INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

MODELS
EIFM-1

ECONOMIZERS WITH EXHAUST

FOR USE WITH BARD 1 TON WALL MOUNT AIR CONDITIONER

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GENERAL INFORMATION
The economizer should only be installed by a trained heating and air conditioning technician. These
instructions serve as a guide to the technician installing the economizer package. They are not intended as
a step by step procedure with which the mechanically inclined owner can install the package.

The economizer housing is shipped in one carton which contains the electrical harness, miscellaneous
hardware, seal plate, and installation instructions.

The economizer installation requires an additional two stage cooling thermostat in place of the normal single
stage cooling thermostat. Also additional low voltage wire will be required to transmit the second call (Y2)
for cool. (i.e. use 6 conductor thermostat wire for an air conditioning unit). See Page 9 for required
thermostats.

If using a Bard master controller, the MC91AE master controller is designed specifically to control two (2)
redundant Bard wall mount units equipped with economizers.

Any wall mount unit equipped with an economizer must also have a low ambient control installed. This control
can be factory installed or field installed. If field installed, use kit CMA-6 (air conditioner models).

UNPACKING
Upon receipt of the equipment, be sure to compare the model number found on the shipping label with the
accessory identification information on the ordering and shipping document to verify that the correct
accessory has been shipped.

Inspect the carton housing of each economizer as it is received, and before signing the freight bill, verify
that all items have been received and that there is no visible damage. Note any shortages or damage on all
copies of the freight bill. The receiving party must contact the last carrier immediately, preferably in
writing, requesting inspection by the carrier’s agent. Concealed damage not discovered until after loading
must be reported to the carrier within 15 days of its receipt.

DESCRIPTION
The BIFM-1 economizer is designed to be used with Bard one ton wall mount series air conditioners equipped
with low ambient fan cycling controls. NOTE: If unit is not equipped with low ambient control from factory,
one must be installed. Order field installed low ambient kit CMA-6. It is an electro-mechanical economizer
system designed to provide “free” cooling where the outdoor air temperature is cool enough to provide the
needed cooling without running the compressor. When cooling is needed, the system automatically takes
advantage of the cold outdoor air when available and uses it for first stage cooling. This then reduces the
need to run the air conditioning compressor providing lower operating costs and increasing the service life
of the equipment. If the outdoor air gets too warm or humid to be helpful, the enthalpy control detects the
condition and automatically closes the outdoor air and exhaust damper, opens the return air damper and
switches to the compressor operation. This is all done automatically to achieve maximum savings without
attention from the user. See Figure 1, Page 10 for a block diagram of the economizer operation logic flow.
The unit is equipped with a full modulating type damper motor which controls the damper position to a factory
set minimum supply air temperature.

MODEL: BIFM-1
FOR USE WITH THE FOLLOWING UNIT
WA121

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BASIC INSTALLATION
1. Unpack the economizer assembly which includes the integral economizer with attached electrical harness, mixed air thermister and miscellaneous hardware and installation instructions.

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<td>Open and lock unit disconnect switch before installing this accessory to prevent injury or death due to electrical shock or contact with moving parts. Turn thermostat to off.</td>
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2. Remove and save the existing exterior service access panel on the Bard wall-mount unit. (See Figure 2)

FIGURE 2
3. Remove and save existing right and left side filter support bracket. Remove and save filter.

4. REMOVE AND DISCARD THE EXHAUST COVER PLATE. (Figure 3)

FIGURE 3
FIGURE 5

TOP VIEW OF CONTROL PANEL

DAMPER MOTOR

MINIMUM POSITION POTENTIOMETER
CLOCKWISE TO OPEN,
COUNTER-CLOCKWISE TO CLOSE

ENTHALPY CONTROL
5. Install economizer by inserting the economizer into the unit to the far left side. Once the economizer is fully inserted, slide the economizer to the right until it is tight against the back of the control panel. (Figure 4)

IMPORTANT: Position front lip of economizer over front grille. (See Figure 4 inset) This is important to ensure proper drainage of any water entering damper assembly.

6. Mount mixed air thermistor to control panel as shown with screws provided. Route wires as shown and secure with wire tie. Connect wires to thermistor. (See Figure 4)

7. Open unit control panel to gain access to unit low voltage terminal block.

8. Route electrical harness leads thru the 7/8" bushing in control panel (Figure 4) into low voltage box.

9. Connect leads with fork terminal to corresponding points on terminal strip. (See wiring diagram on Page 11)

10. Wire nut leads with 5/8" stripped ends to Y1 and Y2 leads from thermostat. See wiring diagram on page 11 or on economizer.

11. Close control panel cover

12. Remove one screw holding filter bracket on economizer and install seal plate (part No. 536-273). Replace screw. See Figure 6.

13. Place filter in filter bracket supplied with economizer.

14. ECONOMIZER CHECKOUT

A. Remove mist eliminator. (See Figure 4) Locate the minimum position potentiometer. (See Figure 5)

B. Energize the evaporator blower by switching the thermostat to the manual fan position with the heat/cool switch in the off position.

C. Cycle the minimum position potentiometer (factory set for 0% fresh air) 0 to full open. (See Figure 5) Throughout checkout procedure observe operation of damper to insure there is free, unobstructed operation through the entire angle of damper travel. Then adjust the damper minimum open position to meet local codes or application requirements. (See example below)

EXAMPLE:

1. Measure return air temperature (RAT) (assume 75°F for example)

2. Measure outdoor air temperature (OAT) (assume 60°F for example)

3. Calculate the mixed air temperature (MAT) which will result from the desired combination of OAT (10 percent) and RAT (90 percent).

   \[ 0.1 \text{ OAT} + 0.9 \text{ RAT} = \text{MAT} \]

   or substituting example values

   \[ 0.1 (60°F) + 0.9 (75°F) = 73.75°F \]

4. Adjust the minimum position potentiometer knob until proper mixed air temperature as calculated above is reached. Care should be taken to insure thermometer is sensing air that is well mixed.
5. Mark correct setting on dial of minimum position potentiometer for future reference.

D. Adjust the enthalpy control to position A, B, C, D to achieve the maximum combination of temperature and humidity acceptable for the installation as per the chart below. (The suggested setting is between A & B 70°F @ 55 percent RH. It is further recommended to always set the control at C or above.) (Figure 5)

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<th>Enthalpy Control Setting</th>
<th>Dial Setting</th>
<th>20% RH</th>
<th>50% RH</th>
<th>80% RH</th>
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<tr>
<td>A</td>
<td>78°F (26°C)</td>
<td>73°F (23°C)</td>
<td>68°F (20°C)</td>
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<tr>
<td>B</td>
<td>73°F (23°C)</td>
<td>68°F (20°C)</td>
<td>63°F (17°C)</td>
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<td>C</td>
<td>68°F (20°C)</td>
<td>63°F (17°C)</td>
<td>59°F (15°C)</td>
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<tr>
<td>D</td>
<td>62°F (17°C)</td>
<td>58°F (14°C)</td>
<td>53°F (12°C)</td>
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E. Switch the thermostat fan control to automatic and position the heat cool switch to cool. Adjust the thermostat temperature to engage the first stage of cooling only (1). This will cause the dampers to modulate to achieve mixed air temperature of 55° provided outside air enthalpy is sufficiently low. If enthalpy is too high for economizing, low enthalpy can be simulated by temporarily removing and jumping leads on terminal 2 and 3 of enthalpy control together. This will also cause the economizer damper to modulate away from minimum position (be sure to properly reconnect leads at end of checkout procedure).

F. Readjust temperature on the thermostat to engage the second stage of cooling (2). The damper motor should return to previously set minimum position. Compressor motor should start.

G. Switch thermostat to off fan and off heat/cool positions to de-energize unit. Economizer damper should return to full closed (100 percent return air) position. Checkout is complete.

15. Replace mist eliminator.

16. Remove blank off plate or barometric fresh air damper if installed on the service access panel. Plug the (4) holes used to mount the BOP or BFAD with the plastic plugs supplied with the economizer.

17. Replace service access panel.

18. Economizer is now ready for operation.
ECONOMIZER -- (WA Series)

Features:
- One piece construction—easy to install with no mechanical linkage adjustment required.
- Exhaust air damper—built in with positive closed position. Provides exhaust air capability to prevent pressurization of tight buildings.
- Actuator motor—24 volt. power open, spring return with built in torque limiting switch.
- Proportioning type control—for maximum “Free Cooling” economy and comfort with up to 100% outside air.
- Moisture eliminator & prefilter—permanent, washable aluminum construction.
- Enthalpy control to monitor outdoor temperature and humidity—adjustable.
- Minimum position potentiometer—adjustable to control minimum damper blade position.
- Mixed air sensor to monitor outdoor & return air to automatically modulate damper position.

Economizer Sequence of Operation

Condition A—Cool Outdoors

First stage cooling closes and powers the economizer dampers to economizer mode and the indoor blower starts. Mixed Air Sensor senses a mixture of return air and outdoor air and modulates the dampers accordingly. Compressor operation is inhibited. (See Figure 7, Page 13)

If second stage closes on the thermostat, the dampers return to the closed or minimum position setting and the compressor starts for mechanical cooling.

Condition B—Warm Outdoors

First stage cooling cycles the compressor and dampers remain in the mechanical cooling mode. (See Figure 8, Page 14)

Wall Thermostats

For Air Conditioning With Economizer

Thermostat, Part No. 8403-021 (Honeywell T87D1034)
Subbase, Pat No. 8404-012 (Honeywell Q67A1001)
2 Stage Cool/2 Stage Heat

LOW AMBIENT CONTROL IS REQUIRED WITH ECONOMIZER FOR LOW TEMPERATURE COMPRESSOR OPERATION.

If unit is not equipped with low ambient control from factory, one must be installed. Order field installed low ambient kit CMA-6.