

Detex Corporation 302 Detex Drive New Braunfels, Texas 78130 www.detex.com Tel: (800) 729-3839 INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS **ML-1500 SERIES ELECTROMAGNETIC LOCK**

The ML-1500 Series ElectroMagnetic Lock is mounted to the underside of the header, on the stop side of the door.

The armature is mounted to the door. A hardware kit is provided to compensate for misalignment and wear of the door, by allowing the armature to pivot on it's center point.

1. Inspect the frame header to determine if an angle bracket or filler plate is required. See Figure 1 for Regular mounting. Alternative mounting on page 3.



- 2. Fold template as indicated by dotted line. For single doors, locate template against the door and header on the lock jamb side of the frame.
- 3. Mark and drill holes as indicated by template . For armature plate hole preparation, see Figure 2A, 2B, 2C. 3A. Add both spring pins to armature plate. See page 4.
- 4. Mount armature to door. To determine proper hardware(provided), see Figure 2A, 2B, 2C.
- 5. Install mounting plate to header with the interlock detail away from the door side of the stop, with #10 Flt Hd. Screws provided.
- 6. Holding the magnet housing at each end, engage the entire length of the interlock detail, by pushing towards the door. (If necessary, tap with a soft hammer to ensure proper alignment and engagement).

Caution The lock body must be held in place until secured with mounting screws Screws provided inside the housing at each end. Tighten the screws and check alignment.

- 7. Remove front plate to access electronics. See page 2 for wiring.
- 8. Test operation. When all is operating properly, tighten all screws. Install anti-tamper plugs over socket head screw using a soft hammer to avoid damage to the housing.

Electromagnet and armature should be handled carefully. Any damage to the surface such as paint, burrs, dirt and rust may hinder bonding of surface and reduce holding power.

SHOULD THE SURFACE PLATING BE DAMAGED

Do not touch the lock face with your hands.

Using a soft, clean, dry cloth or abrasive cloth (i.e., Scotch-Brite), clean lock face. Do not use sand paper.

A rust inhibitor such as M1, manufactured by Starret, or LPS3, manufactured by LPS Laboratories (available at most hardware stores) can then be applied. Apply a coat of inhibitor to armature face also



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FIG. 2A HOLLOW METAL DOOR

From Sexnut side of doordrill exactly 1/2" hole thru one metal thickness only. From Armature side of door drill 5/8" hole to insert reinforcement tube. Press in sexnut and reinforcement tube all the way and mount armature to door using hardware provided per FigureB.



Drill 3/8" hole thru door From sexnut side of doordrill exactly 1/2" hole, 1-3/8" deep. Mount armature to door with hardware provided per Figur2A.





FIG. 2C REINFORCED DOOR Drill and tap for5/16-18 machine screw. Mount armature to door with hardware provided per Figur@C.

ML-1500 Series Connections



AVAILABLE OPTIONS RT TIME DELAY (1-30 sec)

	SERIES	ML-1500
ADJ. P=	INPUT VOLTAGE(VDC)	24
n	POWER CONSUMPTION (mA)	350
ш—	COIL RESISTANCE (OHMS)	35* (PER COIL)
	HOLDING FORCE (LBS)	1650

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Voltage kickback protection standard

	1F
Problem ElectroMagnetic lock releases slowly. (residual magnetism)	Cause Control switdch wired on DC side
Poor holding force.	Armature installed rigidly.
	Low voltage
No holding force	No power
Door does not lock.	Input polarity reversed. Open circuit in ElectroMagnetic Lo

Magnet coil short.

*NOTE: For a proper coil resistance reading turn off the DC voltage. Use an ohmmeter and measure the resistance between the pins of the plug connector positions ₫-E2 and E3-E4

ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION

1. Use jacketed cable for all wire runs Refer to the AWG wire

gauge chart for proper lock power wire size(18 AWG

IMPORTANT NOTES

INDOOR USE ONLY Do not run power wires and signal wires in the same cable or conduit

2. All wires must be colored coded

gauge minimum).

- 3. Use properly fused power source only See Electrical Specifications.
- 4. Make all ElectroMagnetic Lock terminal connections according to Figure 3



To determine the correct wire gauge to use on "one circuit" the following information is required

- 1. The quantity, voltage, and current draw of all lock(s) to be used.
- 2. The distance in feet from the power supply to the furthest lock

Add together the current draw (amps) of all locks on the same circuit Cross reference the total amps with the distance between the power source and the furthest lock to determine the wire gauge requiredAll wiring must be installed in accordance with all state and local codes.

DISTANCE IN FEET FROM POWER SOURCE TO FARTHEST LOCKING DEVICE

	AMPS	25	50	75	100	150	200	250	300	400	500	1000
Minimum	0.25	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	16	16	16
Wire	0.50	18	18	18	18	18	16	16	14	14	12	
Gauge for	0.75	18	18	18	18	16	14	14	12	12		
24 Volts	1.00	18	18	16	16	14	14	12	12			
DC	1.50	18	18	16	14	14	12					
	2.00	18	16	14	14	12						
	2.50	18	16	14	12							





FILLER PLATES: For extension of the stop to provide a proper mounting surface on the underside of the header See Figure 1B.

FOR ML-1500 SERIES MODELS PART# SIZE А В 103916 5/8" x 1-1/4" x 11" (16 x 32 x 279mm)

Available kits:

Armature hardware kit P /N 103918-1 ElectroMagnetic lock hardware kit P/N 103918-2

TROUBLE SHOOTING



ANGLE BRACKETS: Used as extension on shallow door frames to provide adequate mounting surface. See Figure 1C.

FOR ML-1500 SERIES MODELS PART # SIZE A B 2" x 1-1/2" x 11" LG (51 x 38 x 279mm) 103917