

# Z Strobes, Horns, Horn/Strobes

#### **Features**

- UL listed. ULC, CSFM, and FM pending.
- ADA/NFPA compliant
- EZ Mount design, with separate base plate, provides ability to pre-wire the base and test the circuit wiring before the walls are covered
- The base plate is protected by a disposable cover and the appliances can quickly snap onto the base after the walls are painted.
- EZ Mount Universal Mounting Plate (ZBB) uses single plate for ceiling and wall mount installations
- Wall Mount models feature field selectable candela settings of 15/30/75/110cd and 135/185cd
- Ceiling Mount models feature field selectable candela settings of 15/30/75/95cd and 115/177cd
- Strobes can be synchronized using the Siemens 5406B sync modules, MPC-6000 panel, MPC-7000 panel, or RSE-300 power supply with built-in sync protocol
- "Special Applications" listed with Siemens panels
- · Strobes produce 1 flash per second
- Selectable Continuous Horn or Temporal (Code-3) Tones with selectable 90 or 95 dBA setting (ZH model)

## **Description**

The Siemens Series Z notification appliances feature an easy snap on base that is designed to simplify the installation and testing of horns, strobes, and horn/strobes. The separate Series Z snap on base can be pre-wired so circuit wiring can be fully tested before the appliance is installed and before the walls are covered. Once all surrounding work is complete, the appliance can be simply installed by snapping it on the base. Shorting contacts in the base, which provide continuity for circuit testing, are permanently opened when the appliance is installed so any subsequent removal of the appliance will indicate a trouble condition on that circuit at the control panel when circuit supervision is enabled. The same base is used for all Series Z horns, strobes and horn/strobes to provide consistent installation and easy replacement of appliances if required. A locking screw is also included for the appliance to provide extra secure installation.

The Siemens Series Z appliances incorporate the same dependable circuitry and high efficiency optics that are used in Siemens ST strobes, NS horn/strobes and NH horns and have the same high performance ratings. The Series Z appliances are "Special Applications" listed with Siemens panels.





Series ZH





Series ZR



**ZR AND ZH Mounting** 

# **Engineering Specifications**

#### General

Audible/visual notification appliances shall be listed for indoor use and shall meet the requirements of FCC Part 15 Class B. These appliances shall be listed under UL Standard 1971, (Standard for Safety Signaling Devices for Hearing Impaired) and UL Standard 464 (Fire Protective Signaling). The appliances shall use a universal backplate that shall allow mounting to a single-gang, double-gang, 4-inch square, 4" octal, or a 3-1/2" octal backbox. Two wire appliance wiring shall be capable of directly connecting to the mounting back plate. Continuity checking of the entire NAC circuit prior to attaching any audible/visual notification appliances shall be allowed. A dust cover shall fit and protect the mounting plate. The dust cover shall be easily removed when the appliance is installed over the backplate. Removal of an appliance shall result in a trouble condition by the Fire Alarm Control Panel (FACP).

#### **Strobes**

Strobe appliances shall produce a minimum flash rate of 60 flashes per minute (1 flash per second) over the Regulated Input Voltage Range and shall incorporate a

Xenon flashtube enclosed in a rugged Lexan® lens. The strobes shall be available with two or four field selectable settings in one unit and shall be rated, per UL 1971, for up to 185 cd for wall mounting and 177 cd for ceiling mounting. The strobes shall operate over an extended temperature range of 32°F to 120°F (0°C to 49°C) and be listed for maximum humidity of 95% RH. Strobe inputs shall be polarized for compatibility with standard reverse polarity supervision of circuit wiring by a Fire Alarm Control Panel (FACP).

#### **Audibles and Audible/Strobe Combinations**

Horns and horn/strobes shall be listed for Indoor use under UL Standard 464. The horns shall be able to produce a continuous output or a temporal code-3 output that can be synchronized. The horns shall have at least 2 sound level settings of 90 and 95 dBA.

### **Synchronization Modules**

When synchronization of strobes or temporal Code-3 audibles is required, the appliances shall be synchronized using the Siemens 5406B sync modules, MPC-6000 panels, MPC-7000 panels, or RSE-300 power suppies with built-in sync protocol. The strobes shall not drift out of synchronization at any time during operation. Au-

dibles and strobes shall be able to be synchronized on a 2-wire circuit with the capability to silence the audible if required. If the sync module or power supply fails to operate (i.e., contacts remain closed), the strobes shall revert to a non-synchronized flash rate. All notification appliances shall be listed for "Special Applications".

- Strobes are designed to flash at 1 flash per second minimum over their "Regulated Input Voltage Range".
- All candela ratings represent minimum effective strobe intensity based on UL Standard 1971.
- Series ZH Strobe products are listed under UL Standards 1971 and 464 for indoor use with a temperature range of 32°F to 120°F (0°C to 49°C) and maximum humidity of 93% (± 2%).
- Series ZH horns are listed under UL Standard 464 for audible signal appliances (Indoor use only).

### **Technical Information**

For complete technical information, please consult the relevant installation sheets as well as the Siemens Compatibility Guide.

## Ordering Information / Mounting Requirements / Approvals

Model Number	Order Code	Mounting Options#	Agency Approvals			
			UL	ULC	CSFM	FM
ZH-MC-R	500-636161	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZH-MC-W	500-636162	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZH-HMC-R	500-636163	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZH-HMC-W	500-636164	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZH-R	500-636159	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZH-W	500-636160	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZH-MC-CR	500-636165	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZH-MC-CW	500-636166	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZH-HMC-CR	500-636167	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZH-HMC-CW	500-636168	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZR-MC-R	500-636169	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZR-MC-W	500-636170	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZR-HMC-R	500-636171	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZR-HMC-W	500-636172	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZR-MC-CW	500-636174	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZR-MC-CR	500-636173	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZR-HMC-CR	500-636175	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZRS-HMC-CW	500-636176	B, D, E, F	Х	#	#	#
ZBB-R	500-636193	Accessory - Includes base, dust cover, mounting screws and installation sheet				
ZBB-W	500-636194	Accessory - Includes base, dust cover, mounting screws and installation sheet				

X = listed/approved

# = pending

\* = Refer to Data Sheet #9675 for mounting options.

**WARNING:** PLEASE READ THESE SPECIFICATIONS AND INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE USING, SPECIFYING OR APPLYING THIS PRODUCT. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH ANY OF THESE INSTRUCTIONS, CAUTIONS AND WARNINGS COULD RESULT IN IMPROPER APPLICATION, INSTALLATION AND/OR OPERATION OF THESE PRODUCTS IN AN EMERGENCY SITUATION, WHICH COULD RESULT IN PROPERTY DAMAGE, AND SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH TO YOU AND/OR OTHERS.



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