

Crankcase Level Switch

L971 Series

The Murphy L971 Series Level Switch detects low oil level in a compressor's crankcase. As oil level in the crankcase depletes, the float on the L971 switch falls, and when reaching the predetermined limit, it will trip the internal snap-switch sounding an alarm or initiating shutdown.

The L971 is designed for Ingersoll-Rand Type 30, Type 40 and ESH compressors, yet it can be adapted to fit other compressors that have an inspection plate extending below normal operating oil level. It installs with minimal downtime and has a two-year limited warranty.

The L971 has a 1/2 NPT process connection and features an explosion-proof enclosure, durable SPDT snap-switch and rigid polyurethane foam float. A 304 stainless steel float is available on certain configurations.





* Products covered by this bulletin comply with EMC Council directive 89/336/EEC regarding electromagnetic compatibility except as noted.

Specifications

Operating Temperature Range: -15 to 275°F (-26 to 135°C) **Maximum Working Pressure:** 30 psi (206 kPa) [2.06 bar]

Switch Rating: 4 A @ 250 VAC Case: Aluminum (explosion-proof) Mounting Adaptor: Brass

Floats: Rigid polyurethane. 304 stainless steel available on L971-C

only

Other Wetted Parts: 303, 304, and 316 stainless steel

O-Ring Seals: Viton and Buna Process Connection: 1/2 NPT

Hazardous Location Rating: UL and CSA listed for Class I,

Groups C & D; Class II, Groups F & G.

Enclosure Type / Ingress Protection Rating: IP66 per IEC

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Conduit Connection: 1/2 NPT Wire: 18 AWG (0.75 mm²)

Shipping Weight: 1 lb. 10 oz. (0.7 kg)

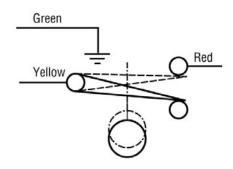
Shipping Dimensions: $8-1/4 \times 4-1/4 \times 4-1/2$ in. (210 x 108 x

114 mm)

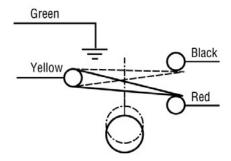
Wiring

Diagrams are shown in the shelf position with no force acting upon float.

L971-A



All Other Models

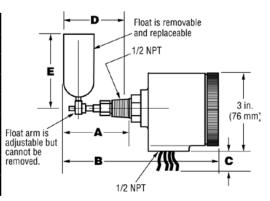


Warranty — A limited warranty on materials and workmanship is given with this Murphy product. A copy of the warranty may be viewed or printed by going to www.fwmurphy.com/support/warranty.htm

Dimensions

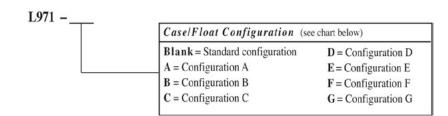
Dimensions are inches (millimeters).

Model	Α	В	С	D	E
L971	2-5/8 (67)	5-7/8 (149)	30 (762)	2-1/2 (64)	2-27/32 (72)
L971-A	2-5/8 (67)	5-7/8 (149)	30 (762)	2-1/2 (64)	2-27/32 (72)
L971-B	4-13/16 (122)	8-1/16 (205)	30 (762)	4-5/8 (117)	2-27/32 (72)
L971-C	2-13/16 (71)	6-1/16 (154)	30 (762)	2-7/8 (73)	3-1/8 (79)
L971-D	3-7/8 (98)	7-1/8 (181)	30 (762)	3-3/4 (95)	2-27/32 (72)
L971-E	4-13/16 (122)	8-1/16 (205)	30 (762)	5-1/8 (130)	2-27/32 (72)
L971-F	2-5/8 (67)	5-7/8 (149)	40 (1016)	2-1/2 (64)	2-27/32 (72)
L971-G	2-5/8 (67)	5-7/8 (149)	40 (1016)	2-1/2 (64)	2-27/32 (72)

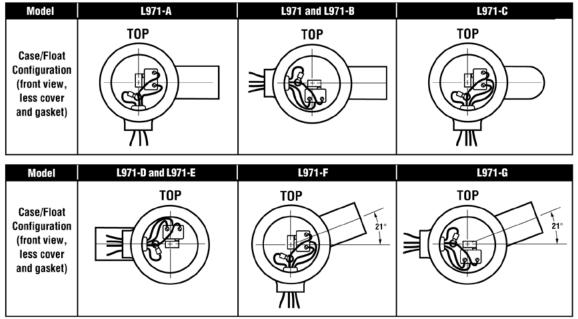


How to Order

Options listed at right. All configurations may not be available. Call your sales representative or Enovation Controls for more information.



To order the L971 Series Level Switch to fit your application, use this diagram.



NOTE: Switches shown tripped on falling level.

Part Number	Description	Notes
15000449	Float kit for L971	Accessory