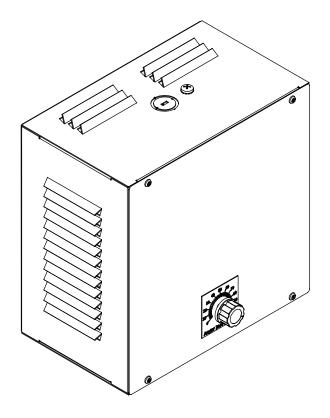
# INSTALLATION AND OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS VHC-66, VHC-99 VARIABLE HEAT CONTROL FOR INFRARED HEATERS







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## **VHC-66**

Volts: 240/208 Hz:50/60

Amps: 32

Maximum watts@ 208V: 6656 Maximum watts@ 240V: 7680 Minimum Wire Size: 8 AWG

# VHC-99

Volts: 240/208 Hz:50/60

Amps: 48

Maximum watts@ 208V: 9984 Maximum watts@ 240V: 11520 Minimum Wire Size: 6 AWG

# **DESCRIPTION**

The VHC-66 and VHC-99 are variable output controls for infrared heaters. The ouput can be adjusted to allow the user to vary the desired output of the heater to maintain a comfortable environment depending on the ambient temperature.

## **INSTALLATION**

- Disconnect power at main breaker before servicing this control.
- The installation of the VHC-66 and VHC-99 must conform to the National Electric Code and/or authorities having jurisdiction.
- All wiring must be performed by a qualified, licensed electrician.
- All conductors must be copper, the VHC-66 and VHC-99 must be grounded per the National Electric Code.
- Over current must be provided to each indivdual heater circuit in an approved distribution panel.
- The VHC-66 and VHC-99 are not rainproof, they must be installed in a protected area.

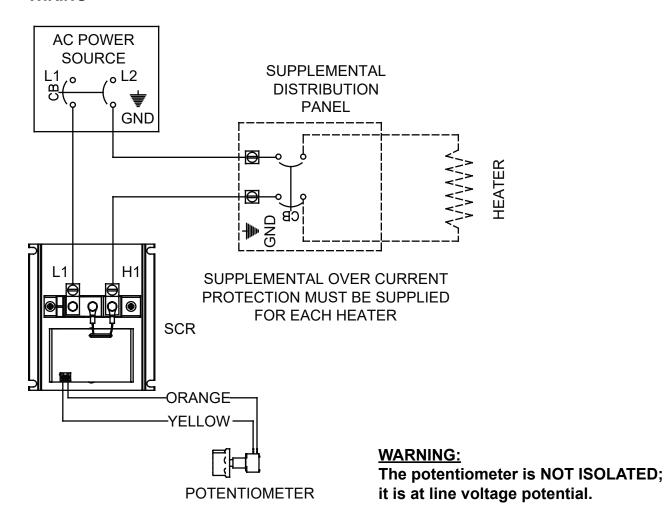
### **OPERATION**

- When all required installation and wiring are completed:
- · Adjust the potentiometer to the lowest setting (counter-clockwise).
- Turn the breakers on.
- Adjust the potentiometer (clockwise) to obtain the required heater outure.

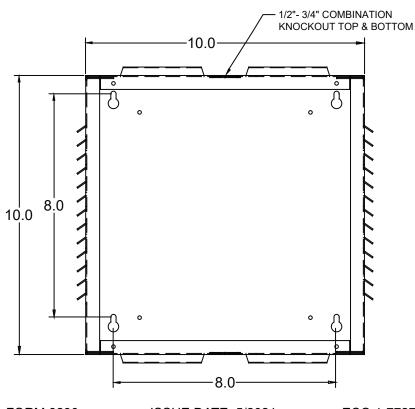
Note: These controls are provided with a three second ramp up function (soft start) to permit control of high inrush lamps. Never connect cold lamps after start up.

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## **WIRING**



# **MOUNTING**



## **CAUTION:**

Use hardware suitable for mounting surface.

Secure enclosure using all four key-holes.

Enclosure Size: 10" W x 10" H x 6" D

**Clearance:** A minimum of 6 inches clearance should be maintained on all four sides for proper air flow.

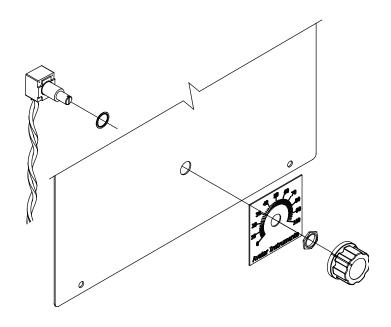
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#### POTENTIOMETER MOUNTING

#### **ENCLOSURE MOUNTING**

Remove knock out in front cover. Install potentiometer as shown.

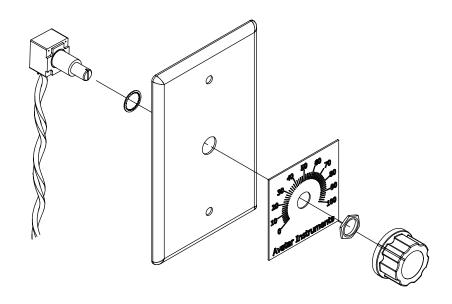
WARNING: Potentiometer terminals are at line voltage. Disconnect power at main breaker before servicing.



#### REMOTE MOUNTING

Install potentiometer as shown. Mount to a standard 2" x 4" electrical box.
 NOTE: Extension wire must be rated for line voltage 18AWG min., maximum 100 feet in length.

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## **MAINTENANCE**

- The VHC should be cleaned of any accumulated dust or dirt with a vaccum cleaner attachment.
- The wiring connections should also be checked yearly to maintain a secure connection.

# DISCONNECT POWER BEFORE PERFORMING ANY SERVICE TO THE VHC CONTROL.

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