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### DESCRIPTION

The **Johnson Controls F261 Series flow switches** respond to fluid flow in lines carrying water, ethylene glycol, or other nonhazardous fluids. These models also work in applications with swimming pool water and lubricating oils.

The **F261 Series flow switches** use a variety of paddle sizes to respond to fluid flow rates in applications with pipe sizes greater than 1 inch trade size. Models are available for 1/2" and 3/4" applications as well.

### FEATURES

- **Type 3R (NEMA) or Type 4 (NEMA)**
- **Viton® diaphragms allow use in fluid lines carrying chlorinated water, treated water, or other nonhazardous fluids**
- **Low-flow operation on low-flow models**
- **Maximum fluid pressure of 290 psig**



F261 Series



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SPECIFICATIONS		
<b>Switch</b>	SPDT switch rating	<b>Minimum Fluid Temperature<sup>1</sup></b> 20°F (-29°C)
<b>Enclosure</b>	UL: Type 3R or Type 4 CE: IP43 (IP23 with drain hole plug removed) or IP67	
<b>Wiring Connections</b>	Three color-coded screw terminals and one ground terminal	<b>Maximum Fluid Temperature<sup>2</sup></b> 250°F (121°C)
<b>Conduit Connection</b>	One 7/8" (22 mm) hole for 1/2" trade size (or PG16) conduit	
<b>Pipe Connector</b>	Standard: 1" 11 1/2" NPT threads	<b>Ambient Conditions</b> -40 to 140°F (-40 to 60°C)
<b>Maximum Fluid Pressure</b>	290 psi (20 bar)	
		<b>Approvals</b> cULus Listed: UL 60730, File E6688, FCC Compliant to CRFR47, Part 15, Subpart B, Class B
		<b>Media</b> Water, ethylene glycol, brine, sea water, swimming pool water and lubricating oils
		<b>Warranty</b> 1 year

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS						
Standard Controls Electrical Ratings						
Volts 50/60 Hz	UL60730/UL1059				EN60730	
	24	120	208	240	24	230
Horsepower	–	1	1	1	–	–
Full Load Amperes	–	16	10	10	–	8
Locked Rotor Amperes	–	96	60	60	–	48
Resistive Amperes	16	16	10	10	16	16
Pilot Duty VA	125	720	720	720	77	720

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### FLOW RATES FOR STANDARD MODELS, 1-3" PADDLES

**Table 3: Flow Rates for Standard Models, 1-3 in. Paddles**

		GPM (m <sup>3</sup> /hr) Required to Activate Switch for Pipe Size (in.)									
		1	1-1/4 <sup>1</sup>	1-1/2 <sup>1</sup>	2	2-1/2 <sup>2</sup>	3	4 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>3</sup>
<b>Minimum Adjustment</b>	Flow Increase (Close R to Y)	4.20 (0.95)	5.80 (1.32)	7.50 (1.70)	13.7 (3.11)	18.0 (4.09)	27.5 (6.24)	65.0 (14.8)	125 (28.4)	190 (43.2)	375 (85.2)
	Flow Decrease (Close R to B)	2.50 (0.57)	3.70 (0.84)	5.00 (1.14)	9.50 (2.16)	12.5 (2.84)	19.0 (4.32)	50.0 (11.4)	101 (22.9)	158 (35.9)	320 (72.7)
<b>Maximum Adjustment</b>	Flow Increase (Close R to Y)	8.80 (2.0)	13.3 (3.02)	19.2 (4.36)	29.0 (6.59)	34.5 (7.84)	53.0 (12.0)	128 (29.1)	245 (55.6)	375 (85.2)	760 (173)
	Flow Decrease (Close R to B)	8.50 (1.93)	12.5 (2.84)	18.0 (4.09)	27.0 (6.13)	32.0 (7.27)	50.0 (11.4)	122 (27.7)	235 (53.4)	360 (81.8)	730 (166)

1. Values for 2 in. paddle trimmed to pipe.
2. Values for a 3 in. paddle trimmed to fit pipe.
3. Values calculated for a factory-installed set of 1, 2, and 3 in. paddles.

### FLOW RATES FOR STANDARD MODELS, 6" PADDLES

**Table 4: Flow Rates for Standard Models, 6 in. Paddles**

		GPM (m <sup>3</sup> /hr) Required to Activate Switch for Pipe Size (in.)			
		4	5	6	8
<b>Minimum Adjustment</b>	Flow Increase (Close R to Y)	37.0 (8.40)	57.0 (12.9)	74.0 (16.8)	205 (46.6)
	Flow Decrease (Close R to B)	27.0 (6.13)	41.0 (9.31)	54.0 (12.3)	170 (38.6)
<b>Maximum Adjustment</b>	Flow Increase (Close R to Y)	81.0 (18.4)	118 (26.8)	144 (32.7)	415 (94.3)
	Flow Decrease (Close R to B)	76.0 (1.93)	111 (25.2)	135 (30.7)	400 (90.8)

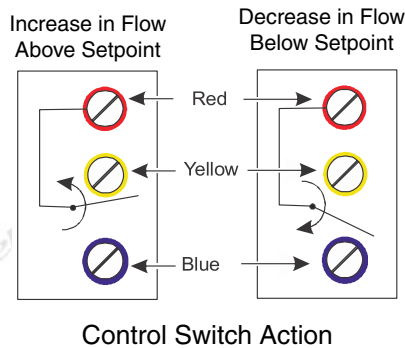


### OPERATION / CONTROL SWITCH ACTION

#### Operation

The flow switch responds to pressure exerted on the fluid paddle by the flowing fluid. A range adjustment screw adjusts the rate of the flow required to activate the switch. See Table 3 and 4 for flow rates.

The red terminal is the Common. Red to Yellow closes on flow increase. Red to Blue closes on flow decrease.



#### Switch Action

Flow Action	Switch Closure
Increase	Red to Yellow
Decrease	Red to Blue

### ORDERING INFORMATION

#### MODEL

**F261KAH-V01C**  
**F261MAH-V01C**  
**F261MAL-V01C**  
**F261KEH-V01C**  
**F261KFH-V01C**  
**F261MEH-V01C**  
**F261MFH-V01C**

#### DESCRIPTION

Paddle flow switch with NEMA 3R enclosure 1, 2, 3 & 6" stainless steel paddles  
 Paddle flow switch with NEMA 4 enclosure 1, 2, 3 & 6" stainless steel paddles  
 Paddle flow switch with NEMA 4 enclosure 1, 2, 3 & 6" stainless steel paddles  
 Low flow paddle flow switch NEMA 3R 1/2 x 1/2" external NPTF  
 Low flow paddle flow switch NEMA 3R 1/2 x 3/4" external NPTF  
 Low flow paddle flow switch NEMA 4 1/2 x 1/2" external NPTF  
 Low flow paddle flow switch NEMA 4 3/4 x 3/4" external NPTF