

GRX-DACPI Front Panel (cover open)

Description

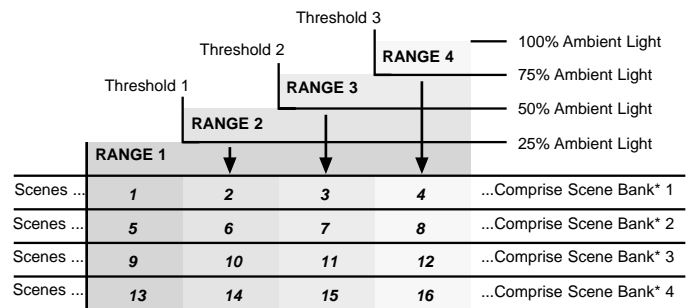
The GRX-DACPI Control Unit permits *GRAFIK Eye* 3000 and 4000 Series systems to automatically select preset lighting scenes in response to available daylight for optimum light levels and energy savings.

The GRX-DACPI allows you to define four ranges of ambient light. These ranges are defined as a percentage of maximum available sunlight. For example:

- Range 1 can be defined as 0-25%.
- Range 2 can be defined as 26-50%.
- Range 3 can be defined as 51-75%.
- Range 4 can be defined as 76-100%.

The GRX-DACPI will compare the amount of sunlight currently available with the user-defined ranges and, based on this comparison, select an appropriate lighting scene. This means the *GRAFIK Eye* System can, for example, decrease the amount of light on sunny days or increase the amount of light on overcast days.

To determine the amount of available sunlight, the GRX-DACPI is used in conjunction with a Lutron MW-PS PhotoCell located within the lighting space. The PhotoCell should be located so it measures available sunlight (along or near external walls with windows) without being affected by artificial light sources. Alternately, a 0-10V signal from photo measurement equipment (by others) may be used in place of the Lutron PhotoCell.



* See step 5 on page 3

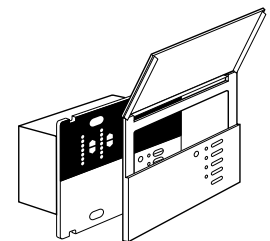
Important Notes

1. READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE STARTING INSTALLATION.
2. This control must be installed by a qualified electrician.
3. Install in accordance with the National Electric Code and all applicable local regulations.
4. Turn power OFF at the control panel before installing controls. Do not connect high-voltage power to low-voltage terminals. Improper wiring can result in personal injury and damage to the control or to other equipment.
5. Use only a cloth with warm water and mild soap to clean faceplates (no chemical cleaners).

Installation

1. **Mount wallbox.** The GRX-DACPI requires a 4-gang wallbox, with a minimum depth of 3 1/2".

To prevent damage to faceplate when wiring control, snap off the faceplate by pulling outward at each corner.



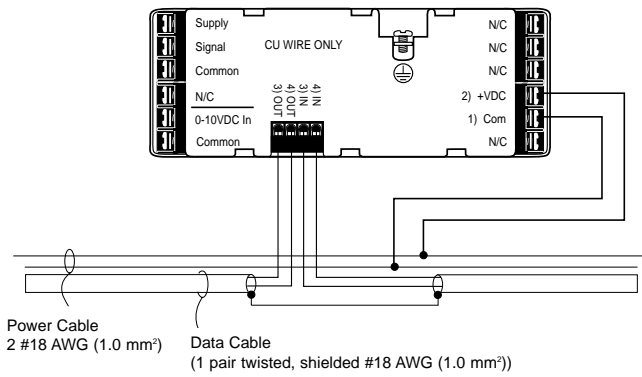
2. **Wire control.** Strip 1/2" (12 mm) insulation from all wires prior to inserting them into the terminals on the back of the GRX-DACPI control.

- **Power connections (Class 2/PELV).** The GRX-DACPI is wired using 2 #18 AWG wires as the power cable.

- **Data connections.** Use 1 pair twisted, shielded, #18 AWG for the data cable.

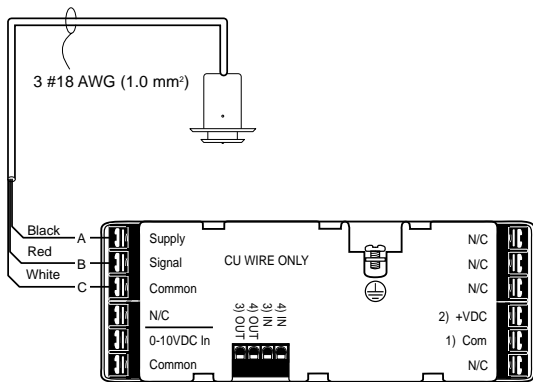
(See diagram on next page)

• **GRX-DACPI Wiring**

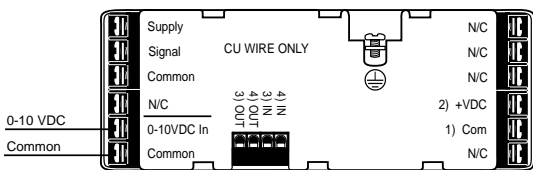


3. Wire MW-PS PhotoCell or 0-10Volt signal. Use only one MW-PS per GRX-DACPI.

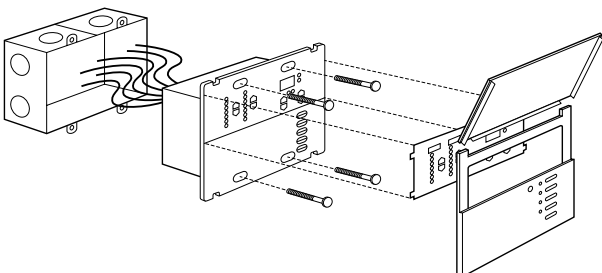
• **Wiring a MW-PS PhotoCell**



• **Wiring for a 0-10VDC signal**

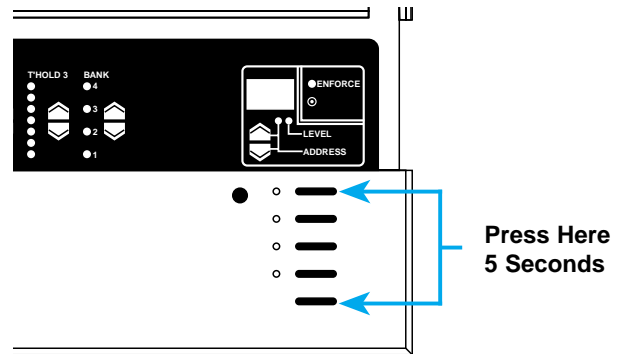


4. Mount the GRX-DACPI. Push all wires in the wall-box and mount as shown. Snap faceplate back on by pushing inward at each corner.



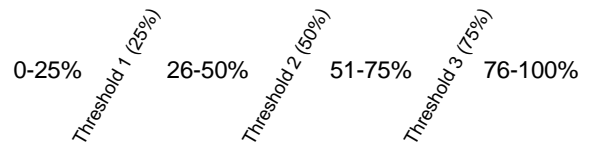
Programming

1. Enter Programming Mode. Simultaneously press and hold Scene Select buttons 1 and 5 for five seconds until the control indicates Programming Mode by showing its address in the two-digit display window and by cycling the four Scene Select LEDs.



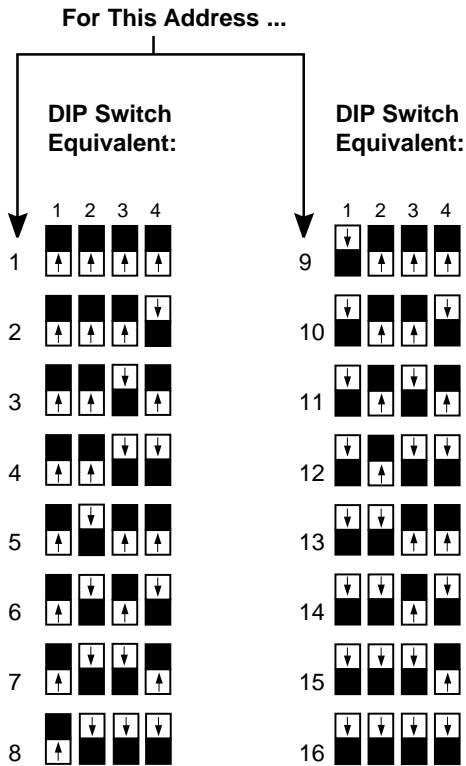
2. Calibrate PhotoCell input. With the GRX-DACPI in Programming Mode and the PhotoCell receiving maximum ambient light (or the 0-10V input set to 10V), press the ON button. The PhotoCell LED bargraph will begin to blink, and the PhotoCell level will be displayed in the two-digit display. Press the ON button a second time. During calibration, the PhotoCell LED bargraph will go blank, and the two-digit display will show "00." When the GRX-DACPI has completed calibration, the PhotoCell LED bargraph will be fully lit, and the two-digit display will show "99."

3. Define four ranges of ambient light. The four (4) ranges of ambient light are separated by three (3) ascending Thresholds. To accomplish the four ranges in the description example on page 1, set the Thresholds as follows:



To program these Thresholds with the GRX-DACPI in Programming Mode, select a Threshold by pressing its Raise or Lower button. The two-digit display will show the Threshold's currently-programmed level, and the LED bargraph will blink. Once the Threshold is selected, use its Raise or Lower button to adjust the programmed Threshold level up or down. Remember, Threshold 1 must be less than Threshold 2, which must be less than Threshold 3.

- 4. Set GRX-DACPI Addresses.** The GRX-DACPI Address (1-16) may be changed while the control is in Programming Mode. The Address Raise and Lower buttons are located immediately below the two-digit display (see diagram on page 1). During address adjustments, the address will be displayed in the two-digit display and the "ADDRESS" LED immediately below the display will be lit. (See table below to cross reference address # to DIP switch settings.) Each Wallstation must have a **unique** address.



- 5. Exit Programming Mode (Return to Operating Mode).** To exit Programming Mode, press and hold Scene Select buttons 1 and 5 for five seconds.
Note: If unit is left unattended for more than 10 minutes, it will automatically exit Programming Mode.

Additional GRX-DACPI Features

1. Manual Scene Selection

The four Scene Select buttons on the GRX-DACPI allow manual Scene selection within the currently selected Bank. (See 2, 3, and 5 below for more information) The fifth button is used to enter and exit Programming Mode only.

2. Range Qualification

When the PhotoCell level moves from one range to the next, it starts (or resets) a 2-minute timer. For the GRX-DACPI to select a new Scene, the PhotoCell must stay within a given range for at least 2 minutes. This prevents the "Passing Cloud," effect during which lights could constantly change in response to short, transient PhotoCell conditions. Also, the GRX-DACPI Scenes in the *GRAFIK Eye* System should have relatively long fade times. If Scene Select buttons on the GRX-DACPI are used, these Scenes are selected immediately and remain selected until a new range is detected by the PhotoCell, the Enforce option re-selects a scene, or until the Bank is changed, which causes an immediate Scene selection (see 3 below).

3. Enforce Lighting Option

The ENFORCE button will alternately enable/disable this option. Enforce is enabled when its LED is lit. When Enforce is enabled, the GRX-DACPI will select a Scene every 5 minutes, even if the PhotoCell level remains steady. This option addresses a user in the space who, for example, manually sets the lights on at full and then goes home. Any new Scene selections made locally from the GRX-DACPI or remotely will reset this 5-minute timer. When Enforce is disabled, the GRX-DACPI only selects Scenes when the PhotoCell level moves from one range to another and stays in the new range for at least 2 minutes. Without the Enforce option, given the scenario above and a steady-state PhotoCell Level, lights would stay ON at full indefinitely even though the GRX-DACPI may be indicating a much lower level.

4. Temporary GRX-DACPI Adjustments

The GRX-DACPI Threshold levels may be temporarily adjusted up or down while in Operating Mode. Pressing either the Threshold Raise or Lower buttons causes that Threshold's LED bargraph to blink and its current level to be displayed in the two-digit display. The Enforce option may also be temporarily enabled or disabled while in Operating Mode.

NOTE: All adjustments made while in Operating Mode are temporary and will stay in effect only until the next Bank is selected.

5. Multiple Banks of Preset Scenes

Each time the PhotoCell value changes from one range to another and meets the 2 minute requirement, the GRX-DACPI selects one of four preset Scenes in

the *GRAFIK Eye* System. These four Scenes constitute a "Bank" of Scenes. The GRX-DACPI can change the group of four preset Scenes from which it selects by changing its Bank. The Bank setting may be changed locally by pressing the BANK select buttons on the GRX-DACPI faceplate.

- Bank 1 selects Scenes 1-4
- Bank 2 selects Scenes 5-8
- Bank 3 selects Scenes 9-12
- Bank 4 selects Scenes 13-16

NOTE: Each Bank may be programmed with its own set of Threshold levels and with regard to the Enforce option.

Whenever a Bank changes, the GRX-DACPI immediately selects a Scene based on the new Bank and current PhotoCell level, bypassing any 2-minute requirement.

(This ensures the lighting space is in a Scene appropriate to the current Bank, even if the PhotoCell level does not change.) Also, when the Bank changes, the new Bank's Threshold values and Enforce option are installed.

NOTES:

1. Connections to link are made inside the Wallstation backbox or in a junction box (provided by others) located no more than 8 ft. (2.4 m) from the Wallstation.
2. Connections to numbered terminals on the GRX-DACPI Wallstations are wired 1:1 with numbered terminals.
3. Link wiring **MUST NOT** be run in the same raceway as the Line Voltage or Mains wiring.
4. Data cable shield continuity must be maintained throughout the link. **DO NOT** connect the shield to earth ground.

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