8600 AF/AR86P x PD

Flat arm/round arm for parallel mount with parallel drop bracket and drop plate (DP86)

Installation instructions

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1 Technical specifications

1.1 Overview



Caution: sex nuts are required for attachment of components to unreinforced doors and to wood or plastic faced composite type fire doors, unless an alternative method is identified in the individual door manufacturer's listings.



Maximum door opening degree is 180°.

Know the swing of the door which is being installed prior to installation.

Verify closer spring size prior to installation.



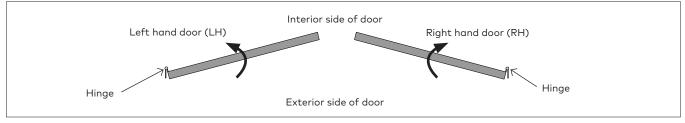
Make sure door efficiently operates prior to installing closer.

1.2 Tools recommended

Table 1

Drill bits:	#3 Phillips screwdriver
Metal: 7/32" drill bit; 1/4-20 tap	3/16" flat head screwdriver
Wood: 3/8" and 5/32" bit	5mm hex key
1/2" box wrench	

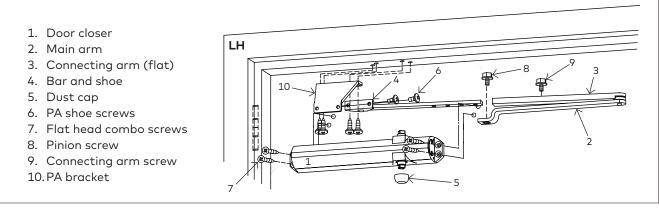
1.3 Handing the door



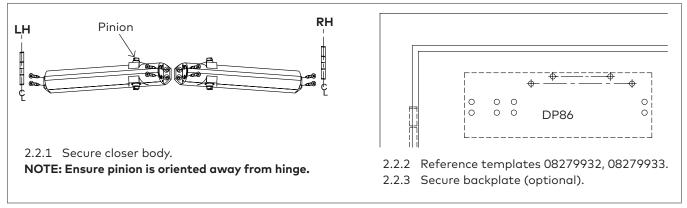
2 Instructions - AF parallel mount

2.1 Closer system: Flat arm (AF)

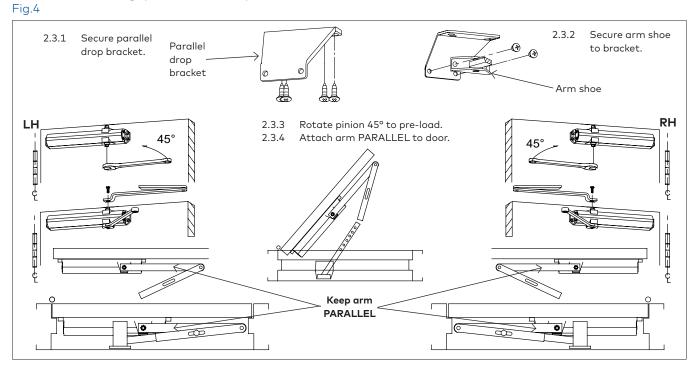
Fig.2



2.2 Installing drop plate and closer Fig.3



2.3 Installing parallel drop bracket and arms (AF)

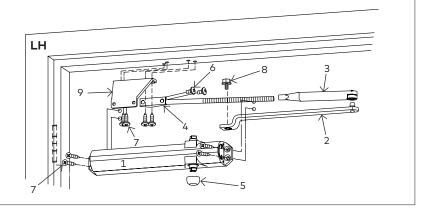


3 Instructions - AR parallel mount

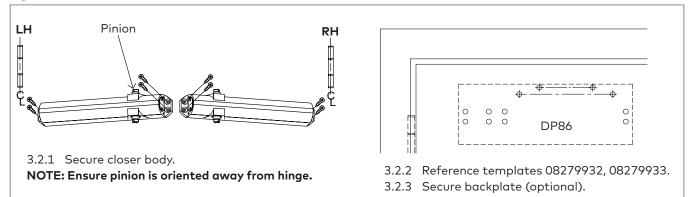
3.1 Closer system: Round arm (AR)

Fig.5

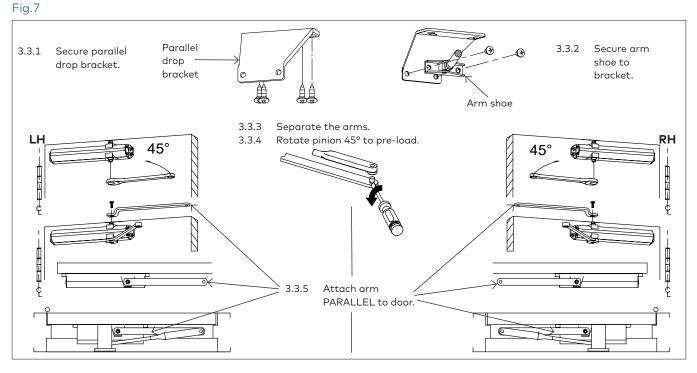
- 1. Door closer
- 2. Main arm
- 3. Connecting arm (flat)
- 4. Bar and shoe
- 5. Dust cap
- 6. PA shoe screws
- 7. Flat head combo screws
- 8. Pinion screw
- 9. PA bracket



3.2 Installing drop plate and closer Fig.6



3.3 Installing parallel drop bracket and arms (AR)



4 Adjustments

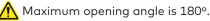
Confirm closer spring size prior to making any closing speed adjustments.

\Lambda Do not back valve heads out beyond closer casting.

A Backcheck positioning MUST be turned "ON" for parallel arm applications.

A Backcheck position will advance approximately 15°.

▲ Check delayed action (DEL) function if supplied.



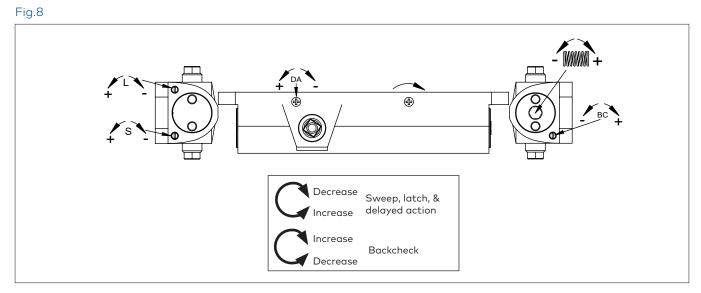
A Door should close in 3 to 6 seconds from 90°.

🚹 Do not close valves completely.

Ball bearing hinges and pivots should always be used.

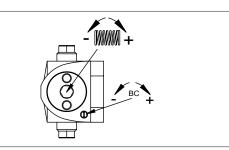
8616 meets 5lb interior barrier-free requirements. If necessary, adjust closer spring and test pull forces until proper forces are obtained.

4.1 Adjust closing speeds: sweep, latch, backcheck, delayed action



4.2 Fig.9 Adjust spring force

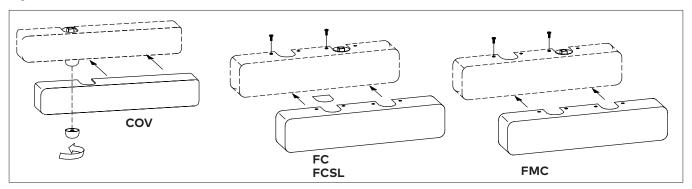




Parallel mount									
	Closer size Max door weight (lbs	Max door	Door width		Full turns				
		weight (lbs)	Interior	Exterior	Full turns				
	3	100	2'6"		-11				
0014	4	125	3'	2'6"	0				
8916	5	150	3'6"	3'	+5				
	6	200	4'	3'6"	+13				

5 **Install covers**

Fig.10



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