

Armstrong Hot Water, Inc. - Digital-Flo Commissioning Guide

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The following will go through a step by step process for commissioning any/all Digital-Flo water heaters. Armstrong Hot Water, Inc. recommends that an authorized representative perform the commissioning process and subsequently submits a Digital-Flo Commissioning Report to the factory to keep on file.

- 1. Perform a visual overview and confirmation that the Digital-Flo is installed per our installation schematics located in our IOM's
  - a. Ensure all water supply lines are present and in the correct location
    - i. Hot water
    - ii. Cold water
    - iii. Mixed Water
    - iv. Recirculation return from the system loop to the Digital-Flo
  - b. Ensure all steam/condensate lines are present and in the correct location
- 2. Power the Digital-Flo ensuring the display on the front of the DRV is illuminated
  - a. Ensure the safety shut off valve (blue actuator valve on hot supply line to DRV) opens
- 3. Flood the system slowly and in the following sequence:
  - a. Cold water supply
  - b. Mixed water outlet
  - c. Hot water supply
- 4. Create a demand in the system loop
  - a. Open 4-5 fixtures (slop sinks, showers, baths, etc...)
- 5. Turn on recirculation pump(s)
  - a. Ensure there is sufficient minimum flow (DRV40  $\geq$  5gpm; DRV80  $\geq$  10gpm)
- 6. Open the condensate discharge isolation valves on the Digital-Flo
- 7. Supply steam to the Digital-Flo slowly
  - a. Purge any condensate/water in the system
  - b. Ensure steam pressure does NOT exceed 15psi
- 8. Ensure all supply temperatures and pressures are sufficient
  - a. Hot water
  - b. Cold water
  - c. Recirculation return
- 9. If the DRV is at the desired set point (which was already pre-programmed at the factory with info supplied with the order) you may skip to step 12
- 10. Connect to the programming software via proper adapter (Gen. 1 = IrDA to USB Adapter, Gen. 2 = RS485 to USB Adapter



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- 11. Continue DRV set up programming following IOM pages 16-22 & 32
- 12. Shut off all demand and allow recirculation pump to continue to run
- 13. Monitor DRV outlet and ensure is maintaining set point
  - a. It make take some time for the recirculation return temperature to rise to an appropriate level due to it being a new start up and system