



**Multi-Spectrum QuadBand Triple IR  
Fire and Flame Detectors**

# Fire Sentry FS24X Detector



## Features

- Patented\* WideBand IRT™ technology
- Patented\* Electronic Frequency Analysis™
- Visible sensor for optimum false alarm rejection
- Selectable detection sensitivities
- Field-of-View: 110° full 100% cone-of-vision (90° full 100% cone-of-vision model also available)
- Dual microprocessors for reliable performance
- Real-time clock for accurate time dating of events
- FirePic™ — pre-fire event data storage
- Event log with date and time stamp
- RS-485 ModBus communication
- Non-Isolated 4-20 mA Analog output (sink or source)
- Alarm, Fault and Fire Verification relays
- Automatic optical path and electronic self-test
- Wide operating temperature range
- Patented\* Electronics Module for components protection with easy plug-in terminations and field installation
- Two 25 mm or ¾" NPT conduit entries
- Low power consumption
- High RFI and EMI immunity
- FM, ATEX, CE mark approvals
- Meets SIL 2 requirements

## Benefits

- Detects hydrocarbon and non-hydrocarbon fuel fires in all environmental conditions
- User selectable outputs
- Optimal false alarm rejection for environmental conditions
- Minimal maintenance for trouble-free operation
- PC software and Interface Module (FSIM) for fault diagnostics, real-time graphics (RTGs), and downloading of FirePics™ and event log
- Suitable for a wide variety of applications
- Easy electronics module replacement
- Test lamps for manual testing

## Applications

- Refineries and oil production facilities
- Off-shore platforms
- Turbine/Compressor enclosures
- Oil and gas pipelines and pumping stations
- LNG/LPG loading and unloading facilities
- Natural gas and CNG plants
- Ethanol, Methanol, and IPA production and storage
- Crude oil and gasoline storage and tank farms
- Aircraft hangars
- Paint and solvent storage
- Chemical production, storage, and loading facilities
- Power plants

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**Fire Sentry FS24X is a quantum leap in flame and fire detection with its sophisticated software and detection technology.**



The Fire Sentry FS24X is the latest generation high technology Multi-Spectrum Triple IR (IR/IR/IR/Visible) Fire and Flame Detector, which is part of our FSX family of advanced technology Electro-Optical fire detectors. Using our patented\* WideBand IRT™, WideBand 4.3 micron IRT™, and Visible detection technology, the Fire Sentry FS24X is a quantum leap in flame and fire detection. Sophisticated software algorithms and dual microprocessors ensure that the Fire Sentry FS24X has the highest fire detection performance combined with optimal false alarm rejection.

The WideBand IRT™ Infrared technology using high-speed solid-state Quantum sensors allows detection of all types of fires, hydrocarbon and non-hydrocarbon, in all weather conditions. If the detector's signal is blocked by ordinary window glass, the patented WideBand IR sensors will still alarm to the fire albeit at a reduced sensitivity and slower response time.

Dual microprocessors provide a high level of fail-safe operation combined with fast and reliable performance. The master microprocessor performs high-speed digital sampling and signal-processing calculations,

while the slave microprocessor handles various sensor data, performs communications, self-diagnostics and provides interface versatility and additional memory for storing Event Log and FirePic™ data.

The Fire Sentry FSX family of detectors feature our patented\* FirePic data storage and information retrieval facility. FirePic™ records pre-fire data, which can be recovered from the Detector's non-volatile flash memory for post fire analysis and postulation of the fire cause. Additionally, unique Real-Time Graphing (RTG™) allows viewing of the data which the Detector actually sees. A combination of outputs makes the Fire Sentry FS24X a truly versatile detector for today's demanding industrial requirements.

The Fire Sentry FS24X detector has a detection range greater than 60 m (200 feet) (Very High Sensitivity setting) for the detection of a 0.1 m<sup>2</sup> (one square-foot) Heptane reference fire and has a cone of vision far greater in volumetric coverage than any other Multi-Spectrum IR Detector. This means fewer Detectors can be used as compared to other manufacturers' Detectors.

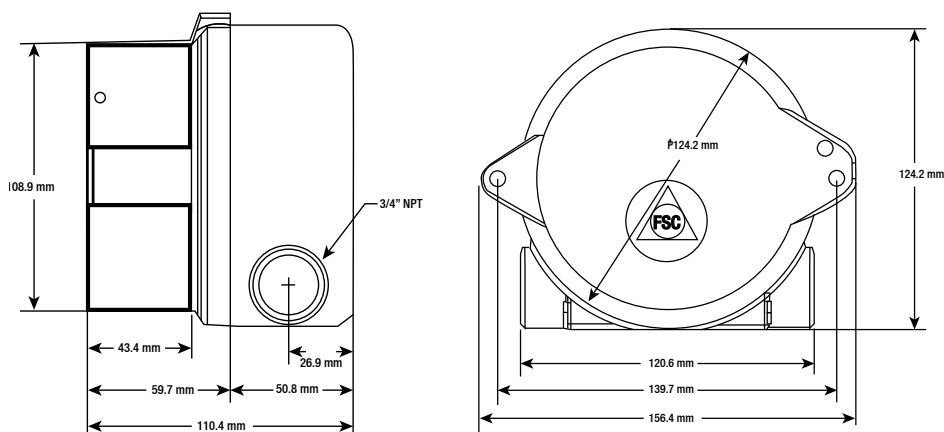
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# General Specification



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<b>Field of view</b>	90° Full 100% cone of vision, ± 45° from on axis OR 110° Full 100% cone of vision, ± 55° from on axis
<b>Sensitivity</b>	Very high, high, medium and low - switch selectable
<b>Response time</b>	3-5 seconds to 0.1 m <sup>2</sup> (1 sq. ft.) n-Heptane fire at 30 m (100 ft.) 3-10 seconds to 0.1 m <sup>2</sup> (1 sq. ft.) n-Heptane fire at 60 m (200 ft.)
<b>Spectral sensitivity</b>	Visible: 400 – 700 nanometres Near Band IR: 0.7 – 1.1 microns Wide Band IR: 1.1 – 3.0 microns Wide Band IR: 3.0 – 5.0 microns
<b>Operating voltage</b>	24 Vdc nominal (18-32 Vdc) - regulated
<b>Power consumption</b>	Operating: 56 mA @ 24 Vdc nominal Alarm: 106 mA @ 24 Vdc nominal Heater: 155 mA – additional Note: Heater will turn on at -17°C (0°F)
<b>Output relays</b>	Fire Alarm: SPDT (NO / NC) – De-energised/energized, latching/non-latching Fault: SPST (NO) – Normally energised, latching/non-latching Auxiliary: SPDT (NO / NC) – De-energised/energized, latching/non-latching Contacts rating: 1 amp @ 24 Vdc
<b>Analog output</b>	0 - 20 mA stepped - source or sink user selectable
<b>Loop resistance</b>	50 - 400 Ohms
<b>Communication</b>	One of the following – user selectable: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• RS-485, ModBus Protocol</li> <li>• RS-485, FireBus II</li> <li>• HART, Optional plug-in module</li> </ul>
<b>Visual indications</b>	Blue LED: Power Red LED: Alarm Yellow LED: Fault
<b>Temperature range</b>	Operating: -40 to +85°C (-40 to +185°F) Storage: -55 to +110°C (-67 to +230°F)
<b>Humidity range</b>	5 to 98% relative humidity, non-condensing
<b>Vibration</b>	Meets or exceeds MilSpec 810C Method 514.2, Curve AW12
<b>Wiring</b>	2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> (14 AWG) to 0.326 mm <sup>2</sup> (22 AWG); shielded cable recommended
<b>Conduit entries</b>	Standard: Two M25 or two ¾" NPT
<b>Enclosure materials</b>	Copper-free powder coated aluminum or 316 stainless steel
<b>Enclosure type</b>	4X, IP66 & NEMA 4
<b>Certifications</b>	<b>FM:</b> Class I, Div. 1 & 2, Groups B, C, & D Class II, Div. 1 & 2, Groups E, F, & G Class III ATEX, IECEx II 2 GD Gas: Ex d IIC T4(Ta: -40°C to + 110°C), T5 (Ta: -40°C to + 75°C), T6 (Ta: -40°C to +60°C) Gb Dust: Ex tb IIIC IP66 T 135°C Db CE complies with EN61000-6-4 and EN50130-4 <b>SIL Rating:</b> FMEDA meets IEC 61508 safety requirements
<b>Shipping weight</b>	Aluminum: 1.6 kg (3.6 lbs) Stainless steel: 3.2 kg (7 lbs)
<b>Mounting</b>	Swivel bracket assembly - optional
<b>Warranty</b>	Three years from date of shipping

**General Dimensions**  
Side and Back Views  
(All Dimensions in mm)





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