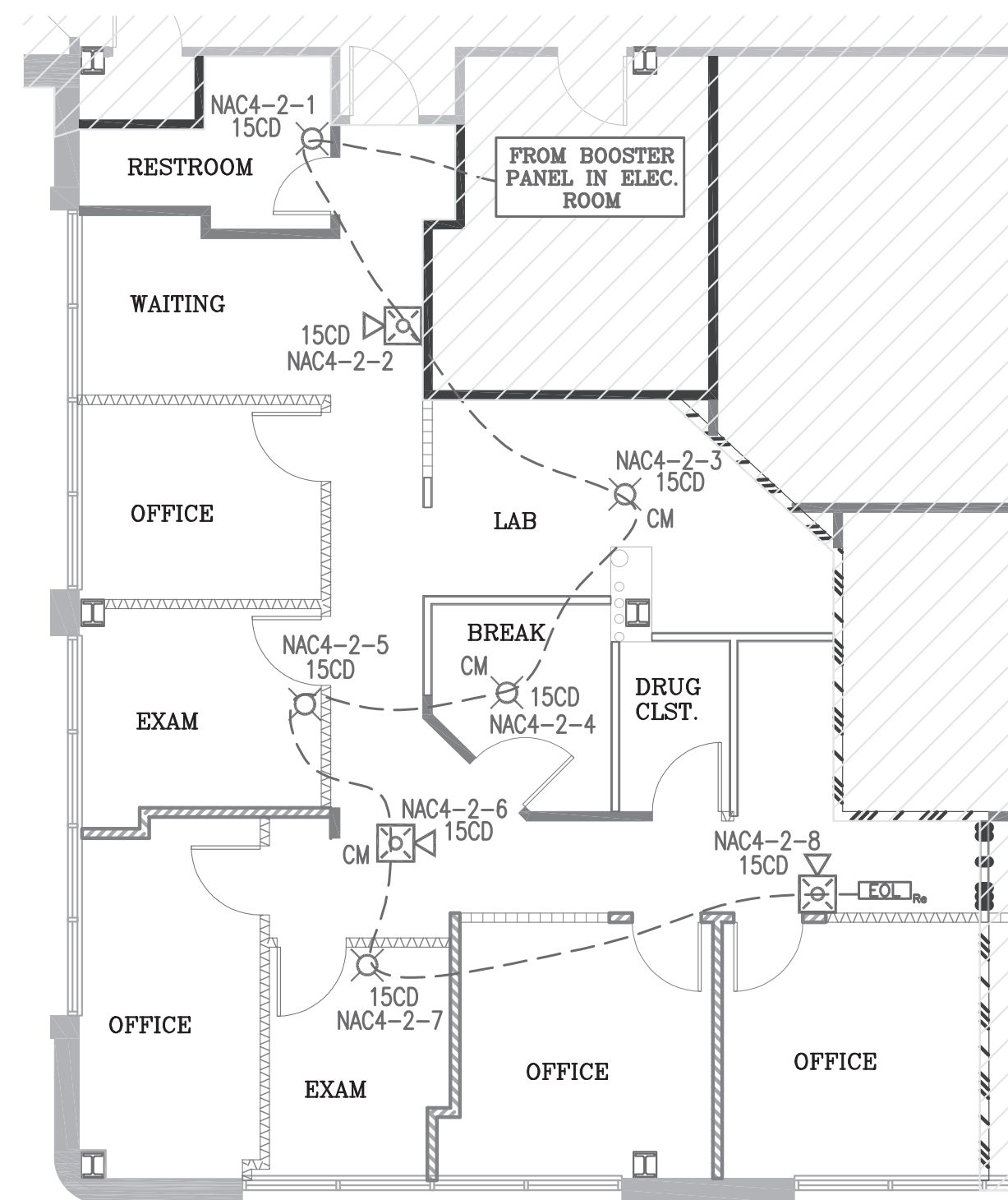


GENERAL NOTES:

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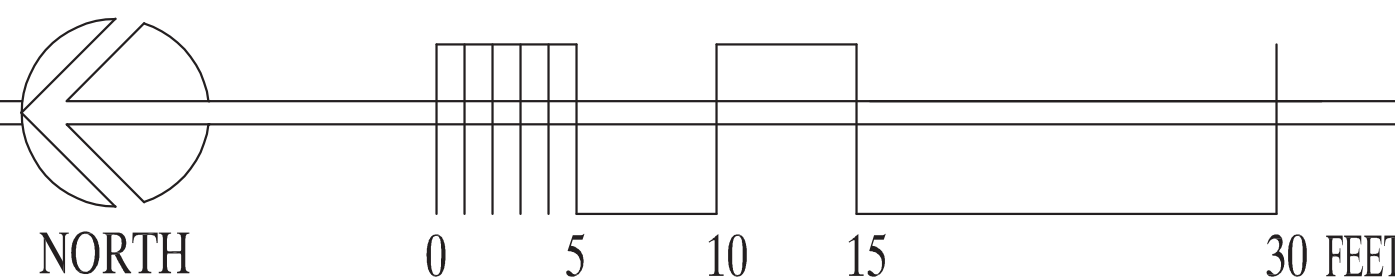
FIRE ALARM SYMBOLS LEGEND

EXISTING	DESCRIPTION	PROPOSED
	STROBE - Wall Mount or CM = Ceiling Mount	
	SMOKE DETECTOR - x = photo, ion	
	HORN STROBE - Wall Mount or CM = Ceiling Mount	
	HORN = Wall Mount or CM = Ceiling Mount	
	REMOTE LED	
	END OF LINE RESISTOR	
	BOOSTER PANEL	
	PULL STATION	
	FIREMAN'S PHONE JACK	
	HEAT DETECTOR - x =135, 200, ROR	
	FLOW SWITCH	
	TAMPER SWITCH	
	DUCT DETECTOR - x = photo, ion	
	MONITOR MODULE	
<p>NOTIFICATION APPLIANCE CIRCUIT NUMBER NOTIFICATION APPLIANCE PANEL NUMBER NAC1-2-3 POWER EXPANDER NUMBERING</p> <p>RL = RELOCATED DEVICES RR = REMOVE AND REINSTALL RPL = REMOVE AND REPLACE J = J-BOX</p>		



SUITE #420 FIRE ALARM PLAN

SCALE: 1/8" = 1'-0"



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By: **T. Caviness**
Date: **March 16, 2018**
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FIRE ALARM SYSTEM TENANT FINISH FOR:
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PROJECT TITLE

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PROJECT NUMBER

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SUITE 420
FIRE ALARM PLAN

SCALE: AS SHOWN

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Scope of Work:

1. Provide and install three (3) horn strobes.
2. Provide and install five (5) strobes.

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Overview

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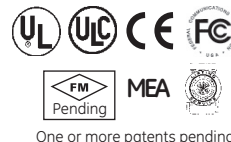
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Standard Features

- **Field configurable – no need to remove the device!**
 - 15/30/75/95 cd and 95/115/150/177 cd models available
 - Switch settings remain visible even after the unit is installed
- **Unique low-profile design**
 - 30 per cent slimmer profile than comparable signals
 - Attractive appearance
 - No visible mounting screws
 - Available with white or red housings
- **Easy to install**
 - Fits all standard 4" square electrical boxes with plenty of room behind the signal for extra wire – no extension ring or trim plate needed
 - #18 to #12 AWG terminals – ideal for long runs or existing wiring
- **Unparalleled performance**
 - Exclusive FullLight strobe technology produces the industry's most even light distribution
 - Precision timing electronics meet tough synchronizing standards for strobes
 - Low current draw minimizes system overhead
 - Highly regulated in-rush current allows the maximum number of strobes on a circuit
- **Approved for public and private mode applications**
 - UL 1971-listed as signaling devices for the hearing impaired
 - UL 1638-listed as protective visual signaling appliances
 - UL/ULC listed for ceiling or wall use

Field Configurable Ceiling Strobes

Genesis Series



Application

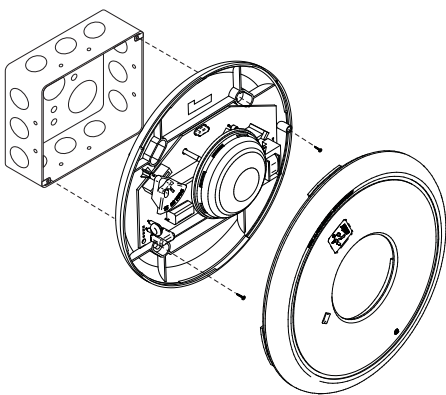
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All Genesis strobes exceed UL synchronization requirements (within 10 milliseconds other over a two-hour period) when used with a synchronization source. Synchronization is important in order to avoid epileptic sensitivity.

Installation

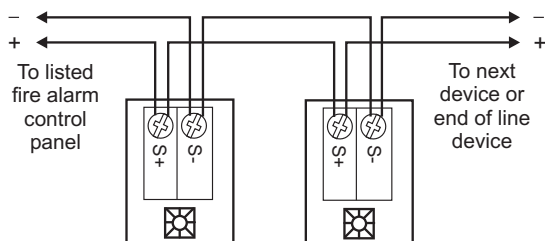
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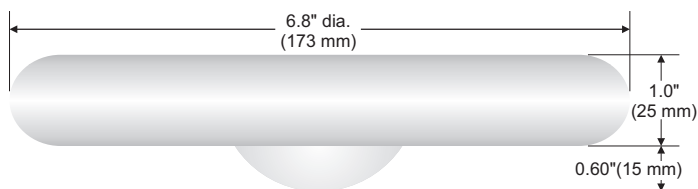


Wiring

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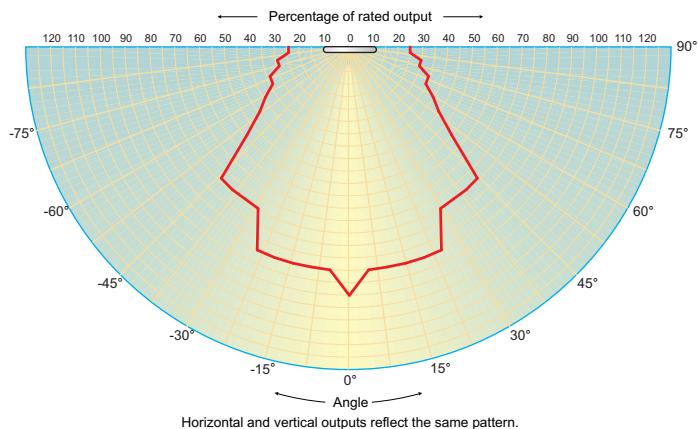


Dimensions



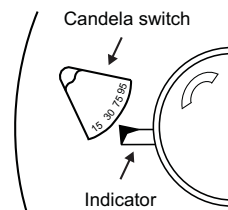
Light output (effective cd)

Percent of UL rating versus angle



Field Configuration

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WARNING: These devices will not operate without electrical power. As fires frequently cause power interruptions, we suggest you discuss further safeguards with your local fire protection specialist.

These visible signal appliances' flash intensity may not be adequate to alert or awaken occupants in the protected area. Research indicates that the intensity of strobe needed to awaken 90% of sleeping persons is approximately 100 cd. GE Security recommends that strobes in sleeping rooms be 110 cd minimum.

Current Draw

UL Rating	15 cd RMS	30 cd RMS	75 cd RMS	95 cd RMS
16 Vdc	109	151	281	318
16 Vfwr	131	194	379	437

95 cd RMS	115 cd RMS	150 cd RMS	177 cd RMS
330	392	502	565
432	518	643	693

Typical Current	15 cd		30 cd		75 cd		95 cd	
	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean
16 Vdc	94	87	140	135	273	268	325	323
20 Vdc	74	68	108	105	205	203	244	242
24 Vdc	63	59	90	88	168	166	194	192
33 Vdc	48	46	70	68	124	123	139	138
16 Vfwr	126	67	187	108	368	231	403	260
20 Vfwr	108	54	156	84	281	168	333	199
24 Vfwr	97	47	139	71	240	135	270	156
33 Vfwr	89	39	119	56	197	100	214	111

95 cd		115 cd		150 cd		177 cd	
RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean
333	330	392	390	499	496	551	545
259	257	303	301	378	375	429	426
212	210	245	243	306	304	342	340
155	153	180	174	211	209	236	234
484	283	570	339	673	411	724	446
380	212	438	248	537	312	604	352
318	172	361	198	434	243	484	273
245	123	269	137	308	160	338	176

Notes and Comments

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2. UL nameplate rating is higher than typical current due to measurement methods and instruments used.
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6. Our industry has used 'mean' currents over the years. However, UL will direct the industry to use the 2004 RMS values in the future.

Specifications

Housing	Textured UV stabilized, color impregnated engineered plastic. Exceeds 94V-0 UL flammability rating. Red and white models available.
Lens	Optical grade polycarbonate (clear).
Mounting	Flush mount to North American 4-inch square electrical box, 2-1/8 (54 mm) inches deep. No extension ring required. Suitable for indoor wall or ceiling applications.
Wire Connections	Screw terminals: #18 to #12 AWG (0.75 mm ² to 2.5 mm ²) wire size.
Operating Voltage	Regulated 16 to 33 Vdc, 16 to 33 Vfwr.
Operating environment	Indoor: 32-120° F (0-49° C) ambient temperature; 0-93% relative humidity.
Agency listings/approvals	Meets or exceeds year 2004 UL requirements for standards UL1638 and UL1971 and Canadian requirements for standards CAN/ULC S526-02 and CAN/ULC S524-01. All models comply with ADA Code of Federal Regulation Chapter 28 Part 36 Final Rule. CSFM, MEA. FM pending.
Strobe output rating	UL 1971, UL 1638, ULC S526: selectable 15/30/75/95 cd (GC-VM) and 95/115/150/177 cd (GC-VMH)
Strobe operating voltage	GC-VM series strobes: non-coded, filtered 16-33 Vdc or unfiltered 16-33 Vdc FWR.
Strobe flash rate	GC-VM series strobes: one flash per second synchronized with optional G1M Genesis Signal Master indefinitely within 10 milliseconds (or self-synchronized within 200 milliseconds over thirty minutes on a common circuit without G1M Genesis Signal Master). Temporal setting (private mode only): synchronized to temporal output of Genesis audible signals on same circuit.
Synchronization	Meets or exceeds UL 1971 requirements. Maximum allowed resistance between any two devices is 20 Ohms. Refer to specifications for the synchronization control module, this strobe, and the control panel to determine allowed wire resistance.
Synchronization Sources	G1M-RM, SIGA-CC1S, SIGA-MCC1S, BPS6A, BPS10A

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Ordering Information

Catalog Number	Housing Color	Marking	Description	Ship Wt. lbs (kg)
GC-VM	White	None	Genesis Ceiling/Wall Strobe (selectable 15, 30, 75, or 95 cd output)	1.8 (0.82)
GCF-VM	White	"FIRE"		
GCFR-VM	Red	"FIRE"	Genesis Ceiling/Wall Strobe (selectable 95, 115, 150, or 177 cd output)	1.8 (0.82)
GC-VMH	White	None		
GCF-VMH	White	"FIRE"		

Accessories				
G1M-RM	Genesis Signal Master – Remote Mount (1-gang)			0.2 (0.1)
SIGA-CC1S	Intelligent Synchronization Output Module (2-gang)			0.5 (0.23)
SIGA-MCC1S	Intelligent Synchronization Output Module (Plug-in UIO)			0.18 (0.08)



White Field Configurable Ceiling Strobes may be ordered with or without optional 'FIRE' marking. Red Strobes come with 'FIRE' marking.



imagination at work

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Standard Features

- **Field configurable – no need to remove the device!**
 - 15/30/75/95 cd and 95/115/150/177 cd models available
 - Switch settings remain visible even after the unit is installed
 - Low/high dB settings
- **Unique low-profile design**
 - 30 per cent slimmer profile than comparable signals
 - No visible mounting screws
 - Available with white or red housings
- **Easy to install**
 - Fits all standard 4" square electrical boxes with plenty of room behind the signal for extra wire – no extension ring or trim plate needed
 - Pre-assembled with captive hardware – no loose pieces
 - #18 to #12 AWG terminals – ideal for long runs or existing wiring
- **Unparalleled performance**
 - Exclusive FullLight strobe technology produces the industry's most even light distribution
 - Single high-efficiency microprocessor controls both horn and strobe
 - Low current draw minimizes system overhead
 - Independent horn control provided over a single pair of wires
 - Highly regulated in-rush current allows the maximum number of strobes on a circuit
 - 100 dB peak – multiple frequency tone improves wall penetration

Field Configurable Ceiling Horn-Strobes

Genesis Series



Application

Genesis strobes are UL 1971-listed for use indoors as ceiling-mounted public-mode notification appliances for the hearing impaired. Prevailing codes require strobes to be used where ambient noise conditions exceed 105 dBA (87dBA in Canada), where occupants use hearing protection, and in areas of public accommodation as defined in the *Americans with Disabilities Act* (see application notes – USA).

Combination horn-strobe signals must be installed in accordance with guidelines established for strobe devices.

Strobes

Genesis strobes are UL 1971-listed for use indoors as wall-mounted public-mode notification appliances for the hearing impaired. Prevailing codes require strobes to be used where ambient noise conditions exceed specified levels, where occupants use hearing protection, and in areas of public accommodation. Consult with your Authority Having Jurisdiction for details.

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NOTE: The flash intensity of some visible signals may not be adequate to alert or waken occupants in the protected area. Research indicates that the intensity of strobe needed to awaken 90% of sleeping persons is approximately 100 cd. GE Security recommends that strobes in sleeping rooms be rated at at least 110 cd.

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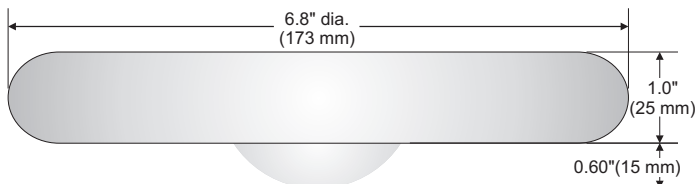
Horns

Genesis horn output reaches as high as 99 dB (peak) and features a unique multiple frequency tone that results in excellent wall penetration and an unmistakable warning of danger. All models may be configured for either coded or non-coded signal circuits. They can also be set for low dB output with a jumper cut that reduces horn output by about 5 dB.

The suggested sound pressure level for each signaling zone used with alert or alarm signals is at least 15 dB above the average ambient sound level, or 5 dB above the maximum sound level having a duration of at least 60 seconds, whichever is greater, measured 5 feet (1.5 m) above the floor. The average ambient sound level is, A-weighted sound pressure measured over a 24-hour period.

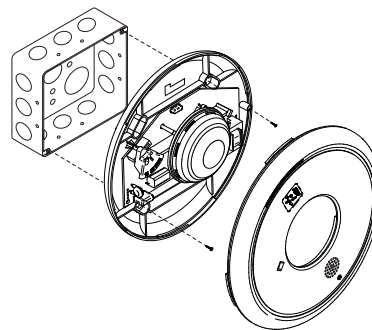
Doubling the distance from the signal to the ear will theoretically result in a 6 dB reduction of the received sound pressure level. The actual effect depends on the acoustic properties of materials in the space. A 3 dBA difference represents a barely noticeable change in volume.

Dimensions



Installation and Mounting

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Genesis ceiling horn-strobes simply unlatch and twist to open. This gains access to mounting screws and the selectable candela switch. The shallow depth of Genesis devices leaves ample room behind the signal for extra wiring. Once installed with the cover in place, no mounting screws are visible.

GE Security recommends that these fire alarm horn-strobes always be installed in accordance with the latest recognized edition of national and local fire alarm codes.

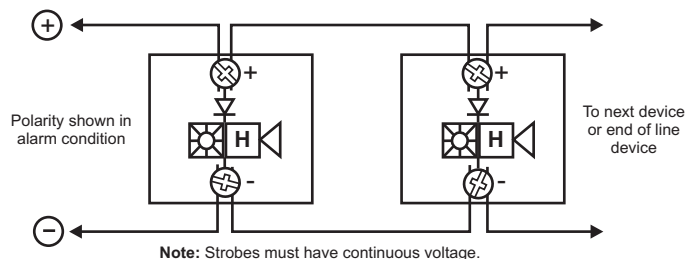
Field Configuration

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The horn-strobe comes factory set for high dB output. Low dB output may be selected by cutting a jumper on the circuit board. This reduces the output by about 5 dB.

Wiring

Field wiring terminals accommodate #18 to #12 AWG (0.75 mm² to 2.5 mm²) wiring. Horn/strobes are interconnected with a single pair of wires as shown below.



Current Draw

GC-HDVM Temporal Horn-strobe: High dB Setting

UL Rating	15 cd RMS	30 cd RMS	75 cd RMS	95 cd RMS
16 Vdc	147	190	316	372
16 Vfwr	189	253	417	451

GC-HDVM Temporal Horn-strobe: High dB Setting

Typical Current	15 cd		30 cd		75 cd		95 cd	
	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean
16 Vdc	111	95	152	143	281	276	333	328
20 Vdc	91	80	124	117	219	214	257	251
24 Vdc	80	71	108	101	185	180	212	207
33 Vdc	69	62	89	84	144	140	160	156
16 Vfwr	153	81	218	123	388	240	420	268
20 Vfwr	141	70	190	100	325	188	378	219
24 Vfwr	135	64	176	90	280	154	310	180
33 Vfwr	139	61	167	80	241	122	254	133

GC-HDVM Temporal Horn-strobe: Low dB Setting

Typical Current	15 cd		30 cd		75 cd		95 cd	
	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean
16 Vdc	108	91	149	139	275	269	327	322
20 Vdc	87	75	120	113	214	209	250	245
24 Vdc	76	66	103	97	180	175	205	201
33 Vdc	64	57	85	80	138	135	153	150
16 Vfwr	141	76	204	118	384	239	418	265
20 Vfwr	127	65	176	95	312	181	371	214
24 Vfwr	118	60	162	82	262	149	301	171
33 Vfwr	127	56	155	73	229	118	249	129

GC-HDVMH High cd Temporal Horn-strobe: High dB Setting

95 cd RMS	115 cd RMS	150 cd RMS	177 cd RMS
341	399	506	570
487	578	670	711

GC-HDVMH High cd Temporal Horn-strobe: High dB Setting

95 cd		115 cd		150 cd		177 cd	
RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean
324	322	377	374	477	474	554	551
258	256	299	296	369	366	417	414
220	217	252	249	304	301	341	338
172	169	188	185	223	220	244	241
463	265	535	312	665	400	718	442
392	211	439	240	517	287	587	334
346	179	382	212	458	246	498	271
296	142	323	152	358	178	387	194

GC-HDVMH High cd Temporal Horn-strobe: Low dB Setting

95 cd		115 cd		150 cd		177 cd	
RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean
317	315	378	376	480	477	544	542
252	250	292	290	364	362	414	411
212	211	245	243	297	295	334	332
159	157	181	179	215	213	234	232
461	265	521	305	656	396	705	432
381	208	437	242	508	285	576	326
335	172	370	195	440	235	485	264
285	134	308	149	349	169	373	186

Notes and Comments

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- GE Security recommends using the Typical Current for system design including NAC and Power Supply loading and voltage drop calculations.
- Use the Vdc RMS current ratings for filtered power supply and battery AH calculations. Use the Vfwr RMS current ratings for unfiltered power supply calculations.
- Fuses, circuit breakers and other overcurrent protection devices are typically rated for current in RMS values. Most of these devices operate based upon the heating affect of the current flowing through the device. The RMS current (not the mean current) determines the heating affect and therefore, the trip and hold threshold for those devices.
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dBA output

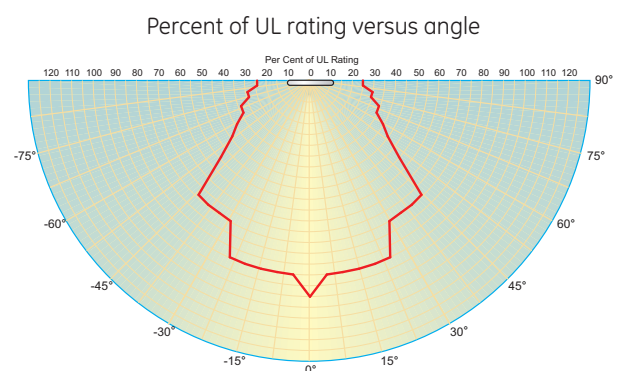
High dB Setting	UL464		Average	Peak
	Temporal	Steady	Temporal/ Steady	Temporal/ Steady
16 Vdc	79.8	83.2	90.6	93.6
24 Vdc	83.3	85.4	93.6	96.6
33 Vdc	85	87.8	95.7	98.7

Low dB Setting	UL464		Average	Peak
	Temporal	Steady	Temporal/ Steady	Temporal/ Steady
16 Vdc	75	79.3	86.3	88.7
24 Vdc	78	83	88.8	92.4
33 Vdc	80.9	85.9	91.8	95.1

Notes

- All values shown are dBA measured at 10 feet (3.01m);
- UL464 values measured in reverberation room;
- Average and Peak values are measured in anechoic chamber.

Light output - (effective cd)



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Specifications

Housing	Textured UV stabilized, color impregnated engineered plastic. Exceeds 94V-0 UL flammability rating. Red and white models available.
Lens	Optical grade polycarbonate (clear)
Mounting	North-American 4" square box, 2 1/8" (54 mm) deep (indoor wall or ceiling applications only).
Wire connections	Screw terminals: single input for both horn and strobe. #18 to #12 AWG (0.75 mm ² to 2.5 mm ²) wire size
Operating environment	Indoor: 32-120°F (0-49°C) ambient temperature. 93% relative humidity
Agency listings/approvals	Meets or exceeds ULC-S541, year 2004 UL requirements for standards UL1638 and UL1971, and complies with UL1480. All horn-strobes comply with ADA Code of Federal Regulation Chapter 28 Part 36 Final Rule. CSFM, MEA. FM pending.
Operating voltage	GC-HDVM series temporal-tone horn-strobes: non-coded, filtered 16-33 Vdc or unfiltered 16-33 Vdc FWR (or coded (audible NAC only) when used with optional G1M Genesis Signal Master)
Strobe output rating	UL 1971, UL 1638, ULC S526: selectable 15/30/75/95 cd (GC-HDVM) and 95/115/150/177 cd (GC-HDVMH)
Strobe flash rate	GC-HDVM series temporal-tone horn-strobes: one flash per second synchronized with optional G1M Genesis Signal Master indefinitely within 10 milliseconds (or self-synchronized within 200 milliseconds over thirty minutes on a common circuit without G1M Genesis Signal Master) Temporal setting (private mode only): synchronized to temporal output of horns on same circuit
Synchronization Sources	G1M-RM, SIGA-CC1S, SIGA-MCC1S, BPS6A, BPS10A
Horn pulse rate	GC-HDVM series temporal-tone horn-strobes: temporal rate synchronized with optional G1M Genesis Signal Master indefinitely within 10 milliseconds (or self-synchronized within 200 milliseconds over thirty minutes on a common circuit without G1M Genesis Signal Master)
Temporal audible pattern	½ sec ON, ½ sec OFF, ½ sec ON, ½ sec OFF, ½ sec ON, 1½ sec OFF, then repeat cycle

Ordering Information

Catalog Number	Housing Color	Marking	Description	Ship Wt. lbs (kg)
GC-HDVM	White	None	Genesis Ceiling/Wall Horn-Strobe with selectable 15, 30, 75, or 95 cd output	0.82 (1.8)
GCF-HDVM	White	"FIRE"		
GCFR-HDVM	Red	"FIRE"	Genesis Ceiling/Wall Horn-Strobe with selectable 95, 115, 150, or 177 cd output	
GC-HDVMH	White	None		
GCF-HDVMH	White	"FIRE"		

Accessories

G1M-RM	Genesis Signal Master – Remote Mount (1-gang)	0.2 (0.1)
SIGA-CC1S	Intelligent Synchronization Output Module (2-gang)	0.5 (0.23)
SIGA-MCC1S	Intelligent Synchronization Output Module (Plug-in UIO)	0.18 (0.08)



White Field Configurable Ceiling Horn-Strobes may be ordered with or without optional 'FIRE' marking. Red Horn-Strobes come with 'FIRE' marking.



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Overview

The Genesis line of signals are among the smallest, most compact audible-visible emergency signaling devices in the world. About the size of a deck of playing cards, these devices are designed to blend with any decor.

Thanks to patented breakthrough technology, GE Security Genesis strobes do not require bulky specular reflectors and lenses. Instead, an exclusive cavity design conditions light to produce a highly controlled distribution pattern. Significant development efforts employing this new technology have given rise to a new benchmark in strobe performance – FullLight technology.

FullLight strobe technology produces a smooth light distribution pattern without the spikes and voids characteristic of specular reflectors. This ensures the entire coverage area receives consistent illumination from the strobe flash. As a result, Genesis strobes with FullLight technology go well beyond the minimum UL-required “T” pattern, significantly exceeding UL-1971 and ULC-S526 light distribution requirements.

Genesis strobes and horn-strobes offer 15 to 110 candela output, which is selectable with a conveniently-located switch on the side of the device. Models are also available that offer fixed 15/75 cd output. The candela output setting remains clearly visible even after final installation, yet it stays locked in place to prevent unauthorized tampering.

Genesis signals feature textured housings in architecturally neutral white or traditional fire red. An ingenious iconographic symbol indicates the purpose of the device. This universal symbol is code-compliant and is easily recognized by all building occupants regardless of what language they speak. Models with “FIRE” markings are also available.

Field Configurable Horns and Strobes

Genesis Series



Standard Features

- **Unique low-profile design**
 - The most compact UL-1971/ULC-S526 listed strobe available
 - Ultra-slim – protrudes less than one inch
 - Attractive appearance
 - No visible mounting screws
- **Four field-configurable options in one device**
 - Select 15, 30, 75, or 110 cd strobe output
 - Select high (default) or low dB horn output
 - Select temporal (default) or steady horn output
 - Select public mode flash rate (default) or private mode temporal flash
- **Fixed 15/75 cd model available**
- **Easy to install**
 - Fits standard 1-gang electrical boxes – no trim plate needed
 - Optional trim plate accommodates oversized openings
 - Pre-assembled with captive hardware
 - #12 AWG terminals – ideal for long runs or existing wiring
- **Unparalleled performance**
 - Industry’s most even light distribution
 - Meets tough synchronizing standards for strobes
 - Single microprocessor controls both horn and strobe
 - Low current draw minimizes system overhead
 - Independent horn control over a single pair of wires
 - Highly regulated in-rush current
 - Multiple frequency tone improves sound penetration
 - Industry’s first temporal strobe output



Application

Genesis strobes are UL 1971-listed for use indoors as wall-mounted public-mode notification appliances for the hearing impaired. Prevailing codes require strobes to be used where ambient noise conditions exceed 105 dBA (87dBA in Canada), where occupants use hearing protection, and in areas of public accommodation as defined in the *Americans with Disabilities Act* (see application notes – USA).

Combination horn-strobe signals must be installed in accordance with guidelines established for strobe devices.

Strobes

Genesis strobes are UL 1971-listed for use indoors as wall-mounted public-mode notification appliances for the hearing impaired. Prevailing codes require strobes to be used where ambient noise conditions exceed specified levels, where occupants use hearing protection, and in areas of public accommodation. Consult with your Authority Having Jurisdiction for details.

All Genesis strobes exceed UL synchronization requirements (within 10 milliseconds other over a two-hour period) when used with a synchronization source. Synchronization is important in order to avoid epileptic sensitivity.

NOTE: The flash intensity of some visible signals may not be adequate to alert or waken occupants in the protected area. Research indicates that the intensity of strobe needed to awaken 90% of sleeping persons is approximately 100 cd. GE Security recommends that strobes in sleeping rooms be rated at at least 110 cd.

WARNING: These devices will not operate without electrical power. As fires frequently cause power interruptions, further safeguards such as backup power supplies may be required.

Horns

Genesis horn output reaches as high as 99 dB and features a unique multiple frequency tone that results in excellent sound penetration and an unmistakable warning of danger. Horns may be configured for either coded or non-coded signal circuits. They can also be set for low dB output with a jumper cut that reduces horn output by about 5 dB. Horn-only models may be ceiling-mounted or wall-mounted.

The suggested sound pressure level for each signaling zone used with alert or alarm signals is at least 15 dB above the average ambient sound level, or 5 dB above the maximum sound level having a duration of at least 60 seconds, whichever is greater, measured 5 feet (1.5 m) above the floor. The average ambient sound level is, A-weighted sound pressure measured over a 24-hour period.

Doubling the distance from the signal to the ear will theoretically result in a 6 dB reduction of the received sound pressure level. The actual effect depends on the acoustic properties of materials in the space. A 3 dBA difference represents a barely noticeable change in volume.

Installation

Genesis horns and strobes mount to any standard one-gang surface or flush electrical box. Matching optional trim plates are used to cover oversized openings and can accommodate one-gang, two-gang, four-inch square, or octagonal boxes, and European 100 mm square.



Genesis Horn/Strobe with optional trim plate

All Genesis signals come pre-assembled with captive mounting screws for easy installation. Two tabs at the top of the signal unlock the cover to reveal the mounting hardware. The shallow depth of Genesis devices leaves ample room behind the signal for extra wiring. Once installed with the cover in place, no mounting screws are visible.

Field Configuration

Temporal horn and horn-strobe models are factory set to sound in a **three-pulse temporal pattern**. Units may be configured for use with coded systems by cutting a jumper on the circuit board. This results in a **steady output** that can be turned on and off (coded) as the system applies and removes power to the signal circuit. A Genesis Signal Master is required when horn-strobe models are configured for coded systems. Non-temporal, horn-only models sound a steady tone.

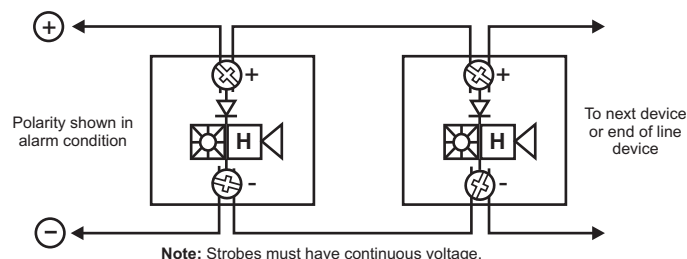
Genesis strobes and horn-strobes are shipped from the factory ready for use as **UL 1971 compliant** signals for public mode operation. These signals may be configured for **temporal flash** by cutting a jumper on the circuit board. This battery-saving feature is intended for private mode signaling only.

Genesis strobes and horn-strobes may be set for **15, 30, 75, or 110 candela output**. The output setting is changed by simply opening the device and sliding the switch to the desired setting. The device does not have to be removed to change the output setting. The setting remains visible through a small window on the side of the device after the cover is closed.

Horns and horn-strobes are factory set for **high dB output**. **Low dB output** may be selected by cutting a jumper on the circuit board. This reduces the output by about 5 dB.

Wiring

Field wiring terminals accommodate #18 to #12 AWG (0.75 mm² to 2.5 mm²) wiring. Horns, strobes, and combination horn-strobes are interconnected with a single pair of wires as shown below.



Current Draw

Strobes, Horn-Strobes

Multi-cd Wall Strobes (G1-VM)

UL Rating	15 cd*	30 cd*	15/75 cd**	75 cd*	110 cd*
	RMS	RMS	RMS	RMS	RMS
16 Vdc	103	141	152	255	311
16 Vfwr	125	179	224	346	392

*G1-VM multi-cd; **G1F-V1575 fixed 15/75 cd

Typical Current	15 cd		30 cd		15/75		75 cd		110 cd	
	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean
16 Vdc	85	79	127	124	150	140	245	243	285	283
20 Vdc	71	66	98	96	123	114	188	186	240	238
24 Vdc	59	55	82	80	104	97	152	150	191	190
33 Vdc	46	44	64	63	84	77	112	111	137	136
16 Vfwr	119	64	169	97	223	126	332	203	376	240
20 Vfwr	103	51	143	76	189	100	253	150	331	198
24 Vfwr	94	44	129	65	169	85	218	121	262	152
33 Vfwr	87	37	112	52	148	68	179	89	205	106

Wall Temporal Horn-strobes – High dB Setting

UL Rating	15 cd*	30 cd*	15/75 cd**	75 cd*	110 cd*	
	RMS	RMS	RMS	RMS	RMS	
16 Vdc	129	167	172	281	337	*G1-HDVM multi-cd
16 Vfwr	176	230	269	397	443	**G1F-HDV1575 fixed 15/75 cd

Typical Current	15 cd		30 cd		15/75		75 cd		110 cd	
	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean
16 Vdc	102	89	135	129	160	152	246	242	309	305
20 Vdc	88	77	109	104	137	129	193	190	248	243
24 Vdc	81	71	94	90	122	114	161	158	203	200
33 Vdc	74	64	72	74	106	98	124	121	154	151
16 Vfwr	144	77	182	106	247	143	352	212	393	249
20 Vfwr	141	68	162	87	220	120	274	158	362	210
24 Vfwr	136	65	152	76	203	106	235	133	282	165
33 Vfwr	125	54	144	65	196	94	201	101	232	123

Wall Temporal Horn-strobes – Low dB Setting

UL Rating	15 cd*	30 cd*	15/75 cd**	75 cd*	110 cd*	
	RMS	RMS	RMS	RMS	RMS	
16 Vdc	122	160	146	274	330	*G1-HDVM multi-cd
16 Vfwr	162	216	231	383	429	**G1F-HDV1575 fixed 15/75 cd

Typical Current	15 cd		30 cd		15/75		75 cd		110 cd	
	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean
16 Vdc	96	84	130	124	158	149	243	240	302	297
20 Vdc	79	70	104	99	133	124	189	186	241	237
24 Vdc	68	61	88	84	119	110	156	154	197	193
33 Vdc	56	52	71	68	100	93	118	116	146	143
16 Vfwr	128	69	180	104	241	139	344	204	389	244
20 Vfwr	118	60	157	84	213	115	266	156	343	200
24 Vfwr	113	54	144	74	195	101	230	128	279	161
33 Vfwr	112	48	137	64	182	87	197	99	226	117

Horns

Wall or Ceiling Mounted Temporal Horns (G1-HD)

UL Rating	High dB (RMS)	Low dB (RMS)
16 Vdc	26	19
24 Vdc	36	27
33 Vdc	41	33
16 Vfwr	51	37
24 Vfwr	69	52
33 Vfwr	76	70

Typical Current	High dB		Low dB	
	RMS	Mean	RMS	Mean
16 Vdc	22	17	17	14
20 Vdc	24	19	19	16
24 Vdc	27	21	22	18
33 Vdc	32	25	26	22
16 Vfwr	34	15	30	14
20 Vfwr	40	19	34	16
24 Vfwr	45	21	38	18
33 Vfwr	52	24	47	22

Wall or Ceiling Mounted Horns (G1-P)

UL Designation	Voltage Range	Max. Current, RMS
Regulated 24 Vdc	16 - 33 Vdc	13 mA
24 fwr	16 - 33 Vfwr	11 mA

Typical Current	RMS	Mean
24 Vdc	10	10
24 Vdc	11	11
31 Vdc	12	12
20 Vfwr	9	8
24 Vfwr	10	9

Notes and Comments

- Current values are shown in mA.
- UL Nameplate Rating can vary from Typical Current due to measurement methods and instruments used.
- GE Security recommends using the Typical Current for system design including NAC and Power Supply loading and voltage drop calculations.
- Use the Vdc RMS current ratings for filtered power supply and battery AH calculations. Use the Vfwr RMS current ratings for unfiltered power supply calculations.
- Fuses, circuit breakers and other overcurrent protection devices are typically rated for current in RMS values. Most of these devices operate based upon the heating affect of the current flowing through the device. The RMS current (not the mean current) determines the heating affect and therefore, the trip and hold threshold for those devices.
- Our industry has used 'mean' currents over the years. However, UL will direct the industry to use the 2004 RMS values in the future.

dBA output

Temporal Horns, Horn-strobes (G1-HD, G1-HDVM series)

High dB Setting	UL464		Average	Peak
	Temporal	Steady	Temporal/ Steady	Temporal/ Steady
16 Vdc	81.4	85.5	91.4	94.2
24 Vdc	84.4	88.6	94.5	97.6
33 Vdc	86.3	90.4	96.9	99.5

Low dB Setting	UL464		Average	Peak
	Temporal	Steady	Temporal/ Steady	Temporal/ Steady
16 Vdc	76.0	80.1	86.3	89.2
24 Vdc	79.4	83.5	89.8	92.5
33 Vdc	82.1	86.5	92.5	95.3

Steady Tone Horns (G1-P series)

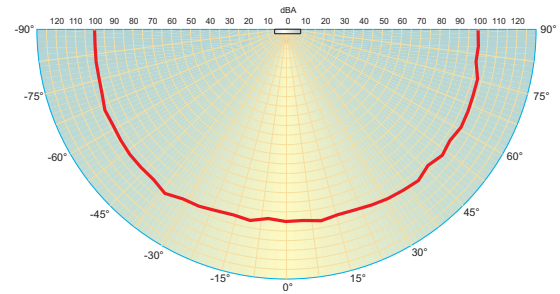
	UL464	Average	Peak
16 Vdc	77 dBA, min	85 dBA	91 dBA
16 Vfwr	77 dBA, min	85 dBA	91 dBA

Notes

1. All values shown are dBA measured at 10 feet (3.01m).
2. UL464 values measured in reverberation room.
3. Average and Peak values are measured in anechoic chamber.

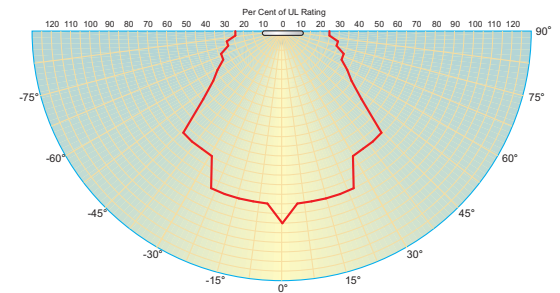
Average Sound Output (dBA)

(High dB setting, anechoic, 24V, measured at 10ft)



Light output - (effective cd)

Percent of UL rating versus angle



Specifications

Housing	Red or white textured UV stabilized, color impregnated engineered plastic. Exceeds 94V-0 UL flammability rating.
Lens	Optical grade polycarbonate (clear)
Mounting (indoor only)	Strobes and horn-strobes are for wall-mount installation only. Horn-only models may be ceiling- or wall-mounted. Flush mount: 2½ inch (64 mm) deep one-gang box Surface mount: Model 27193 surface mount box, wiremold box, or equivalent surface-mount box With optional trim plate: One-gang, two-gang, four-inch square, octagonal, or European single-gang box
Wire connections	Screw terminals: single input for both horn and strobe. #18 to #12 AWG (0.75 mm² to 2.5 mm²) wire size
Operating environment	Indoor only: 32-120°F (0-49°C) ambient temperature. 93% relative humidity
Agency listings/approvals	UL 1971, UL 1638, UL 464, ULC S525, ULC S526, CSFM, CE, FCC, MEA (FM pending). (All models comply with ADA Code of Federal Regulation Chapter 28 Part 36 Final Rule.)
Dimensions (HxWxD)	Signal: 4-1/2" x 2-3/4" x 13/16" (113 mm x 68 mm x 21 mm) Trimplate: 5" (127 mm); Height - 5-7/8" (149 mm); Depth - ½" (13 mm)
Operating voltage	G1-HD series temporal-tone horns: non-coded, filtered 16-33 Vdc or unfiltered 16-33 Vdc FWR (or coded when horn set to steady tone) G1-HDVM series temporal-tone horn-strobes: non-coded, filtered 16-33 Vdc or unfiltered 16-33 Vdc FWR (or coded (audible NAC only) when used with optional G1M Genesis Signal Master) G1-VM series strobes: non-coded, filtered 16 - 33 Vdc or unfiltered 16-33 Vdc FWR G1-P series steady-tone horns: coded or non-coded, filtered 20-31 Vdc or unfiltered 20-27 Vfwr
Strobe output rating	UL 1971, UL 1638, ULC S526: selectable 15 cd, 30 cd, 75 cd, or 110 cd output UL 1971: 15 cd (fixed 15/75 cd models) UL 1638, ULC S526: 75 cd (fixed 15/75 cd models)
Strobe flash rate	G1-VM strobes and G1-HDVM series temporal-tone horn-strobes: one flash per second synchronized with optional G1M Genesis Signal Master indefinitely within 10 milliseconds (or self-synchronized within 200 milliseconds over thirty minutes on a common circuit without G1M Genesis Signal Master) Temporal setting (private mode only): synchronized to temporal output of horns on same circuit
Synchronization Sources	G1M-RM, SIGA-CC1S, SIGA-MCC1S, BPS6A, BPS10A
Horn pulse rate	G1-HD temporal-tone horns and G1-HDVM series temporal-tone horn-strobes: temporal rate synchronized with optional G1M Genesis Signal Master indefinitely within 10 milliseconds (or self-synchronized within 200 milliseconds over thirty minutes on a common circuit without G1M Genesis Signal Master) G1-P steady-tone horns: continuous, steady tone only
Temporal audible pattern	½ sec ON, ½ sec OFF, ½ sec ON, ½ sec OFF, ½ sec ON, 1½ sec OFF, then repeat cycle

Ordering Information

Catalog Number		Description	Ship Wt. lbs (kg)
White Finish	Red Finish		
G1-HDVM	G1R-HDVM	Genesis Horn-Strobe (selectable 15, 30, 75, or 110 cd output, selectable high/low dB output)	0.25 (0.11)
G1-VM	G1R-VM	Genesis Strobe (selectable 15, 30, 75, or 110 cd output)	
G1-HD	G1R-HD	Genesis Temporal Horn (selectable high/low dB output)	
G1-P	G1R-P	Genesis Steady Horn (not compatible with Genesis Signal Master)	
G1F-HDVM	G1RF-HDVM	Genesis Horn-Strobe (selectable 15, 30, 75, or 110 cd output, selectable high/low dB output) – with “FIRE” marking	
G1F-VM	G1RF-VM	Genesis Strobe (selectable 15, 30, 75, or 110 cd output) – with “FIRE” marking	
G1F-HD	G1RF-HD	Genesis Temporal Horn (selectable high/low dB output) – with “FIRE” marking	
G1F-P	G1RF-P	Genesis Steady Horn with “FIRE” marking (not compatible with Genesis Signal Master)	
G1F-HDV1575	G1RF-HDV1575	15/75 cd temporal horn-strobe, hi/lo dB-24V – with “FIRE” marking (see note 1)	
G1F-V1575	G1RF-V1575	15/75 cd strobe – with “FIRE” marking (see note 1)	

Mounting Accessories

G1T	G1RT	Genesis Trim Plate (for two-gang or 4” square boxes)	0.15 (0.7)
G1T-FIRE	G1RT-FIRE	Genesis Trim Plate (for two-gang or 4” square boxes) with “FIRE” markings	0.15 (0.7)
27193-16	27193-11	One-gang surface mount box	1 (0.4)

Synchronization Modules

G1M	Genesis Signal Master – Snap-on Mount	0.2 (0.1)
G1M-RM	Genesis Signal Master – Remote Mount (1-gang)	
SIGA-CC1S	Intelligent Synchronization Output Module (2-gang)	0.5 (0.23)
SIGA-MCC1S	Intelligent Synchronization Output Module (Plug-in UIO)	0.18 (0.08)

Note 1: These 15/75 cd models provide fixed output and are not multi-candela devices. The 15 cd output component complies with UL1971, while the 75 cd output component complies with UL 1638.



Genesis Horn-Strobes may be ordered in red or white, with or without ‘FIRE’ marking. Order matching trim plates separately.

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