# Model KFR56 Quick Response Intermediate Level Sprinklers

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# **Features**

- 1. Upright and pendent installations.
- 2. ½" (15mm) orifice with a ½" NPT (R½).

# **Approval Organizations**

- 1. Listed by Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. and Certified for Canada (cULus)
- 2. Factory Mutual Approvals (FM), Pendent only.

# **UL Listing Category**

Sprinklers, Automatic & Open (VNIV)

# **Product Description**

The Reliable Models KFR56 Intermediate Level Sprinklers include shields which protect the glass bulb from water spray impingement caused by sprinklers located at a higher elevation.

Typical applications are for storage racks which require multi-level sprinklers and beneath open grid catwalks.

# Application

Model KFR56 Intermediate Level sprinklers are used in fixed fire protection systems: Wet, Dry, Deluge or Preaction. Care must be exercised that the orifice size, temperature rating, deflector style and sprinkler type are in accordance with the latest published standards of the National Fire Protection Association or the Authority Having Jurisdiction.

## Installation

Model KFR56 are quick response sprinklers and are intended for installation as specified in NFPA 13. Upright sprinklers must be installed with the Model D Sprinkler Wrench specifically designed by Reliable for use with these sprinklers, and pendent sprinklers must be installed with the Model GFR2 Sprinkler Wrench specifically designed by Reliable for use with these sprinklers.

## **Maintenance**

The Models KFR56 Sprinklers should be inspected quarterly and the sprinkler system maintained in accordance with NFPA 25. Do not clean sprinklers with soap and water, ammonia or any other cleaning fluid. Remove dust by using a soft brush or gentle vacuuming. Remove any sprinkler which has been painted (other than factory applied) or damaged in any way. A stock of spare sprinklers should be maintained to allow quick replacement of damaged or operated sprinklers. Prior to installation, sprinklers should be maintained in the original cartons and packaging until used to minimize the potential for damage to sprinklers that would cause improper or non-operation.



Model KFR56 Upright Intermediate

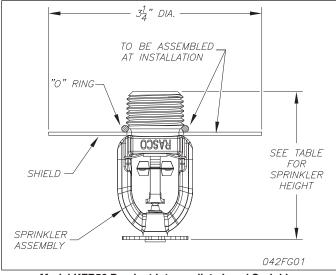


Model KFR56 Pendent Intermediate

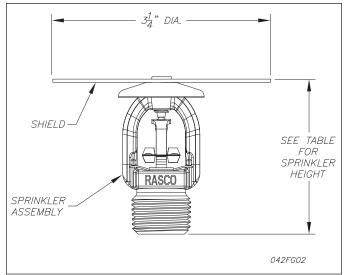
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## **Installation Data:**

Sprinkler Type	Nominal Orifice	Thread Size	"K" Factor		Sprinkler Identification Number (SIN)	Shield Part Number	Sprinkler Height	Approvals
			US	Metric	Number (SIN)			
Pendent	½" (15mm)	½" NPT (R ½)	5.6	80	RA3614	88701411	2.25"	1,2
Upright	½" (15mm)	½" NPT (R ½)	5.6	80	RA3624	88701413	2.25"	1



Model KFR56 Pendent Intermediate Level Sprinkler Fig. 1



Model KFR56 Upright Intermediate Level Sprinkler

Fig. 2

## **Temperature Ratings For KFR56:**

Classification	Temperature				
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Ordinary	165	74			
Intermediate	212	100			

Temperature	Fusible Element Color		
10505	White		
165° F	Silver*		
0400 5	White W/Green Stripe		
212° F	Silver W/Green Stripe*		

<sup>\*</sup> Chrome finish sprinklers only. Utilize silver-painted fusible elements.

## **Ordering Information** Specify:

- 1. Sprinkler Model
- 2. Sprinkler Type
- 3. Orifice Size
- Temperature Rating
- 5. Sprinkler Finish

# **Installation Wrenches**

Upright — Model D Sprinkler Wrench Pendent — Model GFR2 Sprinkler Wrench

#### Finishes (1)

Standard Finishes						
Bronze						
Special Application	n					
Chrome White Polyester						

(1) Other colors and finishes are available. Consult factory for

Note: Paint or any other coating applied over the factory finish will void approvals and warranties.

#### **Shields**

Galvanized Zinc

The equipment presented in this bulletin is to be installed in accordance with the latest published Standards of the National Fire Protection Association, Factory Mutual Research Corporation, or other similar organizations and also with the provisions of governmental codes or ordinances whenever applicable. Products manufactured and distributed by Reliable have been protecting life and property for over 90 years, and are installed and serviced by the most highly qualified and reputable sprinkler contractors located throughout the United States, Canada and foreign countries.

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