## STORAGE TANK TEMPERATURE CONTROL

#### 1. APPLICATION

TC-102 is a 24-volt two stage temperature control for maintaining the water temperature in a storage tank. Operating mode can be selected by an input signal. An auxiliary relay for controlling a fan or pump is also provided. One NTC type temperature sensor can be provided with the control as an option. TC-102 can also work with any general purpose 10K NTC sensor.



#### 2. FEATURES

#### 2.1 Programming mode

## 2.1a Heat Setting

- Press and hold SET button for 3 seconds, the display will change from showing the sensed temperature to show the P01 program number.
- or button to select P01 to P05 program numbers.
- Press SET again to show the selected program parameter setting.
- Press or button to change the selected parameter setting.
- Press SET to confirm and show the next program number.
- Repeat for P02 through P05.

#### 2.1b Cool Setting

- Press & hold button for 3 seconds, the display will change from showing the sensed temperature to show the P06 program number.
- Press or button to select P06 to P10 program numbers.
- Press again to show the selected program parameter setting.
- Press or button to change the selected parameter setting.
- Press to confirm and show the next program number.
- Repeat for P07 through P10.

Note: 1. If no button is pressed within 10 seconds, unit will automatically exit from programming

mode and go to normal run mode.

- 2. Restore default setting by pressing & holding and buttons for 3 seconds within 10 seconds of power-up.
- 3. Refer to the programming section for changing parameters P01 to P10.

## 2.2 Stage-1 relay operation

#### **Heat mode**

In Heat mode, the stage-1 relay will be turned on if:

Temp of Tank (T) <= Stage 1 Heat Setpoint Stage 1 Differential Temp.

and it will be turned off when:

Temp of Tank (T) > Stage 1 Heat Setpoint

#### **Cool mode**

In Cool mode, the stage-1 relay will be turned on if:

Temp of Tank (T) >= Stage 1 Cool Setpoint + Stage 1 Differential Temp.

and it will be turned off when:

Temp of Tank (T) < Stage 1 Cool Setpoint

## 2.3 Stage-2 relay operation

There is a selectable time delay between stage 1 and stage 2 outputs. Once the time delay is satisfied, stage-2 relay will operate as per the stage 2 setpoint chosen. Stage 2 can only be on if Stage 1 is on.

#### Heat mode

In Heat mode, the stage-2 relay will be turned on if:

Temp of Tank (T) <= Stage 2 Heat Setpoint Stage 2 Differential Temp.

and it will be turned off when:

Temp of Tank (T) > Stage 2 Heat Setpoint

## **Cool mode**

In Cool mode, the stage-2 relay will be turned on if:

Temp of Tank  $(T) \ge$ Stage 2 Cool Setpoint + Stage 2 Differential Temp.

and it will be turned off when:

Temp of Tank (T) < Stage 2 Cool Setpoint

#### 2.4 Auxiliary Relay operation

There is an auxiliary relay for control of fan or pump. It will operate as below

Stage relay operation.	Auxiliary relay operation.	
Stage-1 or Stage-2 relay is turned on	Terminal 6 (R) will be connected to Terminal (A1)	
Stage-1 and Stage-2 relay are turned off	Terminal 6 (R) will be connected to Terminal (A2)	

#### 2.5 Key Lock/Unlock

Press & hold and buttons for 3 seconds to lock keyboard. If any key is pressed while keys are locked, the 7-segment display will show EOC for 2 seconds and then return to show the temperature of the tank. This facility is to prevent an unauthorized person from changing any setting. To unlock keyboard, press & hold and for 3 seconds again.

#### 3. SYSTEM FEATURE

## 3.1 Watch dog

There is a watchdog circuit to reset the MCU if it malfunctions due to voltage fluctuation or other abnormality.

## 3.2 Non-volatile memory

All setting parameters are kept in non-volatile memory. If there is a power-interruption, the control will resume normal operation automatically.

#### 3.3 Sensor error

When the temperature sensor has failed (open/short circuit), the stage-1 relay and the stage-2 relay will be turned off.

The display will blink error code as E1 "

#### 3.4 Mode selection

- TC-102 will operate in Heat or Cool mode as below:
- TC-102 will operate in Cool mode, if 24 VAC is applied to terminal 9(0).
- q TC-102 has no function specific for Terminal 10(B) on this model.
- TC-102 will operate in Heat mode, if nothing is applied to terminal 9. So, default mode is Heat mode.

## 3.5 Front panel LEDs & 7-segment

- 7-segment will display the temperature of tank in Fahrenheit in normal operation.
- Status LED is lit if stage-1 or 2 relay is ON.
- Heat LED is lit when the control is in Heat mode (default).
- Cool LED is lit when the control is in Cool mode.

## 3.6 Momentary Power Interruptions

q TC-102 control will reset after a short momentary power interruption.

# 4. PROGRAMMING PARAMETERS

The following parameters can be programmed by the user.

Program	Parameter Description	Default setting from factory	Resolution (step adjust)	Minimum setting	Maximum setting
P01	Stage 1 Heat Setpoint	120 °F	1 °F	60 °F	140 °F
P02	Stage 1 Heat Differential	20 °F	1 °F	5 °F	20 °F
P03	Time delay between Heat stage 1 and stage 2	5 minutes	1 minute	2 minutes	10 minutes
P04	Stage 2 Heat Setpoint	110 °F	1 °F	60 °F	140 °F
P05	Stage 2 Heat Differential	20 °F	1 °F	5 °F	20 °F
P06	Stage 1 Cool Setpoint	40 °F	1 °F	34 °F	60 °F
P07	Stage 1 Cool Differential	10°F	1 °F	5 °F	20 °F
P08	Time delay between Cool stage 1 and stage 2	5 minutes	1 minute	2 minutes	10 minutes
P09	Stage 2 Cool Setpoint	45 °F	1 °F	34 °F	60 °F
P10	Stage 2 Cool Differential	10 °F	1 °F	5 °F	20 °F

# 5. SPECIFICATION

Power			
Power Supply	24 Vac nominal, 18-30 Vac, 50/60 Hz.		
Electrical Rating			
Stage-1 Relay rating	Maximum 2 A continuous		
Stage-2 Relay rating	Maximum 2 A continuous		
Auxiliary Relay N.O. contact rating	Maximum 2 A continuous		
Auxiliary Relay N.C. contact rating	Maximum 1 A continuous		
<b>Ambient Operating Rating</b>			
Operating Temperature	32°F to +158°F (0°C to +70°C)		
Storage Temperature	-22°F to +185°F (-30°C to +85°C)		
Operating Humidity	20-85% non condensing		
Accuracy			
Sensor Accuracy @ 50°F	± 1.3°F		
Sensor Accuracy @ 110°F	<u>+</u> 1.6°F		
Control Accuracy	<u>+</u> 2°F		
Temperature Sensor (optional)	Copper tube probe		
Sensor Type	10.74K NTC		
Length	Standard length of 1.5 m. (4.9 feet) (can be extended to 3 m. in field installation)		

## 6. TERMINAL

Terminal	Name	Description	
1	R	Not used on this model.	
2	A1	Auxiliary Relay N.O. contact Closed if Stage 1 or 2 is on	
3	A2	Auxiliary Relay N.C. contact Open if Stage 1 or 2 is on	
4	Y	STAGE 1 Relay N.O. contact (power from Terminal 6)	
5	Y2	STAGE 2 Relay N.O. contact (power from Terminal 6)	
6	R	24 VAC hot from external transformer	
7	С	24 VAC common from external transformer	
8	О	Internally connected to Terminal 9	
9	О	24 VAC input for Cool mode selection	
10	В	Not used on this model.	
11	Ts	Temp Sensor	
12	Ts	Temp Sensor	

## 7. DIMENSION



