1. DESCRIPTION

Viking EC/QREC Pendent Sprinkler VK602 is a small thermosensitive spray sprinkler available in several different finishes and temperature ratings to meet varying design requirements. This sprinkler has both standard response and quick response listings. The glass bulb operating element and special deflector characteristics meet the challenges of quick response extended coverage standards. The special Polyester and Electroless Nickel PTFE coatings can be used in decorative applications where colors are desired. In addition, the ENT coating has been investigated for installation in corrosive environments and is listed/approved as indicated in the Approval Charts.

2. LISTINGS AND APPROVALS

- cULus Listed: Category VNIV
- FM Approved: Class 2020

Refer to the Approval Charts Design Criteria for Listing and Approval requirements that must be followed.

3. TECHNICAL DATA

Specifications:
Available since 2013.
Minimum Operating Pressure: Refer to the Approval Charts.
Maximum Working Pressure: 175 psi (12 Bar).
Factory tested hydrostatically to 500 psi (34.5 bar).
Thread sizes: 3/4" (20 mm) NPT
Nominal K-Factors: 8.0 U.S. (115.2 metric†)

† Metric K-factor measurement shown is in Bar. When pressure is measured in kPa, divide the metric K-factor shown by 10.0.

Glass-bulb fluid temperature rated to -65 °F (-55 °C)
Overall Length: 2-3/8" (60 mm)

Material Standards:
- Sprinkler Frame: Brass UNS-C84400 or QM Brass
- Deflector: Brass UNS-C26000
- Bulb: Glass, nominal 3 mm diameter
- Belleville Spring Sealing Assembly: Nickel Alloy, coated on both sides with PTFE Tape
- Screw: Brass UNS-C36000
- Pip Cap and Insert Assembly: Copper UNS-C11000 and Stainless Steel UNS-S30400

For ENT Coated Sprinklers:
- Belleville Spring-Exposed, Screw and Pip Cap-ENT Coated

For Polyester Coated Sprinklers:
- Belleville Spring-Exposed

Ordering Information:
(Also refer to the current Viking price list.)
Order EC/QREC Pendent Sprinkler VK602 by first adding the appropriate suffix for the sprinkler finish and then the appropriate suffix for the temperature rating to the sprinkler base part number.
Finish Suffix: Brass = A, Chrome = F, White Polyester = M-/W, Black Polyester M-/B and ENT = JN
Temperature Suffix: 135 °F (57 °C) = A, 155 °F (68 °C) = B, 175 °F (79 °C) = D
For example, sprinkler VK602 with a Brass finish and a 155 °F (68 °C) temperature rating = Part No. 18262BAB

Available Finishes And Temperature Ratings:
Refer to Table 1.

Accessories:
(Also refer to the Viking website.)
Sprinkler Wrenches:
A. Standard Wrench: Part No. 21475M/B (available since 2017)
B. Wrench for recessed pendent sprinklers: Part No. 13577W/B**
   (available since 2006)
   **A ½" ratchet is required (not available from Viking).

Sprinkler Cabinets:
A. Six-head capacity: Part No. 01724A (available since 1971)
B. Twelve-head capacity: Part No. 01725A (available since 1971)

4. INSTALLATION

Refer to appropriate NFPA Installation Standards.
5. OPERATION

During fire conditions, the heat-sensitive liquid in the glass bulb expands, causing the glass to shatter, releasing the pip cap and sealing spring assembly. Water flowing through the sprinkler orifice strikes the sprinkler deflector, forming a uniform spray pattern to extinguish or control the fire.

6. INSPECTIONS, TESTS AND MAINTENANCE

Refer to NFPA 25 for Inspection, Testing and Maintenance requirements.

7. AVAILABILITY

Viking EC/QREC Pendent Sprinkler VK602 is available through a network of domestic and international distributors. See The Viking Corporation web site for the closest distributor or contact The Viking Corporation.

8. GUARANTEE

For details of warranty, refer to Viking’s current list price schedule or contact Viking directly.

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Sprinkler Finishes: Brass, Chrome, White Polyester³, Black Polyester⁴ and ENT³

Corrosion Resistant Sprinkler Finishes: ENT³

Footnotes

¹ The sprinkler temperature rating is stamped on the deflector.
² Based on NFPA-13. Other limits may apply, depending on fire loading, sprinkler location, and other requirements of the Authority Having Jurisdiction. Refer to specific installation standards.
³ The corrosion-resistant coatings have passed the standard corrosion test required by the approving agencies indicated in the Approval Charts. These tests cannot and do not represent all possible corrosive environments. Prior to installation, verify through the end-user that the coatings are compatible with or suitable for the proposed environment. Note that the spring is exposed on sprinklers with ENT coatings. For ENT coated automatic sprinklers, the waterway is coated.
⁴ For automatic sprinklers, the coatings indicated are applied to the exposed exterior surfaces only. Note that the spring is exposed on sprinklers with Polyester coatings.
### Approval Chart 1 (UL)

**Standard/Quick Response Extended Coverage Pendent Sprinkler**  
**For Light Hazard Occupancies Only.**  
**Maximum 175 PSI (12 Bar) WWP**

#### Sprinkler Base Part No.  
### | SIN | NPT Thread Size | Nominal K-Factor | Maximum Areas of Coverage | Minimum Water Supply Requirements | Listings and Approvals
---|---|---|---|---|---|---
#### Standard Response Applications

| 18262 | VK602 | 3/4 | 20 | 8.0 | 115.2 | 20’ x 20’ (6.1 m x 6.1 m) | 40 gpm @ 25.0 psi (151.4 L/min @ 1.72 Bar) | cULus
| 07077 | VK602 | 3/4 | 20 | 8.0 | 115.2 | 20’ x 20’ (6.1 m x 6.1 m) | 40 gpm @ 25.0 psi (151.4 L/min @ 1.72 Bar) | cULus

#### Quick Response Applications

| 18262 | VK602 | 3/4 | 20 | 8.0 | 115.2 | 16’ x 16’ (4.9 m x 4.9 m) | 26 gpm @ 10.6 psi (98.4 L/min @ 0.73 Bar) | A1Z, A2X
| 18262 | VK602 | 3/4 | 20 | 8.0 | 115.2 | 18’ x 18’ (5.5 m x 5.5 m) | 33 gpm @ 17.0 psi (124.9 L/min @ 1.17 Bar) | C1Z, A2X
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**NOTICE - Product Below - Limited Availability (Contact Local Viking Office)**

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**Sprinkler Temperature Ratings**

- A - 155 °F (68 °C) and 175 °F (79 °C)
- B - 135 °F (57 °C)
- C - 135 °F (57 °C), 155 °F (68 °C), and 175 °F (79 °C)

**Approved Finishes**

1. Brass, Chrome, White Polyester
2. ENT

**Approved Escutcheons**

- X - Standard surface-mounted escutcheon or recessed with the Viking Micromatic® Model E-1 Recessed Escutcheon
- Y - Standard surface-mounted escutcheons
- Z - Standard surface-mounted escutcheons or recessed with the Micromatic® Model E-1 or E-2 Recessed Escutcheon

**Footnotes**

1. Part number shown is the base part number. For complete part number, refer to current Viking price list schedule.
2. Metric K-factor measurement shown is when pressure is measured in Bar. When pressure is measured in kPa, divide the metric K-factor shown by 10.0.
3. This chart shows the listings and approvals available at the time of printing. Other approvals may be in process. Check with the manufacturer for any additional approvals.
4. For areas of coverage smaller than shown, use the “Minimum Water Supply Requirement” for the next larger area listed with sprinklers of similar K-factor. Flows and pressures listed are per sprinkler.
5. Listed by Underwriter’s Laboratories, Inc. for use in the U.S. and Canada for Light Hazard occupancies with smooth, flat, horizontal ceilings only.
6. cULus Listings are limited to Light Hazard occupancies, where allowed by the installation standards being applied.
7. cULus Listed as corrosion resistant.
**DESIGN CRITERIA - UL**

(Also refer to Approval Chart 1.)

**cULus Listing Requirements:**
Standard/Quick Response Extended Coverage Pendent Sprinkler SIN VK602 is cULus Listed as indicated in the Approval Chart for installation in accordance with the latest edition of NFPA 13 for extended coverage pendent spray sprinklers:

- Limited to Light Hazard occupancies, where allowed by the installation standards being applied, with smooth, flat, horizontal ceilings only.
- Minimum spacing allowed is 8 ft. (2.4 m) unless baffles are installed in accordance with NFPA 13.
- Minimum distance from walls is 4 in. (102 mm).
- Maximum distance from walls shall be no more than one-half of the allowable distance between sprinklers. The distance shall be measured perpendicular to the wall.
- The sprinkler installation and obstruction rules contained in NFPA 13 for extended coverage pendent spray sprinklers must be followed.

**IMPORTANT:** Always refer to Bulletin Form No. F_091699 - Care and Handling of Sprinklers. Also refer to Form No. F_080614 for general care, installation, and maintenance information. Viking sprinklers are to be installed in accordance with the latest edition of Viking technical data, the appropriate standards of NFPA, LPCB, APSAD, VdS or other similar organizations, and also with the provisions of governmental codes, ordinances, and standards, whenever applicable.

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**Figure 2:** Wrench 13577W/B for Recessed Pendent Sprinkler VK602

Step 1: Carefully slide the wrench sideways around the sprinkler deflector and protective shield.

(Note the orientation of the shield in the wrench.)

Sprinkler Wrench 13577W/B** must be used for installing recessed sprinkler VK600 and VK602

**A 1/2" ratchet is required (not available from Viking).**

Step 2: Carefully press the wrench upward and ensure engagement with the sprinkler wrench flats.

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## TECHNICAL DATA

### STANDARD/QUICK RESPONSE
### EXTENDED COVERAGE
### PENDENT SPRINKLER

**VK602 (K8.0)**

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5. FM Approved as corrosion resistant.

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### DESIGN CRITERIA - FM

(Also refer to Approval Chart 2 above.)

**FM Approval Requirements:**

Quick Response Extended Coverage Pendent Sprinkler VK602 is FM Approved as quick response **Non-Storage** extended coverage pendent sprinklers as indicated in the FM Approval Guide. For specific application and installation requirements, reference the latest applicable FM Loss Prevention Data Sheets (including Data Sheet 2-D). FM Global Loss Prevention Data Sheets contain guidelines relating to, but not limited to: minimum water supply requirements, hydraulic design, ceiling slope and obstructions, minimum and maximum allowable spacing, and deflector distance below the ceiling.

**NOTE:** The FM installation guidelines may differ from cULus and/or NFPA criteria.

**IMPORTANT:** Always refer to Bulletin Form No. F_091699 - Care and Handling of Sprinklers. Also refer to Form No. F_080614 for general care, installation, and maintenance information. Viking sprinklers are to be installed in accordance with the latest edition of Viking technical data, the appropriate standards of NFPA, LPCB, APSAD, VdS or other similar organizations, and also with the provisions of governmental codes, ordinances, and standards, whenever applicable.
Figure 3: Sprinkler VK602 Dimensions with a Standard Escutcheon

Figure 4: Sprinkler VK602 Dimensions with the Model E-1 and E-2 Recessed Escutcheons