

# G75 Irrigation Controller



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# **Getting Started**

#### Features

- Up to three operations per day
- Battery powered; no need for electrical hookup
- Easy installation
- Waterproof and weather resistant
- Easy programming

#### **Parts Identification**

- 1. Top Cover
- 2. Controller Display
- 3. Solenoid
- 4. Controller
- 5. Water Flow Direction Arrow
- 6. Hydraulic Valve



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# **Basic Controller Functions**

This section gives a brief description of the Controller buttons. See the following sections for further details.

**MODE Button** - Quick presses of the **MODE** button turn the controller off, or turn on a specific program (**P1**, **P2**, or **P3**). Longer presses of the **MODE** button put the Controller in programming mode.

**SET Button** - Press the **SET** button to set a function and proceed.

 $\bigoplus \bigoplus$  - Use these buttons to increase and decrease schedule functions.

# Installation

- 1. Turn off the main faucet.
- Install the valve in the irrigation system so that the black arrow on the valve is pointing in the direction of the water flow. The Controller may be swiveled around to facilitate installation.
- 3. Occasionally the valve opens in transit. To ensure that the valve is closed before you open the main faucet, first make sure that the Controller is not set to OFF (If it is set to OFF, press briefly on the MODE button to turn it on.) Then press ⊕ and SET simultaneously to open, and press ⊕ and SET simultaneously to close, You are now ready to program the Controller.
- 4. Turn on the main faucet.

## **Manual Operation**

To manually open the valve, make sure that the Controller is not set to OFF (If it is set to OFF, press briefly on the **MODE** button), then press  $\bigoplus$  and **SET** simultaneously.

The irrigation will continue until the interval defined has passed. If the irrigation duration has been set to zero, the valve will close after one minute.

To stop irrigating, press $\Theta$  and **SET** simultaneously.

## Making an Irrigation Schedule

If you are planning to water either on selected days only (**P2**), or up to three times a day on selected days (**P3**) it is important to make a watering plan before programming the Controller. The plan should list the days you want to water, the number of times you wish to water each day, and at what time you want the watering to start.

Consult this plan while programming the Controller.

#### Irrigation Duration for P1/P2/P3

Duration Time

#### P1 Irrigation Schedule Design table

Start T	ïme					
Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	>	$\checkmark$

#### P2 Irrigation Schedule Design table

Start T	ïme		As s	et in P1			
Sun.	Mon.	Tue.		Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.

#### P3 Irrigation Schedule Design table

			Start 1			Start 2	Start 3	
Start Time								
Sun.	Mon.	Tue.		Wed	۱.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.

# Programming the Controller

## **Meaning of Controller Icons**



**NOTE:** Quick presses of the **MODE** button turns the Controller off, or turns on a specific program (**P1**, **P2** or **P3**).

Longer presses of the **MODE** button put the Controller in programming mode.

- Irrigating days of the week
- 2. Program starts
- 3. Program #
- 4. Irrigation
- 5. Timing or clock
- 6. Low battery
- 7. Time adjustment





**NOTE:** You cannot program the controller if it is set to manual operation (Page 3) or if it set to "OFF". To release from manual operation press  $\bigoplus$  and **SET** simultaneously. To release from OFF press briefly on the **MODE** button.

Controller will revert to operating mode after 30 seconds if no buttons are pressed.

# Setting the Clock

If screen is blank, press MODE to activate.

Before programming the controller you must set the clock.

 Press MODE for several seconds until the time adjustment icon appears (The minutes will be flashing):



On this screen the numbers represent the current time.

- 2. Use the  $\bigoplus$  and the  $\bigoplus$  buttons to adjust the minutes.
- 3. Press SET to continue.
- 4. Use the  $\bigoplus$  and the  $\bigoplus$  buttons to adjust the hours.
- 5. Press SET to continue.
- 6. Use the and the buttons to select the current day of the week. The selected day will flash.
- 7. Press **SET** to return to operating mode.

# Setting the Irrigation Duration

To set duration of all irrigations, you must be in an operating mode (**P1**, **P2**, or **P3**).

1. Press the **MODE** button until the clock setting screen appears, then press **MODE** again until the following screen appears (the minutes will be flashing).



On this screen, the clock numbers refer to the amount of time you wish irrigation to continue.

- 2. Use the  $\bigoplus$  and the  $\bigoplus$  buttons to adjust the minutes.
- 3. Press SET to continue.
- 4. Use the  $\bigoplus$  and the  $\bigoplus$  buttons to adjust the hours.
- 5. Press SET to continue.

# Watering Every Day at a Set Time (P1)

If you would like to water your garden every day at a constant same time use the **P1** program:

# Setting the Start Time

After setting the irrigation duration time, the following screen appears:



On this screen, the clock numbers refer to the time you wish irrigation to begin.

- 1. Use the  $\bigoplus$  and the  $\bigoplus$  buttons to adjust the minutes
- 2. Press **SET** to continue.
- 3. Use the  $\bigoplus$  and  $\bigoplus$  buttons to adjust the hours.
- Press SET to return to operating mode (P1 programming is now complete).

#### Example

If you wish to irrigate every day at 8:00 in the morning, for 15 minutes: Make sure the clock is set, and you are in an operating mode. Press **MODE** twice to get to the the Duration Time (with the tap). Set the Duration Time to 0:15. Then set the clock (on the following screen with the watch face and tap) to 8:00.

# Watering on Selected Days (P2)

If you would like to water your garden on specific days at the same time use **P2** program:



Irrigation duration must be set first. See page 7. **P2** takes the start time directly from **P1**. For instructions on how to set **P1** see page 7.

# Setting the Days

 To set the days, press MODE until the clock setting screen appears, then press MODE again until the Duration Time (with tap) appears, then press MODE again until the P1 screen appears, and press once again until the following screen appears:



- 2. Press **SET** to reach the day you wish to irrigate. The number (corresponding to the day of the week) will flash.
- Press to select that day (the square which appears indicates day is selected).
- 4. Press  $\Theta$  to deselect a day.
- 5. Press **SET** until all days are programmed as desired. Current day continues flashing.
- 6. Press SET to return to operating mode.

#### Example

If you wish to irrigate Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8:00 in the morning, for 15 minutes: Make sure the clock is set, and you are in an operating mode. Then press **MODE** twice to get to the Duration Time (with tap). Set the duration time to 0:15. Then set the clock (on the following screen with the clock face and tap) to 8:00. Press **MODE** to get to the **P2** screen, then select days 1, 3, 5 and 7.

# Watering Up-To Three Times a Day on Selected Days (P3)

If you need to water more, up-to three times a day, on specific days, use the **P3** program.



Duration time must be programmed first. See page 7.

#### Setting the Start Times

To set start times, you must be in an operating mode (**P1**, **P2**, or **P3**).

 Press MODE until the clock setting screen appears, press MODE again until the Duration Time (with tap) screen appears, press MODE a third time until the P1 screen appears, press again until P2 appears, then press again until the P3 screen appears (The minutes will be flashing).



On this screen, the clock numbers refer to the time you wish the first irrigation (**START 1**) to begin. The three arrows under **START** indicate the three different irrigations. As each arrow appears you may program the start time for that particular irrigation.

- 2. Use the  $\bigoplus$  and the  $\bigoplus$  buttons to adjust the minutes.
- 3. Press SET to continue.
- 4. Use the  $\bigoplus$  and  $\bigoplus$  buttons to adjust the hours.
- Press SET to continue programming. The arrow now appears under START 2.

#### Setting up a Second and Third Daily Irrigation

Repeat the above steps for setting the start times of the second and third daily irrigations. After completing setting the start times, the number 1 in the upper left corner will flash indicating that you are now ready to choose the days you wish to irrigate.

## **Choosing the Days**

- Press SET to move through the days, and reach the day you wish to irrigate. The number (corresponding to the day of the week) will flash.
- 3. Press  $\bigcirc$  to deselect a day.
- Continue through all the days until day 7 is flashing, then either press SET to return to operating mode or press to select 7 (if desired) and then press SET.

#### Example

If you wish to irrigate Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 8:00 in the morning, and at noon, and at 15:00 in the afternoon for 3 minutes each time, first make sure the clock is set, and duratio time is set to 0:30. Then press **MODE** until the clock setting screen appears, press **MODE** again until the Duration Time (with tap) screen appears, press **MODE** a third time until the **P1** screen appears, press again until **P2** appears, then press again until the **P3** screen appears (with clock face and tap). Set 1 to 8:00, Start to 12:00, and Start 3 to 15:00. After setting the irrigation start times, the days at the top of the screen will flash. Set 1, 3, 5 then press **SET** when you reach day 7.

# Maintenance and Troubleshooting

#### **Battery Installation**

Replace the battery at the start of each irrigation season and when the low battery symbol appears.

- 1. Using a Phillips screwdriver, remove the four battery cover screws.
- 2. Remove the battery cover and seal.
- 3. Replace the battery.
- 4. After reattaching the seal, put the cover back, and secure with the four screws.



# **Off Season**

During the season when you do not need to water your plants press the **MODE** button quickly until **OFF** is displayed. DO NOT remove the battery. The Controller is equipped with a back-up battery, and removing the main battery for long periods will cause the back-up battery to discharge.

#### Troubleshooting

PROBLEM	CAUSE	SOLUTION		
Controller does not irrigate plants as desired	Water at main faucet is shut off	Check faucet		
desired	Hose cut or blocked	Replace damaged section		
	Battery dead	Replace battery		
	Controller set on OFF	Set controller to desired program		
	Controller improperly programmed	Check program and clock settings		
Blank display	Battery dead	Replace battery		
	Controller in sleep mode	Press MODE to activate screen		
Water does not turn off	Valve blocked by dirt or scale	Replace valve		
	Valve installed backwards	Install valve so that the arrow points in the direction of the water flow		



**Cautions** *Do not remove the battery when the Controller is not in use* 

# Contact and Service Information

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