™] .	
Detection loop length	Cable length up to 1 km use Cable length up to 2 km use	1.5 mm cross sectional area. 2.5 mm cross sectional area.	
Control buttons	Silence buzzer, Scroll alarms, Silence alarms, Reset, Delay override,		
Visual indications	Alarm Fire Output & 7	ones – Red I FDs 'lights'	
	System fault. Disablement. Fault. Te	est, Fire output – Yellow LEDs 'lights'	
	Power On – G	reen LED 'light'	
User access via numeric keypad	Level 1 – No pa	ssword required	
code entry (default passwords)	Level 2	2 – 7179	
	, Level 3 – 7134		

Table 22: Technical Specification