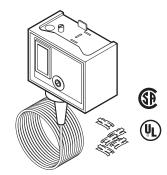
# **Low Temperature Thermostats**

The TC-5231, TC-5232, and TC-5241 low temperature thermostats are used to control temperature in air conditioning or refrigeration systems.

#### Features:

- 20 ft. (6.1 m) element senses temperature over a large area.
   Control responds to coldest one-foot section of the sendor.
- Adjustable setpoint with 5 F degrees (3 C degrees) fixed differential.
- · SPST, SPDT and DPST versions.
- · Capillary mounting clips provided.



Model Chart								
Model No.	Setpoint Range	Device Type	Electrical Switch	Voltage Vac	Full Load Amps	Locked Rotor Amps	Pilot Duty (VA)	Non- Inductive Amps
TC-5231	35 to 60°F (1.7 to 1.5°C)	Low temp auto reset	SPDT <sup>a</sup>	24 <sup>b</sup>		_	100	16
				120	17	102	720	24
				208				
				240 <sup>c</sup>				
				277	_	_		7.2
TC-5232			DPST <sup>d</sup>	24 <sup>b</sup>	_	_	100	16
				120	24	144	125	24
				208				
				240 <sup>c</sup>				
				277	_	_	_	7.2
		Low temp manual reset <sup>e</sup>	SPDT <sup>a</sup>	24 <sup>b</sup>	_	_	100	16
TC-5241				120	17	102	720	24
				208				
				240 <sup>c</sup>				
				277	_	_	_	7.2
TC-5242	15 to 55°F (-9.4 to 12.8°C)		1-SPST Main N.C. 1-SPST Aux N.O.	120	16	96	125	_
				208	9.2	55.2		
				240 <sup>c</sup>	8	48		
				277	_	_		7.2
				120	6	36		6
				208	3.4	20.4		
				240 <sup>c</sup>	3	18		
				277	_	_		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Do not exceed pilot duty rating on one side of switch.

b Less than 0.5 Amp is not recommended.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup> Full load and locked rotor ratings are suitable for hermetic compressors only.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>d</sup> Limit two separate circuit loads with common return to <5885 VA. Only one load may be a motor load.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>e</sup> Reset cannot be accomplished until the sensed temperature is at least 5°F above setpoint.

# TC-5231 Series, TC-5232, TC-5241 Series

#### DC Ratings for TX-5232 Only.

Volts	FLA <sup>a</sup>	LRA <sup>a</sup>	NIA <sup>a</sup>	PD VA <sup>a</sup>
120	4.6	46	3	57.5
240	2.3	23	0.5	57.5
600	_	_	_	57.5

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> FLA — Full Load Amps.

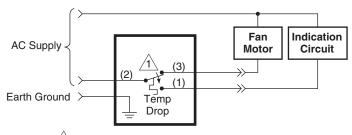
LRA — Locked Rotor Amps.

NIA — Non-Inductive Amps.

PDVA — Pilot Duty VA.

Specifications					
Setpoint dial range	Dual marked 35 to 60°F (1.7 to 15.5°C). TC-5242: 15 to 55°F (-9.4 to 12.8°C).				
Sensing element	Vapor pressure type, copper construction.				
Response	To lowest temperature sensed by any one-foot section of its element. Altitude causes the control to operate approximately 1°F colder per 1000 ft. of elevation.				
Differential	5 F degrees (3 C degrees) fixed.				
Electrical switch	Refer to Model Chart.				
Ratings	Refer to Model Chart.				
Connections	Coded screw terminals.				
Mounting	In any position on any surface not subject to excessive vibration.				
Housing	Molded gray PVC plastic cover with a zinc-plated steel main enclosure with a 1/2 in. conduit opening. TC-5242: painted steel housing.				
Environment					
Ambient temperature limits	Shipping: -40 to 150°F (-40 to 66°C).  Operating: Must be 5°F (3°C) above setpoint to a maximum of 150°F (66°C) at case.  Thermal sensing element: 300°F (149°C).				
Humidity	Enclosure: 5 to 95% RH, non-condensing. Thermal sensing element: 0 to 100% RH.				
Locations	NEMA Type 1.				
Dimensions					
Case	2-45/64 H x 3-1/2 max. W x 2 max. D in. (69 x 89 x 51 mm). TC-5242: 3-1/4 H x 4 L x 2 D in. (83 x 101 x 51 mm)				
Element	3/32 in. O.D. x 20 ft. length (2.4 mm x 6.1 m). TC-5242 1/8 in. O.D. x 20 ft. length. (3.2 mm x 6.1 m).				
Agency Listings					
UL 873	Underwriters Laboratories Inc. listed (File # E9429 Category Temperature-indicating and Regulating Equipment).				
CSA	Certified for use in Canada by Underwriters Laboratories. Canadian standards C22.2 No. 24-93.				
General Instructions	Refer to F-25911.				

### Typical Applications



1 Terminals (2) and (1) close on temperature drop.

Figure 1 TC-5231 or TC-5241 Switch Action and Terminal Identification.

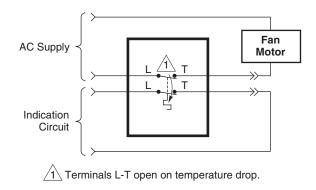


Figure 2 TC-5232 Switch Action and Terminal Identification.

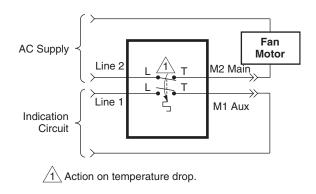


Figure 3 TC-5242 Switch Action and Terminal Idenfication Manual Reset.