System Controller SC-401-6M

Potential dangers from accidents during installation and use are divided into the following two categories. Closely observe these warnings, they are critical to your safety.

WARNING indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.
CAUTION indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, may result in minor or moderate injury.

Requests to Installers

🕂 WARNING

In order to use this product safely, read this installation manual carefully and follow the installation instructions.

- Failures and damage caused by erroneous work or work not as instructed in this manual are not covered by the warranty.
- Refer to installation manual attached to the appliance as well.
- Check that installation was done in accordance with this Installation Manual upon completion.
- After completion of installation, be sure to hand this Installation Manual to the customer.



• When you fasten the screws on the terminals (Warning lamp terminal and so on),do not use electric drivers, impact drivers and so forth.Tightening with excessive force may cause the terminals to be damaged and lead to failures.

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Note: If the system controller (SC-401-6M) is installed in conjunction with the NC380-SV-ASME (with remote controller RC-7649M), the initial settings (refer to page 21) must be followed. Failure to change the initial settings may result in an error code "730" appearing on the remote controller.

Refer to page 36 for procedure to replace System Controller

If at any time during the installation and setup of this product you have questions or concerns, contact Noritz America at 866-766-7489 or visit http://support.noritz.com/.



1. Included Accessories

Check for any missing items before starting installation.

Part	Shape	Qty	Part	Shape	Qty
Tapping Screw (4 x 8)	8) jun	3	*1 Vinyl Tie		3

*1 : Use the included vinyl tie to bind any excess length of wire

2. Optional Accessories

Name	Usage	Qty
*2 Remote controller RC-9018M	*2 Always necessary except using NC380-SV-ASME.	1
Remote controller Cord RC-CORD10 RC-CORD26	 The communication cord between the system controller and the remote controller can be lengthened up to a maximum total length of 450 feet. The communication cord between the system controller and each water heater can be lengthened up to a maximum total length of 45 feet. 	Total number of units in system - 1
*3 NWC-ADAPTER (NAW-1 US)	For remote monitoring the multi-unit system through the Mobile App.	1

*2 : RC-7649M only may be used when using NC380-SV-ASME.

*3 : NWC-ADAPTER is not compatible with NC-380-SV-ASME.

CAUTION : Be sure to use the remote controller cord as listed above. If a different cord is used, the equipment may fail or not operate properly.

• When two or more multi-unit systems are installed in parallel

One remote controller is necessary for each multi-unit system (i.e. 3 multi-unit systems will require 3 system controllers and 3 remote controllers). Each system will have separately wired remote controller cords.

For the combined use pattern

A. When there is no circulation pipe (standard type)

Number of units	System controller	Remote controller
1 to 6	SC-401-6M	*2 RC-9018M

*2 : RC-7649M only may be used when using NC380-SV-ASME.

B. When there is a circulation pipe

Condition	Number of units	System controller	Remote controller
Recirculation type (circulation heat-retention with external pump)	1 to 6	SC-401-6M	*2 RC-9018M
Storage Tank Recirculation type (circulation heat-retention with external pump)	1 to 6	SC-401-6M	*2 RC-9018M

*2 : RC-7649M only may be used when using NC380-SV-ASME.

3. Introduction (see list of points below)

Introduction to the "SC-401-6M" System Controller

Overview

This manual is intended to provide instruction for the installation, operation, and features of the SC-401-6M system controller. It is divided into 4 main sections:

- 1. Installation of the SC-401-6M system controller
- 2. Initial programming of the Remote controller
- 3. Additional features of the Remote controller and the SC-401-6M system controller
- 4. Plumbing diagrams and general information about water and gas piping

Read this manual carefully and follow the instructions as written. If you have any questions, contact Noritz America at 866-766-7489 or visit http://support.noritz.com/.

Basic Operation

The SC-401-6M system controller is used to combine 1 to 6 Noritz heaters into a single "multi-unit system" The system controller stages units on and off based on hot water demand and rotates their operation to ensure even usage. It also has two additional modes which optimize the system for operation with a recirculation line or storage tank.

(Note: for systems of 7-12 units use the SCU-401-12M system controller

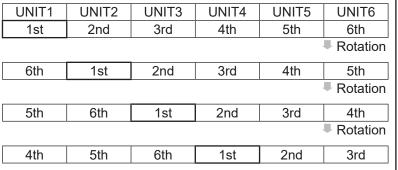
for systems of 13-24 units use the SCU-401-24M system controller)

• Unit Staging

Staging allows the multi-unit system to track hot water demand from the minimum flow rate of a single unit up to the maximum output of several units. When the primary firing heater reaches ~50% of its maximum output, the system controller activates the next unit in the system. When both these units reach ~50% of their maximum output, a third unit is activated and so on. The SC-401-6M may also be configured to activate two heaters during primary firing to allow for rapid initial hot water demand.

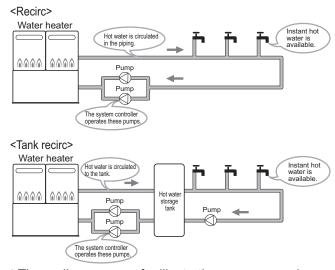
Unit Rotation

The SC-401-6M system controller rotates operation of the primary firing heater every 8 hours of combustion time. This helps to ensure even usage of all units.



• System Selection

The SC-401-6M allows the user to select two additional system types: "Recirc" and "Tank recirc." These settings optimize performance with recirculation and storage tank systems, and allow the system controller to operate one or two pumps.



* These diagrams are for illustration purposes only.

4. Installing the System Controller (Electrical Wiring)

Consult a qualified electrician for the electrical work.

 Do not connect electrical power to all water heaters (do not turn ON the power supply) before all electric wiring is completed. Otherwise, electric shock or failure of the water heater and system controller may occur.
 If a remote controller cord is not connected, there is a case that unexpected temperature flows out. So check it is surely connected. Be sure to tighten the screw to the terminal block manually and do not use an electric

and do not use an electric screwdriver or impact driver. Otherwise, the terminal block may be damaged.

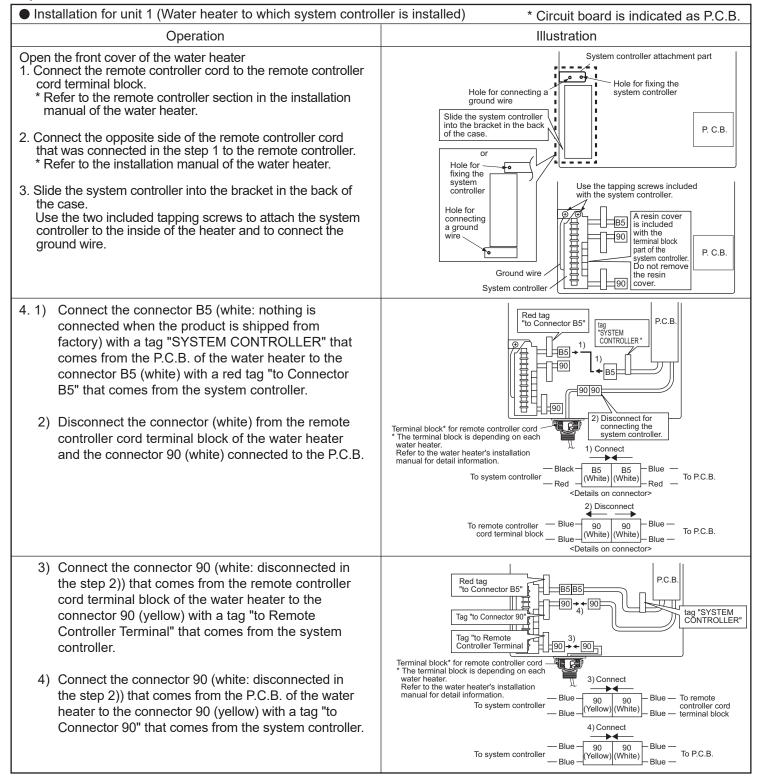
This appliance must be electrically grounded in accordance with local codes, or in the absence of local codes, with the National Electrical Code, ANSI/NFPA 70. In Canada, the latest CSA C22.1 Electrical Code.

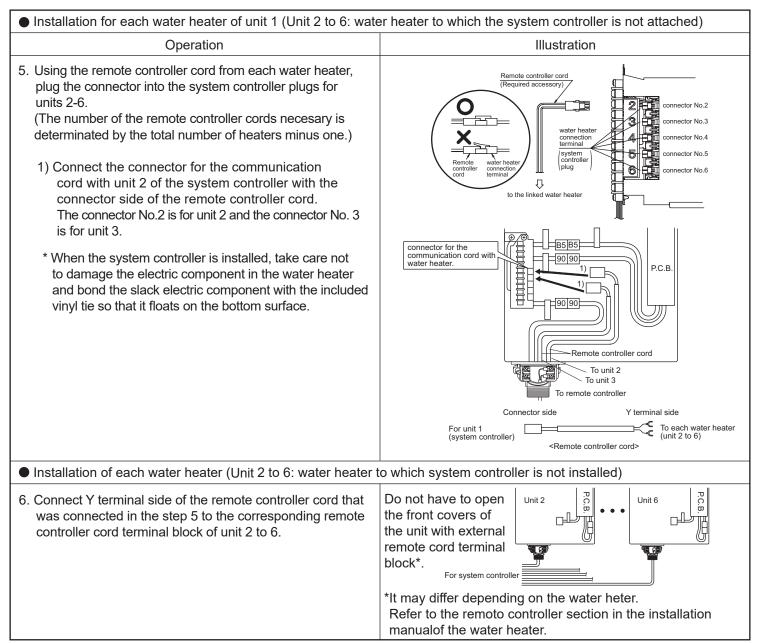
Caution: Label all wires prior to disconnection when servicing controls. Wiring errors can cause improper and dangerous operation.

Verify proper operation after servicing.

Field wiring to be performed at time of appliance installation.

Open the cover of the external remote controller cord terminal block of each water heater.

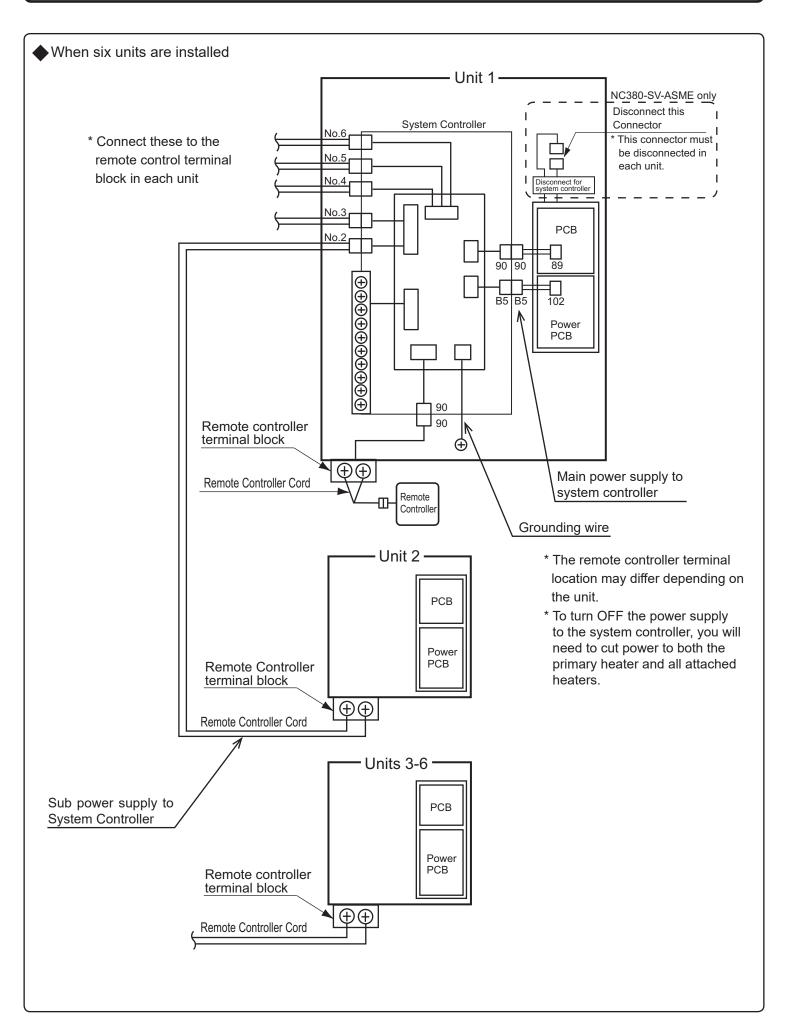




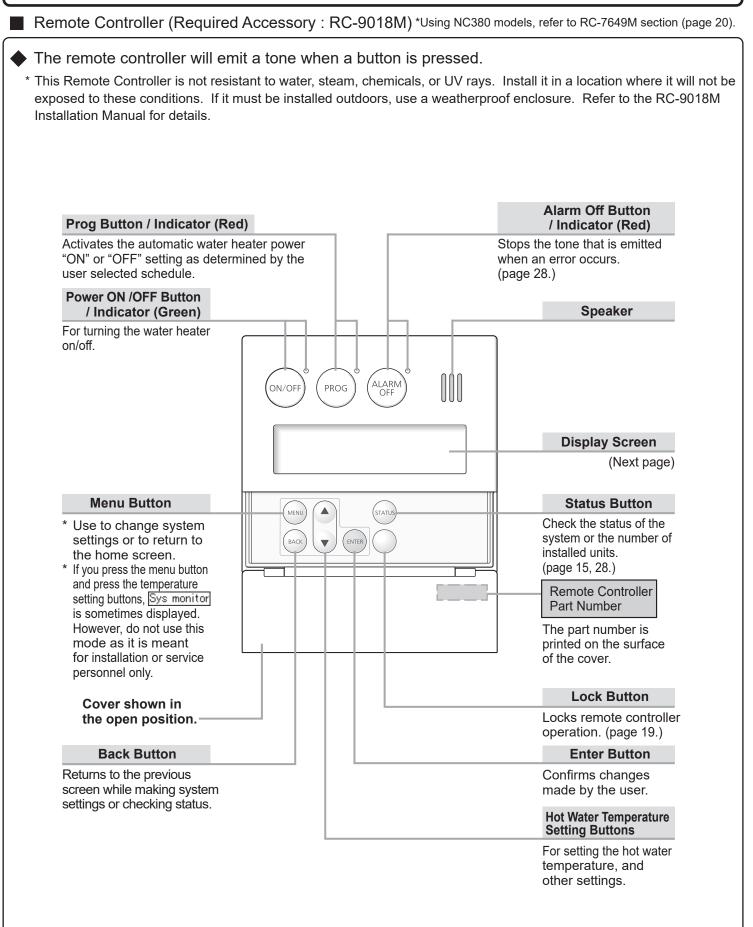
After all cords are connected, replace the front cover of unit #1 and the other units or the covers of the external remote controller cord terminal blocks of all water heaters.

(*Make sure to replace the front cover without crushing any wires.)

5. Wiring Diagram



6. Remote Controller



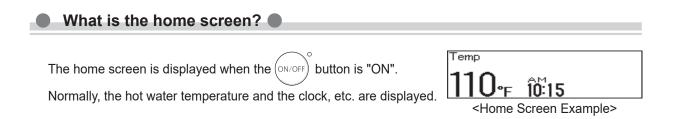
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Screen Display

- * The screen display shown below is for illustration purposes only. The actual display will vary depending on how the water heater is being used.
 * After a button is pressed, the display will gradually become darker to prevent used.
- * After a button is pressed, the display will gradually become darker to prevent unnecessary power consumption by the remote controller.

Flame Symbol	Display for Recirculation Operation
The flame symbol is displayed during combustion when using hot water or recirculation functions.	 * For systems that use recirculation operation, the symbol is displayed when the power ON/OFF button is set to "ON". * It is displayed during the recirculation operation.
Display for Temperature Setting	Locked Display
During normal operation, the set temperature is displayed.	The lock symbol is displayed when the remote controller is locked. (page 19.)
Display for High Temperature Hi temp	looked. (page 10.)
Displays when the set temperature is 125°F/55°C (131°F) or higher	
Temp []	
Temperature Setting	- ← Recirc ⊕
(Ex.: 110°F)	<u>ÎO:15</u>
Clock Display	
(Ex.: 10:15 am)	Recirculation Timer
Error Code	The clock symbol is displayed when the recirculation timer is
A number will flash if a failure occurs. (page 28.)	activated. (page 13 - 14.)

Note: As shipped from the factory, the remote controller is set to display in °F and gallons. To adjust the display to °C and liters, refer to the page 12.

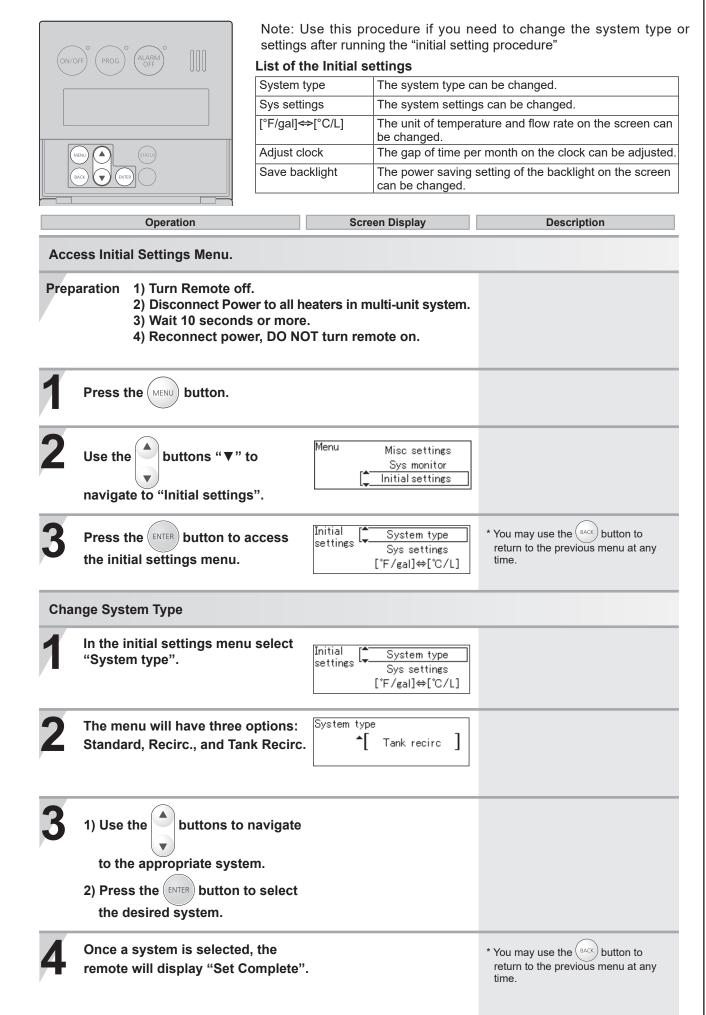


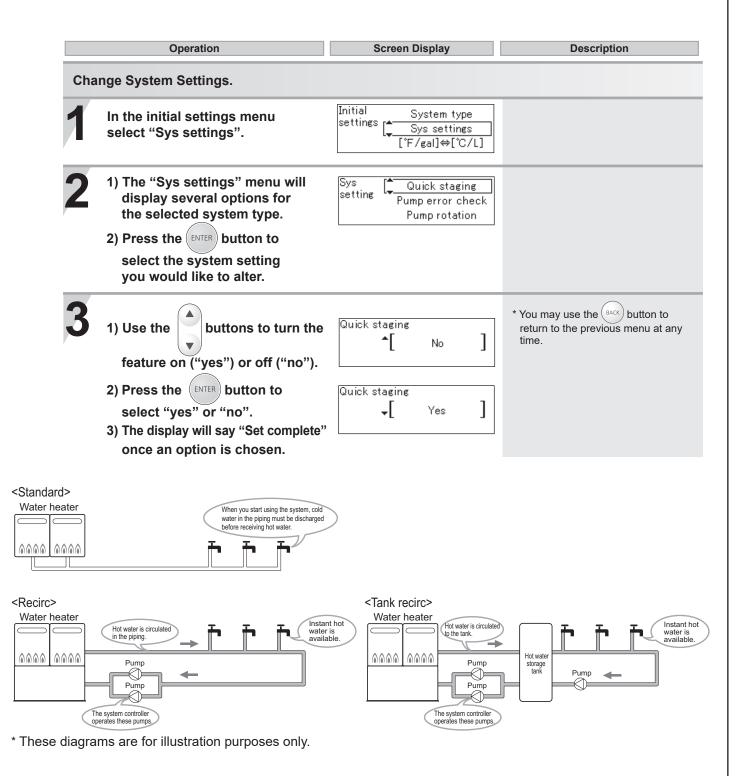
7. Remote initial setup

Initial Setting Procedure in the "System Settir	ngs" Screen	
ONVOFF ^O (PROG ^O (LLARM ^O) ())) controlle The follo If you n instruct	er and units), the remote enter owing instructions explain h eed to change these setti	I to the multi-unit system (system ers an initial setting mode. now to perform an initial setting. ngs at a future date, follow the ion and Settings in the "Initial
Operation	Screen Display	Description
Preparation Connect power to all heater Press the ENTER button on the remote		
 1) You will be prompted to choose a system type. 2) Use the buttons to navigate to the correct system type. (Standard, Recirc., or Tank Recirc.) 3) Press the event button to select your system type. 1) If you chose the "Recirc." or "Tank Recirc." systems, you will be prompted to turn pump rotation on or off (this setting is set to "off" by default). 2) Use the buttons to select yes (on) or no (off). 3) Press the event button to set the pump rotation. 	System type ↓ Select & press ENTER. ↓ System type ↑ Tank recirc Select & press ENTER.	* Note: only when you connect one/two pumps to the system controller, you need to select "Yes" or "No".
 1) You will now be prompted to "complete system setting." 2) Press the button to complete the system setting. 3) Once you choose "Complete system settings?", the remote will display "System settings completed". 	Complete system settings? ↓[Yes] Select & press ENTER. System settings completed	 * Note: if you chose standard system in step 2 - 2), you will immediately go to this prompt. * You may use the RACK button to return to the previous menu at any time.

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System Selection and Settings in the "Initial Settings" Screen





List of the Sys settings

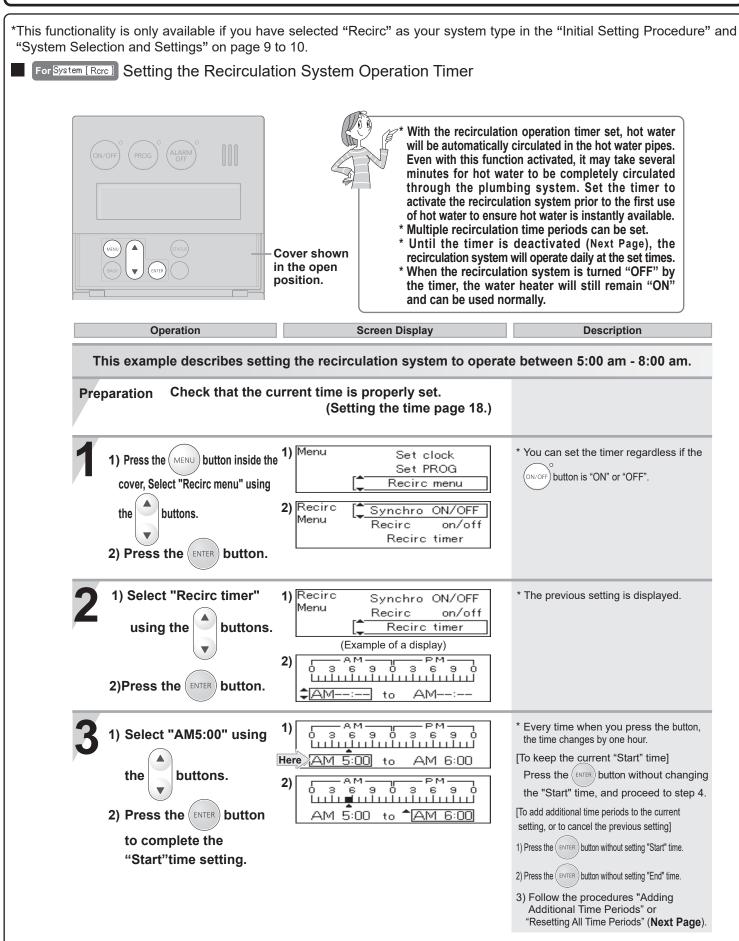
Item in the Sys		system type		Yes	No	
settings	Standard	Recirc	Tank recirc	fes		
Quick staging	Available	Available	Not Available	Units will stage more rapidly from heater to heater*	Units will stage more slowly	
Pump error check	Not Available	Available	Available	System will check for flow when system controller pump terminals are energized. If no flow is present, it will display 63 error code	System will not check for pump operation*	
Pump rotation	Not Available	Available	Available	System will rotate pump 1 and 2 operations	Pump 1 and 2 will operate simultaneously*	

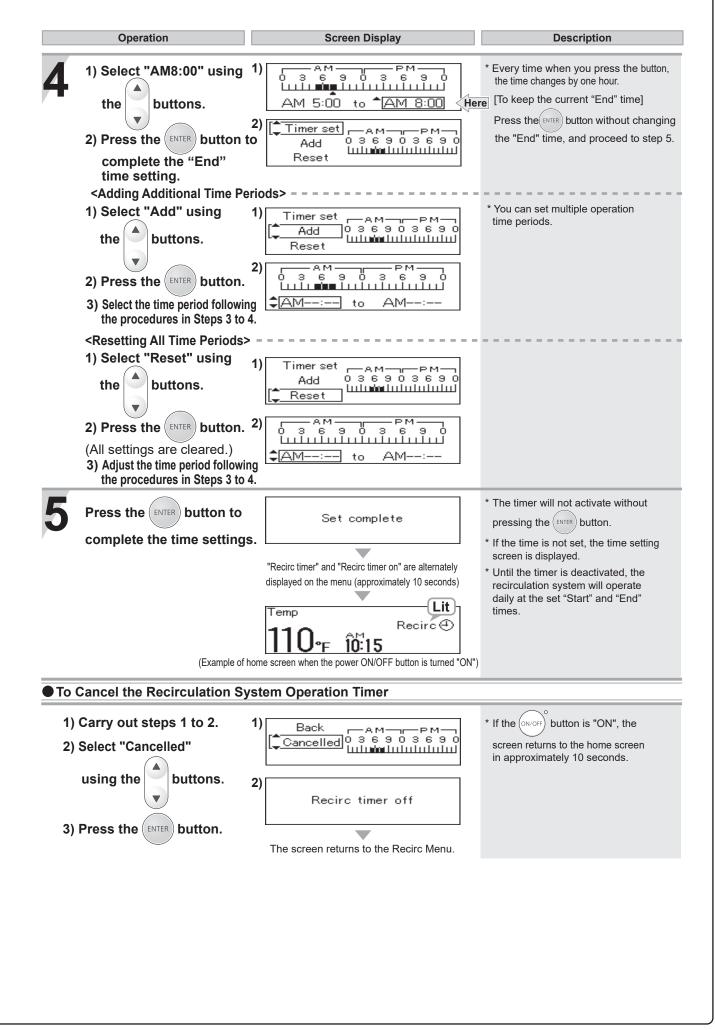
*Factory Default Settings

 In the initial settings menu select "[°F / gal] ⇔ [°C / L]". Press the enter button. 	Initial System type settings Sys settings [↓[°F/gal]⇔[°C/L]	
 Use the buttons to select the unit "[°F / gal] "or "[°C / L]". Press the ENTER button to set the units to be displayed. The display will say "Set complete" once an option is chosen. 	[<mark>‡ °F∕gal</mark> Select unit °C/L	* You may use the (BACK) button to return to the previous menu at any time.
fter finishing the Initial Settings.		

3) Reconnect power.

8. Recirculation Pump Timer Setup





9. System Check Button

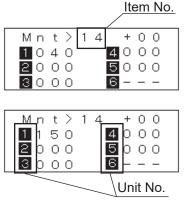
you press the (st	System Units Online	heck the status of the system
pen position.	System Displayed on the Remote Controller	System Description
	System[Std]	Water heater only operation.
	System[Rcrc]	 * Water heater and recirculation operation. * During recirculation operation, hot water is always circulated in the piping to provide instant hot water when a fixture is opened. [If you set the ON/OFF button to "ON", is displayed.]
	System [Tank]	 * Water heater combined with a storage tank operation. * If a recirculation system is also installed, hot water is always circulated in the piping to provide instant hot water when a fixture is opened. [If you set the ON/OFF button to "ON", is displayed.]

10. Maintenance Monitors and Additional Settings

- * It is necessary to check the flow rate for Recirculation system, and Storage Tank Recirculation system (for adjusting the recirculation flow rate).
- (1) Press Menu Button and press the ▼ Button several times to select "Sys monitor", and then press Enter Button.
- (2) Press the ▼ Button once to select "Yes", and then press Enter Button for five seconds or more.



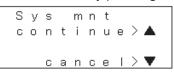
- (3) Sys monitor is displayed. Since item 03 is displayed first, you must press the ▲/▼ Buttons several times until item 14 is displayed.
- (4) Flow rate screen is displayed.
- * The unit of flow rate on the screen can be changed (refer to page 12.)

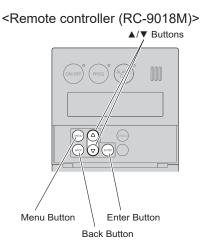


<Example of display (°F/gal)> Flow rate of unit 1 is 4.0 gal/min Flow rate of unit 2 to 5 is 0 gal/min unit 6 is not connected

<Example of display (°C/L)> Flow rate of unit 1 is 15.0 L/min Flow rate of unit 2 to 5 is 0 L/min unit 6 is not connected

- (5) Press Back Button.
- (6) The screen that asks whether continue or cancel the Sys monitor is displayed. Select "cancel" by pressing the ▼ Button to terminate the Sys monitor.





Additional settings of system controller

Following setting can be changed in addition to the system settings. When determining whether or not to change a particular setting, consult with the customer first.

- Item No. 19

When multiple units are connected to the system controller, two units fire upon startup as the factory default.

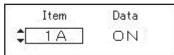
However, this setting can be changed so that only one unit fires upon startup. - Item No. 1A

By factory default, the remote controller alarm will sound when a failure of the system controller or any water heater in the system has occurred.

However, this setting can be changed so that the alarm sounds only when the entire system is down.

• Setting Procedure (example to change Item No. 1A)

- (1) Turn the water heater off by pressing the Power ON/OFF Button on the remote controller.
- (2) Turn OFF the power supply (disconnect electrical power to all heaters), then turn ON the power supply (reconnect electrical power to all heaters) and wait 10 seconds before proceeding to step (3).
- (3) Within the first ten minutes of connecting electrical power, before turning on the Power ON/OFF Button, press the ▲/▼ Buttons on the remote controller and hold until the display blinks "99". If "99" does not blink on the remote controller, disconnect electrical power to all heaters and try again.
- (4) Use the ▲/▼ Buttons on the remote controller to scroll to the item number "1A" on the column of the item.
- (5) Press the ENTER Button, "Item number" stops blinking and "Data state (OFF or ON)" will start blink.
- Use the $\blacktriangle/\blacksquare$ Buttons on the remote controller to change OFF $\leftarrow \rightarrow$ ON. (6) Change "1A" from OFF to ON.
 - * Do not adjust any other items!



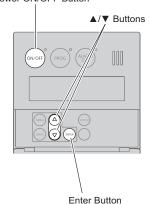
- (7) When the items has been set correctly, press the ENTER Button, "Data state (ON)" stops blinking and "Item number" will start blink. Confirm the setting by pressing and holding both the ▲/▼ Buttons on the remote controller until the controller emits a beeping noise. The new setting will be lost if this is not done.
- (8) Disconnect Power to all heaters in the multi-unit system. Wait 10 seconds or more, and reconnect power.

List of settings

Item #	Data Indication					
19	OFF (Two units fire at startup)*	ON (One unit fires at startup)				
1A	OFF (Alarm for any system error)*	ON (Alarm only for system down error)				

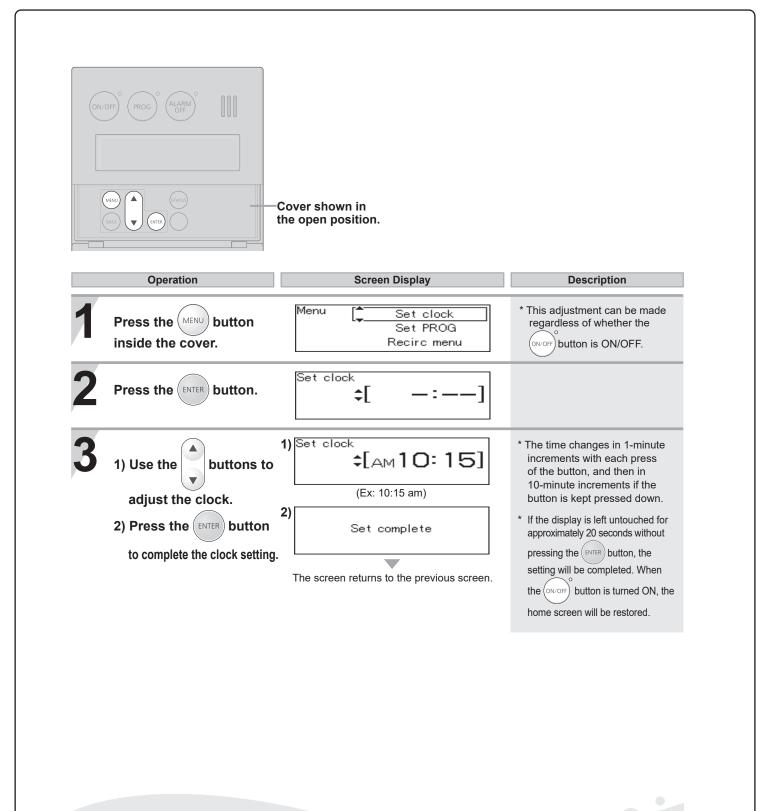
* Factory Default Settings

<Remote controller (RC-9018M)> Power ON/OFF Button

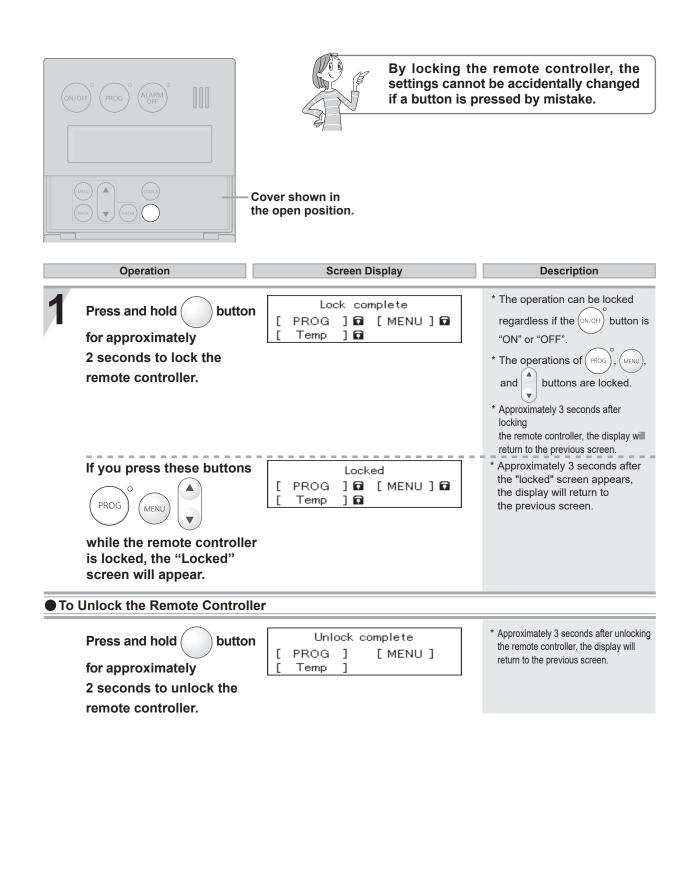


11. Additional Remote features

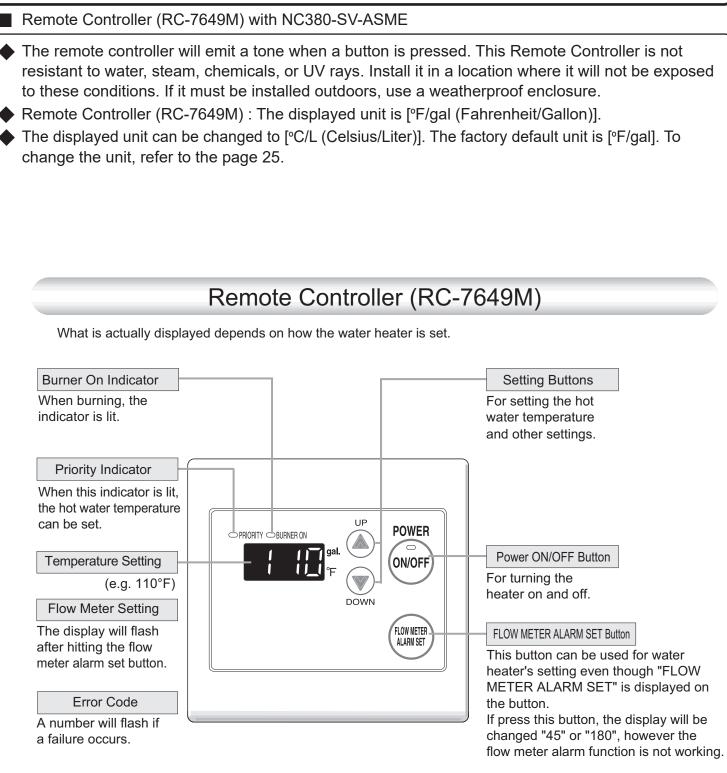
For All Systems Clock Adjustment



* In the event of a power outage or after disconnecting power to the water heater, when power is restored, the clock on the display screen will show " - : - - " and the clock will need to be reset.



12. Remote Controller



* Before use, remove the protective sheet from the remote controller surface.

Temperature Settings

Fahrenheit[°F]	100	105	110	115	120	125	130	135	140	145	150	160	170	180
Celsius[°C]	38	41	43	46	49	52	54	57	60	63	66	71	77	83

13. Remote initial setup

Remote	Controller (RC-	7649M) Initial Se	tting Procedure w	vith NC380-SV-ASME				
	Note: When using remote controller RC-7649M, change the initial settings in accordance with the following instructions. If the settings are not changed, an error code "730" may appear on the Remote Controller.							
Setting	Procedure							
(1) Turn ti more.	he water heater off I	by pressing the Powe	er ON/OFF Button on	the remote controller and wait 10 seconds or				
(2) Turn (•	ers and System Controller), then turn ON				
	wer supply (reconne eding to step (3).	ect electrical power t	o all heaters and Sys	stem Controller) and wait 10 seconds before				
(3) Press	•		then "99" code will bli	inks on the display. The water heater system is				
	code does not blink	on the display, disco	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	e initial setting. If fail to this procedure or "99" er for all water heaters and system controller.				
	And then try step (1)-(3) again.							
			then scroll to "10", "11	1" and "1B".				
	Change the "10", "11", and "1B" based on following table. Press the FLOW METER ALARM SET Button for more than 2 seconds to change the settings.							
		, the "PRIORITY" Lited, the "PRIORITY"	e .					
			U U					
CAUT	ION: Do not change	e any item other than	those listed.	UP/DOWN Button				
Item #	Standard	Recirculation	Tank Recirculation	PRIORITY light				
10	ON	OFF	ON	Power ON/OFF Button				
11	OFF	ON	ON					
1B	ON	ON	ON	(Item #)				

(5) Press and hold the UP (▲) and DOWN (▼) buttons simultaneously for more than 2 seconds to complete the initial setting. Then you will hear a beep from the remote controller.

FLOW METER ALARM SET Button

Note: If no beep, the initial setting is not completed. In this case try step (1) - (4) again.

Change System Settings.

Use this procedure if you need to change the system settings after running the "Initial Setting Procedure " (page 21).

Setting Procedure

- (1) Turn the water heater off by pressing the Power ON/OFF Button on the remote controller and wait 10 seconds or more.
- (2) Turn OFF the power supply (disconnect electrical power to all heaters), then turn ON the power supply (reconnect electrical power to all heaters) and wait 10 seconds before proceeding to step (3).
- (3) Press the UP (▲) or DOWN (▼) buttons and then "99" code will blinks on the display. The water heater system is on the initial setting procedure.

(4) Press the UP (▲) or DOWN (▼) buttons and then scroll to "14", "15" and "16".

Change the "14", "15", and "16" based on following table.

Press the FLOW METER ALARM SET button for more than 2 seconds to change the settings.

- If each code is activated , the "PRIORITY" LED lights up.
- If each code is disactivated, the "PRIORITY" LED lights off.

CAUTION: Do not change any item other than those listed.

List of the settings

Item #	Item in the Sys	System type			OFF	ON	
nem #	settings		Standard Recirc		OFF	UN UN	
14	Pump error check	Not Available	Available	Available	System will check for flow when system controller pump terminals are energized. If no flow is present, it will display 63 error code	System will not check for pump operation*	
15	Pump rotation	Not Available	Available	Available	Pump 1 and 2 will operate simultaneously*	System will rotate pump 1 and 2 operation	
16	125 °F recovery during high- temperature setting	Available	Available	Available	If the Power ON/OFF Button is turned OFF and ON, the unit will accept 125 °F return water (if the unit is set at that temperature or higher)	The unit will allow the standard return temperature*	

*Factory Default Settings

(5) Press and hold the UP (▲) and DOWN (▼) buttons simultaneously for more than 2 seconds to complete the initial setting. Then you will hear a beep from the remote controller.
 Note: If no beep, the initial setting is not completed. In this case try step (1) - (4) again.

Note: If you press the Power ON/OFF Button, you can't change the initial setting. If fail to this procedure or "99" code does not blink on the display, disconnect electrical power for all water heaters and system controller. And then try step (1)-(3) again.

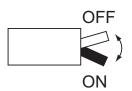
The system settings of SC-401 US must be the same as SC-201 US when replacing SC-201 US with SC-401.

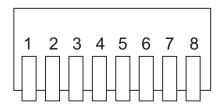
The original system settings of SC-201 US are listed below.

List of the settings (SC-201 US)

DIP	Item in the Sys	System type			OFF	ON	
SW #	SW # settings		Recirc	Tank recirc	OFF	ON	
2	Pump error check	Not Available	Available	Available	System will not check for pump operation	System will check for flow when system controller pump terminals are energized. If no flow is present, it will display 63 error code*	
3	Pump rotation	Not Available	Available	Available	System will rotate pump 1 and 2 operation	Pump 1 and 2 will operate simultaneously*	
4	125 °F recovery during high- temperature setting	Available	Available	Available	If the Power ON/OFF Button is turned OFF and ON, the unit will accept 125 °F return water (if the unit is set at that temperature or higher)	The unit will allow the standard return temperature*	

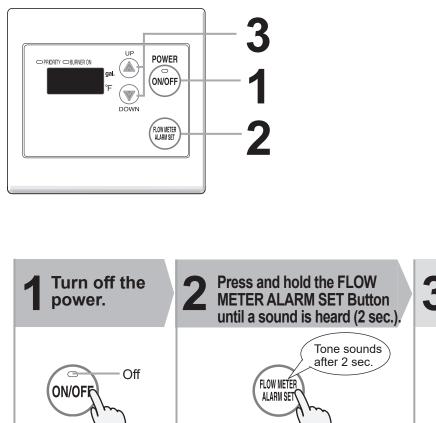
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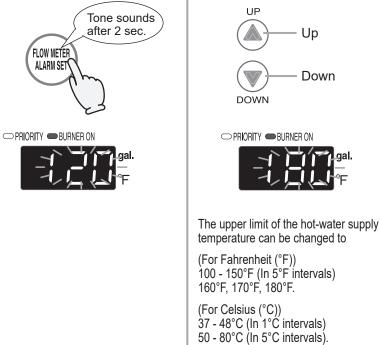




Following setting can be changed in addition to the system settings. Note: Do not change anything other than following settings.

How to Use Adjusting the Maximum Output Temperature





Change the

temperature using

the setting buttons.

4 Set the Power ON/OFF button to ON when continuing to use the unit as is. Otherwise, let the unit sit for 30 sec.

Change the way the units of temperature and flow rate are displayed on the screen (standard vs. metric).

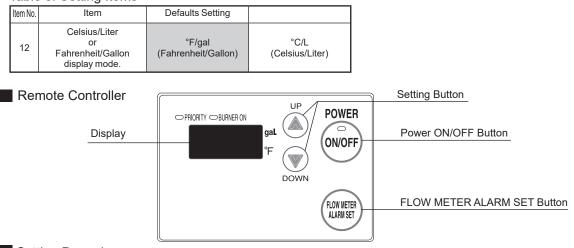
When using remote controller RC-7649M, select "[°F/gal] or [°C/L]" as following steps. The default setting is "[°F/gal]"

Procedure for changing from [°F/gal] to [°C/L]

Adjusting the Temperature Display

Note: The setting must be done within the first 10 minutes of connecting electrical power to all the water heaters.

Table of Setting Items



Setting Procedure

- 1. Turn the water heater off by pressing the Power ON/OFF Button on the remote controller and wait 10 seconds or more.
- 2. Disconnect, then reconnect electrical power to all the water heaters.
- 3. Press the FLOW METER ALARM SET Button and hold it in for 2 seconds or more.
- 4. Press the FLOW METER ALARM SET Button until the remote controller displays item number "12".
- 5. Press and hold the UP (▲) button for more than 5 seconds to change the display units to " [°F/gal] ". When set to [°F/gal], the display shows below.



6. Press and hold the DOWN (▼) button for more than 5 seconds to change the display units to " [°C/L] ". When set to [°C/L], the display shows below.



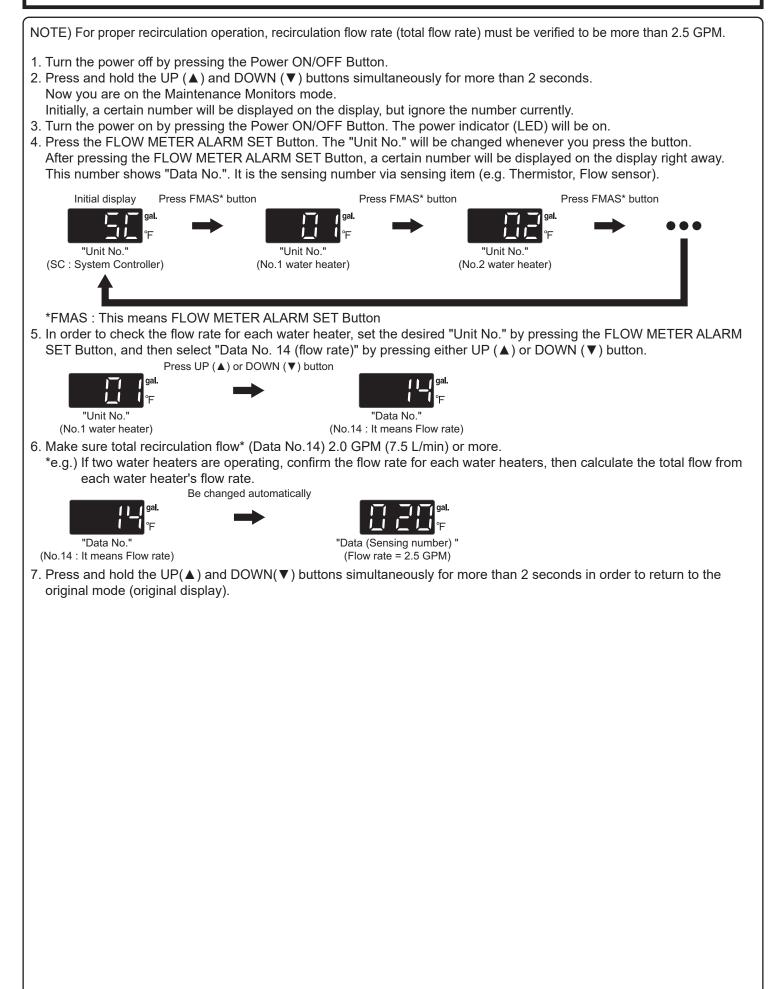
7. To confirm the setting, turn the water heater on by pressing the Power ON/OFF Button on the remote controller.

- 8. Wait 15 seconds or more.
- 9. Turn OFF the power supply (disconnect electrical power to all heaters), then turn ON the power supply (reconnect electrical power to all heaters).

10. Adjusting the Maximum Output Temperature (Page 24) and set temperature.

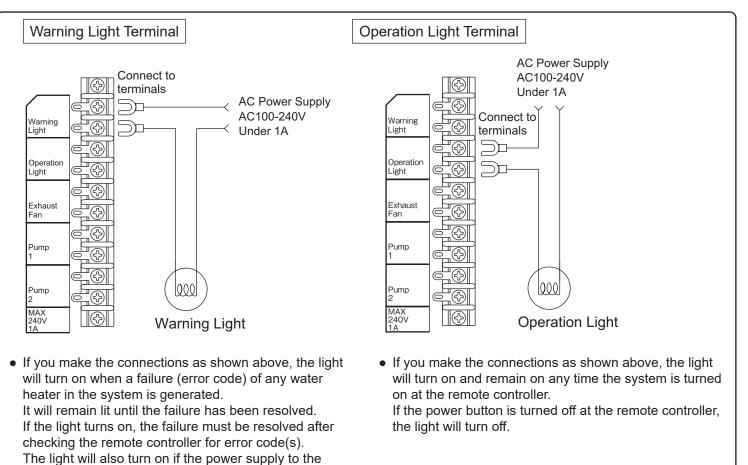
Note: In this case, even though the printed unit on the Remote Controller is [°F/gal], the displayed number on the display means [°C/L] and the water heater will be working under [°C/L].

Checking Recirculation Flow through Maintenance Monitors



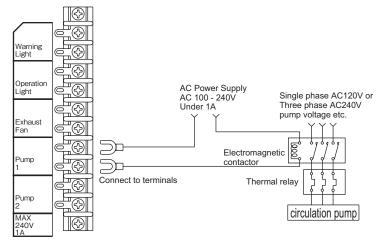
15. Additional System Controller Features

System Controller Terminals (Optional Connections)



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Circulation Pump Terminals 1,2

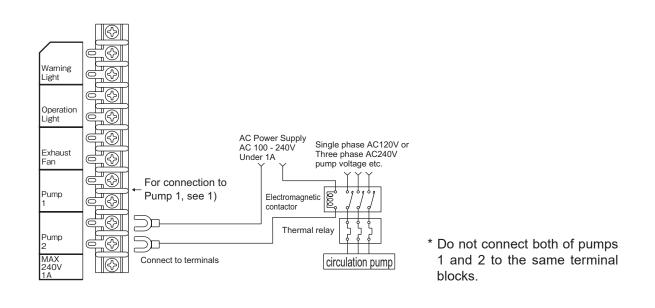
- Use these terminals to control the pumps in any circulating system.
 Connected this way, the system controller will control the function of the pumps.
 Use normally open relays(electromagnetic switches) to supply power to the pumps.
 Use thermal relays if necessary.
 Connect them when they are used for recirculation system or storage tank recirculation system.
- Use electromagnetic contactors / thermal relays suitable for the load.
- 1) When operating with 1 circulation pump
- * If there is only one pump, connect to "Pump 1" terminals.



When you connect one circulation pump, set "No" for the question "Start pump rotation?" in the system settings. (refer to page 9,22.)

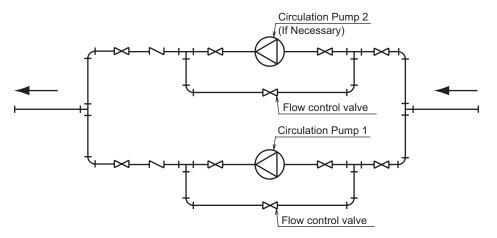
2) When operating with 2 circulation pumps

The system controller carries out the alternate operation of "pump 1" and "pump 2" at regular time intervals by connecting two circulation pumps.



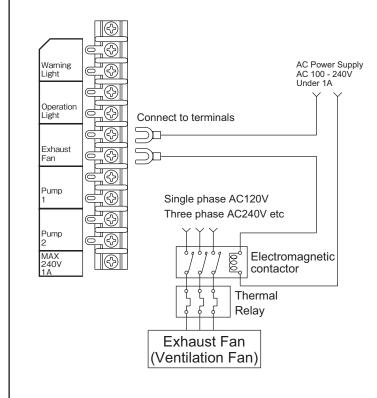
When you connect two circulation pumps, in the system settings. (refer to page 9,22.)

* Piping diagram for parallel pipe installation



Adjust the pump flow with the flow control valves. If multiple pumps are used, control the flow of each pump with separate valves.

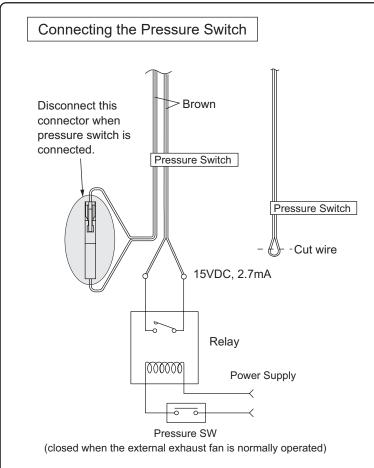
Exhaust Fan Terminal



- These terminals will close when any of the units are firing or when the fan on any of the units is blowing. These terminals can be used to control an exhaust fan or damper in this way.
- Use a relay (electromagnetic contactor) to provide power to the fan or damper. Use an additional thermal relay if necessary.
- Use the electromagnetic contactor / thermal relay suitable for the load.

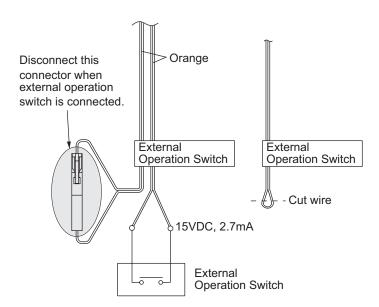
Connections of Pressure Switch, External Operation Switch, and Thermostat (input terminals)

* The input terminals are collected on the rear surface of the terminal block of the system controller. Pull out the wires after checking the tags.



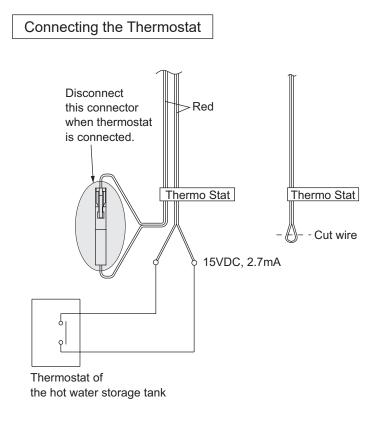
- A pressure switch or other item can be attached as a safety device when an external exhaust fan that is attached to the exhaust fan terminal above does not operate.
- If the status that a contact of the relay is opened continues, the system stops.
- Use the normally open relay with the contact for low voltage.
- This terminal is short-circuited when the product is shipped from factory. When you use this feature, cut a short-circuit electric wire and connect relay, and then disconnect a short-circuit connector.

Connecting the External Operation Switch



- Connect the external operation switch when you want to turn ON/OFF the water heater from external in addition to the Power ON/OFF Button of the remote controller.
- If the terminal of the external operation switch is switched from open to short, the Power ON/OFF Button of the water heater is turned "ON".
- If the terminal of the external operation switch is switched from short to open, the Power ON/OFF Button is turned "OFF".
- Use the normally open relay with the contact for low voltage.
- This terminal is short-circuited when the product is shipped from factory. When you use this feature, cut a short-circuit electric wire and connect the external operation switch, and then disconnect a short-circuit connector.

- For the external operation switch
- Whether the Power ON/OFF Button is synchronized or not to the cycle operation can be changed by switching the setting. (it can be changed only for recirculation system).
- If the external switch is switched from open to short, the setting is switched as shown below. Power ON/OFF Button is synchronized: Power ON/OFF Button is turned "ON", cycle operation is turned "ON" Power ON/OFF Button is not synchronized: only Power ON/OFF Button is turned "ON"

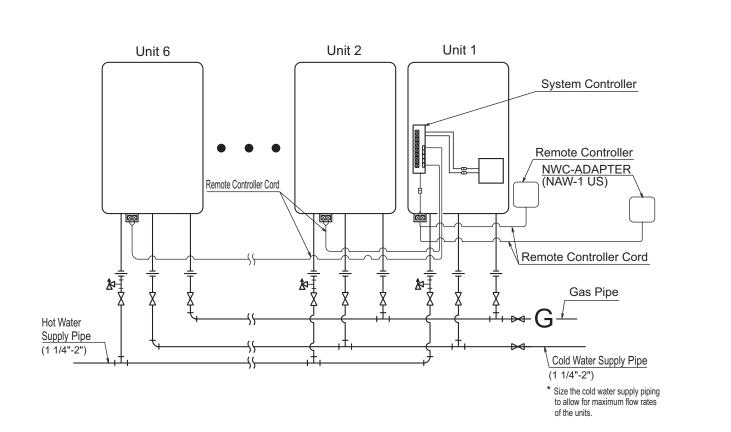


- Connect the thermostat of the hot water storage tank.
- If the temperature of the hot water storage tank exceeds the temperature set with the thermostat, the contact in the thermostat is opened and the circulation pump stops.
- A platinum resistance temperature detector cannot be connected directly.
- This terminal is short-circuited when the product is shipped from factory. When you use this feature, cut a short-circuit electric wire and connect the thermo stat, and then disconnect a short-circuit connector.

16. System design, Gas, and Water piping

System diagram (When six units are installed)

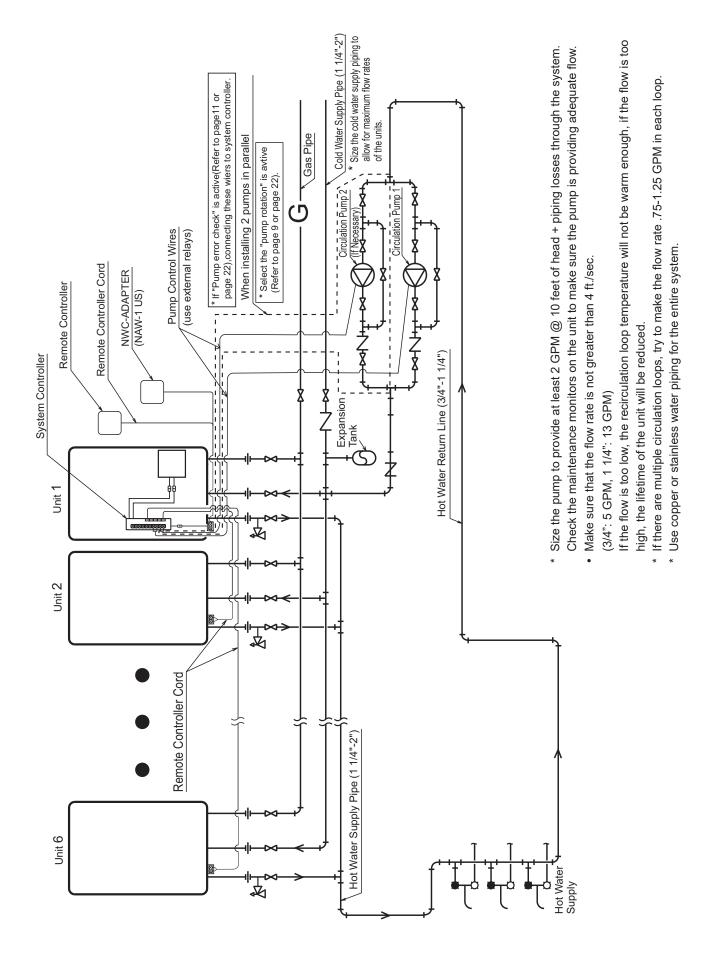
•Installation without a recirculation system (Standard System)



• Insulate or apply heating materials to both the cold water supply piping and the hot water supply piping to prevent freezing during cold weather and to prevent heat loss through the piping.

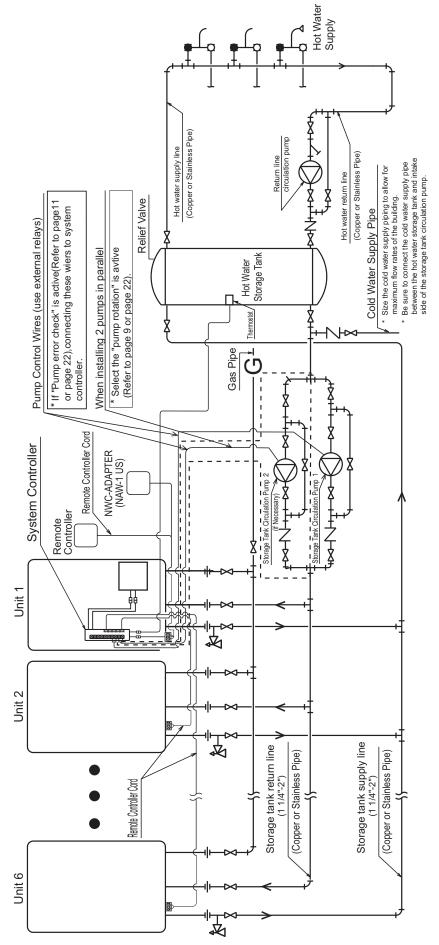
Example of Recirculation with a Multi-unit System (Recirculation system)

This system will make hot water more quickly available to remote fixtures. The pump will circulate water through the loop until the entire loop is warm, and then the system controller will turn off the pump until the loop cools down.





The pump will push water through the Multi-unit System to heat up the tank. When the temperature of the thermostat is high, the system controller will turn off the pump until the temperature cools down.





* To achieve the highest recovery, size the storage tank circulation pump for maximum capacity. (9 GPM (each) @ 40 ft. of head (160°F setting or less) + piping losses through the system.) Verify the supply pressure to the units is at least 30 PSI.

Gas piping

* Follow the instructions from the gas supplier.

Gas connection

- Gas flex lines are not recommended unless they are sized for the maximum input kW (Btu/h • MJ) of each unit.
- Do not use piping with a diameter smaller than the size of the gas inlet to each unit.
- After installation, check the gas line for any leaks before using.

Water piping

- * Ask a qualified plumber to perform the installation.
- * Observe all applicable codes.
- The plumbing should be installed by a qualified plumbing contractor according to all applicable codes and regulations.
- Insulate or apply heating materials to the supply and hot water piping to prevent freezing during cold weather and to prevent heat loss through the piping.
- Use a union coupling or flexible pipe for connecting the units to ease service and maintenance.
- Refer to the system diagrams for supply and hot water pipe sizing. Do not install piping that is smaller than the inlet or outlet water connections on the units.
- If using an expansion tank, make sure it is correctly sized for the system.
- Use only copper or stainless steel pipe for all plumbing.
- Keep the plumbing as simple as possible.
- Avoid using pipes in which air can accumulate.
- * Use only approved materials, and have the installation inspected upon completion.

Gas Valve

Install a gas shutoff valve for every unit installed.

Gas Meter

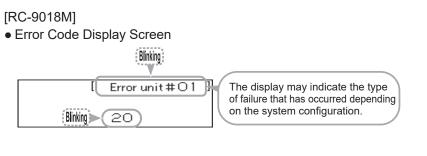
Select a gas meter capable of supplying the entire kW (Btu/h • MJ) demand of all gas appliances that the meter serves. Size the gas line for the entire kW (Btu/h • MJ) demand also.

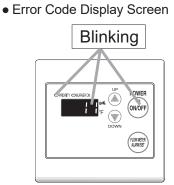
17. Follow-up Service

Checking for Error Conditions

When a failure occurs, information relating to the error blinks on the display. The error alarm may also continuously sound.

Note: The combustion lamp will blink if any heater is in error alarm.





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• To Stop the Error Alarm

Press the $\left(\begin{array}{c} ALARM\\ OFF \end{array} \right)^{\circ}$ button (the indicator will turn off).

Requesting Service

- * Service and warranty periods are based on the type of product and the application type. Refer to the Limited Warranty provided with the water heater for complete details.
- * Refer to the "Troubleshooting" section in the Owner's Guide supplied with the water heater. If the problem is not corrected, contact Noritz America Technical Support at 866-766-7489 or visit http://support.noritz.com/.

Using RC-9018M

• Press the (STATUS) button to check the status of the system

Operation	Screen Display	Description
Press the (STATUS) button inside the cover.	System [Rcrc] Active [04] Units [06] Pump1 [OFF] Online [04] Pump2 [ON] <screen (example)="" display=""></screen>	 * Status can be checked regardless of whether the ON/OFF button is ON/OFF. * If the BACK button is pushed or it is left untouched for approximately 10 minutes, it will return to the previous screen.
 Identifying units that require 	service (system dependent).	
Press the (STATUS) button twice inside the cover.	Error unit 1 — — — — 6 — — 	* If you press the BACK button, the screen of step 1 is displayed. If you press the STATUS button, the screen returns to the previous screen.

If at any time during the installation and setup of this product you have questions or concerns, contact Noritz America at 866-766-7489 or visit http://support.noritz.com/.

Procedure for replacing System Controller

Included parts		
Parts	Qty	Shape(System Controller)
System Controller	1	
Installation Manual	1	
Procedure for replacing System Controller (This sheet)	1	

Before replacing the System Controller, be sure to read this sheet and System Controller Installation Manual for correct operation.

Make sure your replacement situation as following case (1) or case (2):

(Case 1) Only the system controller is replaced.

(Case 2) Both the system controller and remote controller (RC-9018M or RC-7649M) are replaced at the same time.

(Case 1) When only the system controller is replaced.

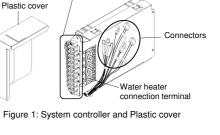
- 1) Verify if any options (e.g. Warning Light, Operation Light, Circulation Pump, Exhaust Fan) are utilized (Figure 1). If in use, disconnect the electric power for all options being used.
- 2) Turn off power on/off button first, then disconnect the electrical power for all water heaters.
- 3) Replace the system controller.
 - 1. Remove the plastic cover (Figure 1)
 - 2. Disconnect all wires* to the system controller.
 - * Disconnect all additional wires for each optional item (Figure 1).
 - * Disconnect all connectors from the system controller (Figure 1).
 - * Disconnect all communication cords from the water heater connection terminals (Figure 2).
 - 3.Put the original plastic cover on the new system controller.
 - 4. Install the new system controller* into the water heater.
 - * Refer to pages 4 6 of the System Controller Installation Manual for detail installing way.
 - * Reconnect all wires and connectors to the new system controller. Refer to pages 27 - 30 of the System Controller Installation Manual for the way to connect additional wires.
- 4) Connect the electrical power, and then turn on all water heaters.
- When using remote controller RC-9018M, refer to step (6) to (9) procedure below.
- When using remote controller RC-7649M, follow instructions on pages 21-23 of the System Controller Installation Manual. Then proceed directly to step 8).
- 6) Wait for approximately 30 seconds, and then set the clock* of the remote controller.
- * Refer to page 18 of the System Controller Installation Manual for setting the clock.
- * If the system settings screen (Figure 3) is displayed, discontinue this procedure and refer to step 6) to 11) in the (Case 2) procedure below to complete the programming correctly.
- 7) If you want to set the recirculation system operation timer, set the timer in accordance with the System Controller Installation Manual.
- * This timer is only available for the recirculation system. Refer to pages 13 to 14 of the Installation Manual.
- 8) Reconnect any options (e.g. Warning Light, Operation Light, Circulation Pump, Exhaust Fan) (Figure 1) disconnected from step 1).
- 9) The replacement is complete.

(Case 2) When system controller and remote controller (RC-9018M or RC-7649M) are replaced at the same time

- 1) Verify if any options (e.g. Warning Light, Operation Light, Circulation Pump, Exhaust Fan) are
- utilized (Figure 1). If in use, disconnect the electric power for all options being used.
- 2) Turn off power on/off button first, then disconnect the electrical power for all water heaters.
- 3) Replace the system controller and the remote controller (RC-9018M or RC-7649M).
 - 1. Remove the plastic cover (Figure 1)
 - 2. Disconnect all wires* to the system controller.
 - * Disconnect all additional wires for each optional item (Figure 1).
 - * Disconnect all connectors from the system controller (Figure 1).
 - * Disconnect all communication cords from the water heater connection terminals (Figure 2).
 - 3.Put the original plastic cover on the new system controller.
 - 4. Install the new system controller* into the water heater.
 - 5. Replace the remote controller which is located on the #1 unit in the system.
 - * Refer to pages 4 6 of the System Controller Installation Manual for detail installing way.
 - * Reconnect all wires and connectors to the new system controller.
 - Refer to pages 27 30 of the System Controller Installation Manual for the way to connect additional wires.
- 4) Connect the electrical power, and then turn on all water heaters.
- 5) When using remote controller RC-9018M, refer to step 6) 11) procedure below.
- When using remote controller RC-7649M, follow instructions on pages 21 25 of the System Controller Installation Manual. Then proceed directly to step 10).

6) In approximately 10 seconds, the system settings screen (Figure 3) is displayed on the remote controller.

- Set up initial setting in accordance with the screen.
- * Refer to page 9 10 of the System Controller Installation Manual for some parameter settings.
- 7) If necessary, set the miscellaneous system selection.
- * Refer to pages 10 12 and 17 of the System Controller Installation Manual.
- 8) Set the clock* of the remote controller.
- * Refer to page 18 of the System Controller Installation Manual for setting the clock.
- 9) If you want to set the recirculation system operation timer, set the timer in accordance with the System Controller Installation Manual. * This timer is only available for the recirculation system. Refer to pages 13 to 14 of the Installation Manual.
- 10) Reconnect any options (e.g. Warning Light, Operation Light, Circulation Pump, Exhaust Fan) (Figure 1) disconnected from step 1).
- 11) The replacement is complete.



System controller terminals

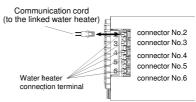


Figure 2: Water heater connection terminal

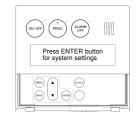


Figure 3: System settings screen

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