

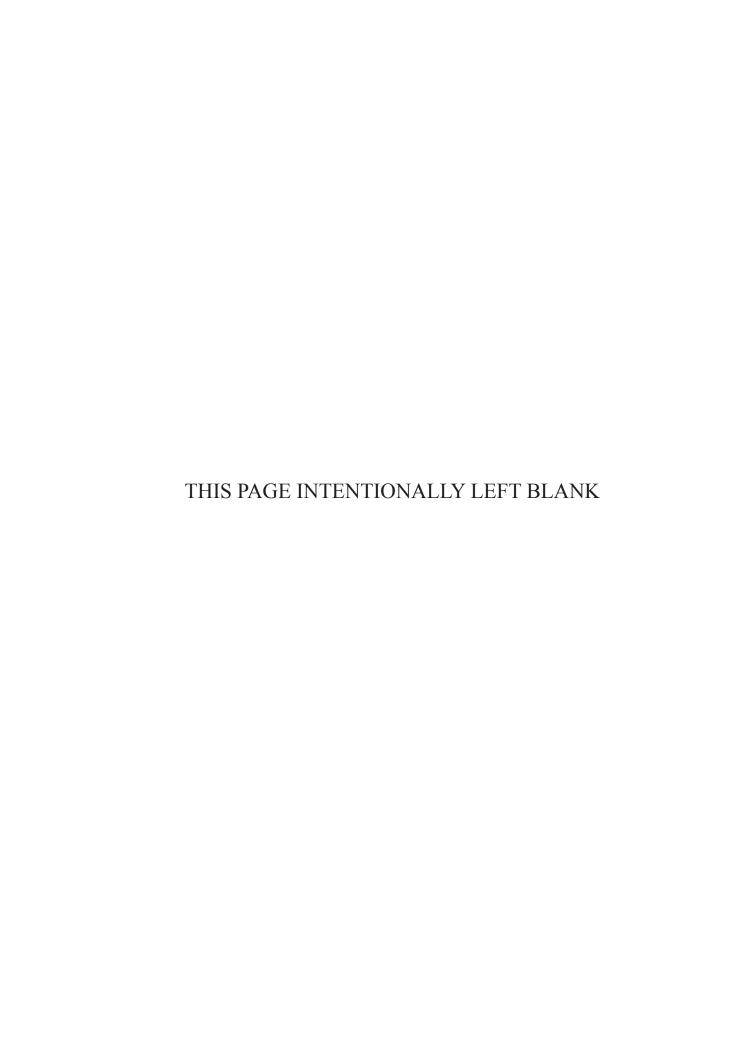
# NEMA 4 IntelliSwitch Electronic Switchover

PATENT PENDING

# INSTALLATION AND OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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## **DESCRIPTION OF PRODUCT**

The IntelliSwitch is a device used to monitor, control and switch the flow of gas from cryogenic or high pressure cylinders from either of two independent sources to a single point of use.

It consists of two controllable valves that direct the flow of gas into a delivery regulator.

Pressure coming into the IntelliSwitch is monitored and displayed on two independent 4-digit displays. The outlet pressure of the system is monitored and displayed on a 3-digit display. Outlet pressure adjustment is available using a knob on the front panel inside the NEMA 4 enclosure.

A series of indicator lights show the status of the system at any given time.

The status of the IntelliSwitch may be monitored remotely via a serial port. In addition, the IntelliSwitch can interface with any of the CONCOA Remote Alarms.

## **FEATURES**

## **Operation from Multiple Gas Sources**

The IntelliSwitch is capable of operating from 230, 350, and 500 PSI liquid cylinders and 3000 PSI high pressure cylinders, or any combination.

#### **Look Back**

The IntelliSwitch switches from one bank to the other based upon the pressure supplied to the selected bank. When the volume of the liquid in the cylinder becomes low or the gas flow becomes particularly high, it is not uncommon for the pressure to drop below the switching point even if there is plenty of gas left in the cylinder. When a typical switchover enters such a state, two undesirable situations may occur. First, the system may switch to the reserve temporarily until pressure builds on the primary enough to cause the system to switch back. This situation often leads to depleting both sides at the same time as the system rapidly alternates drawing from both sides or even draws both sides at the same time. Second, the system may permanently switch to the reserve leaving unused product in the primary and triggering a false alarm.

To avoid either of these situations, the IntelliSwitch has a Look Back feature that allows the system to switch banks and wait a predetermined time period before checking the former primary cylinder. If the pressure has recovered enough, the system will switch back to the former primary cylinder. This look back time allows the pressure building circuit to recover and build sufficient pressure to supply the system and fully draw down the primary cylinder before an alarm is triggered indicating the cylinder is empty, allowing maximum utilization of cylinder contents.

# **Switchback Delay**

Using the Look Back feature alone can result in the switchover switching back several times well after the cylinder can provide a useful gas supply. To prevent this, the Switchback Delay feature keeps track of how often the IntelliSwitch switches back to a liquid cylinder that has been used and whose pressure has been restored to be used again.

If the system switches away from the priority side before the Switchback Delay timer has timed out, the system determines that all the useful gas has been extracted from the cylinder and switches to the auxiliary side and draws from it.

## Hysteresis

This feature is a pressure value added to the switchover pressure value to determine the pressure at which the IntelliSwitch will switch back to a cylinder after the "Look Back" time has expired. This features provides added protection against inadvertently drawing from the reserve bank when the primary still has gas.

#### **Economizer Function**

When using liquid cylinders in switchover application, it is common for the reserve cylinder to build pressure due to the vaporization of liquid within the cylinder. When this pressure reaches the set point of the relief valve on the liquid cylinder, the relief valve will open, venting gas to the atmosphere. The IntelliSwitch constantly monitors the reserve cylinder and, at a predetermined pressure, will change the valving to allow gas from the headspace of the reserve cylinder to feed the system, thus drawing down the pressure in the reserve cylinder. There are three pressure ratings for liquid cylinder relief valves, 230 PSIG, 350 PSIG and 500 PSIG; the IntelliSwitch has predetermined settings for all three types that may be selected on the front panel of the system.

#### **Settable Switchover Pressure**

The IntelliSwitch can be configured to switch at pressures ranging from 100 to 500 PSI. This value is factory set but can be changed in the field. To change this value refer to the section on changing the switchover pressure.

## **Manual Bank Switching**

It is possible to manually change the side that gas is being drawn from by pressing the "BANK SELECT" button provided that there is sufficient pressure on the side being switched to.

#### **Selectable Units of Measure**

The default units of measure for the IntelliSwitch are PSI. Alternate units of BAR or MPA can be selected by changing internal DIP switch settings. To change units of measure refer to the section on changing units of measure.

## **Security Lockout**

The IntelliSwitch has the ability to electronically lockout the front panel buttons to discourage tampering. The factory default setting is OFF or disabled. Refer to section on Keypad Security Lockout for details.

### **Alarm Notification**

The IntelliSwitch is designed to interface with CONCOA Remote Alarms and comes with the necessary mating connector for their use. Refer to the section on connecting a remote alarm for more information.

#### **Serial Port**

The IntelliSwitch is capable of communicating to peripheral equipment via a standard serial port. For more information on the serial port refer to the section on connecting to a serial port.

## **Burst Disk Overpressure Protection**

The IntelliSwitch is equipped with a replaceable burst disk for each bank to protect the system from extreme pressure increases and liquid withdrawal.

#### **NEMA 4 Enclosure**

Designed for either indoor or outdoor use to provide a degree of protection of the internal apparatus against ingress of solid foreign objects (falling dirt and windblown dust); and to provide a degree of protection with respect to harmful effects on the equipment due to the ingress of water (rain, sleet, snow, splashing water, and hose directed water.

## **USER RESPONSIBILITY**

Service to this product should only be performed by CONCOA or an authorized CONCOA agent. Requests for service may be made through CONCOA CUSTOMER SERVICE at 1-800-225-0473. Written requests may be made using CONCOA's FAX number at 1-757-422-3125 or CONCOA's E-MAIL at info@concoa. com

CONCOA accepts no responsibility for damage or injury if this product is modified in any way.

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## **SAFETY**

THIS PRODUCT IS NOT INTENDED FOR USE WITH TOXIC GASES, FLAMMABLE GASES OR CORROSIVE GASES.

Basic safety precautions must be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock or injury.

- Connect the IntelliSwitch to the correct line voltage. A label on the product identifies what voltage it is wired for. CONNECTION TO AN INCORRECT VOLTAGE CAN CAUSE SERIOUS DAMAGE TO THE PRODUCT AND WILL VOID ANY WARRANTY.
- While the IntelliSwitch Switchover is dust and moisture resistant, it is NOT water-proof or completely sealed. It should be installed where it will not be subjected to rain or high concentrations of dust. Never pour or spray liquids directly onto the product.
- · Install IntelliSwitch where the ambient temperature range is between 0° F and 140° F.
- · Do not install this product in a hazardous environment.
- If product appears damaged in any way, do not use and request service from CONCOA.
- · Do not attempt to operate the IntelliSwitch with the front panel off.
- Consult the cylinder distributor for the proper use of cylinders and for any restrictions on their use (such as flow rate and temperature requirements).
- · Store cylinders with valve caps screwed on, and chain cylinders to a supporting wall or column.
- Handle cylinders carefully and only with valve caps screwed on. The cap will reduce the chance that the
  cylinder valve will break off if the cylinder is accidentally dropped or falls over. The cap also protects
  the cylinder valve from damage to screw threads, which could cause leaky connections.
- · All manifolds used with flammable gases should be provided with approved flashback arrestors to stop any burning gas in the pipeline from getting back to the manifold or cylinders.
- · No smoking should be permitted near oxygen, nitrous oxide, any other oxidizer, flammable gases, or flammable mixtures, or in areas where cylinders are stored.
- Where an oxidizer (such as nitrous oxide or oxygen) is used, the manifold and cylinders must be kept clean. No oil, grease, or combustible substances should come in contact with oxygen or nitrous oxide storage or handling equipment. Such materials in contact with oxygen or nitrous oxide are readily ignitable and, when ignited, will burn intensely.
- Never lift gas cylinders with a magnetic lifting device.
- · Never use an open flame when leak testing.
- Always open valves slowly when high-pressure gases are being used.

- · Always be sure that a cylinder contains the correct gas before connecting it to any manifold.
- · Always leak-test any manifold or distribution pipeline before using.
- · Always be sure that the gas in a pipeline is the correct gas for the intended use.
- · Always close all cylinder valves before disconnecting cylinders from a manifold.
- · Always remove all empty cylinders from a manifold before connecting full cylinders.
- · Always test cylinders to be sure the cylinders are full before connecting to a manifold.

All gas distribution piping systems must meet the appropriate industrial standards for the intended service and must be thoroughly cleaned before using. For the United States, some applicable safety rules and precautions are listed below:

- 1. American National Standards Institute standard Z49.1, Safety in Welding and Cutting, American Welding Society, 2501 NW Seventh Street, Miami, Florida 33125
- 2. N.F.P.A. Standard 51, Oxygen-Fuel Gas systems for Welding and Cutting, N.F.P.A., 470 Atlantic Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts 02210
- 3. N.F.P.A. Standard 51B, Cutting and Welding Processes (same address as #2).
- 4. CONCOA publication ADE 872, Safety Precautions in Welding and Cutting.
- 5. Local Ordinances
- 6. O.S.H.A. Standard 29 CFR
- 7. C.G.A. Pamphlet C-4, American National Standard Method of Marking Portable Compressed Gas Containers to Identify the Material Contained.
- 8. C.G.A. Pamphlet G-4, Oxygen Information on the properties, manufacture, transportation, storage, handling, and use of oxygen.
- 9. C.G.A. Pamphlet G-4.1, Equipment Cleaned for oxygen service.
- 10. C.G.A. Pamphlet G-4.4, Industrial Practices for Gaseous Oxygen Transmission and Distribution Piping Systems.
- 11. C.G.A. Pamphlet G-5, Hydrogen Information on the properties, manufacture, transportation, storage, handling, and use of hydrogen.
- 12. C.G.A. Pamphlet G-6, Carbon Dioxide Information on the properties, manufacture, transportation, storage, handling, and use of carbon dioxide.
- 13. C.G.A. Pamphlet G-6.1, Standard for Low Pressure Carbon Dioxide Systems at Consumer Sites.
- 14. C.G.A. Pamphlet P-1, Safe Handling of Compressed Gases in Containers.
- 15. C.G.A. Safety Bulletin SB-2, Oxygen Deficient Atmospheres.

C.G.A. Pamphlets can be obtained from the Compressed Gas Association, 1235 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202-3239, (703) 979-0900. Publications: (703) 979-4341. Fax: (703) 979-0134.

## CONNECTING THE INTELLISWITCH

The key to any successful system installation is understanding the application and sizing the components properly.

The inlets and outlet on the IntelliSwitch are 1/2" Female NPT fittings. The flanges surrounding the fittings have set screws to help prevent the fittings from rotating during tightening. However, it is strongly recommended that two wrenches be used when tightening external devices to these fittings.

The IntelliSwitch uses four mounting tabs for mounting to a wall or panel. Refer to Figure 10 for the dimensions of the system. Anchor the IntelliSwitch securely to a wall or panel at a height adequate to conveniently connect a manifold or pigtail.

Figure 1 shows a typical installation.

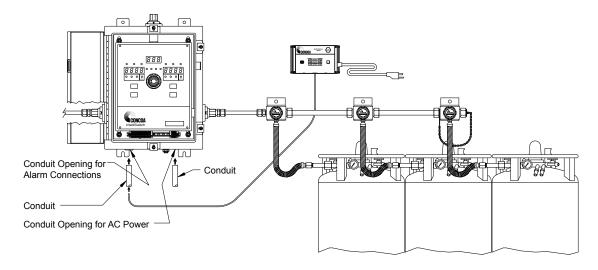


Figure 1 (Shown with NEMA 4 Enclosure Door Open)

The NEMA 4 version of the IntelliSwitch requires the use of conduit for routing power and other signals to the system. A hole exists on the bottom of the enclosure for the entry of AC power. There is a hole plug on the left bottom side of the enclosure protecting an additional hole for use when bringing in cable for an alarm or serial port. The holes provided are sized to accommodate ½" conduit (7/8" diameter). In order to maintain NEMA 4 rating or assembly, liquid-tight conduit and fittings should be used.

## **Connecting AC Power**

Refer to Figure 2 and Table 1 for specific wiring connections. The system is factory set to operate at either 120VAC 60hz or 240 VAC 60hz. Connection of the IntelliSwitch to the incorrect input voltage will damage the product and void any warranty.

Figure 2

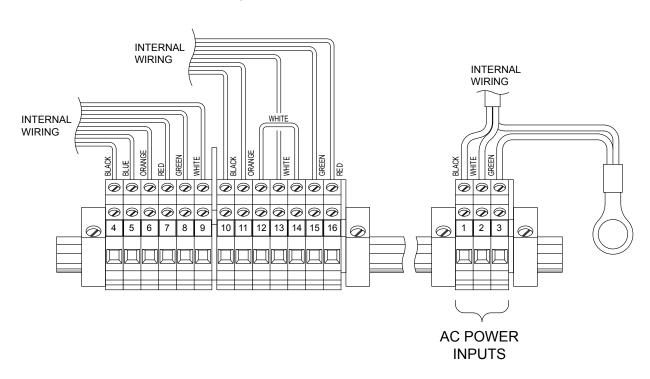


Table 1 - AC Power Connections

TERM. NO.	FUNCTION		
1	L1		
2	L2		
3	GROUND		

## **Connecting Gas Supply**

An adequate supply of liquid or high pressure cylinders should be connected to the IntelliSwitch to ensure that there is enough gas flow capacity to meet the application needs.

After connecting to the gas supply and connecting the IntelliSwitch to the application (delivery), turn gas supply on and test for leaks at all joints and fittings.

The right side must be pressurized for the system to work properly. The inlet pressure readings will appear on the two 4-digit displays. If necessary use the Bank Select pushbutton to choose the side considered to be the primary gas source. If gas pressures are on before the system is powered up, the IntelliSwitch will default to the left side as the primary side.

Using the outlet pressure adjustment knob, set the desired delivery pressure. The value will appear on the 3-digit display.

Normal operation of the IntelliSwitch can now begin. The "primary" or "active" side of the system, whether left or right, will have the green Ready light ON and the In Use light ON. The "secondary" side or the "inactive" side will have only the green Ready light ON.

Lighted green lights above the Source Select buttons should match the types of cylinders being used by each side.

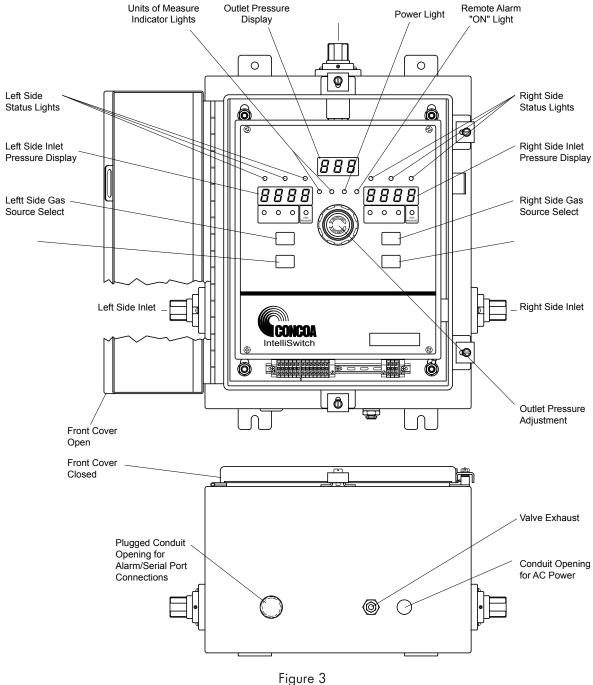
All switching is automatic. If the primary side drops below the set switchover point, the system will transfer to the reserve side and the status lights will indicate the transition. The Replace status light and alarm indicate the need to replenish a bank. In the case of high pressure cylinders, the system will reset when pressure has been restored to the depleted bank. In the case of liquid cylinders, the system will reset when both pressure has been restored to the depleted bank and the Reset button has been depressed.

## **OPERATING THE INTELLISWITCH**

Figure 3 identifies and locates the various control panel and external system features. The front door of the enclosure must be open to access the control panel.

## **Selecting a Gas Source**

The Source Select buttons on the front panel provide flexibility in the choices of liquid or high pressure cylinders used in an application. Further, they provide choices of liquid cylinders with different pressure ratings. There are two Source Select buttons, allowing each side to be controlled independently. Green indicator lights above the two buttons identify which cylinder choice is currently selected for the side. Each time a Source Select Button is pressed, the indicator lights above the button will shift to the next choice as long as the option is viable given the switchover pressure setting.



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## **Cylinder Sizes**

There are three liquid cylinder pressure ratings that can be selected. For each cylinder pressure, the IntelliSwitch has a preset value it uses to determine when the cylinder has reached an overpressure condition. Table 2 provides the cylinder pressure choices.

Table 2 — Cylinder Relief Valve Pressure

Cylinder Relief Valve Pressure				
230				
350				
500				

If a liquid cylinder's pressure rises to the "activation" value, the IntelliSwitch will redirect itself to draw the pressure down through the delivery stream. Once the pressure reaches a "normal" value, it will return to drawing from the previous side.

#### **Bank Selection**

The Bank Select button on the front panel allows for manually switching the active bank. Status indicator lights provide the feedback to indicate which side is selected.

#### Reset

The Reset button is primarily used to reset "alarm" or "replace" conditions. The Replace status light can only be cleared if the side with the condition has its pressure restored to a value above the trip point plus the hysteresis value AND the Reset button is pushed. If the button is pushed while the condition still occurs, the system will attempt to clear the alarm but will reinstate the indicators automatically.

## **Testing**

Holding the Reset button in for 5 seconds will place the system in test mode. This diagnostic and troubleshooting tool performs 13 different tests. Each time the Reset button is pushed again, the system will perform a different test. If after the test mode has been entered and there is no pushbutton activity for one minute, the system will return to the normal display operation. Gas flow is maintained during the test mode. Refer to the Troubleshooting Section for details on testing

# **Keypad Lockout**

See Section "User Selectable Features" for explanation on enabling/disabling and using this feature.

## **USER SELECTABLE FEATURES**

The IntelliSwitch allows various system parameters to be set in the field. They are:

- a. Switchover Pressure
- b. Units of Measure
- c. Keypad Security Lockout
- d. Serial Port Enable

#### **Switchover Pressure**

The switchover pressure is factory set to optimize performance based on the outlet pressure range of the system. These factory settings are shown in Table 3 in grey highlight. The switchover pressure can be changed by setting DIP switches SW1-1 through SW1-9 on the Electronic Circuit Board inside the IntelliSwitch. The switchover pressure can be field set up to 500 PSIG. It is important that the switchover pressure be set higher than the desired outlet pressure required by the application, but not higher than the pressure capability of the gas source. Table 3 shows the DIP switch settings to establish the desired switchover value.

To access the DIP switches, Shut OFF power to the system. Loosen the 4 clamps holding the door closed and open the door. Remove the knob on the outlet pressure adjustment regulator by carefully lifting the center label on the knob and removing the nut. Using a Phillips screwdriver, remove the 4 screws and washers holding the front panel. Unscrew the nut on the outlet pressure regulator. Lift the panel away from the back of the unit. Hang the panel on the bottom of the outside enclosure using the two long standoffs attached to the back of the panel.

Table 3 shows some typical switchover settings. To set values other than those in Table 3, use Table 4 or contact CONCOA Customer Service for assistance. Using Table 3 and Figure 4, set the switchover pressure DIP switches to the desired value. When completed, place the front panel back into place being careful not to pinch any wires. Attach the large nut to the Outlet Pressure Adjustment Regulator first. This only needs to be finger tight. Re-install the 4 screws and washers holding the front panel. Attach the knob to the regulator using the nut and reapply the label. The nut holding the knob should be tightened securely.

Re-apply AC power. The new switchover setting may be viewed in test mode.

Note: Table 3 shows values in PSI. To set values in BAR or MPA, convert the numbers in the table. For PSI to BAR, divide the PSI value by 14.5; for PSI to MPA divide the PSI value by 145.

Figure 4

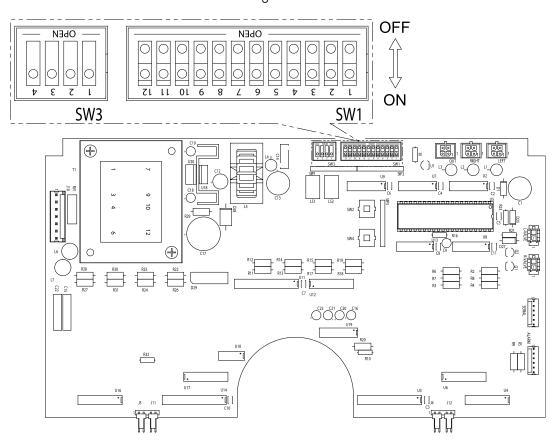


Table 3 — Typical Switchover Pressure DIP Switch Settings

PSI	SW1-9	SW1-8	SW1-7	SW1-6	SW1-5	SW1-4	SW1-3	SW1-2	SW1-1
75	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON
100	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
125	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON
135	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	ON
150	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON	OFF
175	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON	ON	ON
200	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
225	OFF	ON	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON
250	OFF	ON	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF
275	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	ON
300	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF
325	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON
350	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF
375	ON	OFF	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON	ON	ON
400	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF
425	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON
450	ON	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
475	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	ON	ON
500	ON	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF

Table 4 — DIP Switch Settings

	Switch #	Function	Value
	1	Switchover pressure set 1	1
	2	Switchover pressure set 2	2
	3	Switchover pressure set 3	4
	4	Switchover pressure set 4	8
	5	Switchover pressure set 5	16
SW1	6	Switchover pressure set 6	32
3W1	7	Switchover pressure set 7	64
	8	Switchover pressure set 8	128
	9	Switchover pressure set 9	256
	10	Reserved	
	11	PSI units set (if SW1-11 and SW2-11 both not set, units = MPA)	ON = set
	12	BAR units set (if SW1-11 and SW2-11 both not set, units = MPA)	ON = set
	1 Serial communication enabled		ON = enabled
CNVIO	2	Serial communication protocol (RS-232 or RS-485)	ON = RS-485
SW3	3	Reserved	
	4	Keypad lockout	ON = enabled

### **Units of Measure**

The IntelliSwitch is capable of displaying pressure in PSI, BAR or MPA. The units of measure are factory set to PSI. Units of measure may be changed by setting DIP Switches 11 and 12 on the electronic circuit board inside the system.

To access the DIP switches, Shut OFF power to the system. Loosen the 4 clamps holding the door closed and open the door. Remove the knob on the outlet pressure adjustment regulator by carefully lifting the center label on the knob and removing the nut. Using a Phillips screwdriver, remove the 4 screws and washers holding the front panel. Unscrew the nut on the outlet pressure regulator. Lift the panel away from the back of the unit. Hang the panel on the bottom of the outside enclosure using the two long standoffs attached to the back of the panel.

Using Table 5 and Figure 4, set the switchover pressure DIP switches to the desired value. When completed, place the front panel back into place being careful not to pinch any wires. Attach the large nut to the outlet pressure adjustment regulator first. This only needs to be finger tight. Re-install the 4 screws and washers holding the front panel. Attach the knob to the regulator using the nut and reapply the label. The nut holding the knob should be tightened securely.

Re-apply AC power.

Table 5 — Units of Measure

Units of Measure	SW1-11	SW1-12
PSI	ON	OFF
BAR	OFF	ON
MPA	OFF	OFF

The indicator lights on the front panel will show the units selected. For PSI and BAR the light will be ON. If MPA is selected neither the PSI or BAR light are ON signifying MPA.

## **Keypad Security Lockout**

The IntelliSwitch has a built in feature that allows a user to lock the buttons on the front panel so the current setting cannot be changed. The factory default setting for this feature is disabled. This feature can be enabled by setting DIP Switch SW3-4 to "ON". With the feature enabled and the system turned ON, the system starts a 5-minute timer. If no button is pressed for 5 minutes, an audible beep will sound 3 times after which the buttons will become inactive. To re-activate the buttons, the BANK SELECT button must be depressed for 5 seconds. After 5 seconds, the system will beep 3 times and the buttons will again be active.

To access the DIP switches, Shut OFF power to the system. Loosen the 4 clamps holding the door closed and open the door. Remove the knob on the outlet pressure adjustment regulator by carefully lifting the center label on the knob and removing the nut. Using a Phillips screwdriver, remove the 4 screws and washers holding the front panel. Unscrew the nut on the outlet pressure regulator. Lift the panel away from the back of the unit. Hang the panel on the bottom of the outside enclosure using the two long standoffs attached to the back of the panel.

Using Table 6 and Figure 4, set the switchover pressure DIP switches to the desired value. When completed, place the front panel back into place being careful not to pinch any wires. Attach the large nut to the outlet pressure adjustment regulator first. This only needs to be finger tight. Re-install the 4 screws and washers holding the front panel. Attach the knob to the regulator using the nut and reapply the label. The nut holding the knob should be tightened securely.

Re-apply AC power. The new setting may be viewed in test mode.

Function SW3-4

Lockout Enabled ON

Lockout Disabled OFF

Table 6 — Keypad Security Lockout

### **Serial Port Enable**

The IntelliSwitch is configured at the factory with the serial communication enabled. Serial communication can be disabled by turning DIP Switch SW3-1 "OFF"

To access the DIP switches, Shut OFF power to the system. Loosen the 4 clamps holding the door closed and open the door. Remove the knob on the outlet pressure adjustment regulator by carefully lifting the center label on the knob and removing the nut. Using a Phillips screwdriver, remove the 4 screws and washers holding the front panel. Unscrew the nut on the outlet pressure regulator. Lift the panel away from the back of the unit. Hang the panel on the bottom of the outside enclosure using the two long standoffs attached to the back of the panel.

Using Table 7 and Figure 4, set the switchover pressure DIP switches to the desired value. When completed, place the front panel back into place being careful not to pinch any wires. Attach the large nut to the outlet pressure adjustment regulator first. This only needs to be finger tight. Re-install the 4 screws and washers holding the front panel. Attach the knob to the regulator using the nut and reapply the label. The nut holding the knob should be tightened securely.

Re-apply AC power. The new setting may be viewed in test mode.

Table 7 — Serial Port

Function	SW3-1
Serial Port Enabled	ON
Serial Port Disabled	OFF

## **CONNECTING TO A REMOTE ALARM**

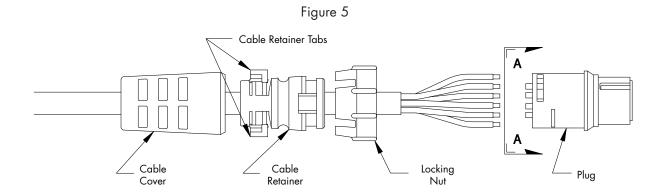
The IntelliSwitch is capable of interfacing to any of CONCOA's Remote Alarms. A Remote Alarm is connected to the IntelliSwitch through the terminal block connections inside the enclosure.

The recommended cable for wiring the alarm is 22 AWG, 4-conductor stranded wire. The length of this cable should be limited to 1500 ft. As a convenience to our customers, CONCOA can provide pre-built cable assemblies for connection to the remote alarms. Contact your local distributor or CONCOA Customer Service at 1-800-225-0473. If you are using a pre-built cable assembly from CONCOA, proceed to "Connections to the IntelliSwitch". If you are building your own cable assembly, continue below.

DISCONNECT AC Power to the IntelliSwitch before any wiring.

#### **Connections to the Alarm**

If the IntelliSwitch is being connected to a 529-5106 alarm (Advantium 2) Use Figure 5, Figure 6, and Table 8 to determine how to solder the wires to the connector that attaches to the alarm. Slide the protective cover, cable retainer, and locking nut over the end of the cable as shown in Figure 5 before soldering the wires. Mark down which color wire goes to which pin on the connector. This information will be needed when connecting to the IntelliSwitch.



3 2 5 6 Notch

Figure 6

If the IntelliSwitch is being connected to a 529-5310 alarm (Advantium 8) use Figure 7, Figure 8, and Table 8 to determine how to solder the wires to the connector that attaches to the alarm.

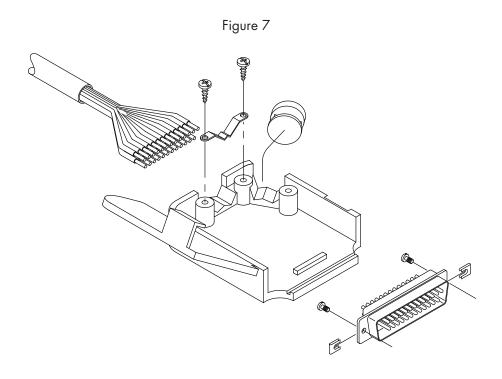
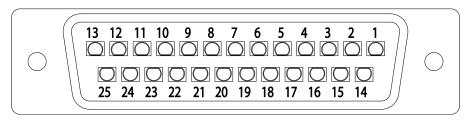


Figure 8



Rear View of 25-pin connector. View is from the wire side of the connector

After soldering is complete, attach the connector cover to the 25 pin connector. Insert the small screws that come with the connector into the holes on the ears of the connector so that the heads of the screws face the wire side of the connector. Slide the retaining clips onto the ears of the connector to capture the screws.

Note: The pin outs shown for the 25 pin connector assume connection to channel 1 of the alarm. Refer to the appropriate alarm documentation for connections other than to channel 1.

## Connections to the IntelliSwitch

A hole plug on the bottom of the enclosure may be removed to allow placement of conduit to bring alarm wiring into the unit. Insulation on the wires brought in for the alarm should be stripped back approximately 3/8" for insertion into the terminal blocks. DO NOT attempt to route the alarm wires through the same conduit as the AC power.

Using Figure 9 and Table 8 as a guide, insert each wire into the appropriate terminal block location. Tighten each wire securely.

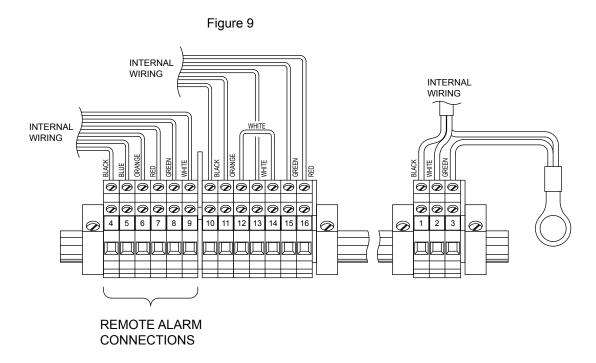


Table 8 - Remote Alarm Connections

TERM. NO.	529-5106 ALARM PIN NO.	529-5310 ALARM PIN NO.	FUNCTION
4	6	16	Ground (provided by alarm)
5			N.C.
6	4	15	Right Alarm Status
7	3	3	+12v (provided by alarm)
8			N.C.
9	1	14	Left Alarm Status

## **External Use of Alarm Relay Contacts**

In some instances, it is desirable to connect the IntelliSwitch to an external monitoring system (not a CONCOA alarm). Table 9 shows the connections coming from the 6-pin circular connector and their function. Table 10 lists the contact ratings for the relay contacts.

Table 9 - Alarm Relay Contact Connections

TERM. NO.	FUNCTION
4	Ground (provided by alarm)
5	Right Alarm Normally Open
6	Right Alarm Normally Closed
7	+12v (provided by alarm)
8	Left Alarm Normally Open
9	Left Alarm Normally Closed

Table 10 - Relay Contact Ratings

RELAY CONTACT RATING				
24 VDC 1 A. Resistive Load				
115 VAC 0.5 A Resistive Load				

## **CONNECTING TO A SERIAL PORT**

The IntelliSwitch is equipped with a serial port. This port is typically configured as an RS-232 Port but can be factory configured as an RS-485 Port.

The Serial Port is used to communicate with external serial devices, primarily a PC. There are a number of commands as well as data that can be communicated between the IntelliSwitch and the peripheral device. Contact your CONCOA representative for more information.

# **TROUBLESHOOTING**

Symptom	Possible Cause	Possible Solution
No display or status lights ON.	<ul><li>No power to the system.</li><li>Check that the power source is live.</li><li>Check the system fuse.</li></ul>	<ul><li>Restore power.</li><li>Replace fuse.</li><li>Replace electronic control board.</li></ul>
System will not switch from one side to the other automatically.	· Check that the pressure on the destination side is greater than the switchover pressure setting.	<ul> <li>Restore pressure to proper operating level.</li> <li>Check that the switchover pressure setting is correct for the cylinder size and inlet pressures required.</li> </ul>
There are pressure readings on both inlet displays but no delivery pressure.	<ul><li>Delivery regulator is turned off.</li><li>Internal regulator for the valve system is plugged or faulty.</li></ul>	<ul><li>Turn delivery regulator clockwise to increase pressure.</li><li>Clean or replace internal regulator.</li></ul>
There is a pressure reading on the left inlet display and no pressure on the right inlet display or outlet display.	The right side must be pressurized for gas delivery.	Restore a minimum of 80 PSI pressure to the right side.
Remote alarm does not work with the system.	<ul> <li>Remote alarm is not powered.</li> <li>Wiring between the IntelliSwitch and the alarm is incorrect.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Check the remote alarm LED on IntelliSwitch front panel.</li> <li>Check alarm is powered and on.</li> <li>Check wiring between alarm and IntelliSwitch</li> </ul>
Outlet pressure from the system drops below the adjusted value.	<ul> <li>Flow demands on the system are greater than the cylinders can supply.</li> <li>Cylinder pressures are too low.</li> <li>Switchover pressure set too low for the application.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Replace or re-size cylinders.</li> <li>Change switchover pressure on IntelliSwitch.</li> </ul>
Gas from one side appears to be flowing to the other.	· Dirty or bad check valve.	· Replace check valve.
Gas escaping from side of regulator block.	· Failed burst disk.	· Replace burst disk.
Inlet display shows "Err2"	<ul> <li>Inlet pressure greater than maximum inlet operating pressure.</li> </ul>	Reduce pressure to the inlet to maximum allowable.
Outlet display shows "Err2"	· Outlet regulator failure.	· Replace outlet regulator.
Any display shows "Err3"	Switchover pressure value is greater than the cylinder size selected.	<ul><li>Change cylinder size by pressing the "Source Select" button</li><li>Change switchover pressure value.</li></ul>

## **PERFORMING SELF TEST**

Through the use of the Reset button on the front panel, a number of items can be observed or analyzed. A number 1 - 13 which is displayed on the output pressure display identifies each test. To enter Test Mode press and hold the Reset button for 4 seconds. The system will beep 3 times and then enter Test Mode. A description of the tests follows.

"Reset" button pushed first time — Enter "Test" Mode and...

1. [TEST 1] Display Test — This test exercises all segments of the displays and all status lights except the power and remote alarm indication. If serial communication is selected, the system will output a code indicating that a self-test is being performed.

#### Next "Reset" button

2. [TEST 2] Display Date of Manufacture — The year of manufacture will be shown on the left inlet display and the month and day, respectively, of manufacture will be shown on the right inlet display.

#### Next "Reset" button

3. [TEST 3] Display Software Revision — The number on the left inlet display is the software revision the product is running. This should appear as a 3 digit number. Example: 137 is version 1.37.

### Next "Reset" button

4. [TEST 4] Transducer Test — This test checks to determine if the transducer input channels are working. If they are working correctly, a value between 475 and 525 should appear on the three displays.

### Next "Reset" button

5. [TEST 5] Turn ON Left Side Valve — This test forces the valve that controls flow from the left inlet to ON. This helps determine if there is gas flow from the left side. If gas is not flowing during this test, check that the cylinder(s) is turned on and full of gas. If there is gas, and the cylinder is turned on, it may be possible that the left side is plugged.

### Next "Reset" button

6. [TEST 6] Turn ON Right Side Valve — This test forces the valve that controls flow from the right inlet to ON. This helps determine if there is gas flow from the right side. If gas is not flowing during this test, check that the cylinder(s) is turned on and full of gas. If there is gas, and the cylinder is turned on, it may be possible that the left side is plugged.

## Next "Reset" button

7. [TEST 7] Turn ON Left Side Alarm — Activating this test should cause a connected remote alarm to show an alarm on the left side. If it does not, check the wiring to the alarm and the alarm's power.

#### Next "Reset" button

8. [TEST 8] Turn ON Right Side Alarm — Activating this test should cause a connected remote alarm to show an alarm on the right side. If it does not, check the wiring to the alarm and the alarm's power.

#### Next "Reset" button

9. [TEST 9] Display DIP Switch Settings — This test shows the settings of the internal DIP switches on the electronics circuit board. The left inlet display will show the switchover pressure in PSI. The right side 4 digit display will show the other switch settings including units of measure, serial port enable and security lockout.

If the switchover pressure needs to be changed, refer to the section on switchover pressure settings for instruction.

The right inlet display shows the settings of the auxiliary DIP switches including the units of measure, Serial Port Enable, and Security Lockout. To determine how these switches are set, refer to Table 12. Find the decimal number in the table in the left column. Find the columns to the right of the decimal number that say "ON". Follow that column to the top of the table to determine what functions are enabled. To change these settings refer to section on user selectable features.

#### Next "Reset" button

10. [TEST 10] Button Test — This test checks that each button is functioning. The right inlet display will blank and the left inlet display will change its digits when the keys are pressed. Table 11 shows the number that will appear on the left inlet display when pressed and working properly. Pushing the Reset button will increment to the next test so it will not display a number.

Table 11 - Test 10

Button	Display
Left Source	0001
Right Source	0010
Bank Select	0100

#### Next "Reset" button

11. [TEST 11] Display Look Back Time Delay — The value shown on the left inlet display represents the time in minutes the IntelliSwitch allows a liquid cylinder to recover its pressure to a predetermined value (Hysteresis Pressure) above the set switchover pressure point (as viewed in Test 9). This number is factory set between 0 and 60 minutes.

#### Next "Reset" button

12. [TEST 12] Display Switchback Delay Time — The left inlet display will show a time in minutes. When the IntelliSwitch switches back to a side that has recovered sufficient pressure after a look back time, a timer set to the minutes in the display will start. If the side loses pressure and switches again before this time expires, it is interpreted as having insufficient pressure and the system will alarm. This number is factory set between 1 and 60 minutes.

#### Next "Reset" button

13. [TEST 13] Display Hysteresis Pressure — The left inlet display will show a pressure in PSI that represents the amount of pressure above the switchover pressure point that is used to determine when a side is ready to use again.

### Next "Reset" button

14. [TEST 14] Display Calibration Values — The left inlet display will show a number that represents the internal calibration value for the left transducer. The right inlet display will show a number that represents the internal calibration value for the right transducer. These are factory set.

#### Next "Reset" button

End Test Mode — Restores displays and places the system back into normal operating mode.

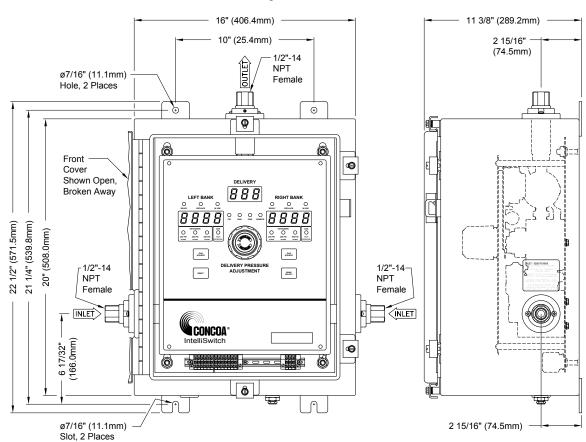
Table 12 — DIP Switch Settings

Display Number	Security Lockout	Reserved	RS-485 selected	Serial Enabled	BAR	ISd	Reserved	
lispl		SV	W3			SW1		
			DIP S	witch P	Position			
	4	3	2	1	12	11	10	
0	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	
1	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	
2	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	
3	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	
4	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	
5	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	
8	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	
9	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	
10	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	
11	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON	
12	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	
13	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	ON	
24	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	
25	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	
26	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	
27	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	ON	ON	
28	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	
29	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON	
32	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	
33	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	
34	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	
35	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	
36	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	
37	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	
40	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	
41	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	
42	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	
43	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON	
44	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	
45	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	ON	
56	OFF	ON	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	
57	OFF	ON	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	
58	OFF	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	
59	OFF	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON	ON	
60	OFF	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	
61	OFF	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON	

Display Number	Security Lockout	Reserved	RS-485 selected	Serial Enabled	BAR	ISd	Reserved
-  spl	SW3				SW1		
	DIP Switch Position						
	4	3	2	1	12	11	10
64	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF
65	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON
66	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
67	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	ON
68	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
69	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON
72	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
73	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON
74	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF
75	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON
76	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF
77	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	ON
88	ON	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
89	ON	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	ON
90	ON	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF
91	ON	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	ON	ON
92	ON	OFF	ON	ON	ON	OFF	OFF
93	ON	OFF	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON
96	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF
97	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON
98	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
99	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	ON
100	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
101	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON
104	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
105	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON
106	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF
107	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON
108	ON	ON	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF
109	ON	ON	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	ON
112	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
113	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	ON
114	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF
115	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON	ON
124	ON	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	OFF
125	ON	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON

## **MOUNTING DETAIL**

Figure 10



## **POWER REQUIREMENTS**

Input Voltage: 115 VAC ± 10% 50-60hz or 230 VAC ± 10% 50-60hz

Power Consumption: 20 watts

Fuse: 1 amp, type 3AG normal blow

## **SERVICE**

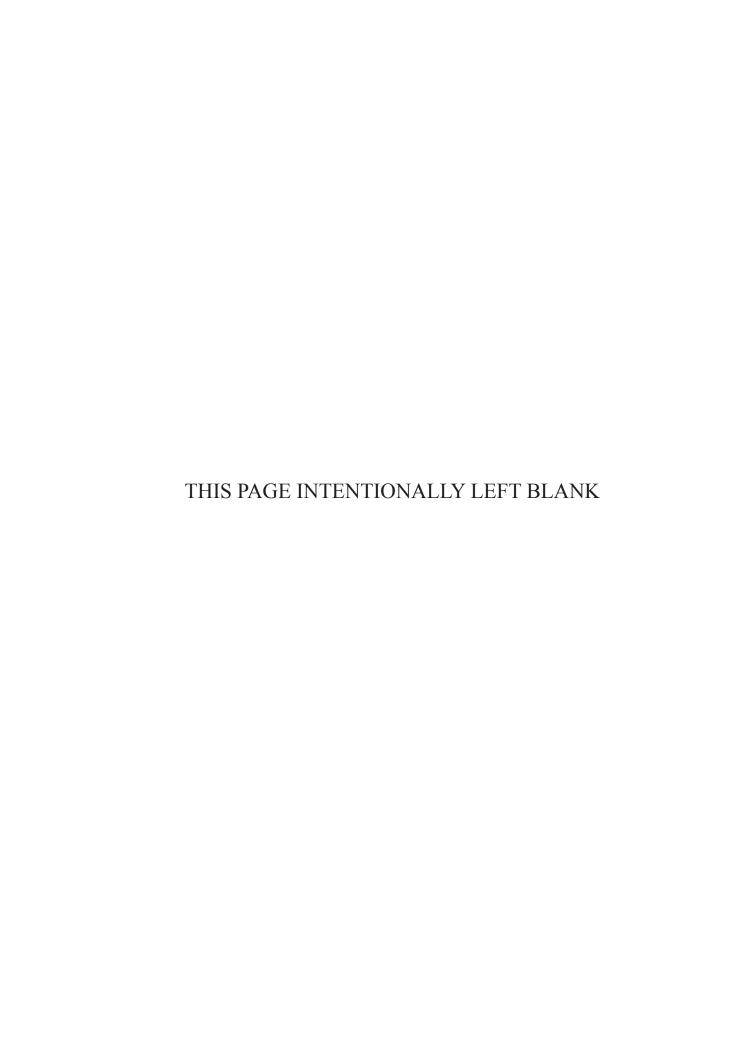
For Service to the IntelliSwitch contact your local Distributor or CONCOA Customer Service at 1-800-225-0473. Please fill in the Self Test Worksheet form included in this manual before contacting CONCOA for assistance. This will ensure a more timely response to your needs. An example of how to fill in the sheet is shown in Figure 11.

Figure 11

Date of Manufacture 2004 1225

# **SELF TEST WORKSHEET**

Test #	Test Description	Display Data
1	Display Test	All Display Segments OK?  YES NO All Indicator Lights OK?  YES NO
2	Date of Manufacture	
3	Software Revision	
4	Transducer Test	
9	DIP Switch Value	
10	Button Test	Left Source Select
11	Look Back Delay Value	
12	Hysteresis Pressure Value	
13	Look Back Frequency Value	
14	Calibration Values	



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