

ProMix® 2KE

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Pump-Based Plural Component Proportioner

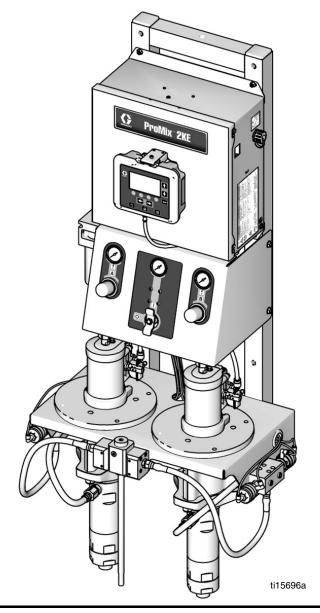
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Self-contained, electronic two-component paint proportioner. For professional use only.



Important Safety InstructionsRead all warnings and instructions in this manual. Save these instructions.

See pages 3-4 for model information, including maximum working pressure and approvals.





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Models







ProMix 2KE systems are not approved for use in hazardous locations unless the base model, all accessories, all kits, and all wiring meet local, state, and national codes.

	Approved for Hazardous Location Class 1, Div 1, Group D (North America); Class 1, Zones 1 and 2 (Europe)					
Part No.	Series	Ratio	Pumps	Maximum Working Pressure psi (MPa, bar)	USB Port	
24F102	Α	3:1	Merkur, A and B	300 (2.1, 21)		
24F103	Α	23:1	Merkur, A and B	2300 (15.8, 158)		$\langle \mathcal{E} \mathbf{x} \rangle_{\parallel 2 \mathrm{G}}$
24F104	Α	30:1	Merkur, A and B	3000 (20.6, 206)		Ex ia px IIA T3 Ta = 0°C to 54°C
24F105	Α	45:1	Merkur, A and B	4500 (31.0, 310)		FM10 ATEX 0025 X
24F106	Α	3:1	Merkur A, Merkur Bellows B	300 (2.1, 21)		C FM US
24F107	Α	23:1	Merkur A, Merkur Bellows B	2300 (15.8, 158)		APPROVED Intrinsically safe and purged equipment for Class I, Division 1, Group D, T3
24F108	Α	35:1	Merkur A, Merkur Bellows B	3500 (24.1, 241)		Ta = 0°C to 54°C
24F109	Α	3:1	Merkur, A and B	300 (2.1, 21)	~	
24F110	Α	23:1	Merkur, A and B	2300 (15.8, 158)	~	CE 0359
24F111	Α	30:1	Merkur, A and B	3000 (20.6, 206)	~	0359
24F112	Α	45:1	Merkur, A and B	4500 (31.0, 310)	~	See Special Conditions
24F113	Α	3:1	Merkur A, Merkur Bellows B	300 (2.1, 21)	~	for Safe Use in Warnings , page 5.
24F114	Α	23:1	Merkur A, Merkur Bellows B	2300 (15.8, 158)	~	
24F115	Α	35:1	Merkur A, Merkur Bellows B	3500 (24.1, 241)	~	

^{*} ProMix 2KE hazardous location equipment manufactured in the United States, with serial number beginning with A or 01, has ATEX, FM, and CE approvals, as noted. Equipment manufactured in Belgium, with serial number beginning with M or 38, has ATEX and CE approvals, as noted.

See page 4 for models approved for non-hazardous locations.

Models (continued)

	Approved for Non-Hazardous Location					
Part No.	Series	Ratio	Pumps	Maximum Working Pressure psi (MPa, bar)	USB Port	Approvals*
24F088	Α	3:1	Merkur, A and B	300 (2.1, 21)		\sim
24F089	Α	23:1	Merkur, A and B	2300 (15.8, 158)		C FM US
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24F091	Α	45:1	Merkur, A and B	4500 (31.0, 310)		
24F092	А	3:1	Merkur A, Merkur Bellows B	300 (2.1, 21)		CE
24F093	А	23:1	Merkur A, Merkur Bellows B	2300 (15.8, 158)		
24F094	А	35:1	Merkur A, Merkur Bellows B	3500 (24.1, 241)		
24F095	Α	3:1	Merkur, A and B	300 (2.1, 21)	~	
24F096	Α	23:1	Merkur, A and B	2300 (15.8, 158)	/	
24F097	Α	30:1	Merkur, A and B	3000 (20.6, 206)	~	
24F098	Α	45:1	Merkur, A and B	4500 (31.0, 310)	~	
24F099	Α	3:1	Merkur A, Merkur Bellows B	300 (2.1, 21)	~	
24F100	А	23:1	Merkur A, Merkur Bellows B	2300 (15.8, 158)	~	
24F101	А	35:1	Merkur A, Merkur Bellows B	3500 (24.1, 241)	~	

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Related Manuals

Manual	Description
3A0870	ProMix 2KE, Repair/Parts
312781	Fluid Mix Manifold, Instructions/Parts
312782	Dosing Valve, Instructions/Parts
312784	Gun Flush Box Kit 15V826
312792	Merkur Displacement Pump
312793	Merkur Bellows Displacement Pump
312796	NXT Air Motor
406714	Rebuild Kit for High Pressure Dispense Valve

Manual	Description
406823	Dispense Valve Seat Kit
3A1244	Graco Control Architecture
	Module Programming
3A1323	16G353 Alternator Conversion Kit
3A1324	16G351 Electric Power Conversion Kit
3A1325	ProMix 2KE Stand Kits
3A1333	24H253 USB Module Kit
313542	Beacon Tower

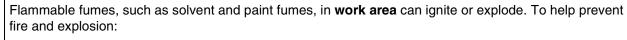
Warnings

The following warnings are for the setup, use, grounding, maintenance, and repair of this equipment. The exclamation point symbol alerts you to a general warning and the hazard symbols refer to procedure-specific risks. When these symbols appear in the body of this manual, refer back to these Warnings. Product-specific hazard symbols and warnings not covered in this section may appear throughout the body of this manual where applicable.

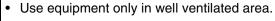
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FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD

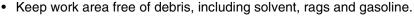








 Eliminate all ignition sources; such as pilot lights, cigarettes, portable electric lamps, and plastic drop cloths (potential static arc).



- Do not plug or unplug power cords, or turn power or light switches on or off when flammable fumes are present.
- Ground all equipment in the work area. See Grounding instructions.
- · Use only grounded hoses.
- Hold gun firmly to side of grounded pail when triggering into pail.
- If there is static sparking or you feel a shock, **stop operation immediately.** Do not use equipment until you identify and correct the problem.
- Keep a working fire extinguisher in the work area.



SPECIAL CONDITIONS FOR SAFE USE

- To prevent the risk of electrostatic sparking, the equipment's non-metallic parts should be cleaned only with a damp cloth.
- The aluminum adapter plate may spark upon impact or contact with moving parts, which may cause fire or explosion. Take precautions to avoid such impact or contact.



ELECTRIC SHOCK HAZARD

This equipment must be grounded. Improper grounding, setup, or usage of the system can cause electric shock.

- Turn off and disconnect power at main switch before disconnecting any cables and before servicing equipment.
- · Connect only to grounded power source.
- All electrical wiring must be done by a qualified electrician and comply with all local codes and regulations.

WARNING



INTRINSIC SAFETY





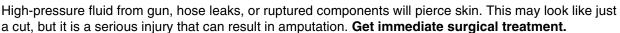
and the following safety requirements. Only models with model numbers 24F102-24F115, utilizing the air-driven alternator, are approved for

Intrinsically safe equipment that is installed improperly or connected to non-intrinsically safe equipment will create a hazardous condition and can cause fire, explosion, or electric shock. Follow local regulations

- installation in a Hazardous (explosive atmosphere) Location. See Models, page 3.
- Be sure your installation complies with national, state, and local codes for the installation of electrical apparatus in a Class I, Group D, Division 1 (North America) or Class I, Zones 1 and 2 (Europe) Hazardous Location, including all of the local safety fire codes, NFPA 33, NEC 500 and 516, and OSHA 1910.107.
- To help prevent fire and explosion:
 - Do not install equipment approved only for a non-hazardous location in a hazardous location. See model ID label for the intrinsic safety rating of your model.
 - Do not substitute system components as this may impair intrinsic safety.
- Equipment that comes in contact with the intrinsically safe terminals must be rated for Intrinsic Safety. This includes DC voltage meters, ohmmeters, cables, and connections. Remove the unit from the hazardous area when troubleshooting.
- The equipment is intrinsically safe when no external electrical components are connected to it.
- Do not connect, download, or remove USB device unless unit is removed from the hazardous (explosive atmosphere) location.



SKIN INJECTION HAZARD





- Do not spray without tip guard and trigger guard installed.
- Engage trigger lock when not spraying.
- Do not point gun at anyone or at any part of the body.
- Do not put your hand over the spray tip.
- Do not stop or deflect leaks with your hand, body, glove, or rag.
- Follow the Pressure Relief Procedure when you stop spraying and before cleaning, checking, or servicing equipment.
- Tighten all fluid connections before operating the equipment.
- Check hoses and couplings daily. Replace worn or damaged parts immediately.



WARNING



EQUIPMENT MISUSE HAZARD

Misuse can cause death or serious injury.



- Do not operate the unit when fatigued or under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- Do not exceed the maximum working pressure or temperature rating of the lowest rated system component. See **Technical Data** in all equipment manuals.
- Use fluids and solvents that are compatible with equipment wetted parts. See **Technical Data** in all equipment manuals. Read fluid and solvent manufacturer's warnings. For complete information about your material, request MSDS from distributor or retailer.
- Do not leave the work area while equipment is energized or under pressure. Turn off all equipment and follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** when equipment is not in use.
- Check equipment daily. Repair or replace worn or damaged parts immediately with genuine manufacturer's replacement parts only.
- Do not alter or modify equipment.
- Use equipment only for its intended purpose. Call your distributor for information.
- Route hoses and cables away from traffic areas, sharp edges, moving parts, and hot surfaces.
- Do not kink or over bend hoses or use hoses to pull equipment.
- · Keep children and animals away from work area.
- Comply with all applicable safety regulations.



MOVING PARTS HAZARD

Moving parts can pinch, cut or amputate fingers and other body parts.



- Keep clear of moving parts.
- Do not operate equipment with protective guards or covers removed.
- Pressurized equipment can start without warning. Before checking, moving, or servicing equipment, follow the **Pressure Relief Procedure** and disconnect all power sources.



TOXIC FLUID OR FUMES HAZARD

Toxic fluids or fumes can cause serious injury or death if splashed in the eyes or on skin, inhaled, or swallowed.



- Read MSDSs to know the specific hazards of the fluids you are using.
- Store hazardous fluid in approved containers, and dispose of it according to applicable guidelines.
- · Always wear chemically impermeable gloves when spraying, dispensing, or cleaning equipment.



PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

You must wear appropriate protective equipment when operating, servicing, or when in the operating area of the equipment to help protect you from serious injury, including eye injury, hearing loss, inhalation of toxic fumes, and burns. This equipment includes but is not limited to:

- Protective eyewear, and hearing protection.
- · Respirators, protective clothing, and gloves as recommended by the fluid and solvent manufacturer.

Important Two-Component Material Information

Isocyanate Conditions











isocyanates creates potentially harmful mists, vapors, and atomized particulates.

Read material manufacturer's warnings and material MSDS to know specific hazards and precautions related to isocyanates.

Prevent inhalation of isocyanate mists, vapors, and atomized particulates by providing sufficient ventilation in the work area. If sufficient ventilation is not available, a supplied-air respirator is required for everyone in the work area.

To prevent contact with isocyanates, appropriate personal protective equipment, including chemically impermeable gloves, boots, aprons, and goggles, is also required for everyone in the work area.

Material Self-ignition





Some materials may become self-igniting if applied too thickly. Read material manufacturer's warnings and material MSDS.

Keep Components A and B Separate







Cross-contamination can result in cured material in fluid lines which could cause serious injury or damage equipment. To prevent cross-contamination of the equipment's wetted parts, never interchange component A (resin) and component B (isocyanate) parts.

Moisture Sensitivity of Isocyanates

Isocyanates (ISO) are catalysts used in two component coatings. ISO will react with moisture (such as humidity) to form small, hard, abrasive crystals, which become suspended in the fluid. Eventually a film will form on the surface and the ISO will begin to gel, increasing in viscosity. If used, this partially cured ISO will reduce performance and the life of all wetted parts.

NOTE: The amount of film formation and rate of crystallization varies depending on the blend of ISO, the humidity, and the temperature.

To prevent exposing ISO to moisture:

- Always use a sealed container with a desiccant dryer in the vent, or a nitrogen atmosphere. Never store ISO in an open container.
- Use moisture-proof hoses specifically designed for ISO, such as those supplied with your system.
- Never use reclaimed solvents, which may contain moisture. Always keep solvent containers closed when not in use.
- Never use solvent on one side if it has been contaminated from the other side.
- Always lubricate threaded parts with ISO pump oil or grease when reassembling.

Changing Materials

- When changing materials, flush the equipment multiple times to ensure it is thoroughly clean.
- Always clean the fluid inlet strainers after flushing.
- Check with your material manufacturer for chemical compatibility.

Glossary of Terms

Dose Size - the amount of resin (A) and catalyst (B) that is dispensed into an integrator.

Dose Time Alarm - the amount of time that is allowed for a dose to occur before an alarm occurs.

Dynamic Dosing - Component A dispenses constantly. Component B dispenses intermittently in the necessary volume to attain the mix ratio.

Grand Total - a non-resettable value that shows the total amount of material dispensed through the system.

Intrinsically Safe (IS) - refers to the ability to locate certain components in a hazardous location.

Idle - if the gun is not triggered for 2 minutes the system enters Idle mode. Trigger the gun to resume operation.

Batch Total - a resettable value that shows the amount of material dispensed through the system for one batch. A batch is complete when the user resets the batch counter to zero.

Mix - when cross-linking of the resin (A) and catalyst (B) occurs.

Overdose Alarm - when either the resin (A) or catalyst (B) component dispenses too much material and the system cannot compensate for the additional material.

Potlife Time - the amount of time before a material becomes unsprayable.

Potlife Volume - the amount of material that is required to move through the mix manifold, hose, and applicator before the potlife timer is reset.

Pump Calibration Factor - the amount of material dispensed per inch of pump travel.

Purge - when all mixed material is flushed from the system.

Purge Time - the amount of time required to flush all mixed material from the system.

Ratio Tolerance - the settable percent of acceptable variance that the system will allow before a ratio alarm occurs.

Standby - refers to the status of the system.

Overview

Usage

The ProMix 2KE is an electronic two-component paint proportioner. It can blend most two-component paints. It is not for use with quick-setting paints (those with a pot life of less than 5 minutes).

- Has dynamic dosing capabilities. It dispenses material A, monitors fluid flow, and dispenses material B in doses to cause the mixture to stay on ratio.
- Can proportion at ratios from 0.1:1 to 30.0:1.
- Will display the last 50 errors with date, time, and event. The optional USB upgrade kit will log 500 errors and up to 2000 jobs.
- For systems with one gun, an optional Gun Flush Box provides an automated flushing system for a manual spray gun.

Component Identification and Definition

Component	Description
Control Box	Advanced Fluid Control Module
	Power supply or alternator
	Solenoid valves
	Air flow switch(es)
	Optional USB Module
	Audible alarm
	Optional pressure switch for gun flush box
Fluid Module	Mix manifold, which includes the fluid integrator and static mixer.
	Color/catalyst valve stacks, includes pneumatically operated dose valves for material A
	and B, as well as solvent valves.
	• Pumps
Display Module	Used to set up, display, operate, and monitor the system. Used for daily painting functions
	including choosing recipes, reading/clearing errors, and placing the system in Spray,
	Standby, or Purge mode.

Installation

General Information

- Reference numbers and letters in parentheses in the text refer to numbers and letters in the illustrations.
- Be sure all accessories are adequately sized and pressure-rated to meet system requirements.
- To protect the Display Module screens from paints and solvents, clear-plastic protective shields are available in packs of 10 (Part No. 24G821). Clean the screens with a dry cloth if necessary.

Intrinsically Safe Installation Requirements





Do not substitute or modify system components as this may impair intrinsic safety. For installation, maintenance, or operation instructions, read instruction manuals. Do not install equipment approved only for non-hazardous location in a hazardous location. See the identification label for the intrinsic safety rating for your model.

- The installation must meet the requirements of the National Electric Code, NFPA 70, Article 504 Resp., Article 505, and ANSI/ISA 12.06.01.
- 2. Multiple earthing of components is allowed only if high integrity equipotential system realized between the points of bonding.
- 3. For ATEX, install per EN 60079-14 and applicable local and national codes.

Hazardous (Classified) Locations Class 1, Div 1, Group D, T3 (US and Canada) Class 1, Zone 1, Group IIA, T3 (ATEX only)

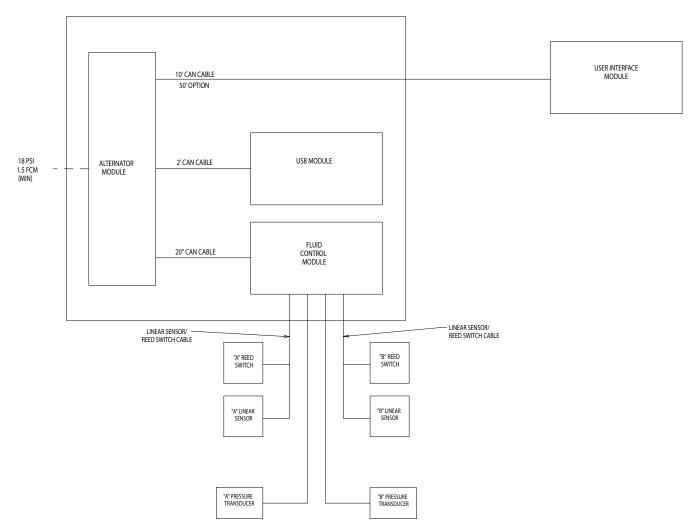


Fig. 1. Hazardous Location Installation

Non-Hazardous Locations

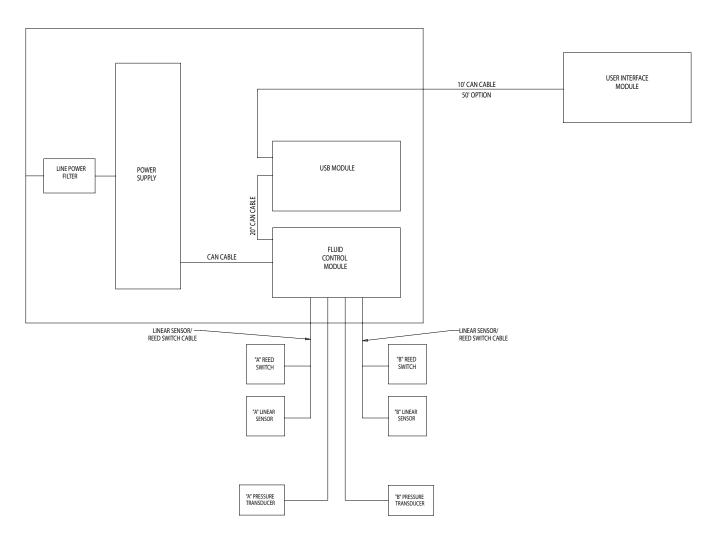


Fig. 2. Non-Hazardous Location Installation

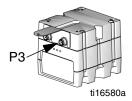
Display Module

- 1. Use the screws provided to mount the bracket for the Display Module on the front of the Control Box or on the wall, as you prefer.
- 2. Snap the Display Module into the bracket.
- 3. Connect one end of the CAN cable (provided) to J6 on the Display Module (either port).

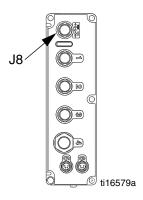




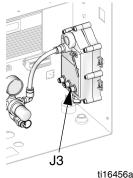
- 4. The other end of the cable comes from the factory connected as shown, depending on the configuration of your system:
 - **Wall Power Systems** with USB Module: Connect the CAN cable to P3 on the USB Module.



Wall Power Systems without USB Module: Connect CAN cable to J8 on the Advanced Fluid Control Module.



Alternator Power Systems (with or without **USB Module):** Connect CAN cable to J3 on the alternator.



Air Supply

Requirements

- Compressed air supply pressure: 75-100 psi (517-700 kPa, 5.2-7 bar).
- Air hoses: use grounded hoses that are correctly sized for your system.













Trapped air can cause a pump or dispense valve to cycle unexpectedly, which could result in serious injury from splashing or moving parts. Use bleed-type shutoff valves.

Air regulator and bleed-type shutoff valve: include in each air line to fluid supply equipment. Install an additional shutoff valve upstream of all air line accessories to isolate them for servicing.





If using a Graco electrostatic PRO[™] Gun, a shutoff valve must be installed in the gun air line to shutoff the atomizing and turbine air to the gun. Contact your Graco distributor for information on air shutoff valves for electrostatic applications.

Air line filter: a 10 micron or better air filter is recommended to filter oil and water out of the air supply and help avoid paint contamination and clogged solenoids.

Air Connections

See the **System Pneumatic Schematic** on page 66 (hazardous location) or page 67 (non-hazardous location).

- Tighten all ProMix 2KE system air and fluid line connections as they may have loosened during shipment.
- 2. Connect the main air supply line to the main air inlet. This air line supplies the solenoids, valves, and pumps. See Fig. 3.

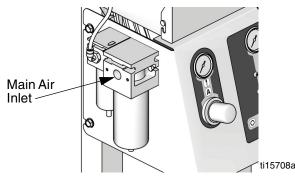


Fig. 3. Air Supply Inlet

3. For each gun in the system, connect a separate clean air supply line to the air inlet of the air flow switch. This air supplies gun atomizing air. The air flow switch detects air flow to the gun and signals the controller when the gun is being triggered.

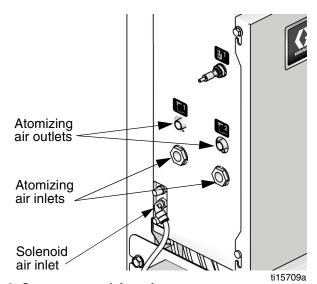


Fig. 4. Connect atomizing air

Fluid Supply

Requirements









- Do not exceed the pressure rating of the lowest rated component. See the identification label.
- To reduce the risk of injury, including fluid injection, you must install a shutoff valve between each fluid supply line and the mix manifold. Use the valves to shut off fluid during maintenance and service.

ProMix 2KE models are available to operate airless (high pressure, 50 cc pumps only), air spray, or air-assisted systems with a capacity of up to 3800 cc/min.

- Fluid supply pressure tanks, feed pumps, or circulating systems can be used.
- Materials can be transferred from their original containers or from a central paint recirculating line.

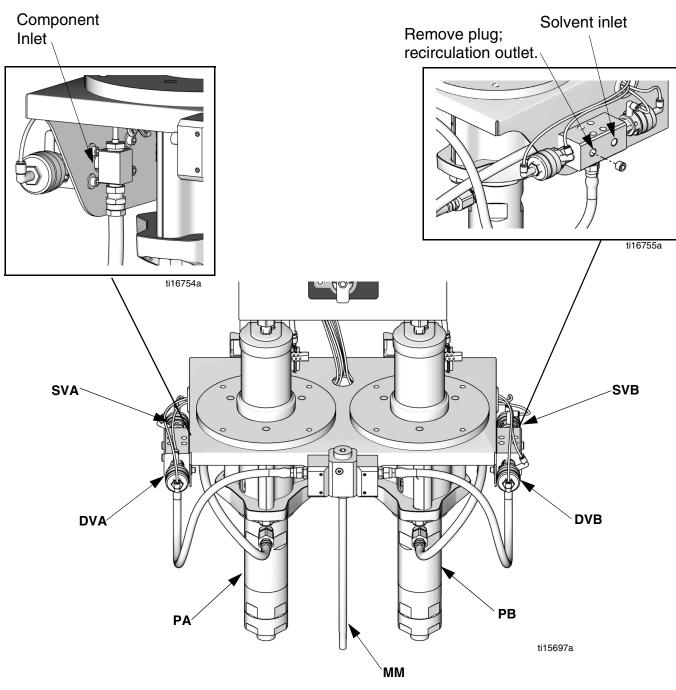
NOTE: The fluid supply must be free of pressure spikes, which are commonly caused by pump stroke changeover. If necessary, install pressure regulators or a surge tank on the ProMix 2KE fluid inlets to reduce pulsation. Contact your Graco distributor for additional information.

Fluid Connections

- 1. See Fig. 5, page 15. Connect the solvent supply line to the 1/4 npt(f) solvent valve inlets (SVA and SVB).
- 2. Connect the component A supply line(s) to the component A dose valve inlet (DVA).

NOTE: Paint Recirculating System Only

- If you are recirculating paint, use the standard inlet on Dose Valve A or Dose Valve B. Remove the plug directly opposite it on the dose valve for the recirculation outlet. See Fig. 5.
- 3. Connect the component B line to the component B dose valve inlet (DVB).
- 4. Connect the gun fluid supply line between the mix manifold (MM) outlet and the gun fluid inlet.



Key:

PA Component A Pump
DVA Component A Dose Valve

SVA Solvent Valve A

PB Component B Pump DVB Component B Dose Valve

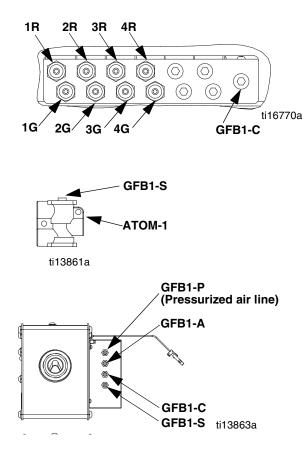
SVB Solvent Valve B MM Mix Manifold

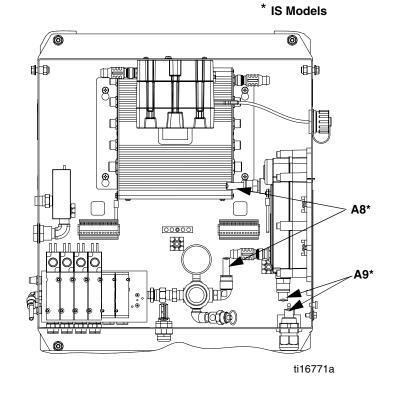
Fig. 5. Fluid Connections

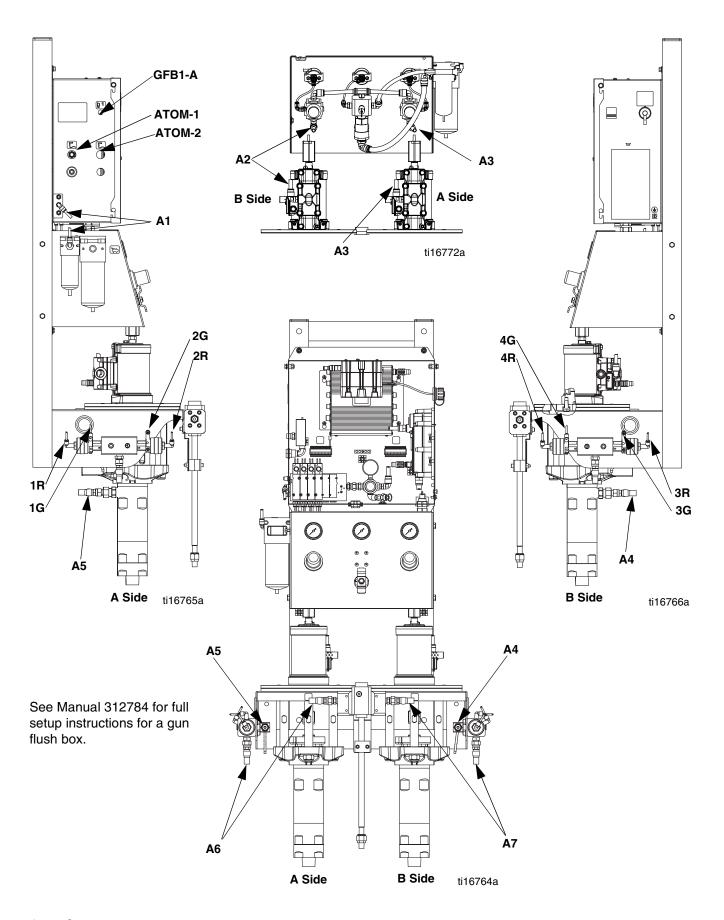
Tubing Chart and Diagrams

Туре	Color	Description	Starting Point	Ending Point	Tube OD in. (mm)
Air	Green	Solvent Valve A On	1G	1G	0.156 (4.0)
Air	Green	Dose Valve A On	2G	2G	0.156 (4.0)
Air	Green	Solvent Valve B On	3G	3G	0.156 (4.0)
Air	Green	Dose Valve B On	4G	4G	0.156 (4.0)
Air	Red	Solvent Valve A Off	1R	1R	0.156 (4.0)
Air	Red	Dose Valve A Off	2R	2R	0.156 (4.0)
Air	Red	Solvent Valve B Off	3R	3R	0.156 (4.0)
Air	Red	Dose Valve B Off	4R	4R	0.156 (4.0)
Air	Natural	Solenoid Air	A1	A1	0.25 (6.3)
Air	Natural	Air Regulator to Pump B	A2	A2	0.375 (9.5)
Air	Natural	Air Regulator to Pump A	A3	A3	0.375 (9.5)
Fluid		Pump B to Valve Stack B	A4	A4	
Fluid		Pump A to Valve Stack A	A5	A5	
Fluid		Valve Stack A to Mix Manifold	A6	A6	
Fluid		Valve Stack B to Mix Manifold	A7	A7	
Air	Natural	Air Regulator to Alternator*	A8	A8	0.375 (9.5)
Air	Black	Alternator Air Exhaust*	A9	A9	0.5 (12.7)

^{*} Used only on IS models.







Electrical

Power Connection (non-IS units only)



All electrical wiring must be completed by a qualified electrician and comply with all local codes and regulations.

Enclose all cables routed in the spray booth and high traffic areas in conduit to prevent damage from paint, solvent, and traffic.

The ProMix 2KE operates with 85-250 VAC, 50/60 Hz input power, with a maximum of 2 amp current draw. The power supply circuit must be protected with a 15 amp maximum circuit breaker.

Not included with system:

- Power supply cord compatible to your local power configuration. Wire gauge size must be 8-14 AWG.
- The input power access port is 22.4 mm (0.88 in.) in diameter. It accepts a bulkhead strain relief fitting or conduit.
- 1. Verify that electrical power at the main panel is shut off. Open Control Box cover.
- 2. Connect electrical cord to the terminal block as shown in Fig. 6.
- 3. Close the Control Box. Restore power.
- 4. Follow instructions in **Grounding**, page 19.

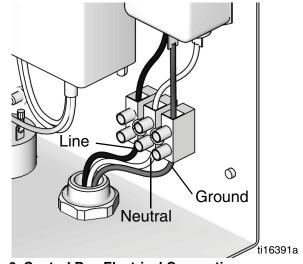


Fig. 6. Control Box Electrical Connection

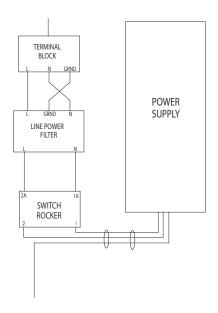


Fig. 7. Electrical Schematic

Grounding



The equipment must be grounded. Grounding reduces the risk of static and electric shock by providing an escape wire for the electrical current due to static build up or in the event of a short circuit.

Connect the ProMix 2KE ground wire to the ground screw. Connect the clamp to a true earth ground. If wall power is used to power controls, ground electrical connection according to local codes.

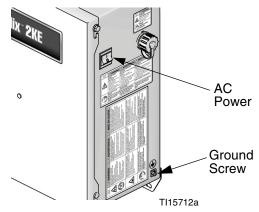


Fig. 8. Ground Screw and Power Switch

Gun Flush Box

Connect a ground wire from the Gun Flush Box ground lug to a true earth ground.

Feed Pumps or Pressure Pots

Connect a ground wire and clamp from a true earth ground to the pumps or pots. See pump or pressure pot manual.

Air and Fluid Hoses

Use grounded hoses only.

Spray Gun

Follow the grounding instructions in your gun manual.

- Non-Electrostatic: Ground the spray gun through connection to a Graco-approved grounded fluid supply hose.
- Electrostatic: Ground the spray gun through connection to a Graco-approved grounded air supply hose. Connect the air hose ground wire to a true earth ground.

Fluid Supply Container

Follow local code.

Object Being Sprayed

Follow local code.

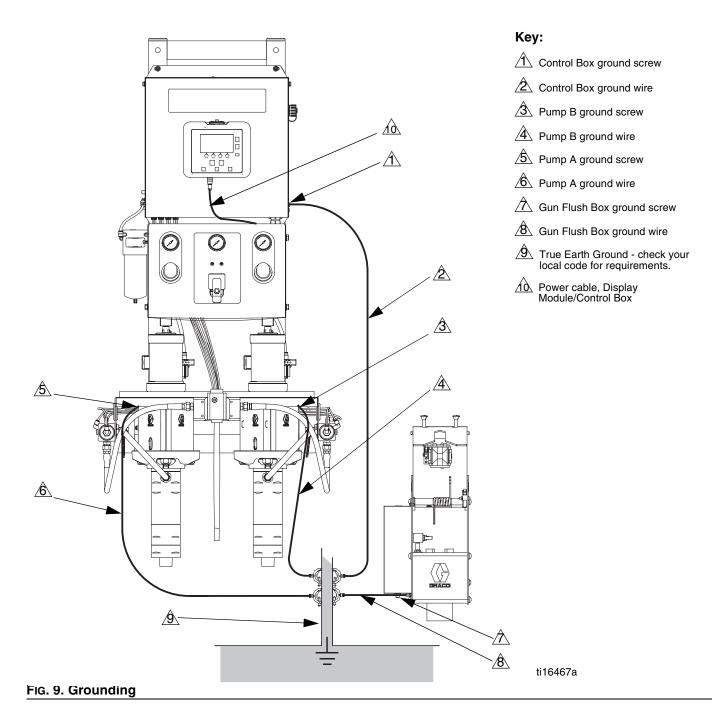
All Solvent Pails Used When Purging

Follow local code. Use only conductive metal pails/containers placed on a grounded surface. Do not place the pail/container on a nonconductive surface, such as paper or cardboard, which interrupts the grounding continuity.

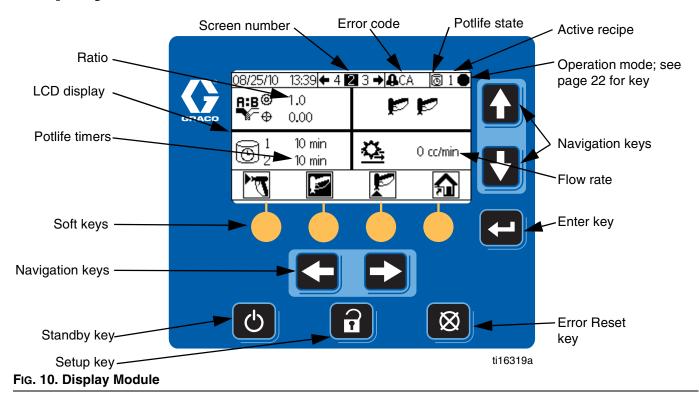
Check Resistance



To ensure proper grounding, resistance between components and true earth ground **must** be less than 1 ohm.



Display Module



Display

Shows graphical and text information related to setup and spray operations. The screen backlight is factory set to remain on. The user may set a number of minutes the screen can be inactive before the backlight dims. See **Configure 3 (Screen 20)**, page 44. Press any key to restore.

NOTE: The Display Module and bracket can be removed from the cover of the electrical box and mounted remotely, if preferred.

Key	Function
A	Setup: Press to enter or exit Setup mode.
	Enter: Press to choose a field to update, to make a selection, or to save a selection or value.
+ +	Left/Right Arrows: Use to move from screen to screen.

Keys are used to input numerical data, enter setup screens, navigate within a screen, scroll through screens, and select setup values.

NOTICE

To prevent damage to the soft key buttons, do not press the buttons with sharp objects such as pens, plastic cards, or fingernails.

T.	11. /5
	Up/Down Arrows: Use to move among fields on a screen, items on a dropdown menu, or digits in a settable field.
\boxtimes	Error Reset: Use to clear alarm so cause can be fixed. Also use to cancel a data entry field.
O	Standby: Stops the current operation and puts the system into standby.
• • • •	Soft keys: Press to select the specific screen or operation shown on the display directly above each key.

Icon Key

The following tables present a printable version of the information on the ProMix 2KE icon card. See Table 3, page 52, for a printable version of the error code information on the reverse side of the card.

General Icons

Icon	Description
\$	Pump
庭 類	Meter
	Dose Valve
Q.	Solvent Valve
	Air Filter
~~~	Fluid Filter
Į.	Gun Flush Box
Pœ	Park Pumps
<b>₽</b>	Flush Time
Ω	Hose Length
0	Hose Diameter
<b>A:B</b>	Ratio
Ō	Potlife
11111	Length
V	Volume
0	Pressure
	Air Flow Switch
<b>₹</b>	Flow Rate High/Low
	Job Number
ů=	User Number

## **Spray Gun States**

Icon	Description
T	Mix
D.	Mix Spray
Ţ.	In Flush Box
F	Purge
¥.	Purge in Flush Box
Ø	Standby
Zzz	Idle
<b>①</b>	Locked

## **Operation Modes**

Icon	Description
•	Standby
ŗ	Mix
ŭ	Purge
₩	Color Change
æ	Dispense A
В	Dispense B
0	Batch
>	Calibrate
X	Forced
#	Park
Ф	Locked

## **Screen Shortcuts**

Icon	Description
â	Home
	Spray
	Alarm Log
霏	Run Pumps
<del>,  </del>	System Configuration
Ħ	Recipes
7	Maintenance
Ą	Calibrate

## **Softkeys**

Icon	Description
<b>D</b> *	Mix/Spray
Ø	Standby
P	Purge
12345 + 00000	Reset Counter
	Start
	Stop/Standby

# **Screen Summary**

**NOTE:** This summary is a one-page guide to the ProMix 2KE screens, followed by screen maps. For operating instructions, see **Basic Operation**, page 29. For further detail on individual screens, see **Run Mode Details**, page 39, or **Setup Mode Details**, page 42.

#### Run Mode

The run mode has three screen sections that control the mixing operations.

#### Mix (Screens 2-4, 38)

- Spray (Screen 2) controls most mixing operations.
- Batch (Screen 3) controls dispense of a set volume
- Totals (Screen 4) displays grand and batch totals for materials A and B.
- Job Number (Screen 38) displays job number and user number

#### Error Log (Screens 5-14)

- 10 screens, 5 errors per page.
- Displays date, time, and error.

#### Pump Control (Screen 15)

- Manually start or stop a pump.
- Park pumps for brief shutdowns.

## **Setup Mode**

The setup mode has four screen sections that allow an authorized user to choose the exact settings needed for the system:

#### Configure (Screens 18-21)

- Configure 1 (Screen 18) controls system type (pump or meter), gun flush box enable, and number of guns (1 or 2).
- Configure 2 (Screen 19) controls hose length and diameter for one or two guns, flow rate region setting, and air flow switch enable or disable.
- Configure 3 (Screen 20) controls language (for optional USB Module), date format, date, time, password setting, and backlight timer.
- Configure 4 (Screen 21) controls units for distance, volume and pressure.

#### Recipe (Screens 28 and 29)

• Recipe 1-1 (Screen 28) and 1-2 (Screen 29) control Material 1/Color 1 parameters and flush.

## Maintenance (Screens 24-26)

- Maintenance 1 (Screen 24) controls maintenance timer actual and target for Pump A,
   Pump B, Solvent Valve A, and Solvent Valve B.
- Maintenance 2 (Screen 25) controls dose valves A and B maintenance timers, actual and target.
- Maintenance 3 (Screen 26) controls fluid and air filter maintenance timers, actual and target.

#### Calibration (Screens 22 and 23)

- Calibration 1 (Screen 22) controls pump factors for Pump A and Pump B.
- Calibration 2 (Screen 23) allows the user to perform a calibration.

## **Troubleshooting**

The troubleshooting mode has three screen sections that allow an authorized user to troubleshoot system operation. See Fig. 14, page 28.

System Inputs (Screen 35)

**Membrane Test (Screen 36)** 

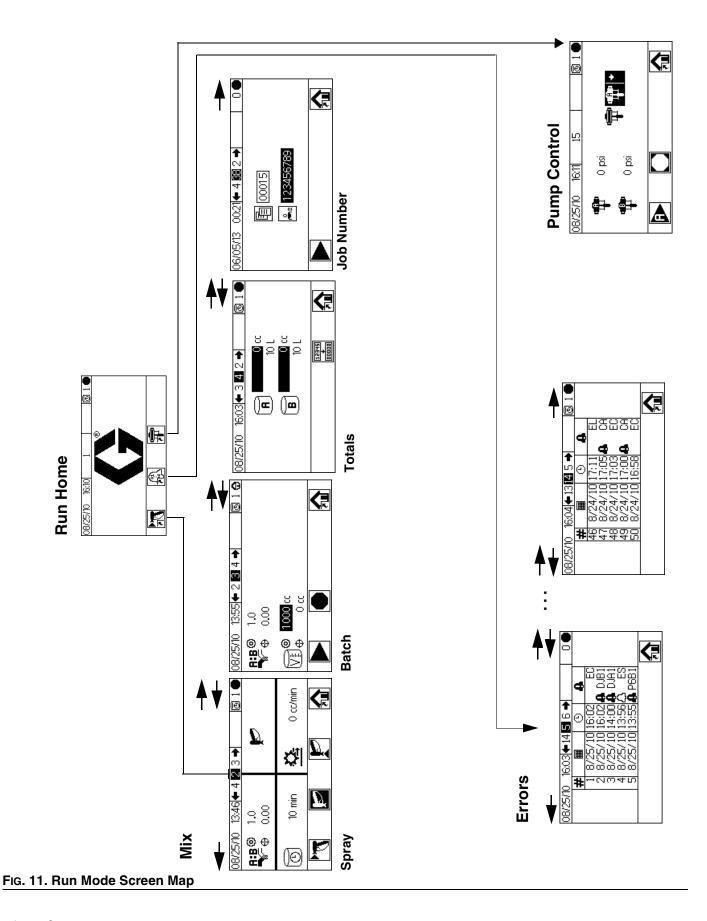
System Outputs and Manual Activation (Screen 37)

# **Ranges for User Inputs**

This table is a one-sheet reference of the data range/options accepted for each user input and the default setting. See the page indicated in the table for further screen information, if needed.

Page	Screen	User Input	Range/Options	Default
39	Run Mix Batch (3)	Target Volume	1 to 9999 cc	0 cc
40	Run Job Number (38)	User Number	000000000 to 999999999	00000000
42	Password (16)	Password	0000 to 9999	0000 (disabled)
43	Configure 1 (18)	System Type	Meters; 50cc Pump; 75cc Pump; 100cc Pump; 125cc Pump; 150cc Pump	Meters
43	Configure 1 (18)	Gun Flush Box Enable	On or Off	Off
43	Configure 1 (18)	Number of Guns	1 or 2 guns	1 gun
43	Configure 2 (19)	Gun 1 or Gun 2 hose length	0.1 to 45.7 m / 0.3 to 150 ft	1.53 m / 5.01 ft
43	Configure 2 (19)	Gun 1 or Gun 2 hose diameter	0.1 to 1 inch	0.25 inches
43	Configure 2 (19)	Flow Rate Region	High (250 cc/min or higher) or Low (<250 cc/min)	High
43	Configure 2 (19)	Air Flow Switch	On or Off	On
44	Configure 3 (20)	USB Log Language	Chinese; Dutch; English; French; German; Ital- ian; Japanese; Korean; Portuguese; Russian; Spanish; Swedish;	English
44	Configure 3 (20)	Date Format	mm/dd/yy; dd/mm/yy; yy/mm/dd	mm/dd/yy
44	Configure 3 (20)	Date	01/01/00 to 12/31/99	Set at factory
44	Configure 3 (20)	Time	00:00 to 23:59	Set at factory
44	Configure 3 (20)	Password	0000 to 9999	0000 (disabled)
44	Configure 3 (20)	Backlight Timer	0 to 99 minutes	0 minutes
44	Configure 4 (21)	Distance Units	Feet/inches or Meters/cm	Feet/inches
44	Configure 4 (21)	Volume Units	Liters; Gallons US; Gallons Imperial	Gallons US
44	Configure 4 (21)	Pressure Units	psi; Bar; MPA	psi
44	Recipe 1-1 (28)	Ratio	0:1 to 30:1  Note: Enter 0 to dispense A only.	1:1
44	Recipe 1-1 (28)	Ratio Tolerance	1 to 99 percent*	5 percent
44	Recipe 1-1 (28)	Potlife Timer	0 to 240 minutes  Note: If set to 0, potlife alarm is disabled.	60 minutes
44	Recipe 1-2 (29)	Flush Times- First (A purge), Second (B purge), or Third (using A or B, chosen by user)	0 to 240 seconds  Note: If set to 0, the valve(s) will not flush.	60 seconds
45	Maintenance 1 (24)	Pump A or Pump B	0 to 9,999,999	0
45	Maintenance 1 (24)	Solvent Valve A or Solvent Valve B	0 to 9,999,999	0
45	Maintenance 2 (25)	Dose Valve A or Dose Valve B	0 to 9,999,999	0
45	Maintenance 3 (26)	Fluid Filter A or B, or Air Filter	0 to 9999 days	0 days
46	Calibration 1 (22)	Pump A or Pump B Factor	5 to 50 cc/in	50cc: 10 cc/in. 75cc: 15 cc/in. 100 cc: 20 cc/in. 125cc: 25 cc/in. 150cc: 30 cc/in.
46	Calibration 2 (23)	Actual Dispensed Volume	1 to 9999 cc	0 cc

^{*} The system will attempt to hold whatever accuracy is entered. For some ratios and applications, testing shows that actual system accuracy may be ±2% or ±5%. See **Technical Data**, page 73.



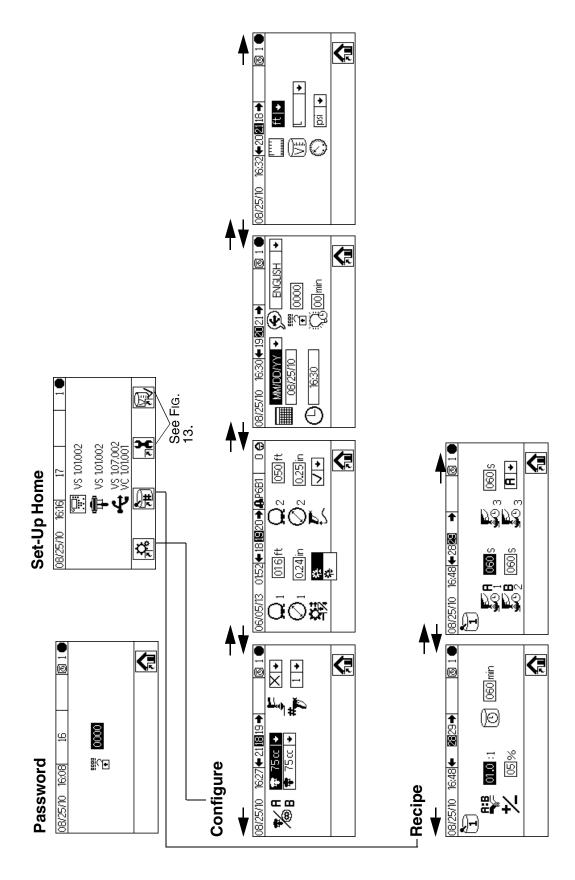


Fig. 12. Setup Mode Screen Map, page 1

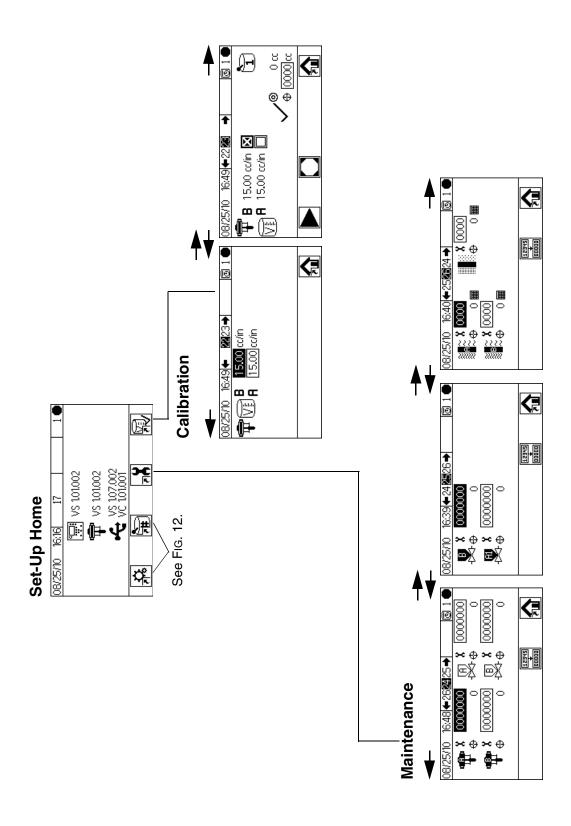


Fig. 13. Setup Mode Screen Map, page 2

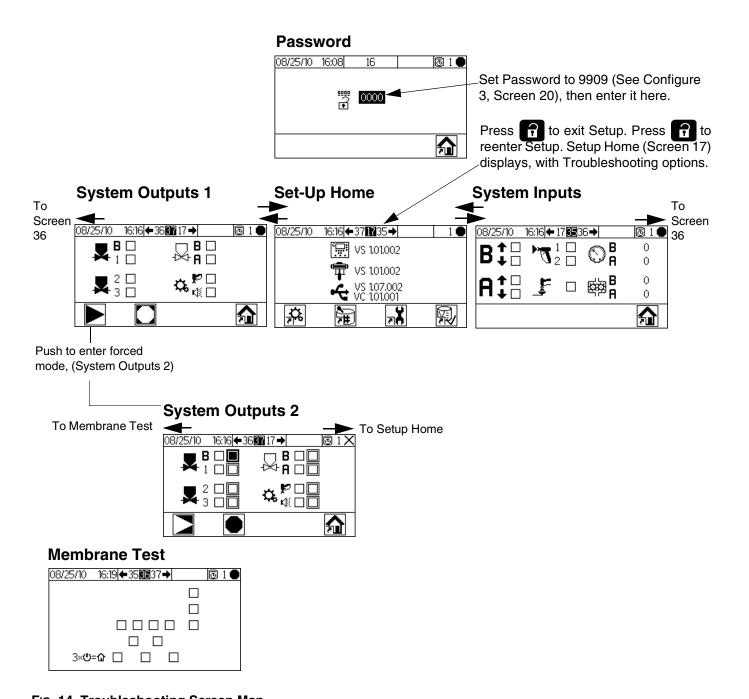


Fig. 14. Troubleshooting Screen Map

# **Basic Operation**

# **Pre-Operation Tasks**

Go through the Pre-Operation Checklist in Table 1.

**Table 1: Pre-Operation Checklist** 

1	Checklist
	System grounded
	Verify all grounding connections were made. See <b>Grounding</b> , page 19.
	All connections tight and correct
	Verify all electrical, fluid, air, and system connections are tight and installed according to the manual instructions.
	Fluid supply containers filled
	Check component A and B and solvent supply containers.
	Dose valves set
	Check that dose valves are set correctly. Start with the settings recommended in <b>Valve Set-tings</b> , page 35, then adjust as needed.
	Fluid supply valves open and pressure set
	Component A and B fluid supply pressures should be equal unless one component is more viscous and requires a higher pressure setting.
	Solenoid pressure set
	75-100 psi inlet air supply (0.5-0.7 MPa, 5.2-7 bar)

## **Power On**

1. **IS Systems (Alternator Power Supply):** Set pump air regulators to minimum setting. Open main air valve to start air-powered alternator. Main air pressure is displayed on gauge.

**Non-IS Systems (Wall Power Supplied):** Turn the AC Power Switch ON (I = ON, 0 = OFF).

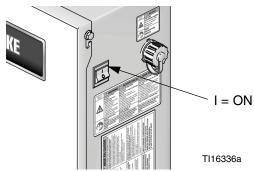


Fig. 15. Power Switch

2. Graco logo will display after five seconds, followed by Run Mix Spray (Screen 2).

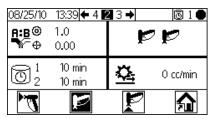


Fig. 16. Run Mix Spray (Screen 2)

# **Initial System Setup**

- 1. Change optional setup selections to desired parameters, as described in **Configure 1-4 (Screens 18-21)**, page 43.
- Set recipe and flush information as described in Recipe 1-1 (Screen 28) and Recipe 1-2 (Screen 29), page 44.
- 3. Set maintenance timers for pumps, valves, fluid filters and air filters, as described in **Maintenance 1-3** (Screens 24-26), page 45.

# **Prime the System**

**NOTE:** See **Run Mode Details**, pages 39-41, for further screen information, if needed.



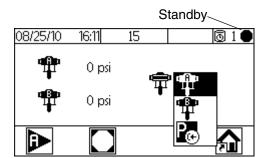








- Adjust the main air pressure. Most applications require about 80 psi (552 kPa, 5.5 bar) air pressure to operate properly. Do not use less than 75 psi (517 kPa, 5.2 bar).
- If this is the first time starting up the system, or if lines may contain air, purge as instructed in **Purg**ing, page 32. The equipment was tested with lightweight oil, which should be flushed out to avoid contaminating your material.
- 3. From Run Home (Screen 1), press . Make sure that the system is in Standby mode.



- 4. Press to show the dropdown menu.
- 5. Press to highlight Pump A, then press .
- 6. Put Pump A into supply pail.
- 7. Adjust air pressure to component A pump for your application. Use lowest pressure possible.



**NOTE:** Do not exceed the maximum rated working pressure shown on the system identification label or the lowest rated component in the system.

8. Open the fluid supply valve to the pump.

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**NOTE:** If using an electrostatic gun, shut off the electrostatics before spraying.

- If using a gun flush box, place the gun in the box and close the lid. Press . The pump will run 12 cycles.
  - If the gun flush box is not used, trigger the gun into a grounded metal pail until the system returns to Standby.



- Press to stop the pump before 12 cycles are completed. If the pump is not fully primed after 12 cycles, press again.
- 11. Repeat for Pump B.

# **Pump Calibration**

NOTE: See Calibration 1 and 2 (Screens 22 and 23), page 46, for further screen information, if needed.











## Calibrate the pump:

- The first time the system is operated.
- Whenever new materials are used in the system, especially if the materials have viscosities that differ significantly.
- At least once per month as part of regular maintenance.
- Whenever a pump is serviced or replaced.

#### NOTE:

- Pump factors on Calibration 1 (Screen 22) are updated automatically after the calibration procedure is completed. You also may manually edit them if desired.
- All values on this screen are in cc or cc/in., regardless of the units set in Configure 4 (Screen 21).
- During each calibration the dispense valve will close during an up stroke and a down stroke (in either order). This test is to verify that the pump ball checks are seating properly and not leaking. If leaking occurs, the system will alarm after the calibration for that particular valve.
- 1. Before calibrating pump A or B, prime the system with material. See **Prime the System**, page 30.
- 2. If the display is on a Run Mode screen, press to access setup screens.
- 3. Press to display Calibration1 (Screen 22).

  Pump calibration factors are shown for Pump A and Pump B.
- 4. Press 🖚 to move to Calibration 2 (Screen 23).
- 5. Press to highlight the pump you wish to calibrate. Press . An X displays in the box.

- 6. Press to start the calibration on the checked pump (A or B). Press to cancel the calibration.
- 7. Trigger gun into a graduated cylinder. Dispense a minimum of 200-300cc of material.

**NOTE:** Stop triggering the gun when desired amount is reached. **Do not** press **•**, as it will cancel the calibration.

8. The volume that the ProMix measured displays on the Display Module.

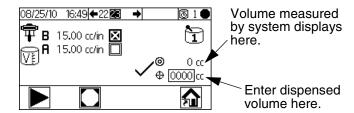


Fig. 17. Dispensed Volume Comparison

9. Compare the amount on the Display Module to the amount in the graduated cylinder.

**NOTE:** For maximum accuracy, use a gravimetric (mass) method to determine the actual volumes dispensed.

• If the screen and actual volumes are different, press

to highlight the dispense volume field. Press

Press

to move between digits. Press

to change a digit. Press

when field is correct.

**NOTE:** If the value is substantially different, repeat the calibration process until the dispensed volume and measured volume match.

- After the volume for A or B is entered, the ProMix 2KE controller calculates the new pump factor and shows it on Calibration 1 (Screen 22) and Calibration 2 (Screen 23).
- 11. Before you begin production, clear the system of solvent and prime it with material.
  - a. Go to Mix mode.
  - b. Trigger the gun into a grounded metal pail until mixed material flows from the gun nozzle.

# **Spraying**

**NOTE:** See **Run Mode Details**, pages 39-41, for further screen information, if needed.



- Calibrate the pumps as described in Pump Calibration, page 31. Pump factors will update automatically based on calibration results. Make additional manual changes, if desired, as described in Calibration 1 and 2 (Screens 22 and 23), page 46. Adjust the flow rate.
- 2. Press . The system will load the correct potlife volume based on hose length and diameter entered on Configure 2 (Screen 19). Once material is

loaded, the system returns to Standby. Press again to spray the loaded recipe.

3. Adjust the flow rate. The fluid flow rate shown on the Display Module screen is for either component A or B, depending on which dose valve is open.

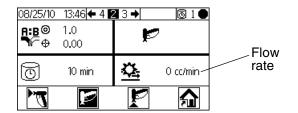


Fig. 18. Flow Rate Display

If the fluid flow rate is too low: increase air pressure to component A and B fluid supplies or increase the regulated fluid pressure of mixed material.

If the fluid flow rate is too high: reduce the air pressure to component A and B fluid supplies, close the dose valves further, or decrease the regulated fluid pressure of mixed material.

4. Turn on atomizing air to the gun. Check the spray pattern as instructed in your spray gun manual.

#### NOTE:

- Pressure adjustments of each component will vary with fluid viscosity. Start with the same fluid pressure for component A and B, then adjust as needed.
- Do not use the first 4-5 oz. (120-150 cc) of material as it may not be thoroughly mixed due to errors while priming the system.

#### **NOTICE**

Do not allow a fluid supply tank to run empty. It is possible for air flow in the supply line to turn gear meters in the same manner as fluid. This can damage the meters and lead to the proportioning of fluid and air that meets the ratio and tolerance settings of the equipment. This can further result in spraying uncatalyzed or poorly catalyzed material.

# **Purging**

**NOTE:** See **Run Mode Details**, pages 39-41, for further screen information, if needed.



There are 2 purging procedures in this manual:

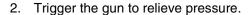
- Purging Mixed Material
- Purging Fluid Supply System

Use the criteria listed for each procedure to determine which procedure to use.

## **Purging Mixed Material**

There are times when you only want to purge the fluid manifold, such as:

- end of potlife
- · breaks in spraying that exceed the potlife
- overnight shutdown or end of shift
- before servicing the fluid manifold assembly, hose or gun.
- Press on Run Mix Spray (Screen 2) or from any screen to put the system in Standby.



- If you are using a high pressure gun, engage the trigger lock. Remove spray tip and clean tip separately.
- 4. If using an electrostatic gun shut off the electrostatics before flushing the gun.
- Set the solvent supply pressure regulator at a pressure high enough to completely purge the system in a reasonable amount of time but low enough to avoid splashing or an injection injury. Generally, a setting of 100 psi (0.7 MPa, 7 bar) is sufficient.
- 6. If using a gun flush box, place the gun into the box and close the lid.
- 7. Press on Run Mix Spray (Screen 2). The purge sequence automatically starts.

If the gun flush box is not used, trigger the gun into a grounded metal pail until the purge sequence is complete.



When done purging, the system automatically switches to Standby mode.

8. If the system is not completely clean, repeat step 6.

**NOTE:** If necessary, adjust purge sequence times so only one cycle is required.

- Trigger the gun to relieve pressure. Engage trigger lock.
- 10. If spray tip was removed, reinstall it.
- 11. Adjust the solvent supply regulator back to its normal operating pressure.

**NOTE:** The system remains full of solvent.

**NOTE:** If your system uses 2 guns, you must trigger both guns simultaneously during a purge to purge both guns and lines. Verify that clean solvent flows from each gun. If not, repeat purge or clear clog/blockage in system.

## **Purging Fluid Supply System**

Follow this procedure before:

- the first time material is loaded into equipment
- servicing
- shutting down equipment for an extended period of time
- putting equipment into storage
- 1. Press on Run Mix Spray (Screen 2) or from any screen to put the system in Standby.
- 2. Trigger the gun to relieve pressure.
- If you are using a high pressure gun, engage the trigger lock. Remove spray tip and clean tip separately.
- 4. If using an electrostatic gun, shut off the electrostatics before flushing the gun.
- 5. Disconnect the component A and B fluid supplies at the pump inlets, and connect solvent supply lines.
- 6. Adjust the solvent fluid supply pressure. Use the lowest possible pressure to avoid splashing.
- 7. Remove the Control Box cover to access the solenoid valves. See Fig. 19.

### 8. Purge as follows:

- Purge component A side. Press the manual override on the Dose Valve A solenoid valve and trigger the gun into a grounded metal pail.
- Purge component B side. Press the manual override on the Dose Valve B solenoid valve and trigger the gun into a grounded metal pail until clean solvent flows from the gun.
- Repeat to thoroughly clean the mix manifold.

- 9. Reinstall the Control Box cover.
- 10. Shut off the solvent fluid supply.
- 11. Disconnect the solvent supply lines and reconnect the component A and B fluid supplies.

**NOTE:** The system remains full of solvent.

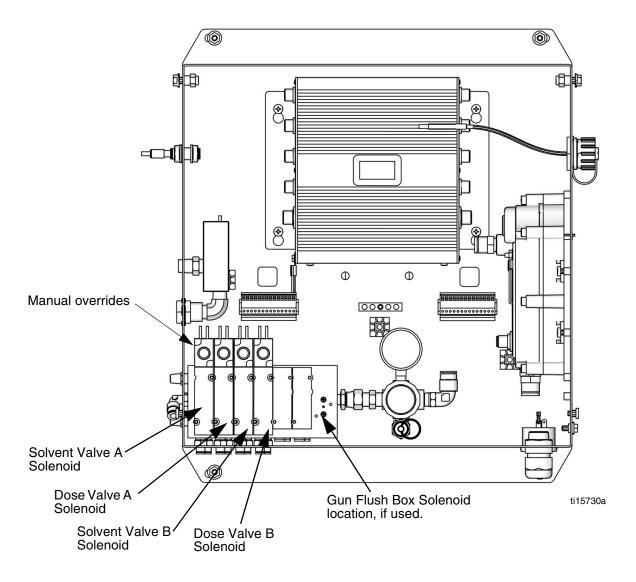


Fig. 19. Solenoid Valves in Control Box

## **Pressure Relief Procedure**







To reduce the risk of skin injection, relieve pressure when you stop spraying, before changing spray tips, and before cleaning, checking, or servicing equipment.

**NOTE:** The following procedure relieves all fluid and air pressure in the ProMix 2KE system.

- Press on Run Mix Spray (Screen 2) or from any screen to put the system in Standby.
- 2. Follow procedure for **Purging Fluid Supply System**, page 33, if desired or necessary.
- 3. Shut off air supply to A and B pumps and solvent supply pumps.
- With the gun triggered, push the manual override on the A and B dose and solvent valve solenoids to relieve pressure. See Fig. 19. Verify that fluid pressure is reduced to 0.
- 5. Reinstall the Control Box cover.

## **Lock Mode**

**NOTE:** Do not change system type, number of guns, hose length or hose diameter when material is loaded in the system. Change these inputs only if system hardware is changed.

If you change one of these inputs, the system locks so that you cannot spray or mix. If you have changed to a meter system, the system also locks if you change the dosing type or the number of colors. The lock icons display.

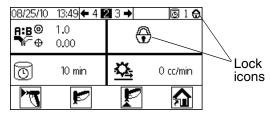


Fig. 20. System Lock Mode

Power down and power back up again to clear the lock and put the new settings into effect. The lock ensures that the selection was intended and prevents the user from attempting to operate with incorrect settings.

# **Valve Settings**

Dose valves and purge valves are factory set with the hex nut 1-1/4 turns out from fully closed. This setting limits maximum fluid flow rate into integrator and minimizes valve response time. To open dose or purge valves (for high viscosity materials), turn hex nut (E) counterclockwise. To close dose or purge valves (for low viscosity materials), turn clockwise. See Fig. 21.

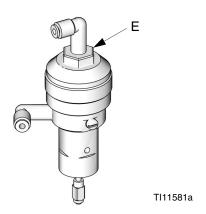


Fig. 21. Valve Adjustment

## **Shutdown**

- 1. Follow Purging, on page 32.
- Close main air shutoff valve on air supply line and on ProMix 2KE.
- 3. **Non-IS Systems:** Shut off ProMix 2KE power (0 position).

# **Use of Optional USB Module**

# **USB** Logs

## Job Log 1

See example in Fig. 22. The job log records total volumes for each job that the system performs, up to 2000. It records the date, time, user number, job number, total A volume, total B volume, and mix ratio. Job total volumes are in cubic centimeters. A log entry is made when a new job is initiated, which occurs when batch totals are cleared, or when the job number is incremented from Run Job Number (Screen 38). Job information is displayed on the Display Module **only** through use of the optional USB Module.

**NOTE:** User Number, Ratio, and Alarm 1-5 are displayed as of 2KE System Software version 1.03.001 (USB Cube Software version 1.10.001).

## **Error Log 2**

See example in Fig. 23. The error log records all errors generated by the system, up to 500. It records the date, time, error number, error code, and error type for each error that occurs. Without the USB, the user can access the 50 most recent errors via the Display Module.

**NOTE:** For both the Job Log and the Error Log, when the log is full, new data automatically overwrites old data. When data in either log is downloaded via the USB, it remains in the module until it is overwritten.

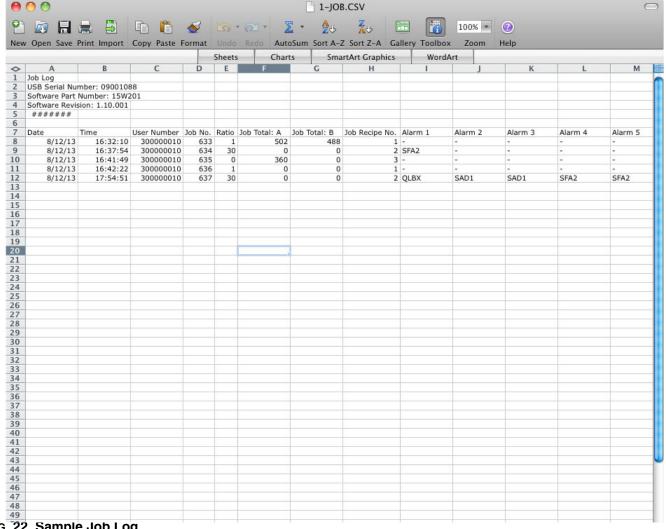


Fig. 22. Sample Job Log

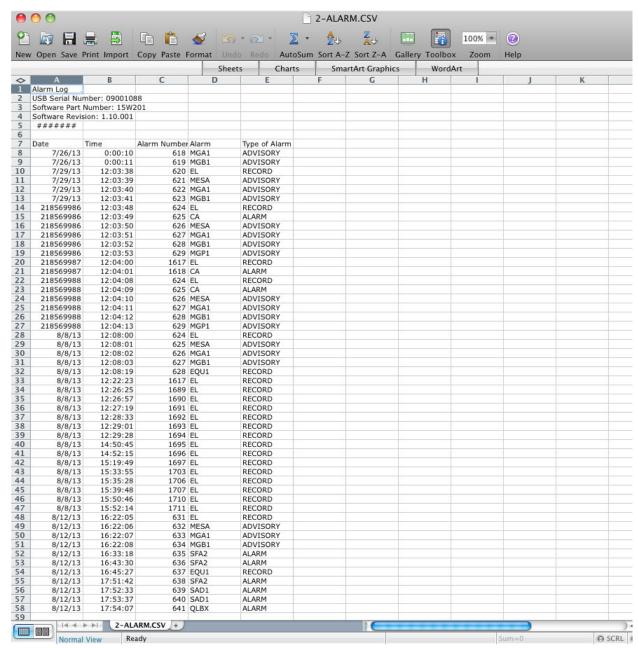


Fig. 23. Sample Error Log

### Setup

The only setup required is to select the language in which you want to view the downloaded data. (Screens are icon-based and do not change.) Navigate to Configure 3 (Screen 20). Select your language from the language dropdown.

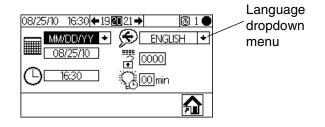


Fig. 24. Select Language for USB Logs

#### **Download Procedure**





Remove proportioner from hazardous location before inserting, downloading, or removing the USB flash drive.

1. Press on Run Mix Spray (Screen 2) or from any screen to place the system in Standby.

**NOTE:** The system will not operate with a USB flash drive in the port. If you insert the flash drive while spraying, the system will stop and an alarm error will occur.

- Insert USB flash drive into USB port. Use only Graco-recommended USB flash drives; see Recommended USB Flash Drives, page 38.
- 3. Data download begins automatically. An LED on the flash drive blinks until the download is complete.

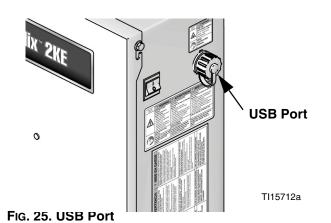
**NOTE:** If you use a flash drive that does not have an LED, open the Control Box. An LED near the USB module flashes until the download is complete.

4. Remove flash drive from USB port.





To help prevent fire and explosion, never leave the USB flash drive in the USB port.



5. Insert USB flash drive into USB port of computer.

- The USB flash drive window automatically opens. If it does not, open USB flash drive from within Windows[®] Explorer.
- 7. Open Graco folder.
- 8. Open sprayer folder. If downloading data from more than one sprayer, there will be more than one sprayer folder. Each sprayer folder is labeled with the corresponding USB serial number.
- 9. Open DOWNLOAD folder.
- Open folder labeled with the highest number. The highest number indicates the most recent data download.
- 11. Open log file. Log files open in Microsoft[®] Excel[®] by default. However, they can also be opened in any text editor or Microsoft[®] Word.

#### NOTE:

All USB logs are saved in Unicode (UTF-16) format. If opening the log file in Microsoft Word, select Unicode encoding.

# Recommended USB Flash Drives

It is recommended that users use the 4GB USB flash drive (16A004) available for purchase separately from Graco. If preferred, users may use one of the following 4 GB or less USB flash drives (not available from Graco).

- Crucial Gizmo![™] 4GB USB flash drive (model JDO4GB-730)
- Transcend JetFlash[®] V30 4GB USB flash drive (model TS4GJFV30)
- OCZ Diesel[™] 4GB USB flash drive (model OCZUSBDSL4G)

### **Run Mode Details**

# **Run Mix Spray (Screen 2)**

Run Mix Spray (Screen 2) displays at startup or if is selected from Run Home (Screen 1). Use the Mix Spray screen to control most mixing operations.

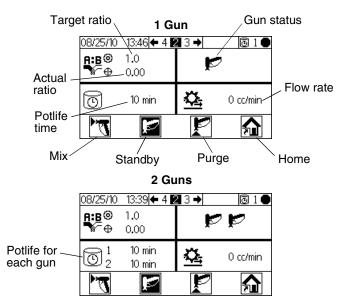


Fig. 26. Run Mix Spray (Screen 2)

- Press to toggle between Run Mix Spray (Screen 2), Run Mix Batch (Screen 3), Run Mix Totals (Screen 4), and Run Job Number (Screen 38).
- Press to access Run Home (Screen 1).

# Run Home (Screen 1)

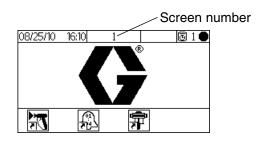


Fig. 27. Run Home (Screen 1)

- Press a soft key button to select one of the main Run Mode screen sections: Mix , Errors , or Pump Control .
- Press to enter the Setup screens.

# **Run Mix Batch (Screen 3)**

Run Mix Batch (Screen 3) displays if is selected from the Run Mix Spray Screen. Use the Mix Batch screen to dispense set volumes. Target volume can be set from 1 to 9999 cc.

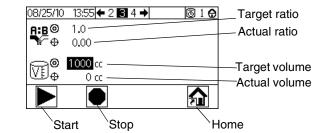


Fig. 28. Run Mix Batch (Screen 3)

- Press to set the target dispense volume. Use to change each digit, then to move to the next digit. Press when finished.
- Press to toggle between Run Mix Spray (Screen 2), Run Mix Batch (Screen 3), Run Mix Totals (Screen 4), and Run Job Number (Screen 38).

# **Run Mix Totals (Screen 4)**

Run Mix Totals (Screen 4) displays if selected from the Run Mix Batch Screen. Use this screen to view grand and batch totals for material A and material B, and to clear batch totals if desired.

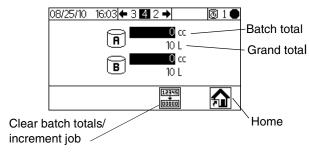


Fig. 29. Run Mix Totals (Screen 4)

• Press to clear all batch totals. A verification screen appears. Use to highlight and press on the ✓ to clear the batch totals, or on the X to return to Run Totals (Screen 4) without clearing.

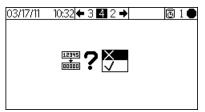


Fig. 30. Confirm Clear Batch Totals

 Press to toggle between Run Mix Spray (Screen 2), Run Mix Batch (Screen 3), Run Mix Totals (Screen 4), and Run Job Number (Screen 38).

# **Run Job Number (Screen 38)**

Run Job Number (Screen 38) displays if is selected from the Run Mix Totals Screen. Use this screen to view and increment the job number as well as view and assign a 9-digit user number to the job.

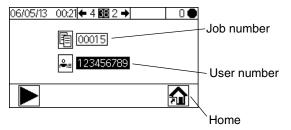


Fig. 31. Run Job Number (Screen 38)

- Press to set the user number. Use to to change each digit, then to move to the next digit. Press when finished.
- Press increment the job number.
- Press to toggle between Run Mix Spray (Screen 2), Run Mix Batch (Screen 3), Run Mix Totals (Screen 4), and Run Job Number (Screen 38).

# **Run Log Errors (Screens 5-14)**

Run Log Errors (Screens 5-14) display if is selected from Run Home (Screen 1). It displays the last 50 errors in the log. (Screen 5 displays errors 1-5; Screen 6 displays errors 6-10, etc.).

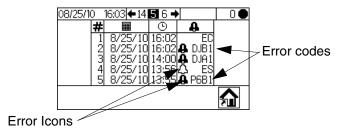


Fig. 32. Run Log Errors (Screen 5)

• Use to view the next page. See Fig. 54, page 50, for an explanation of the different error icons. See Table 3, page 52, for an explanation of the different error codes.

# **Run Pump Control (Screen 15)**

Run Pump Control (Screen 15) displays if  $\overline{F}$  is selected from the Run Home Screen. Use this screen to manually start and stop a pump.

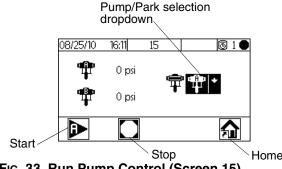


Fig. 33. Run Pump Control (Screen 15)

- Press to show the dropdown menu.
- Press to highlight, then press to select a pump or the Park option.
- If Pump A or Pump B is selected, use or to start. The selected pump will run for 12 cycles. To stop before the 12 cycles are completed, press
- If Park is selected, use to move the pump to the bottom of the stroke to park it so pump rod is fully enclosed in the lower and material can't dry on shaft during break or overnight.

# **Setup Mode Details**

Press on any screen to enter the Setup screens. If the system has a password lock, Password (Screen 16) displays. If the system is not locked (password is set to 0000), Setup Home (Screen 17) displays.

# Password (Screen 16)

From any Run screen, press to access the password screen. The Password Screen displays if a password has been set. Set the password to 0000 to prevent Password (Screen 16) from displaying. See Configure 3 (Screen 20), page 44, to set or change the password.

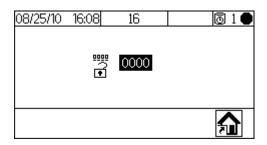
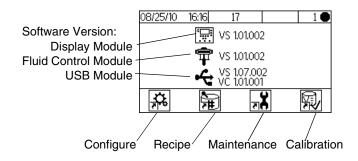


Fig. 34. Password (Screen 16)

- Press ← to enter the password (0000 to 9999).
   Press ← → to move between digits. Press
   ↓ ↑ to change a digit. Press ← when field is correct. Setup Home (Screen 17) displays.
- Press to toggle between Run Mode and Setup Mode.
- Select to display Run Home (Screen 1). Entering an incorrect password also displays Run Home (Screen 1).

# **Setup Home (Screen 17)**

Setup Home (Screen 17) displays if is selected on any screen and the system is not locked, or when a correct password is entered on the Password Screen. The Setup Home screen displays the software versions of the boards in the Display Module, Advanced Fluid Control Module, and the USB Module (if applicable).



#### Fig. 35. Setup Home (Screen 17)

- Press a soft key button to select one of the four Setup Mode screen sections:
  - Configure ♣ , Recipe ♣ , Maintenance ♣ , or Calibration ♣ .
- Press to toggle between Run Mode and Setup Mode.

# Configure 1-4 (Screens 18-21)

Configure 1 (Screen 18) displays if is selected on Setup Home (Screen 17). This screen allows users to set up the system type (pump or meter) and number of guns (1 or 2).

**NOTE:** If 1 gun is selected, users can enable a gun flush box (✓=yes; X=no). The gun flush box option is available only for 1-gun systems.

For all pump systems, the type of dosing is dynamic, and the number of colors is 1. See **Dynamic DosingDynamic Dosing**, page 48, for more information.

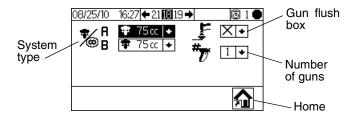


Fig. 36. Configure 1 (Screen 18)

- Press to highlight the desired field. Press to display the dropdown menu for that field.

  Press to choose from the menu options and to set. Press to move to the next field.
- Press to move through Configure 2 (Screen 19), Configure 3 (Screen 20), and Configure 4 (Screen 21).

**NOTE:** If you change system type (pump to meter) or number of guns, a verification screen appears. Use

to highlight and press on the voto make the change, or on the x to return to Configure 1 (Screen 18) without making a change. If a change is made, the system locks so that you cannot spray or mix. Power down and power back up again to clear the lock and put the new settings into effect. The lock ensures that the selection was intended, and prevents the user from

attempting to operate with incorrect settings.

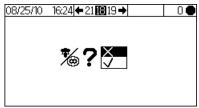


Fig. 37. Confirm Change of System Type

Configure 2 (Screen 19) allows users to set for each gun the hose length (0.1 to 45.7 m, 0.3 to 150 ft) and hose diameter (0.1 to 1 inch). The system uses this information to calculate pot life volume. The pot life volume tells the system how much material must be moved to trigger a reset of the pot life timer. It also tells the system the volume needed to fill during a load sequence.

Users also can configure the flow rate region and the air flow switch. The flow rate region (High/Low) determines the sensitivity of the overdose alarm:

- Select the High * setting if your flow rate is 250 cc/min or higher. The High setting has a 100cc overdose volume.
- Select the Low ** setting if your flow rate is less than 250 cc/min. The Low setting has a 50 cc overdose volume.

The air flow switch can be disabled here for airless applications. Select  $\checkmark$  to enable or  $\times$  to disable.

A change in any of these fields will trigger the lock. See **NOTE** in previous paragraph.

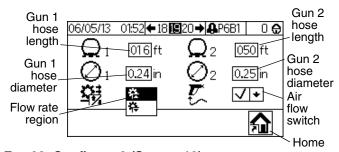
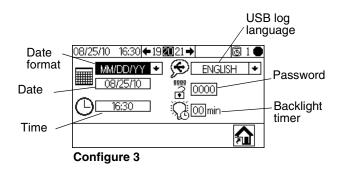


Fig. 38. Configure 2 (Screen 19)

Configure 3 (Screen 20) allows users to set preferred language (for optional USB Module), date format, date, time, password (0000 to 9999), and number of minutes (0 to 99) of inactivity required before the backlight turns off. Configure 4 (Screen 21) allows users to set preferred units for distance, volume, and pressure.



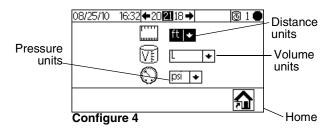


Fig. 39. Configure 3 (Screen 20) and Configure 4 (Screen 21)

# Recipe 1-1 (Screen 28)

**Note about Settings of 0:** If Ratio is set to 0, the system will dispense the A material only. If Potlife Time is set to 0, the potlife alarm is disabled.

Recipe 1-1 (Screen 28) displays if is selected on Setup Home (Screen 17). The Recipe Screens allow the user to set up the basic recipe. Recipe 1-1 (Screen 28) includes the ratio of Material A to Material B (0 to 30), ratio tolerance (1 to 99 percent), and potlife time (0 to 240 minutes).

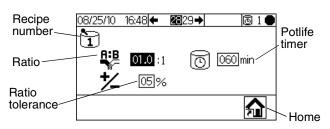


Fig. 40. Recipe 1-1 (Screen 28)

### Recipe 1-2 (Screen 29)

**Note about Settings of 0:** If a Flush time is set to 0, that valve will not flush.

Recipe 1-2 (Screen 29) includes timers for first, second and third flush:

- First flush: Always an A side purge, using the A side flush material from the A purge valve.
- Second flush: Always a B side purge, using the B side flush material from the B purge valve.
- Third flush: User settable to run the A purge valve or the B purge valve for any required additional flush, as selected in the dropdown for the third flush source (A or B).

All flush times are settable from 0 to 240 seconds. Set flush time to 0 seconds to skip a flush in the sequence. For example, to skip the first flush (A side purge), enter 0 seconds. The system goes immediately to the second flush, followed by the third flush as user defined.

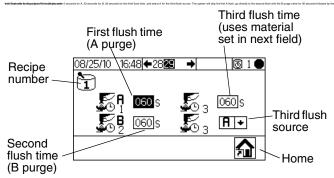
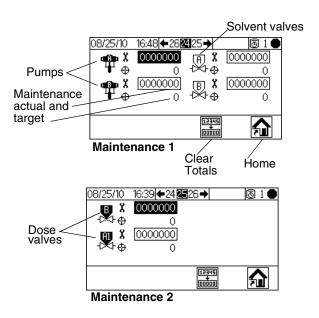


Fig. 41. Recipe 1-2 (Screen 29)

- Press to highlight the desired field and press
   to select. Press to move between digits. Press to change a digit. Press when field is correct.
- Press to toggle between the Recipe screens.
- Press to return to Setup Home (Screen 17).

# Maintenance 1-3 (Screens 24-26)

Maintenance 1 (Screen 24) displays if is selected on Setup Home (Screen 17). The Maintenance Screens display actual and target maintenance timers for pumps and solvent valves (Maintenance 1, Screen 24), dose valves (Maintenance 2, Screen 25), and fluid filters and air filters (Maintenance 3, Screen 26). Maintenance timers for pumps and valves are settable from 0 to 9999999. Timers for filters are settable from 0 to 9999 days.



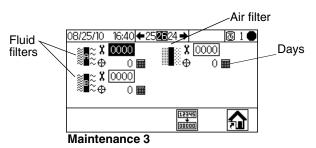


Fig. 42. Setup Maintenance 1-3 (Screens 24-26)

- Press to move through the three maintenance screens.
- Press to clear the maintenance total that is highlighted. A verification screen appears. Use to highlight and press ← on the ✓ to clear the batch totals. No other button press will clear the totals. Press ← on the X to return to the active Maintenance Screen without clearing.

#### **Maintenance Recommendations**

The following table shows recommended starting values for maintenance. Maintenance needs will vary based on individual applications and material differences.

Component	Recommended Maintenance Frequency
Solvent Valves	1,000,000 cycles
Fluid Filter	daily
Air Filter	monthly
Pumps	250,000 cycles
Dose Valves	1,000,000 cycles

# Calibration 1 and 2 (Screens 22 and 23)

**NOTE:** See **Pump Calibration**, page 31, for detailed instructions.

Calibration 1 (Screen 22) displays if is selected on Setup Home (Screen 17). This screen displays the pump factor for Pump A and Pump B. The factor is the pump displacement per inch. The system starts at the default factor for the pump size chosen on Configure 1 (Screen 18, page 43). Factor values update automatically as needed based on calibration results from Calibration 2 (Screen 23). Factor values also can be set on this screen, from 5 to 50 cc/in.

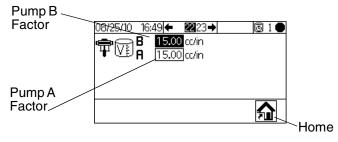


Fig. 43. Calibration 1 (Screen 22)

Press to display Calibration 2 (Screen 23). This screen allows the user to perform a calibration. It displays Pump A and Pump B factors, the target dispense volume, the actual dispense volume (0 to 9999 cc), and the material to dispense.

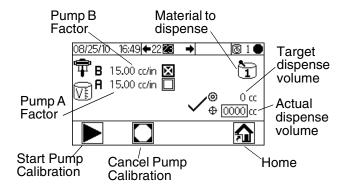


Fig. 44. Calibration 2 (Screen 23)

- Press to highlight the pump you wish to calibrate. Press . An X displays in the box.
- Press to start the calibration on the highlighted pump (A or B). Press to cancel the calibration.

**NOTE:** If you press but calibration does not begin, check to be sure that you have selected Pump A or Pump B.

- Press to highlight the actual dispense volume field. Press to set the volume (from 0 to 9999 cc). Press to move between digits.
   Press to change a digit. Press when field is correct.
- Use to toggle between Calibration 1 (Screen 22) and Calibration 2 (Screen 23).

# **Troubleshooting (Screens 35-37)**

Screens for testing system controls can be accessed by setting the password to 9909. See **Configure 3 (Screen 20)**, page 44, to set or change the password.

After setting the password to 9909, press to exit

Setup. Press to reenter Setup. Setup Home (Screen 17) displays, with troubleshooting screen options.

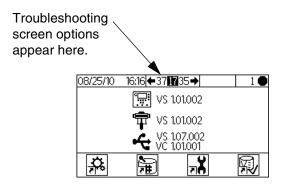


Fig. 45. Setup Home with Troubleshooting

#### **Troubleshooting System Inputs (Screen 35)**

From Setup Home (Screen 17) with Troubleshooting active, press to display Troubleshooting System Inputs (Screen 35). An X displays in the box to indicate if Pump B is up or down, if Pump A is up or down, if Air Flow Switch 1 or 2 is on, and if the gun is in the Gun Flush Box. This screen also displays the pressure of Pump A and Pump B. The fields relating to meter function can be ignored.

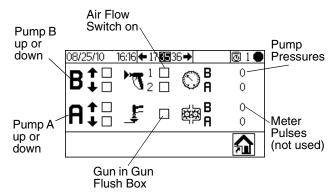


FIG. 46. Troubleshooting System Inputs (Screen 35)

Press , then again to move to Trouble-shooting System Outputs (Screen 37). Press to move to the Membrane Test (Screen 36).

#### **Membrane Test (Screen 36)**

From Setup Home (Screen 17) with Troubleshooting active, press , then again. Membrane Test (Screen 36) displays. You could also press , then again. This screen allows an authorized user to test the buttons on the Display Module membrane. When in this screen, all buttons lose their predefined functions, and the soft keys are not defined. When a properly working button is pressed, an X appears in the box.

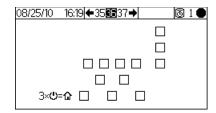


Fig. 47. Membrane Test (Screen 36)

 Press three times to return to Setup Home (Screen 17). Direct access to any other screen is not possible.

# Troubleshooting System Outputs (Screen 37)

From Setup Home (Screen 17) with Troubleshooting active, press to display Troubleshooting System Outputs (Screen 37). An X displays in the box to show an electrical state of On for the dose valves B and A1 (A2 and A3 are used only for meter systems), solvent valves (B and A), the gun flush box, and the alarm.

Press to start Forced Mode. A second set of check boxes displays. Use to highlight an output to test. Manually actuate the valve, alarm, or gun trigger corresponding to the highlighted box. For properly working components, an X will display in the second box upon actuation. Press to exit Forced Mode. Moving to any other screen also will exit Forced Mode.

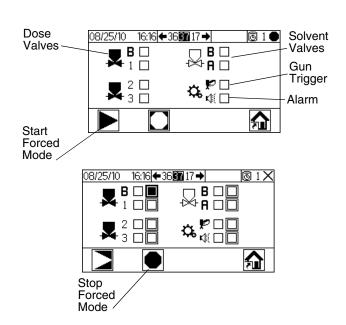


Fig. 48. Troubleshooting Screen Outputs (Screen 37)

## **Dynamic Dosing**

In typical operation (ratios 1:1 and above), component A dispenses constantly. Component B dispenses intermittently in the necessary volume to attain the mix ratio.

#### **General Operating Cycle, Dynamic Dosing**

#### Overview

Dynamic Dosing provides on-demand proportioning, eliminating the need for an integrator and therefore minimizing undesired material contact. This feature is especially useful with shear-sensitive and waterborne materials.

A restrictor injects component B into a continuous stream of component A. The software controls the duration and frequency of each injection. See Fig. 52 for a schematic diagram of the process.

#### **Dynamic Dosing System Parameters**

The following parameters affect dynamic dosing performance:

- Component A Flow: Ensure that the supply pump is sized to provide sufficient and uninterrupted flow.
   Note that component A provides majority of system flow at higher mix ratios.
- Component B Flow: Ensure that the supply pump is sized to provide sufficient and uninterrupted flow.
- Component A Pressure: Ensure precise pressure regulation. It is recommended that the component A pressure be 5-15% lower than the component B pressure.
- Component B Pressure: Ensure precise pressure regulation. It is recommended that the component B pressure be 5-15% higher than the component A pressure.

**NOTE:** When using dynamic dosing it is very important to maintain a constant, well-regulated fluid supply. To obtain proper pressure control and minimize pump pulsation, install a fluid regulator on the A and B supply lines upstream of the meters.

#### Select a Component B Restrictor Size

If you cannot maintain the desired flow and spraying ratio, you may need to select a different restrictor. Use the charts on pages 61 to 65 to select an appropriate restrictor size based on the desired flow and mix ratio.

#### **Balancing A/B Pressure**

If component B pressure is too high, it will push the component A stream aside during B injection. The valve will not open long enough, causing a Ratio High error.

If component B pressure is too low, it will not be injected in sufficient volume. The valve will stay open too long, causing a Ratio Low error.

Selecting the correct component B restrictor size and balancing the A/B pressures will keep the system in the proper pressure range, resulting in a consistent mix ratio.

FIG. 50 shows the A to B pressure balance, read at the proportioner inlet. It is recommended that the component B pressure be 5-15% higher than the component A pressure to keep the system in the control range, hold the proper mix ratio, and obtain properly mixed material. If pressures are not balanced ("B Pressure Too High" or "B Pressure Too Low"), it may not be possible to hold the desired mix ratio. The system will generate an off ratio alarm and stop operation.

**NOTE:** In multi-flow rate systems, it is recommended that you set up the system to run properly at the highest flow rate, to ensure adequate fluid supply across the flow rate range.

In dynamic dosing, component A dose valve is constantly on. Component B dose valve will cycle on and off; one cycle every 0.5-1.0 seconds indicates proper balance.

Monitor system performance by watching the pressure readings for each pump on Run Pump Control (Screen 15).

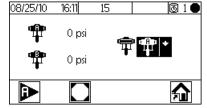


Fig. 49. Monitor Pump Pressures

Warning messages also provide information on system performance. Adjust pressures accordingly. See Table 2 on page 49.

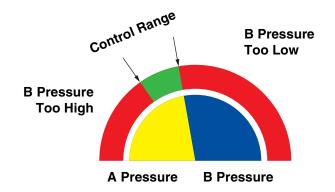
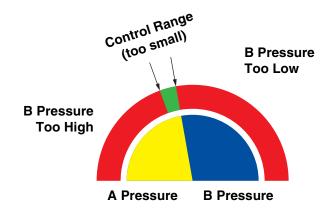


Fig. 50. A/B Control Range with Properly Sized Restrictor



**NOTE:** If the restrictor is too small, it may be necessary to supply more differential pressure than is available in your system.

Fig. 51. A/B Control Range with Too Large a Restrictor

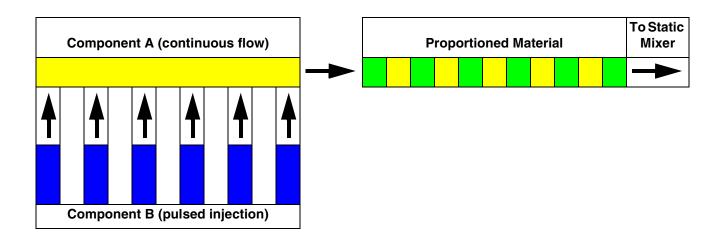


Fig. 52. Schematic Diagram of Dynamic Dosing Operation

Table 2: Dynamic Dosing Troubleshooting Guide (for complete system troubleshooting, see Table 3 beginning on page 52)

Error Message	Solution	
Ratio Low Error (R1)	Increase A pressure or decrease B pressure.	
	Use a smaller restrictor.	
Ratio High Error (R4)	Increase B pressure.	
	Clean restrictor or use a larger size.	
	<ul> <li>Verify B valve is opening properly.</li> </ul>	

# **System Errors**

**NOTE:** Do not use the fluid in the line that was dispensed off ratio as it may not cure properly.

### **System Alarms**

System alarms alert you of a problem and help prevent off-ratio spraying. If an alarm occurs, operation stops and the following occurs:

- Alarm buzzer sounds.
- Status bar on the Display Module shows the alarm code.
- Alarm is saved in the date/time stamped log.

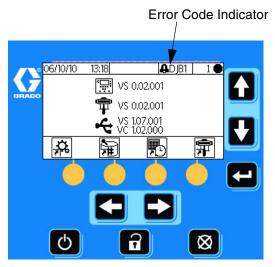


Fig. 53. Display Module Alarm Codes

# **System Advisory/Record Codes**

TABLE 3 lists the advisory and record codes. Advisories and records do not stop operation or sound an alarm. If an advisory occurs, the Status bar on the Display Module shows the advisory icon and code. System records do not display on the Status bar. Both advisories and records are saved in the date/time stamped log, which can be viewed on the display or saved to a flash drive using optional USB port.

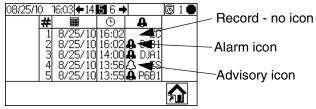


Fig. 54. Error Log Icons

#### To Clear Error and Restart

**NOTE:** When an error occurs be sure to determine the error code before resetting it. If you forget which code occurred, use **Run Log Errors (Screens 5-14)**, page 40, to view the last 50 errors, with date and time stamps.

To reset alarms, see Table 3, and Alarm Troubleshooting, page 53. Many errors can be cleared by simply



# Air Flow Switch (AFS) Function

#### Air or Air-assisted Guns

The air flow switch (AFS) detects air flow to the gun and signals the ProMix 2KE controller when the gun is triggered. The gun icon on the Display Module shows spray when the AFS is activated.

If a pump fails, pure resin or catalyst could spray indefinitely if the ProMix 2KE does not detect the condition and intervene, which is why the AFS is so important.

If the ProMix 2KE detects through the AFS signal that the gun is triggered, yet one or both of the pumps are not running, a Dose Time Alarm (QTA1 or QTB1) occurs after 40 seconds and the system goes into Standby.

**NOTE:** Systems with a 45:1 pump ratio are designed for use with an airless gun. These systems contain no air flow switch and are set up so that they do not trigger a System Idle Warning.

**NOTE:** For airless applications with other pump ratios, the air flow switch can be disabled on Configure 2 (Screen 19).

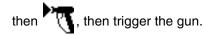
# **System Idle Warning (IDLE)**

This warning occurs if the ProMix is set to Mix and 2 minutes have elapsed since the system last received the air flow switch signal (gun trigger). The Gun

Idle icon zis is displayed. This warning is not active in systems with a 45:1 pump ratio, using an airless gun.

*In applications using the AFS,* triggering the gun clears the warning and you can start spraying again.

Without the AFS, triggering the gun does not clear the alarm. To start spraying again, you must press ,



# **Error Codes**

Table 3: System Alarm/Advisory/Record Codes

Code	Description	Details
Alarm Codes - Alarm sounds, system stops, icon displays until problem is solved and alarm is cleared.		
CA	Communication Error	53
CAU1	USB Communication Error	53
EQU2	USB Installed when not in Standby	54
SG	Gun Flush Box Error	54
SAD1 SAD2	Atomizing Air During Purge - Gun 1 Atomizing Air During Purge - Gun 2	54
SFA1 SFB1	PreMix Error - Color PreMix Error - Catalyst	55
SHA1 SHB1	PreFill Error - Color PreFill Error - Catalyst	55
SM	MixFill Start Error	55
SN	MixFill Complete Error	55
QPD1 QPD2	Potlife Error - Gun 1 Potlife Error - Gun 2	55
R1	Ratio Low Error	56
R4	Ratio High Error	57
QDA1 QDB1	Overdose A, B Dose too Short Overdose B, A Dose too Short	57
QTA1 QTB1	Dose Time A Error Dose Time B Error	58
QLAX QLBX	Leak Error A Leak Error B	58
DJA1 DJB1	Linear Sensor Error - Pump A Linear Sensor Error - Pump B	58
DKA1 DKB1	Reed Switch Error - Pump A Reed Switch Error - Pump B	58
P4A1 P4B1	Pressure High Error - Pump A Pressure High Error - Pump B	58
P6A1 P6B1	Pressure Transducer Error - Pump A Pressure Transducer Error - Pump B	58
DDA1 DDB1	Diving/Cavitation Error - Pump A Diving/Cavitation Error - Pump B	59
EFA1 EFB1	Park Error - Pump A Park Error - Pump B	59
DFA1 DFB1	Stall Up Error - Pump A Stall Up Error - Pump B	59
DGA1 DGB1	Stall Down Error - Pump A Stall Down Error - Pump B	59
DHA1 DHB1	No Stall Error - Pump A No Stall Error - Pump B	59

Table 3: System Alarm/Advisory/Record Codes

Code	Description	Details	
	Advisory Codes - No alarm, system continues operating, icon displays on active screen until cleared		
MAA1	Pump A maintenance due	N/A	
MAB1	Pump B maintenance due	N/A	
MEA1	Mix valve A maintenance due	N/A	
MEB1	Mix valve B maintenance due	N/A	
MESA	Solvent valve A maintenance due	N/A	
MESB	Solvent valve B maintenance due	N/A	
MGA1	Fluid Filter A maintenance due	N/A	
MGB1	Fluid Filter B maintenance due	N/A	
MGP1	Air Filter maintenance due	N/A	
ES	System defaults loaded	N/A	
Record Codes - No alarm, system continues operating, no icon displays on active screen.			
EL	System powered on	N/A	
EC	System setup changed	N/A	
EP	Pump park operation completed	N/A	
ET	System performed an autodump after a potlife	N/A	
EQU1	USB Drive connected while in Standby	N/A	

# **Alarm Troubleshooting**

Alarm and Description	Cause	Solution
CA	The CAN cable between the Display Mod-	Verify that the cable is correctly
Communication Error	ule and the Advanced Fluid Control Module	connected.
The Display Module is not	is not connected.	
communicating with the	The CAN cable is cut or bent.	Verify that the cable has not been cut
Advanced Fluid Control		or bent at a radius smaller than 1.6 in.
Module.		(40 mm).
	The cable or connector failed.	Replace cable.
	Alternator Powered Systems:	For any module that does not
	Charle that the Advance Flyid Control Mad	have power, disconnect and
	Check that the Advance Fluid Control Mod-	check the voltage on the cable
	ule (AFCM), Display Module (DM), and	produced by the alternator mod-
	USB Module have power (green LED) and are communicating (amber LED blinking)	ule (See Alternator Module Power
	are communicating (amber LLD billiking)	Output). If the proper voltage is
		not detected, troubleshoot the Alternator Module.
		2. If the proper voltage is detected,
		verify the cable connecting the two modules is good.
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		3. If the cable is good, replace the
		module.
	There may be a short in one of the sole-	Replace the cable (16E890)
	noid/meter cables connected to the AFCM.	Dealers the seed to
	The AFCM power supply may be bad, as	Replace the module.
	indicated by the status LEDs (red, yellow,	
	green) being off. Verify the power supply works by disconnecting from the AFCM and	
	connecting to another module, either the	
	Display Module or USB Module.	
	The DM and the AFCM have different ver-	Install the latest software from token
	sions of software installed.	kit 16D922 on all modules.
	The red LED on the AFCM is on.	If on solid, replace module.
		If blinking, contact your distributor.
	NOTE:	
	If the AFCM loses communication (no fli back on the alarm will auto clear and will	,
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	2. If the DM loses communication (no flickering amber LED) but then comes ba on you will have to manually clear the alarm and there will be an alarm log.	
	3. If the USB module loses communication (no flickering amber LED) but then	
	comes back on you will not get an alarm.	
CAU1 USB Communication Error	The module has been removed.	Put system in standby and install the USB Module.
The system detected a USB	The cable is disconnected or broken.	Put system in standby and reconnect
Module at last power up, but		or replace the USB cable.
does not detect it currently.		

Alarm and Description	Cause	Solution
EQU2 USB Drive Error The USB drive has been inserted when the system is not in Standby.	Most USB drives do not conform to IS standards, so it is hazardous to use one while the system is running.	Put system in Standby. Insert the USB drive only in a non-hazardous environment.
Gun Flush Box Error A gun flush box is enabled, but the system does not detect a gun in the gun flush box during purge, color change, or auto-dump.	The cover of the gun flush box is not closed.  For systems with a gun flush box, the gun is not in the box when purge is active.  NOTICE  To prevent mixed material from curing in the equipment, do not shut off power. Follow one of the solutions at right.	Close the cover and clear the alarm.  Purge the system with solvent or fresh mixed material:  Solvent Purge - See Purging Mixed Material on page 33. The system purges until the preset purge time is complete.  New Mixed Material Purge - Go to Mix mode and spray the required volume to restart the potlife timer.
SAD1 or SAD2	Atomizing air is stuck on.	Replace air flow switch.
Atomizing Air During Purge Atomizing air to Gun 1 (SAD1)	Gun is not in Gun Flush Box.	Insert the gun into the Gun Flush Box.
or Gun 2 (SAD2) is detected when purge is selected or during purge sequence.	Gun Flush Box air shutoff is not working.	Test using Troubleshooting Screens. See page 46. Repair/replace air shut- off valve as needed.
3, 3, 1,4,1	Air leak in atomizing air line.	Inspect air line for kinks, damage, or loose connections. Repair or replace as needed.

Alarm and Description	Cause	Solution
SFA1 or SFB1 PreMix Error	Gun, line, or valve is plugged or stuck.	Check components and clean, repair, or replace as necessary.
In systems with a gun flush box, insufficient quantity of resin/color (SFA1) or catalyst	Pump(s) not working or out of fluid.	Refill fluid supply. Check and repair pump. See pump manual for repair procedures and replacement parts.
(SFB1) is detected during the 10-second PreMix sequence.  SHA1 or SHB1	Air lines or solenoids are plumbed incorrectly or solenoids are not working.	Check air line path. See <b>System Pneumatic Schematic</b> , page 66 or 67. Verify that solenoid is working.
PreFill Error Total PreFill sequence volume is not reached for color (SHA1) or catalyst (SHB1) during the 5-minute PreFill sequence.	Flow rate is too low.	Increase fluid pressure.
SM MixFill Start Error	Gun Flush Box is not triggering gun.	Verify trigger is being pulled. Adjust as needed.
In systems with a gun flush	Line or gun is plugged or restricted.	Clean line, tip, or filter.
box, insufficient volume of mixed material is detected during the 10-second mixed fill	Flow rate is too low.	Increase fluid pressure or decrease restriction.
sequence.	Valve is stuck.	Clean valve or verify that solenoid is triggering valve properly.
SN MixFill Complete Error Insufficient volume of mixed material is detected during the 5-minute mixed fill sequence.		
QPD1 or QPD2 Potlife Error Potlife has been exceeded for	Have not sprayed enough volume to keep fresh mixed fluid in the mix manifold, hose,	Purge the mixed material line. See page 33.
the mixed material for Gun 1 (QPD1) or Gun 2 (QPD2).	and gun.	Check that hose length and diameter have been entered correctly. See Configure 2 (Screen 19), page 43.
		Spray the required volume to restart the potlife timer.

Alarm and Description	Cause	Solution
R1 Ratio Low Error	There is too much restriction in the system.	Check that the system is fully loaded with material.
The mix ratio is lower than the set tolerance for an A to B component volume compari-		Check that the supply pump's cycle rate is set properly.
son.		Check that the spray tip/nozzle is properly sized for the flow and application, and that it is not clogged.
		Check that the fluid regulator is set properly.
	If the alarm occurs during start up, after purging, the flow rate was probably too high.	Restrict gun needle travel to slow down the initial fluid delivery rate until fluid hoses are loaded with material.
	If the alarm occurred after you were spraying for some time, the pressures from the fluid supplies could be unbalanced.	Adjust component A and B fluid supply regulator pressures until they are about equal. If the pressures are already about equal, verify that component A and B dose valves are operating properly.
	Slow actuation of the component A or B valves. This can be caused by:	Manually operate the Dose Valve A and B solenoid valves as instructed in the ProMix 2KE Repair-Parts manual to check operation.
	Air pressure to the valve actuators is too low.	Increase air pressure. Air pressure must be 75-120 psi (0.52-0.84 MPa, 5.2-8.4 bar); 120 psi is recommended.
	Something is restricting the solenoid or tubing and interrupting valve actuation air.	There may be dirt or moisture in the air supply. Filter appropri- ately. Verify that solenoids are operational.
	Dose Valve B is turned in too far.     Dose Valve A is open too far.	Refer to Valve Settings, page 35, for adjustment guidelines.
	Fluid pressure is high and air pressure is low.	Adjust air and fluid pressure. See recommended air pressure above.

Alarm and Description	Cause	Solution
R4 Ratio High Error The mix ratio is higher than the set tolerance for an A to B	There is too little restriction in the system.	<ul> <li>Check that the system is fully loaded with material.</li> <li>Check that the supply pump's cycle rate is set properly.</li> </ul>
component volume comparison.		Check that the spray tip/nozzle is properly sized for the flow and application, and that it is not worn.
		Check that the fluid regulator is set properly.
	If the alarm occurs during start up, after purging, the flow rate was probably too high.	Restrict gun needle travel to slow down the initial fluid delivery rate until fluid hoses are loaded with material.
	If the alarm occurred after you were spraying for some time, the pressures from the fluid supplies could be unbalanced.	Adjust component A and B fluid supply regulator pressures until they are about equal. If the pressures are already about equal, verify that component A and B dose valves are operating properly.
	Slow actuation of the component A or B valves. This can be caused by:	Manually operate the Dose Valve A and B solenoid valves to check operation.
	Air pressure to the valve actuators is too low.	Increase air pressure. Air pressure must be 75-120 psi (0.52-0.84 MPa, 5.2-8.4 bar); 120 psi is recommended.
	Something is restricting the solenoid or tubing and interrupting valve actuation air.	There may be dirt or moisture in the air supply. Filter appropri- ately.
	Dose Valve B is turned in too far. Dose Valve A is open too far.	Refer to Valve Settings, page 35, for adjustment guidelines.
	Fluid pressure is high and air pressure is low.	Adjust air and fluid pressure. See recommended air pressure above.
QDA1	Valve seal or needle/seat are leaking.	Repair the valve.
Overdose A The A dose has overshot and,	Slow actuation of component A or B valves.	See Ratio Low Error and Ratio High Error, pages 56-57.
when combined with B, is too large for the mix manifold capacity.  QDB1  Overdose B	Running a high mix ratio and a high flow rate.	It may be necessary to restrict the flow rate through the component B dose valve by adjusting its hex nut.
The B dose has overshot, forcing an A dose that, when combined with B, is too large for the mix manifold capacity.		

Alarm and Description	Cause	Solution
QTA1 or QTB1 Dose Time Error The gun trigger is active, but	System is in Mix mode and gun is only partially triggered, allowing air but no fluid to pass through gun.	Fully trigger the gun.
no A pump (QTA1) or B pump	Fluid flow rate is too low.	Increase flow rate.
(QTB1) movement is detected during the dose time selected.	Slow actuation of component A or B valves.	See Ratio Low Error and Ratio High Error, pages 56-57.
	A or B pump has no air pressure.	Verify that main air supply is turned on and valves are open.
	There is an air leak downstream from the air flow switch.	Check the air lines for leaks and repair.
	The air flow switch is stuck open.	Clean or replace air flow switch.
QLAX or QLBX	A or B dose valve leak	Replace valve needle and seat.
Leak Error Pump A (QLAX) or Pump B (QLBX) is running with all valves closed.	A or B pump is not seating and continues to move/creep.	Replace pump packings, balls, and seats.
DJA1 or DJB1 Linear Sensor Error System does not detect the pump A (DJA1) or pump B (DJB1) linear position sensor,	Sensor not recognized by system.	Verify that sensor is plugged in. Verify that sensor and AFCM are operational. Verify cable connections. Replace any malfunctioning component.
or has an invalid position reading.	Magnet fell off.	Replace magnet and holder on top side of air motor piston.
	Sensor readings are out of range.	Verify that the sensor is threaded down completely.
DKA1 or DKB1 Reed Switch Error	Reed switch installed backward.	Flip reed switch 180 degrees to align with magnet in air valve.
System does not detect the pump A (DKA1) or Pump B (DKB1) reed switch sensor, or detects an invalid state.	Reed switches are stuck, or both reed switches are on at once	Verify cable is connected on both ends. Verify that reed switch, cable, and AFCM are operational. Replace any malfunctioning component.
	Magnet in air valve not functioning properly.	Verify that magnet is installed properly and is operational.
P4A1 or P4B1 Pressure High Error	Pump air pressure is set too high.	Reduce pressure on air supply to system or pumps.
System detects a high pressure reading on pump A (P4A1) or pump B (P4B1).	Thermal expansion occurring in lines.	Relieve pressure if system has been idle. Decrease environmental temperature.
	Pressure transducer malfunction.	Replace transducer. Verify that cable and AFCM are operational.
P6A1 or P6B1 Pressure Transducer Error System does not detect pressure transducer A (P6A1) or pressure transducer B (P6B1).	Pressure transducer malfunction.	Replace transducer. Verify that cable and AFCM are operational.

Alarm and Description	Cause	Solution
DDA1 or DDB1	Fluid supply is empty.	Refill fluid supply system.
Diving/Cavitation Error Pump A (DDA1) or Pump B	Displacement pump is not seating properly.	Rebuild displacement pump and replace packings, balls, and seats.
(DDB1) is diving or cavitating.	Air in fluid supply system.	Tighten all fittings.
EFA1 or EFB1 Park Error	Gun not open.	Trigger gun and allow fluid to flow while pump is attempting to park.
Pump A (EFA1) or Pump B (EFB1) does not park (does	Fluid lines plugged.	Check and clear all fluid lines, gun tip, and the mix manifold.
not reach bottom change- over).	Dispense valve malfunction.	Clean or rebuild dispense valve. Verify that solenoid is operational. Clear air lines to valve.
DFA1 or DFB1 Stall Up Error	Displacement pump is not seating properly.	Rebuild displacement pump and replace packings, balls, and seats.
Pump A (DFA1) or Pump B (DFB1) does not stall up during the pump calibration and stall test (keeps moving up when dosing valve is closed).	Dispense valve not seating/sealing.	Replace needle/seat on dispense valve.
DGA1 or DGB1 Stall Down Error	Displacement pump is not seating properly.	Rebuild displacement pump and replace packings, balls, and seats.
Pump A (DGA1) or Pump B (DGB1) does not stall down during the pump calibration and stall test (keeps moving down when dosing valve is closed).	Dispense valve not seating/sealing.	Replace needle/seat on dispense valve.
DHA1 or DHB1 No Stall Error	Displacement pump is not seating properly.	Rebuild displacement pump and replace packings, balls, and seats.
Pump A (DHA1) or Pump B (DHB1) does not stall in either direction during the pump calibration and stall test (keeps moving when dosing valve is closed).	Dispense valve not seating/sealing.	Replace needle/seat on dispense valve.

# **Dynamic Dosing Restrictor Selection Graphs**

Use the graphs on pages 61-65 as a guide to determine the correct restrictor size for your desired flow and material viscosity. Table 4 lists the available restrictor sizes.

#### **Example:**

Application: air spray system with a 5:1 mix ratio

Fluid Supply: 1:1 pumps at 100 psi (7 bar, 0.7 MPa)

Flow Rate: 300 cc/min at the gun

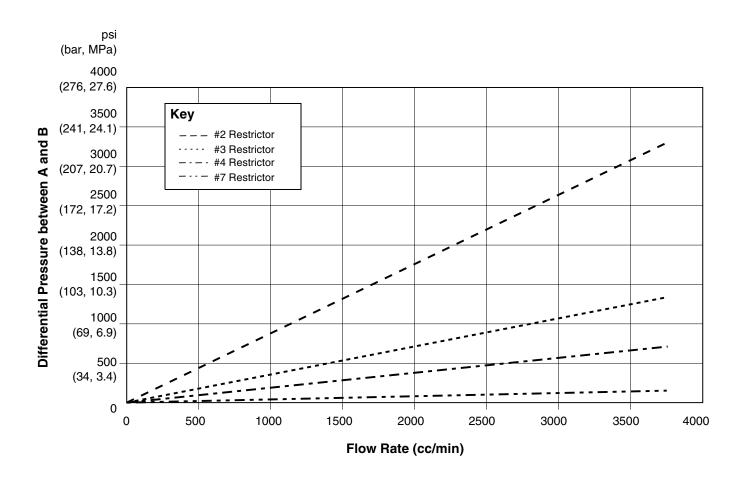
Select the Restrictor Size: choose either the 0.040 or 0.070 orifice, to ensure that the pressure differential is not more than 10-20 psi (0.7-1.4 bar, 0.07-0.14 MPa), provided the fluid viscosities are similar to those tested.

- If the viscosity of component B is lower than the viscosity of the chart used for selection you may need to use a smaller restrictor or decrease the pressure differential.
- If the viscosity of component B is higher than the viscosity of the chart used for selection you may need to use a larger restrictor or increase the pressure differential.
- In systems using an air-assisted gun, if the fluid pressure of component A is higher than the component A pressure from the charts you may need to use a larger restrictor or increase the pressure differential.

**Table 4: Restrictor Sizes** 

Size Code	Orifice Size	Part No.
2*	0.020	15U936
3*	0.030	15U937
4*	0.040	15U938
5✔	0.050	15U939
6✓	0.060	15U940
7*	0.070	15U941
8✔	0.080	16D554

- * These restrictors are included in Injection Kit 15U955.
- ✓ These restrictors are optional sizes, not included in the Injection Kit.



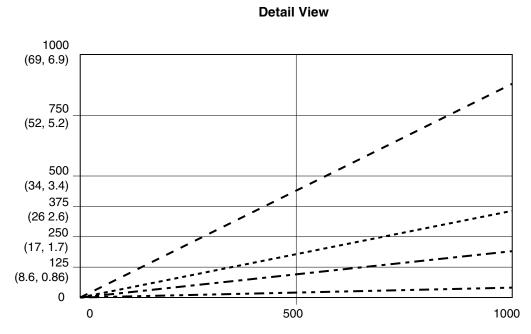
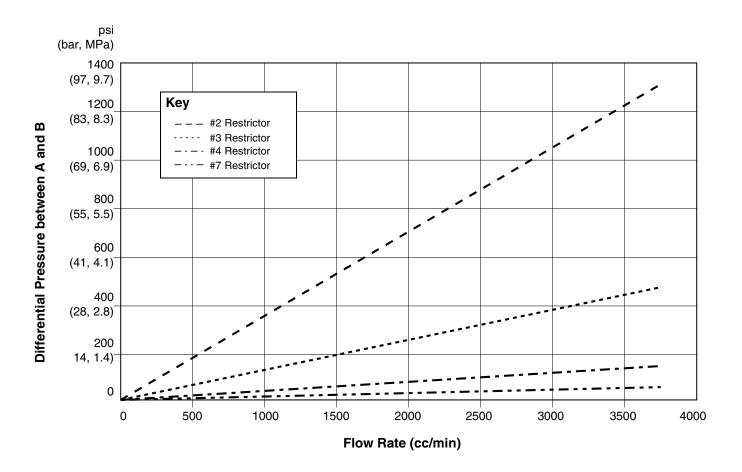


Fig. 55. Dynamic Dosing Performance (1:1 Ratio, 90 centipoise fluid, 100 psi A side pressure)



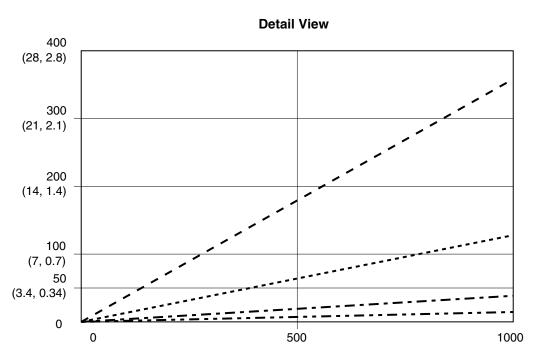
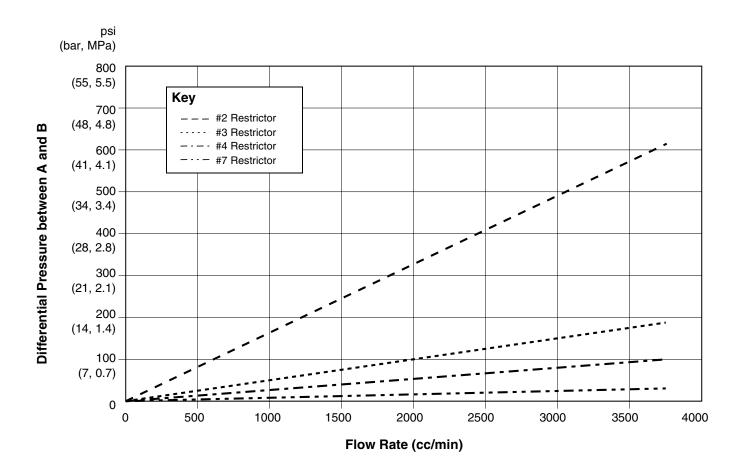


Fig. 56. Dynamic Dosing Performance (5:1 Ratio, 90 centipoise fluid, 100 psi A side pressure)



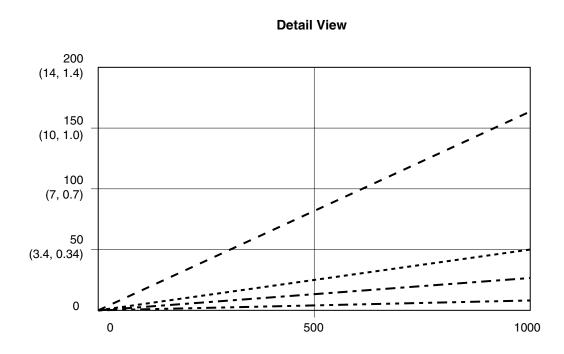
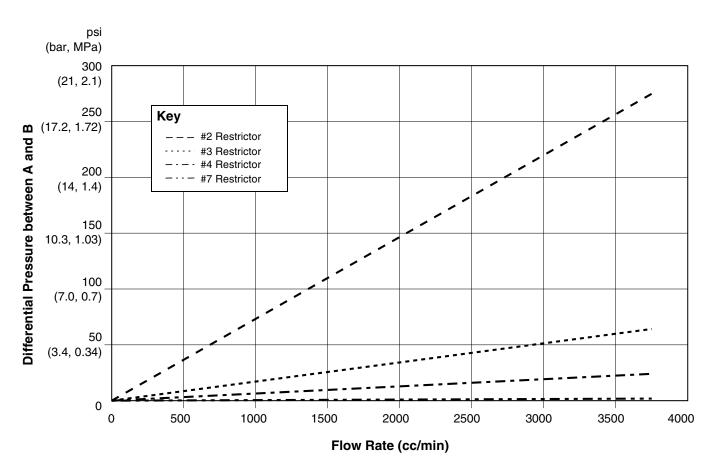


Fig. 57. Dynamic Dosing Performance (10:1 Ratio, 90 centipoise fluid, 100 psi A side pressure)



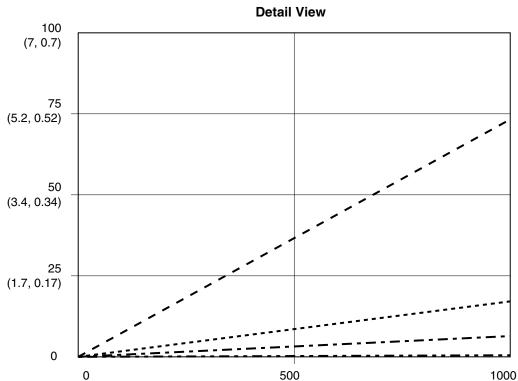
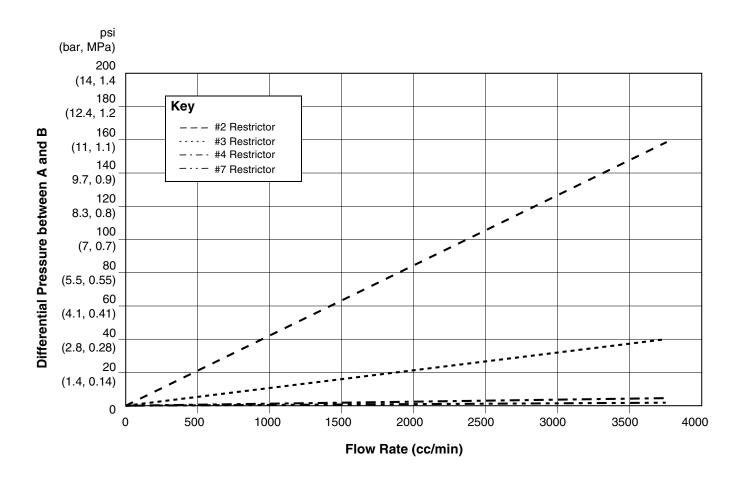


Fig. 58. Dynamic Dosing Performance (20:1 Ratio, 90 centipoise fluid, 100 psi A side pressure)



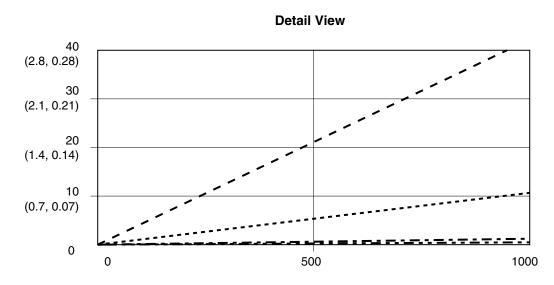
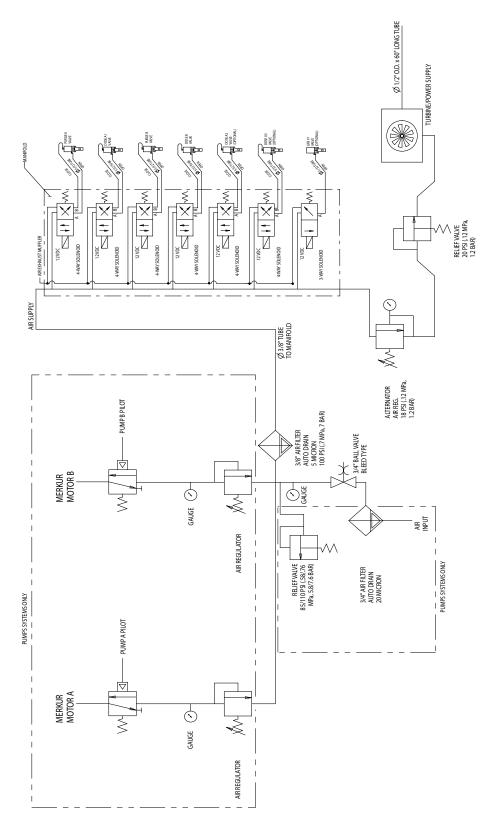


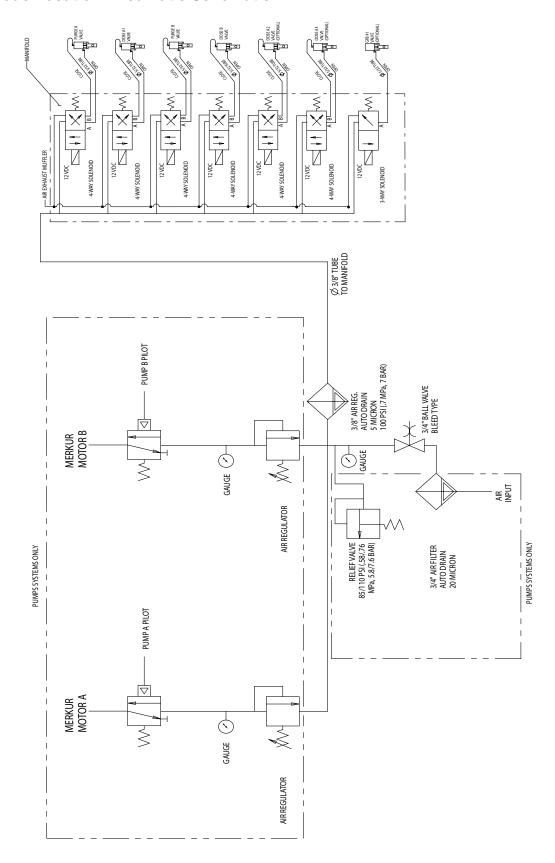
Fig. 59. Dynamic Dosing Performance (30:1 Ratio, 90 centipoise fluid, 100 psi A side pressure)

# **Schematics**

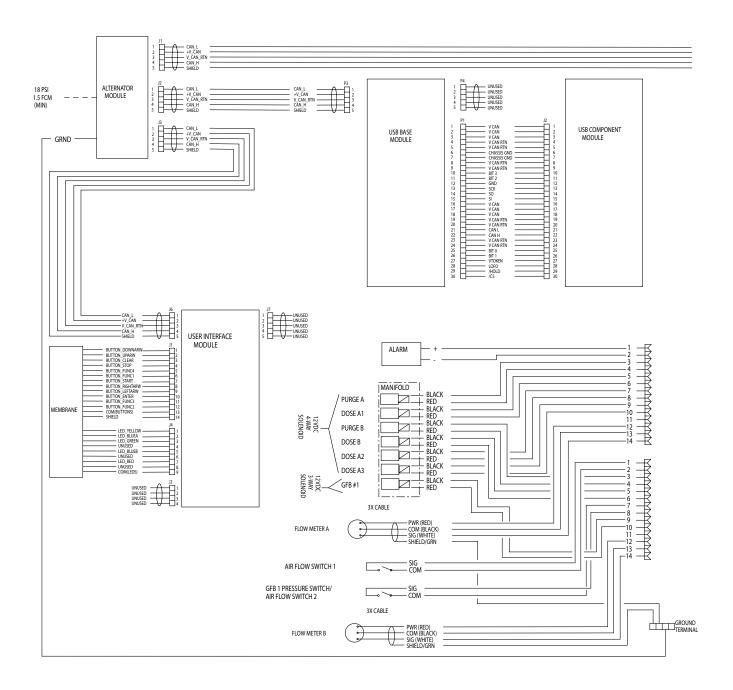
# **Hazardous Location System Pneumatic Schematic**



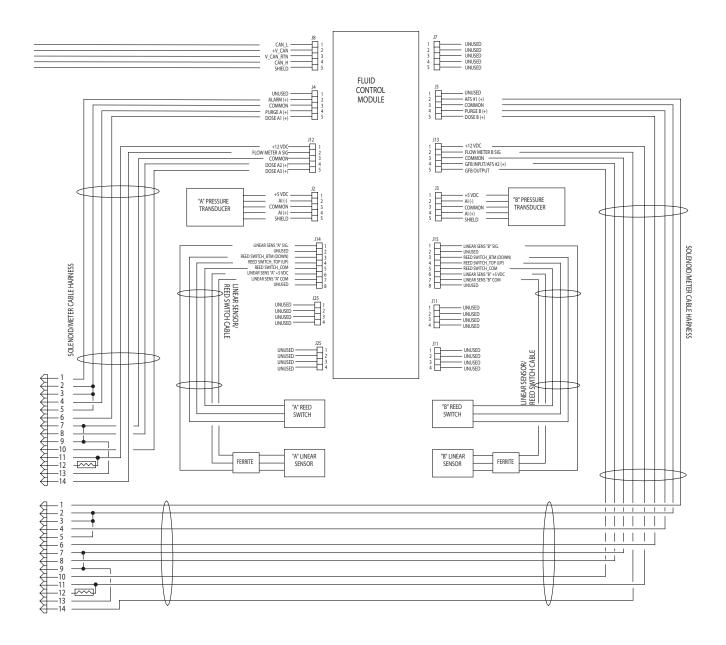
### **Non-Hazardous Location Pneumatic Schematic**



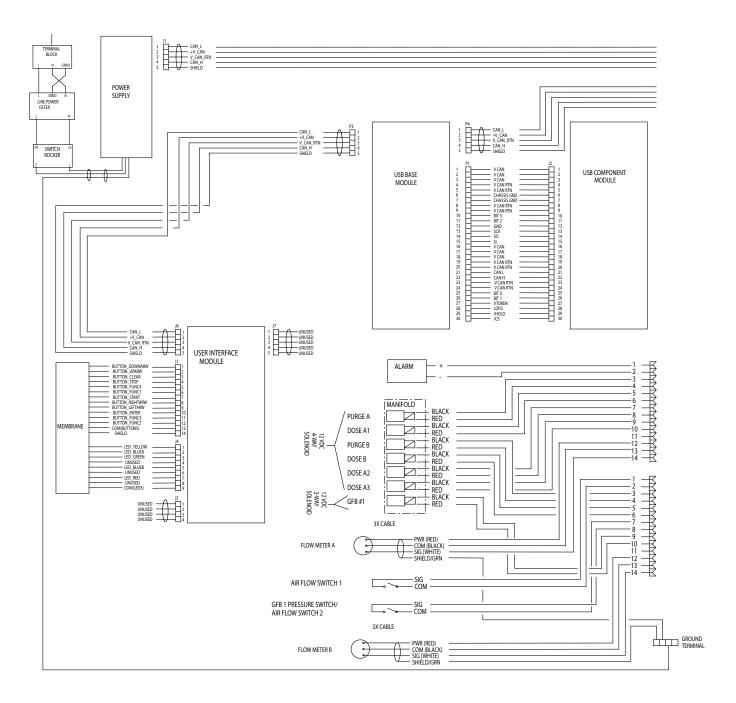
#### **Hazardous Location Electrical Schematic**



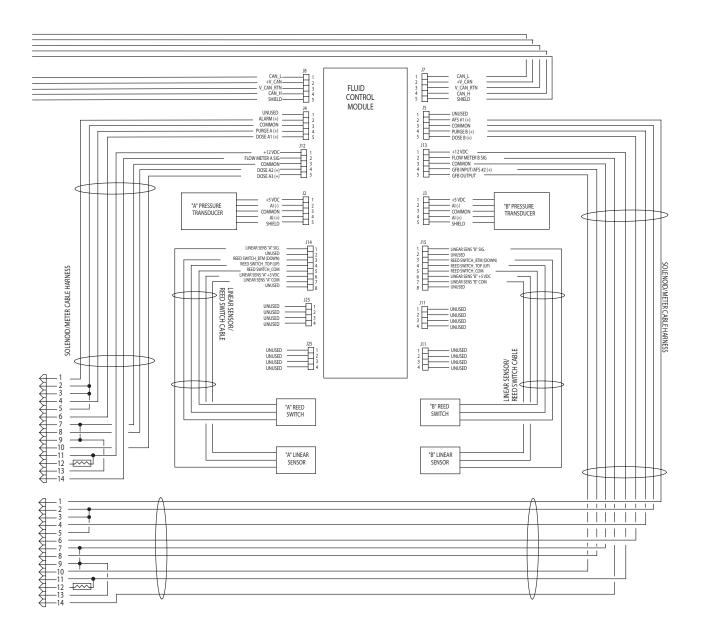
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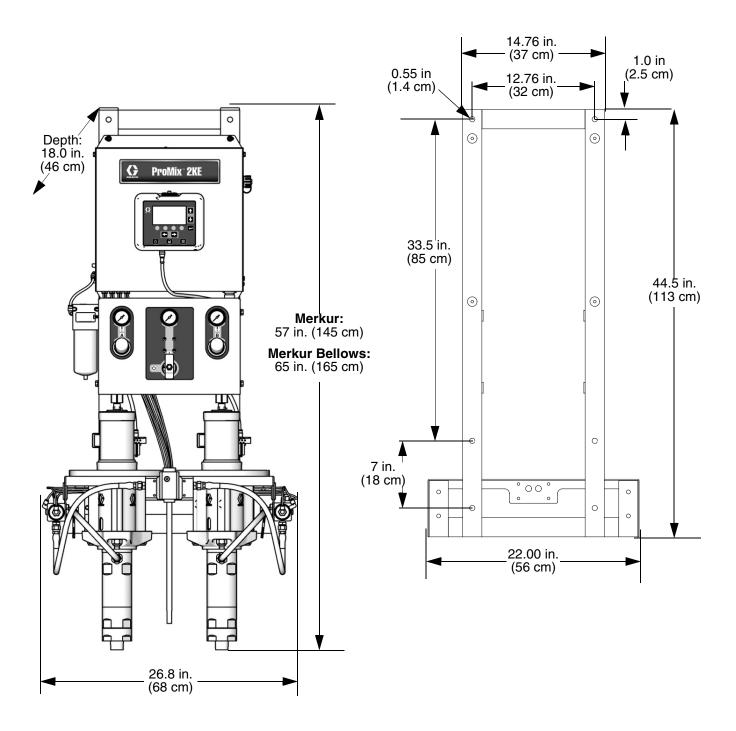
#### **Non-Hazardous Location Electrical Schematic**



#### **Non-Hazardous Electrical Schematic (continued)**



# **Dimensions and Mounting**



# **Technical Data**

ProMix 2KE		
	US	Metric
Maximum fluid working pressure	See Models, pages 3 and 4.	
Maximum working air pressure	100 psi	0.7 MPa, 7 bar
Air supply	75 to 100 psi	0.5 to 0.7 MPa, 5.2 to 7 bar
Air filter inlet size	3/8 npt(f)	
Air filtration for air logic (Graco-supplied)	5 micron (minimum) filtration required; clean and dry air	
Air filtration for atomizing air (user-supplied)	30 micron (minimum) filtration required; clean and dry air	
Mixing ratio range	0.1:1 to 30:1	
Viscosity range of fluid	20 to 5000 cps	
Fluid filtration (user-supplied)	100 mesh minimum	
Fluid outlet size (static mixer)	1/4 npt(f)	
External power supply requirements	85 - 250 Vac, 50/60 Hz, 2 amps maximum draw 15 amp maximum circuit breaker required 8 to 14 AWG power supply wire gauge	
Operating temperature range	41° to 122°F	5° to 50°C
Approximate weight	300 lb 136 kg	
Environmental conditions rating	indoor use, pollution degree (2), installation category II	
Fluids handled	one or two component:	
	solvent and waterborne paints	
	<ul> <li>polyurethanes</li> <li>epoxies</li> <li>acid catalyzed varnishes</li> <li>moisture sensitive isocyanates</li> </ul>	
On-ratio accuracy		
1:1 to 10:1 Mixing Ratio	± 2%	
10.1:1 to 30:1 Mixing Ratio	± 5%	
Noise level		
Sound pressure level	below 70 dBA	
Sound power level	Below 85 dBA	
Materials of construction		
Wetted materials on all models	303, 304 SST; Tungsten carbide (with nickel binder); perfluoroelastomer; PTFE	

# **Graco Standard Warranty**

Graco warrants all equipment referenced in this document which is manufactured by Graco and bearing its name to be free from defects in material and workmanship on the date of sale to the original purchaser for use. With the exception of any special, extended, or limited warranty published by Graco, Graco will, for a period of twelve months from the date of sale, repair or replace any part of the equipment determined by Graco to be defective. This warranty applies only when the equipment is installed, operated and maintained in accordance with Graco's written recommendations.

This warranty does not cover, and Graco shall not be liable for general wear and tear, or any malfunction, damage or wear caused by faulty installation, misapplication, abrasion, corrosion, inadequate or improper maintenance, negligence, accident, tampering, or substitution of non-Graco component parts. Nor shall Graco be liable for malfunction, damage or wear caused by the incompatibility of Graco equipment with structures, accessories, equipment or materials not supplied by Graco, or the improper design, manufacture, installation, operation or maintenance of structures, accessories, equipment or materials not supplied by Graco.

This warranty is conditioned upon the prepaid return of the equipment claimed to be defective to an authorized Graco distributor for verification of the claimed defect. If the claimed defect is verified, Graco will repair or replace free of charge any defective parts. The equipment will be returned to the original purchaser transportation prepaid. If inspection of the equipment does not disclose any defect in material or workmanship, repairs will be made at a reasonable charge, which charges may include the costs of parts, labor, and transportation.

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