Installation Instructions

NOTE: Read the entire instruction manual before starting the installation.

SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS
Improper installation, adjustment, alteration, service, maintenance, or use can cause explosion, fire, electrical shock, or other conditions which may cause death, personal injury, or property damage. Consult a qualified installer, service agency, or your distributor or branch for information or assistance. Replacement components are not available for this kit. If components are malfunctioning, replace the entire kit.

Follow all safety codes. Wear safety glasses, protective clothing, and work gloves. Use quenching cloth for brazing operations. Have fire extinguisher available. Read these instructions thoroughly and follow all warnings or cautions included in literature and attached to the unit. Consult local building codes and current editions of the National Electrical Code (NEC) NFPA 70. In Canada, refer to current editions of the Canadian electrical code CSA 22.1.

Recognize safety information. This is the safety-alert symbol △. When you see this symbol on the unit and in instructions or manuals, be alert to the potential for personal injury.

Understand the signal words DANGER, WARNING, and CAUTION. These words are used with the safety-alert symbol. DANGER identifies the most serious hazards which will result in severe personal injury or death. WARNING signifies hazards which could result in personal injury or death. CAUTION is used to identify unsafe practices which may result in minor personal injury or product and property damage. NOTE is used to highlight suggestions which will result in enhanced installation, reliability, or operation.

CAUTION
CUT HAZARD
Failure to follow this caution may result in personal injury. Sheet metal parts may have sharp edges or burrs. Use care and wear appropriate protective clothing and gloves when handling parts.

DESCRIPTION AND USAGE
Included in this kit:
- One (1) KAAVC0101AAA Control Voltage Adapter Kit
- Two (2) 1/4 inch Phillips Mounting Screws
- These Installation Instructions
- Wire Ties
- One (1) Electrical Shock Hazard Warning Label
- One (1) Wiring Diagram Label
- One (1) Label Cover

These instructions cover installation of the KAAVC0101AAA Control Voltage Adapter Kit in single-speed air conditioners. For heat pump systems, the required kit is the KHAVC0101AAA Control Voltage Adapter Kit.

The kit is designed to allow communication between specific indoor and outdoor units that otherwise would not be compatible. The kit is compatible with 208/230V high wall ductless indoor units and 208/230/460V horizontal discharge outdoor units with single-phase or three-phase power at 60Hz.

The KAAVC0101AAA Kit converts high-voltage control signals from a high wall indoor unit into low-voltage control signals for a horizontal outdoor unit. In cooling only systems, the kit carries the compressor control signal. The kit consists of one transformer and four wires which are designed to mount within the outdoor unit. The kit is pre-wired for cooling-only applications; there are four free wires available for the installer to connect to the indoor and outdoor units.

Parts necessary for mounting and connecting the KAAVC0101AAA Kit are included in the kit. Upon receipt of shipment, check the kit for damage. If there is any damage, forward claim papers directly to the transportation company. Manufacturer is not responsible for damage incurred in transit.
A. Procedure 1 - Mounting the Kit

**WARNING**

**ELECTRICAL SHOCK HAZARD**

Failure to follow this warning could result in personal injury or death.

Before installing, modifying, or servicing system, main electrical disconnect switch must be in the OFF position and install a lockout tag. There may be more than 1 disconnect switch. Lock out and tag switch with a suitable warning label.

1. Make sure all power to the unit is turned off.
2. Open the unit by removing the corner panel which is attached with 5/16” hex screws.
3. Attach the kit to the partition in the space to the left of the contactor using the two holes indicated in Fig.1.
4. Ensure the screws are tightened to approximately 30 ft-lbs of torque.

![Fig. 1- Installing the KAAVC0101AAA Control Voltage Adapter Kit](image)

B. Procedure 2 – Kit Connections

**WARNING**

**ELECTRICAL SHOCK HAZARD**

Failure to follow this warning could result in personal injury or death.

This kit requires high voltage (230V) non-metallic field wire to connect the indoor unit to the kit in the outdoor unit. Some regions may require metal conduit for this wire. Check relevant local building codes before installing. DO NOT USE regular low voltage (24V) thermostat wire with this kit.

1. After the indoor unit is installed, connect 230V field control wiring to the terminal block on the indoor unit. Use only 18 AWG non-metallic wire with an insulation thickness of at least 2/64 inches. For wires longer than 50 feet, use 16 AWG non-metallic wire.
2. Remove the rubber grommet in the control wire entry hole near the service panel on the outdoor unit. Replace this grommet with a (field-supplied) watertight strain relief.
3. After running the 230V field wire to the outdoor unit, connect the high voltage wires from the kit (INDOOR C, Y) (see Fig. 5.)
4. Connect the two low voltage wires from the kit (OUTDOOR C, Y) to the corresponding colored wires in the outdoor unit using wire nuts. To make this connection, cut the snap-in wire tie that holds the existing low voltage wires and remove them from the low voltage junction box (See Fig. 2 for location). Remove the old snap-in wire tie from the hole to make room for the new snap-in wire tie on the high voltage wires.

C. Procedure 3 – Securing Wires

1. If any of the kit wires pass adjacent to copper tubing, use one or both of the included double-headed wire ties to secure those wires, preventing them from touching the copper.
2. Use an included wire tie to relieve strain on the low voltage wires and prevent the wire nuts from coming apart. Ensure the wire nuts are pointing upwards to prevent water from collecting on the wire leads.
3. Place the high voltage connections in the low voltage junction box (See Fig. 2 for location). Use the snap-in wire tie included on these wires to secure them to the hole where the low voltage wires were connected before.
4. Place the low voltage connections in the compressor compartment, separate from the high voltage connections.

![Fig. 2- Low Voltage Junction Box Location](image)
D. Procedure 4 - Label Placement

1. Apply the included wiring diagram label to the inside of the corner panel below the existing wiring diagram. See Fig. 3 for placement.

2. Apply the included Label Cover which reads “SEE VOLTAGE ADAPTER KIT WIRING DIAGRAM” to the existing wiring diagram to hide the symbol depicting the old indoor terminal block. This terminal block does not apply when the Control Voltage Adapter Kit is in use. See Fig. 3 for placement.

3. Apply the included Electrical Shock Hazard Warning Label to the outside of the service panel door. See Fig. 4 for placement.

4. Close the unit by replacing the corner panel with the screws removed in the installation step.

FIELD RUN TEST

1. Turn the unit power on.
2. Set the thermostat below room temperature.
3. Verify that the compressor is running and the unit is providing cooling.
4. Set the thermostat above room temperature.
5. Verify that the compressor stops running.

SERVICE FOR THE KAAVC0101AAA KIT

The compressor does not turn on:

- One of the four wires on the kit may be loose or disconnected.

The compressor does not turn off:

- One of the indoor control wires may be connected to terminal L1 or terminal L2 on the indoor terminal block.
Fig. 5 - Connection Diagram for KAAVC0101AAA Control Voltage Adapter Kit

**NOTES:**
1. Symbols are electrical representation only.
2. To be wired in accordance with National Electric N.E.C. and local codes.
3. Use copper conductors only. Use conductors suitable for at least 75°C (167°F). Use 18 AWG wire with 201/4" insulation minimum. For wires longer than 50 ft, use 16 AWG wires.
4. If any of the original wire, as supplied must be replaced, use the same or equivalent wire.
5. Check all electrical connections inside kit for tightness.

**LEGEND**
- FACTORY CONTROL WIRING (24V)
- FIELD CONTROL WIRING (230V)
- COMPONENT CONNECTION
- FIELD SPLICE