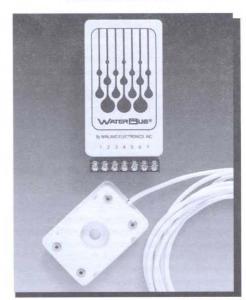
# **WATERBUG®**

# INSTALLATION / OWNERS MANUAL MODEL WB-200



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### INTRODUCTION

Thank you for your purchase of the Winland WaterBug® model WB-200. The WaterBug® is completely electronic and is designed to detect only nonflammable conductive liquids (distilled water cannot be detected). The unit is not a self contained warning device. For proper operation it must be used in conjunction with a wireless transmitter, alarm system, etc. It is designed so that the control console mounts on the wall and the remote sensors are placed in the locations where water seepage is most probable. Up to six remote sensors may be connected to one control console. A film of moisture forming a bridge between the 2 metallic contacts on any remote sensor is all that is needed for the unit to signal an alarm condition. The output on the WB-200 is non-latching, but will remain closed until the moisture bridge is broken. As sensitive as the WaterBug® is, it will not alarm due to high humidity or condensation. The WaterBug is ideal for use in homes, offices, computer rooms, boats, etc. Several consoles may be wired together to monitor an entire complex.

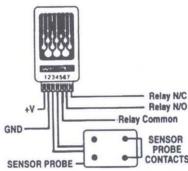
#### INSTALLATION

Locate the area where the WaterBug® console is to be placed. Mark the position of the screw hole on the wall. Drive the mounting screw into the wall allowing approximately 3/16" between the screw head and the wall. Engage key slot on the back of the WaterBug® case with the screw head and press down. Multiple sensors must be hooked up in parallel to terminals 3 & 4. The remote surface sensors may be mounted

securely to the floor or a wall. Mounting the sensor(s) on a vertical surface enables you to monitor an area for rising water levels. This is useful around basement sump pumps and other types of water storage and drainage systems.

# MONITORING FOR THE ABSENCE OF WATER

The WaterBug® (Model WB-200) can be used to monitor for the absence of water. This is done by (a) mounting the probe at the desired minimum waterline and (b) using the set of contacts that are the opposite of what you would use if you were detecting the presence of water.



The relay connections shown are for when power is applied to the unit. The unit provides power-on supervision so that if power is lost, the relay will provide an alarm output

## TERMINAL BLOCK CONNECTIONS

Relay contacts are accessible on the terminal block. The unit is in normal condition when power is applied and no moisture is being detected. The unit is in alarm condition when water is detected by any one of the remote sensing probes. Note: When connecting DC power to the WB-200 be sure to observe polarity and test to see if the unit is operating properly. This may be done by forming a moisture bridge between two of the metallic contacts located on the sensor probe (see diagram) with a moistened finger or cloth. If the unit is not operating properly, check the polarity of the power supply connections.

AC - Power input wires are interchangeable

DC - Positive to position #1 and negative to position #2

#### **TEST PROCEDURE**

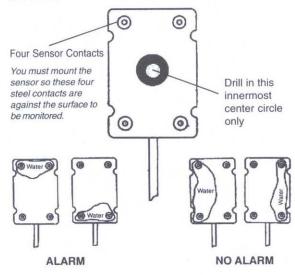
To test form a moisture bridge between the two metallic contact points (see diagram) with a moistened finger or cloth. If working properly, the WaterBug® will activate the warning device to which it is connected within approximately three seconds. Unit will reset automatically when the probe dries.

# Ordering Information:

Part No. 1043	WaterBug®, Control console (includes 1 standard surface sensor)
Part No. 1040	Additional standard sensors with 15' cable
Part No. 1041	Addt'l under carpet sensors with 15' cable

# STANDARD SURFACE SENSOR PART NO. 1040

If the unit is to be bolted down as in a permanent installation, do not drill any hole outside of the innermost center recessed area. Damage to the internal wiring may result causing the unit to fail.



#### ONE YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

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Manufacturer's obligation under this warranty is limited to correcting, without charge, at its factory any part or parts thereof which shall be returned to the factory, by the original retail purchaser, transportation charges prepaid, within one year after purchase and which upon examination shall disclose to the manufacturer's satisfaction to have been originally defective. Correction of such defects by repair to, or supplying of replacements for defective parts shall constitute fulfillment of all obligations to purchaser. Repair service performed by the manufacturer after one year from date of purchase will be for a reasonable service charge.

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# SPECIFICATIONS FOR WATERBUG® WB-200

5" X 2.44" X 1.25" CONSOLE SIZE:

2" X 3" X 7/8" PROBE SIZE: (standard) 2" X 3" X .18" (under carpet probe)

POWER REQUIREMENTS: 12 VDC, 24 VDC (8 - 28 VDC) @ 35 mA

12 VAC, 24 VAC (8 - 28 VAC) @ 100 mA RMS

Off-white / KEY SLOT

1 - 2 SENSORS 200' MAX MAXIMUM NUMBER OF SENSORS & 3 - 6 SENSORS 100' MAX MAXIMUM SENSOR CABLE RUN

18 to 24 GA. RECOMMENDED SENSOR CABLE

COLOR / MOUNTING

Control: 32" to 130" F (0" to 54" C) OPERATING TEMPERATURE: Probes: 32° to 130° F (0° to 54° C)

SENSITIVITY: Will not alarm due to high humidity or condensation

RELAY RATING: 1 Amp at 24 VAC, resistive / 1 Amp at 30 VDC, resistive Form "C" contacts SPDT