# KAC Audible Visible Range

Intelligent Detector Base Sounder Strobe EN54-23 "C" Category Premium and Standard Options



KAC's Detector Base Sounder Strobe is a modular, high-output loop powered device intended to alert building occupants of a potential fire. The device is available in two variants - premium and standard options.

Approved to EN54-3, EN54-17, EN54-23, it enables a complete, fully compliant and cost-effective fire alarm system by reducing installation and commissioning costs through fewer wiring points.

The KAC solution is backwards compatible enabling easy system extensions in legacy and new projects, thereby providing the highest level of protection for all building occupants - from a trusted brand.

Important Note: To achieve an IP21C rating, the provided seal must be fitted to the product.



## Certification





## Product Beneifts

#### Fully compliant & efficient evacuation solution

- Premium & standard offering provides flexible solution to suit all space requirements
- Global & approved 32 tone set, selectable from device or from panel
- Automatic synchronization of sounder and strobe
- Utilises Advanced Protocol for sound & light output control, tone selection & group polling

#### Exceptional performance enabling cost-effective fire system

- Maximum light & sound output with efficient power consumption enables more devices on a loop
- Premium device with high light coverage reduces wiring
- Single point of installation saves time, cost & inventory
- Red flash industry preferred colour for evacuation

#### Flexible, simplified & fast installation

- Large cable access, rear or surface cable entry
- Adjustable sound, light & tones to suit varying installation applications
- Simple twist fit onto universal B501AP base
- Rotary wheels & address tags for clear address
- Loop continuity spring supports first fix installation

## Reduced inventory count, lower cost of ownership

- Meets detector spacing thereby reducing requirement for additional strobe devices
- Fewer wiring points for cost effective installation and simplified system maintenance
- Modular design allows individual components to be replaced separately
- Backwards compatibility with red flash, B501 base, Advanced Protocol ensures new & old devices can work on the same loop

## Quality & reliability from a trusted supplier

- Independently approved to all required standards:
  - Manufacturing: Construction Products Regulation (CPR).
  - Product performance: Approved to EN54-3, EN54-23, EN54-17
- Environmental: RoHS, WEEE, REACH

## Applications



Office buildings



Public buildings

**Bathrooms** 



Hotels







## Technical Overview

KAC's EN54-23 approved Detector Base Sounder Strobe provides the perfect base for System Sensor detectors and integrates a 32 tone sounder and high-quality strobe into one device. It is powered by the fire panel via the loop wiring. Operation and control of the device is via System Sensor Advanced or CLIP Protocol. The device is installed simply by a twist fit onto the universal B501AP base.



Supply Voltage: 15 to 29 VDC (Isolation) Standby Current: Sound Output, typical: 150 uA maximum 95dB (A) ±3dB @ 1metre (Tone 3, high volume @ 24V)

Strobe Flash Rate: 1 Hz (Legacy mode)

## Mechanical Specification

Colour: Lens Colour: Flash colour: Weight net/ gross: Cable Terminal Size: Number of Tones: Volume Setting: Mounting Options:

Pure white Clear Red 275g / 295g 1.5 - 2.5mm² max 32 High, Low Low profile

## **Environmental Specification**

Operating Temp: Relative Humidity:

93% ± 3%, non-condensing IP21C (with low profile B501AP base and IP Seal) Ingress protection:

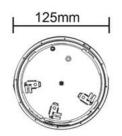
Approvals

Approved To: EN54-3 Sound

EN54-23 Light EN54-17 Short circuit Isolator

For RoHS, WEEE & REACH information

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## EN54-23 VAD Performance

Detector Base Sounder Strobe	Prem	nium Device - BRH-P	Standard Device - BRS-PC-Ixx		
Operation Mode	High Output Mode	Lower Power Mode	Legacy Mode	Standard Mode	Legacy Mode
EN 54-23 Coverage volume code	C-3-15	C-3-11	O-1-4	C-3-8.5	O-1-3
Installation height (X)	3m	3m 1m		3m	1m
EN 54-23 Coverage (Y)	Cylinder Ø = 15m	Cylinder Ø = 11m	Cylinder Ø = 4m	Cylinder Ø = 8.5m	Cylinder Ø = 3m
EN 54-23 Coverage Volume	530 m³	285 m³	12 m³	170 m³	7 m³
Flash rate	0.5 Hz	0.5 Hz	1 Hz	0.5 Hz	1 Hz
Operating voltage range	15 to 29V	15 to 29V	15 to 29V	15 to 29V	15 to 29V
Typical Max Current Consumption @ 24V, Tone 3 @ high volume	27mA	18.5mA	8mA	18mA	8mA
Flash Colour	Red	Red	Red Red		Red
Mounting	Ceiling Mount - C-Category		Ceiling Mount - Open category	Ceiling Mount - C-Category	Ceiling Mount - Open category

## Ordering Information

Produ	uct Code	Detector Base Sounder Strobe	Flash Colour	VAD Output	Body Colour	Lens Colour	Isolation	Protocol
Premium Product	BRH-PC-lxx	B= Base	R= Red	H= High Output	P= Pure White	C= Clear	I= Isolated	xx= customer protocol
Standard Product	BRS-PC-lxx	B= Base	R= Red	S= Standard	P= Pure White	C= Clear	l= Isolated	xx= customer protocol

xxCustomer ID

## Accessories

Base (supplied separately)	Description	Body Colour	
B501-AP	Low profile base	Pure White	

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