# **FL350 SNACK MACHINE** INSTALLATION & SET-UP GUIDE

**VERSION: 121801** 





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# **COMPONENT REFERENCE AND IDENTIFICATION**











Fig. 6 (Service Keypad)					
	RIGHT, LEFT, FRONT and BACK- Moves robot in the respective direction.				
	(PN193	310500)		UP and DOWN- Drops or raises the picker head.	
RIGHT	LEFT	5¢	FREE VEND	<b>LOAD and CLOSE-</b> Used to clear sold-out bins and bin errors (press Load then Close).	
ВАСК	FRONT	10¢	TEST	5¢, 10¢, 25¢- Releases coins of specified denomination from the coin tubes in the coin mechanism.	
			VEND	FREE VEND- Allows vending without money; press once to enter, once to exit.	
DOWN	UP	25C	VAC	<b>TEST VEND-</b> Allows test vending with money; money is not recorded in the vend meter and it is returned after the vend sequence is completed. Press once to enter, once to exit.	
LOAD	CLOSE		RESET	<b>RESET-</b> Resets the machine in the event of an "OUT OF ORDER" condition. The following errors can put the machine out-of-order:	
			·	<ul> <li>a) Robot errors: motor, encoder or reed switch</li> <li>b) Vacuum motor errors</li> <li>c) Coin mechanism errors (coin mechanism not detected)</li> </ul>	













# FL350 SPECIFICATIONS

#### **GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS**

GENERAL	ELECTRICAL
HEIGHT: 72.0 in./182.9 cm.	VOLTAGE: 110-125 A/C (200-240 with transformer)
WIDTH: 35.5 in./90.20 cm.	FREQUENCY: 50/60 Hz *
DEPTH: 34.5 in./87.70 cm.	AMPERAGE: 15Amps.
WEIGHT: 635-lbs./288 kg.	AMP DRAW: 2.5Amps resting /9Amps operating

\* The F-631 requires a 115V, 15 Amp dedicated circuit. Lower voltage may result in vacuum related problems and/or improper coin acceptance.

#### SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS

- The FL350 Snack Machine must only be installed indoors free from standing water and other electrical hazards.
- Only use a 110V 15 Amp electrical power supply with ground to power the FL350.
   Warning: To ensure safety and proper operation, the FL350 must be grounded. Do not attempt to remove ground pin from power plug.
- Keep clear of robot path during vend cycles (inside cabinet or near robot carriage assembly). When vending product, the robot accelerates towards the front center section of the cabinet known as the "Drop Point". Standing or looking inside the cabinet while the robot attempts to dispense product may result injury.

# **UNCRATING INSTRUCTIONS**

(A copy of these instructions are attached to the front glass panel of the FL350)

The FL350 Snack Machine has been crated and packed in order to protect its internal components during transportation and distribution. FASTCORP has also attempted to make unpacking and installation a quick and easy process. FASTCORP recommends the following steps be taken when uncrating the FL350.

Warning: Do not plug in the machine before all steps are completed in this section. Shipping brackets must be removed before powering machine to avoid damage to sensitive mechanisms.

- 1. Inspect the exterior of the FL350 for any damage that may have occurred during shipping. The FL350 has been covered with a cardboard box, so any external damage will be immediately visible. Report any damage to the delivering carrier and follow their claims procedures.
- 2. Remove the carton from the FL350 by lifting it off the top. Remove the bag covering the machine. Open the door and inspect the inside for any damage. Close the door and tighten the lock.
- 3. Use a 1 1/16" socket to loosen each leveler leg (located under the FL350, in each of the four corners).
- 4. Tilt or lift the FL350 in order to remove the left and right skids.
- 5. Reopen the door. Remove the robot-retaining bracket located on the left side of the carriage by unscrewing four ¼-20 bolts. Two bolts are located on the top and screwed into the ceiling of the cabinet. Two bolts are located on the side and screwed into the robot. Store the bracket and hardware in the cabinet door next to the bottom door hinge.
- 6. Continue to the next section: FL350 SETUP/ MONEY SYSTEMS & MONEY SYSTEM INSTALATION.



# **FL350 SETUP INSTRUCTIONS**

# **MONEY SYSTEMS**

# TYPES OF MONEY INTERFACE SYSTEMS

1. United States And Canada Micro Mechanism Interface (Micro Mech. coin mechanisms. come standard and preinstalled from the factory)

Compatible Micro Mech. Coin Mechanisms

MARS TRC 6000 Coin Mechanism	110VDC
COINCO COINTRON 3000 Coin Mechanism	110VDC

Compatible Micro Mech. Bill Acceptors

MARS VFM1 & VFM3	110VAC only VFM3 Validator option switch settings: 1(off), 2(on), 3(off), 4(off), 5(on), 6(on), 7(on), 8(on)
MARS Series 2000 Bill Acceptors	110VAC only Series 2000 Validator option switch setting: 1(optional), 2(optional), 3(optional), 4(optional), 5(optional), 6(optional), 7(on), 8(off)
COINCO BA30SA	110VAC only BA30SA Validator option switch settings: 1(optional), 2(optional), 3(off), 4(optional), 5(optional), 6(optional), 7 (optional), 8(optional) **The P14 connector on the BA30SA may need to be reversed if the software locks up.

# MONEY SYSTEM INSTALLATION

Micro Mechanism Interface

- 1. Open the control panel-cover using the release button located on the right side of the control panel.
- 2. Mount the coin mechanism using the three coin mech. mounting screws.
- 3. Mount the bill acceptor using the four mounting screws located on the control panel cover (top or bottom slot depending on type of acceptor used; for card readers, use top slot- MDB only)
- 4. Make all the connections shown in Fig. 18.

#### Important: The bill acceptor ground screw must be utilized to insure proper operation!



# **INITIAL POWER UP**

# Warning: Before starting this section, make sure that all the other sections have been completed (Safety Specifications, Uncrating Instructions, Money System Setup). Do not power up if the robot-retaining bracket has not been removed.

Plug the FL350 into the power source. To avoid the risk of injury, making sure that all body parts are clear of the cabinet before turning on the main power.

The robot should follow the initial power-up sequence:

- 1. Robot picker head moves UP.
- 2. Robot carriage moves towards the BACK of the cabinet.
- 3. Robot carriage moves towards the LEFT of the cabinet (considered the HOME position).

If the robot does not move or follow the "Homing Sequence":

- 1. There may be setup errors or shipping damage. Review all the previous sections and check for errors on the display. Press the # key for diagnosis.
- 2. Check the transformer reset breaker and make sure the power switch is on (refer to control panel diagram for location).
- 3. Perform a quick check to see if there are obstructions preventing the robot from moving freely on all axes.
  - a. Power the machine off to disable "dynamic breaking" features that make it hard to move the robot manually.
  - b. Manually move the robot to the left, right, front and back. Check for smooth travel. Note any obstruction or gear binding.
- 4. Refer to the Troubleshooting Guide section.



# **PRODUCT DISPLAY SYSTEM**

# INTALLATION AND SETUP

- 1. Determine what products will be vended and locate the corresponding display card provided by the manufacturer.
- 2. Open the cabinet door and locate the cardholder display opening in the back cabinet door.
- 3. Remove the cardholder from the door by lifting up firmly on the left bottom corner of the sheets. Note: the cardholder consists of 3 sheets, which are attached at the top with plastic grommets.
- 4. Once the left bottom corner has been lifted out of cardholder opening, use your finger or pen (recommended) and run it up the entire length of the opening (bottom to top) until the cardholder is free.
- 5. Slide the cardholder out of the door display.

Cardholder Opening





- 6. Hang the cardholder form the top of the cabinet door using the mounting holes located on the top of the display sheets and the mounting clips located on top of the door.
- 7. Lift the first sheet off the center cardholder sheet and drape over the cabinet door.





- Attach price labels to each card.
   Install the display cards on the center cardholder sheet. The slots located on this sheet are used to hold and secure each of the four corners of a display card.
- 10. Remove the cardholder from the mounting clips and reinstall. Using a fair amount of pressure to snap the cardholder back in place.



# **BIN SETUP/ PRODUCT LOADING**

The FL350 utilizes a bin system to hold product. Unlike most conventional snack machines utilizing a horizontal spiral system, the FL350 is able to hold product vertically, giving the machine increased storage capacity (up to 8 times greater than the competition).

There are a number of different sized bins used in the FL350. The type of bin used depends on the size and shape of the product being vended. Every FL350 comes pre-configured from the factory with a specific bin layout or "Bin Plan-o-gram", chosen by the customer at the time of order.

Note: Please refer to the Bin Layout Guide (accompanying this manual) for plan-o-grams and instructions specific to your machine.

#### **GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS**

- Always keep a copy of the specific bin plan-o-gram in each machine. It will be used as a reference tool for loading product and error code referencing.
- Always keep a copy of each machine's specific bin plan-o-gram at a remote location (office) as a reference and backup copy.
- When reordering bins, refer to the bin part numbers detailed on the machine's bin plan-o-gram.
- Always load product from the bottom-up (so that product will be vended FIFO: First In, First Out).

# **PREPROGRAMMING CONFIGURATION**

#### CONTROLLER BOARD DIPSWITCH OPTIONS

SWITCH	NAME	OPTION
1	ESCROW:	ON to enable bill acceptor escrow; OFF to disabled escrow
2	SELECTION DIGITS:	ON to make selection 2 characters; off 1character
3	FORCE VEND:	ON to enable force vend (customer must make selection)
Selection		
4	NOT USED:	No function
5	AUTO-TEST:	(Used only for factory testing)
6	NOT USED:	No function

#### **Clearing The Memory**

Even after computer boards or chips have been changed, legacy selection numbers and bin locations may still exist in memory. To completely clear the FI350's memory:

- 1. Power down the machine.
- 2. Turn all dipswitches to "on" on the computer board.
- 3. Power up the machine.
- 4. The screen will display "Factory Test Press Any Key". Press a key and the screen will change to "Testing External RAM" for about one second.
- 5. The screen will display "Checking Real Time Clock". Disconnect the power and return the dipswitch settings to normal.

# PROGRAMMING

# **INTRODUCTION**

The FL350 comes from the factory without any preset selection numbers or bin locations in memory. All information is entered during initial setup and programming. Programming is completely menu driven. Simply scroll through the menus until the desired function is reached. Once inside a menu function, the computer will prompt the user to enter the required information.

Programming Menus can be accessed in Service Mode. The FL350 enters Service Mode every time the cabinet door is opened. A list of menu items can then be viewed on the digital display by pressing the "\*Next" key on the customer keypad.

The FL350 Programming Menus (Software Version DC913)

1) <u>CHANGE PRICE</u> :	Allows the price to be changed.
2) <u>SALES METERS:</u>	Allows sales data to be viewed. The total sales meter is non-resetable, and offers a total sales and unit counter.
3) EDIT SELECTION:	Allows existing selections to be edited: Price, Product Height (1-4 in.) and Bin (adjust bin location, add bins to the selection number or change bin height).
4) <u>CREATE SELECTION:</u>	Allows a selection to be created.
5) DELETE SELECTION:	Allows a selection to be deleted.
6) SELECTION NUMBERS:	Allows programmed selection numbers to be viewed.
7) <u>SET DATE:</u>	Allows date to be set or viewed.
8) <u>SET TIME:</u>	Allows time to be set or viewed.
9) <u>SERVICE PHONE #:</u>	Allows service phone number to be set. The number is displayed when the machine is out-of-order.
10) <u>SALES PIN CODE:</u>	Allows pin code to be set and viewed for machine auditing. Pin code can be viewed without opening the door.
11) <u>VEND BLOCK:</u>	Allows the machine to be disabled for predetermined periods of time.
12) <u>VEND BLOCK PIN CODE:</u>	Allows pin code to be set and viewed and allows access to the vend block times from outside the machine.
13) PROGRAM VERSION	Displays current version of operational software (e-prom).
14) <u>DISPLAY LANGUAGE:</u>	Allows the programmer to choose the language displayed on the screen.
15) MACHINE SERIAL NUMBER:	Allows the programmer to program the serial number of the vendor for machine identification during DEXing.
16) <u>GROUP SALES OPTION:</u>	Allows the programmer the ability to have up to four different metered accounts.

#### **GETTING STARTED; CREATING SELECTIONS**

- 1. Before creating a selection, the front product display must be setup. Product and bins must be preloaded in the FL350.
- In Service Mode, press the "\*Next" key and scroll to "4 CREATE SELECTION". "4 CREATE SELECTION" allows new selections to be created (Note: do not start programming yet).
- 3. Menu item "4 CREATE SELECTION" will require the following information to be entered:

1. Enter a selection number:	A1 to D1
2. Enter the price:	\$.05-\$9.95
3. Enter the height of the product:	1-4 inches
4. Move the robot over center of the product:	Controls on service keypad: front/back, left/right, down/up
5. Enter the length of the bin:	Short/tall
6. Add more than one bin for the selection:	Yes/No

- 4. In the Programming Menus section, locate the flow chart for the menu item "4 CREATE SELECTION" and follow the step-by-step instructions for programming new selections.
- 5. Once selections have been programmed, use the other available menu items to edit and select operating preferences. Refer to Menu Item Description for an overview of each menu item and its features.
- 6. Once programming is complete, it is important to perform a test to make sure that the FL350 was programmed correctly. By pressing "Free Vend" on the Service keypad, the FL350 will allow menu selections to be vended without money. Test each bin selection. Press "Free Vend" again to deactivate this feature.

"Test Vend" on the service keypad allows money to be inserted in order to test menu selections without affecting sales meters. Money deposited will be returned after each test vend. Press "Test Vend" again to deactivate this option.

#### PROGRAMMING/EDITING AFTER THE FL350 HAS BEEN OPERATING

- 1. After the FL350 has been programmed and operating in the field, any sold out or bin errors that have occurred will be displayed once the door is opened (Service Mode). A bin error occurs if the robot has made three unsuccessful attempts to retrieve a product from a single bin. An "Out Of Product" is displayed when a bin is determined empty.
- Note: It is important to view all bin errors before loading or editing bin selections.
   Do not press "\* Exit" before viewing all bin errors. To scroll through the list of all bin errors including selection and bin number, use the "#Next" key on the customer keypad.
- 3. Perform a "Free Vend" on these bins to verify that the robot was programmed over the center of the product and that product was loaded properly.
- 4. To clear all bin errors and "Out Of Product" bins, press "Load" and then "Close" on the service keypad.
- 5. The FL350 is ready to be edited and/or loaded with product.

# MENU ITEM PROGRAMMING SEQUENCE

# 1) CHANGE PRICE

Changing the price of programmed selections.

Display	Programming Instructions
1) CHANGE PRICE *=Next Menu <b>#=Yes</b>	a) Press the #=Yes key.
Edit Selection <mark>#:</mark> *=Exit	b) Enter the selection number.
A1 Price: \$ <mark>1.00</mark>	c) Type over the price.
*=Abort <mark>#=Yes</mark>	
A1 Price: \$ <mark>1.50</mark>	d) Press the #=Yes key to enter the price change.
Accept? *=No <mark>#=Yes</mark>	

# 2A) SALES METERS

Choose from two types of sales meters: (a) Non-Resetable (total cash and unit meter that cannot be reset) and (b) Resetable (offers individual and total sales by product which can be cleared/reset).

Display Display	Programming Instructions
2) SALES METERS *=Next Menu <mark>#=Yes</mark>	a) Press the #=Yes key.
Choose Meter Type *=Total #=Resetable	<ul> <li>b) The Total Meter is a non-resetable sales and unit counter.</li> </ul>
Total = \$1575.30 Units = 975 <b>#=Exit</b>	<ul> <li>c) Press the #=Exit key to exit and return to SALES METERS.</li> </ul>

# 2B) RESETABLE SALES METERS

SALES METERS *=Next Menu <b>#=Yes</b>	a) Press the #=Yes key.
Choose Meter Type *=Total #=Resetable	b) Press the #=key to enter resetable meter.
A1: \$50.00 25 *Scroll <b>#Next</b>	c) Press the *=Scroll key to view each selection's sales or the #Next key to view total sales.
\$ 10,250     5,000 <mark>*=C</mark> lr     1/01/95     #=EXIT	d) Press the *=Clr key to clear the meter or the #=Exit key to save the information.
Are You Sure? * <b>=Yes</b> #=Exit	e) Press the *=Yes key to erase the meter.

# 3) EDIT SELECTION

Choose from three sub-menus: (a) Change Price, (b) Product Height, (c) Edit Bins- adjust bin location and add bins to a selection number.

Display	Programming Instructions
3) EDIT SELECTION *=Next Menu <mark>#=Yes</mark>	a) Press the #=Yes key.
EDIT SELECTION <mark>#</mark> *=EXIT	b) Enter the selection number that will be edited. Choose from three sub-menus.
Change Price (Sub-Menu)	Edit selection prices.
Change Price *=Next <b>#=Yes</b>	c) Press the #=Yes key or move to the next sub menu.
A1 Price: \$1.00 *=Abort <b>#=Yes</b>	d) Type over the price and press the #=Yes key.

A1 Price: \$1.50 Accept? *No <b>#=Yes</b>	e) Press the #=Yes key to enter the price. Next change product height.
Product Height (Sub-Menu)	Enter the height of the product (1-4 inches). The robot will leave one product at the bottom of each bin so the service person only has to match the products.
Product Height *=Next	a) Press the #=Yes key to alter Product Height.
A1 Height: 1inch (1-4) *=Next	<ul> <li>b) Press the *=Next key for heights 1-4 inches. Press</li> <li>#=Yes key to enter new product height.</li> </ul>
A1 Height: 3inches Accept? *=No <b>#=Yes</b>	c) Press the #=Yes key to enter the product's height.
Edit Bins	Adjust bin location and add bins to a selection number.
Edit bins (Sub-menu) *=Next <b>#=Yes</b>	a) Press the #=Yes key to enter.
A1 Program bin #1? *=Abort	b) The robot will move to location of A1, bin one. Press the #=Enter key to verify location of bin 1,the robot will move to programmed location. You may accept the current location or make adjustments using the service keypad.
A1 Move the Robot *=Cancel <b>#=Accept</b>	<ul> <li>c) Press the #=Accept key to store location of the robot.</li> <li>Note: do not program selection on or near the home position, gussets and end zones.</li> </ul>
A1 Bin Height: Short? (Tall) *=Next	<ul> <li>d) Press the *=Next key to select tall or short bin, then press the #Accept key to store bin height.</li> <li>Note: short bins are located on top of cash box and vacuum box.</li> </ul>
A1 Bin Height: Short Accept? *=No <b>#=Yes</b>	e) Press the #=Yes key.
More Bins? <mark>*=No</mark> <mark>#=Yes</mark>	<ul> <li>f) Press the #=Yes key to program or edit additional bins</li> <li>#2, 3, or 4 for selection A1 or press the *=No key to store just one bin. (Program is stored).</li> </ul>

# 4) CREATE SELECTION:

Create up to eighteen brand new selections, with 1-4 bins per product display.

Display		Programming Instructions
4) CREATE SELECTIO	DN	a) Press the #=Yes key to enter create selection menu.
*=Next Menu	<mark>#=Yes</mark>	
Enter Selection		b) Enter the selection number you wish to create.
# <u> </u>	*=Exit	
Enter Selection #A1		c) Press the #=Yes key to enter the selection number.
Create? *=No	<mark>#=Yes</mark>	
A1 Price: \$0.00		d) Type in the price and press the enter key.
*=Abort	<mark>#=Enter</mark>	
A1 Price: \$1.50		e) Press the #=Yes key to enter the price.
Accept? *=No	<mark>#=Yes</mark>	

ches)	f) Press the *=Next key until you have selected the height of the product, then press the #=Accept key. If you have
#=Accept	selected the proper product height the robot will leave one product at the bottom of the bin for the route driver to match the products when filling the machine.
	a) Press the #=Yes key to enter the product's Height.
<mark>#=Yes</mark>	g,
<mark>#=Enter</mark>	<ul> <li>h) Press the #=Enter key to create a bin for the selection number.</li> </ul>
	i) Go to the inside service keypad and move the robot over the center of product you have selected. Press the right button first. Hold the button down to accelerate, pulse
#=Accept	your finger on the button to move in 1/16" increments. Move the robot forward and then drop the picker head to verify that is centered over the bin. Press the #=Accept key on the customer keypad to store the location of bin 1. (An alternative to using the motion buttons is to move the robot by hand. However, before the robot can be moved manually, the "Right" and "Front" buttons must be used to move the robot off of the home switch positions. Once off the home switches, the robot can be centered over the desired bin. Attempting to manually move the robot while on the home switch positions may result in programming inaccuracies regarding bin coordinates.)
 (  )	i) Press the *=Next key to see Bin Heights. Press the
#=Accept	#=Accept key to enter Bin Height.
	<ul> <li>k) Press the *=No key if only one bin is being programmed. The programming for that selection is</li> </ul>
#=Yes	complete. Simply repeat this process with another selection number. Press the #=Yes key if two or more
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	<pre>ches) #=Accept #=Yes #=Accept II) #=Accept #=Accept #=Yes</pre>

# 5) DELETE SELECTION

Delete the selection.

Display	Programming Instructions
5) DELETE SELECTION* *=Next Menu <mark>#=Yes</mark>	a) Press the #Yes key to enter menu item.
Delete Selection #: A1 (All selections) D=Delete *=Exit <mark>#=Next</mark>	<ul><li>b) Press the #=Next key to list selection numbers. Press</li><li>the D=Delete key to delete the selection.</li></ul>
Delete Selection # A5 OK? <mark>*=No</mark> #=Yes	c) Press the #=Yes key to delete selection

# 6) SELECTION #S

View the current programmed selection numbers.

	<mark>Display</mark>		Programming Instructions
*=Next	Menu	<mark>#=Yes</mark>	a) Press the #=Yes key to view selection numbers.
*=Exit	Programmed: A1	<mark>#=Next</mark>	b) Press the #=Next key to list selection numbers.

# 7) SET DATE

Set or view the current date.

Display		Programming Instructions
*=Next Menu	<mark>#=Yes</mark>	a) Press the #=Yes key to enter set date menu.
Enter Date: 01/01/96 *=Abort	<mark>#=Enter</mark>	b) Type in new date and press the #=Enter key to store. Date format: MM/DD/YY
Enter Date: 01/05/96 Accept? *=No	<mark>#=Yes</mark>	c) Press the #=Yes key to store new date.

# 8) SET TIME

Set or view the current time.

Display	Programming Instructions
*=Next Menu <b>#=Yes</b>	a) Press the #=Yes key to view menu selection.
Enter Time: 15:30:00 (military time) *=Abort	b) Type current time and press the #=Enter key.
Enter Time: 15:45:00 Accept? *=No <b>#=Yes</b>	c) Press the #=Yes key to store the current time.

# 9) SET SERVICE PHONE #

Enter, update, or view the service phone number. The programmed number will appear on the display screen in the event that the machine goes out-of-order.

Display	Programming Instructions
*=Next Menu <b>#=Yes</b>	a) Press the #=Yes key to enter menu selection.
Phone (###) ### - #### *Abort	b) Type in service phone number.
Phone (###) ### - #### Accept? *No <mark>#Yes</mark>	c) Press the #=Yes key to store.

# **10) SALES PIN CODE**

View or change the PIN code that can access sales information without opening the door; while in "Please Insert Money" mode, Press # \* and the four numbers you selected.

Display	Programming Instructions
SALES PIN CODE *=Next Menu <mark>#=Yes</mark>	a) Press the #=Yes key to view or change sales pin code.
Enter Pin: #*1234 *=Abort	b) Type in new four-digit number.
Enter Pin: #*1996	c) Press the #=Yes key to store pin number.
Accept? *=No <mark>#=Yes</mark>	

# 11) VEND BLOCK

Block out vending up to four times per day, seven days per week. Time and date must be entered correctly in SET TIME and SET DATE programming.

Display		Programming Instructions
11) VEND BLOCK *=Next Menu	#=Yes	a) Press the #=Yes key to enter menu selection.
Vend Block: Off (On * <b>=Scroll</b> A=Abort	) #=Enter	<ul><li>b) Press the *=Scroll to turn vend block on and press the #=Enter key.</li></ul>
Day: Sun A=Abort D=Delete *=Scroll	C=Copy <b>#=Enter</b>	c) Press *Scroll to the day you wish to begin and press the #=Enter key.
Mon Blk 1 on: *=Abort	_ #=Enter	d) Type in the first time you would like the machine to be off and press the #=Enter key.
Mon Blk 1 On 09:00 (milita Accept? *=No	ry time) <b>#=Yes</b>	e) Press the #=Yes key to store the time.
Mon Blk off: *=Abort	#=Enter	f) Type the time you want the machine to turn on and press the #=Enter key
Mon Blk 1off 11:00 Accept? *=No	#=Yes	g) Press the #=Yes key to store the time; repeat up to four blocks per day.
Mon Blk 2on: *=Abort	#=Enter	h) Press the *=Abort key at the end of the needed blocks, or press enter to continue more blocks.
Day: Mon A=Abort C=Copy (Copies in to day) D= Delete *=Scroll	formation from day <b>#=Enter</b>	i) (C=Copy: copies information from day to day) To copy one day to another, press *=Scroll key to the day you want to copy, then press the #=Enter key.
Copy Mon to Tues Accept? *=No	#=Yes	j) Press the #=Yes key to copy.

# 12) VB PIN CODE

Set or alter the VEND BLOCK option from the outside of the machine without opening the door.

Display		Programming Instructions
12) VB F	PIN CODE	a) Press the #=Yes key to enter VB Pin code menu.
*=Next Me	enu <b>#=Yes</b>	
VB PIN CC	DDE: <b>#*5678</b>	b) The vend block pin code is factory set at #*5678. Use the factory setting or type over four new digits and press
*=Abort	#=Yes	the #=Yes key. Type this code when you are in the
		"Please Insert Money" mode to gain direct access to the VEND BLOCK menu item.

#### 13) PROGRAM VERSION

Shows the date and version of the E-prom.

Display	Programming Instructions
14) PROGRAM VERSION	a) Press the #=Yes key to view program version.
*=Next Menu <b>#=Yes</b>	

# 14) DISPLAY LANGUAGE

Allows the programmer to change the language of all external text; all programming will still be displayed in English.

	<mark>Display</mark>		Programming Instructions
16) D	ISPLAY LANGU	AGE	a) Press the #=Yes key to display the current language.
*=Next	Menu	<mark>#=Yes</mark>	
	English		b) Press the "A" key to abort (or exit) menu.
*=Scroll	"A"=Abort	#=Enter	Press the #=Enter key to reconfirm English.
			Press the *=Scroll key to scroll to French, Portuguese, or
			Spanish and press the #=Enter key to confirm the change.

#### **15) MACHINE SERIAL NUMBER**

Program the serial number of the vendor into the computer so that an external data retrieval unit can include the serial number when downloading sales information. Program this feature only if an external data retrieval device will be used.

Display	Programming Instructions
17) MACHINE SERIAL NUMBER *=Next Menu <mark>#=Yes</mark>	<ul> <li>a) Press the #=Yes key.</li> <li>b) Enter the serial number of the vendor, found on the inside of the door, being sure to add zero(s) if the number is less than six digits. Press the #=Enter key to accept.</li> </ul>

#### **16) CARD READER OPTION**

Enables the use of a debit card reader in conjunction with the coin acceptor (United States only).

Display	Programming Instructions
18) CARD READER OPTION *=Scroll A=Abort #=Enter	<ul> <li>a) Press the #=Enter key. You may then scroll to "On" by pressing the *=Scroll key. Press the #=Enter key to accept.</li> </ul>

# 17) GROUP SALES OPTION

Vend sales can be recorded into 4 different accounts, each with specific vend times. Example: all sales between 7:00 A.M. and 1200 P.M. may be recorded into account "A"; sales between 12:00 P.M. and 2:00 P.M. may be recorded into account "B"; sales after 2:00 P.M. can go into a third account or back into account "A". All information recorded can be obtained by accessing "Sales Meters" once this option has been set.

Note: If a sale occurs outside of a metered block, it will be recorded into the main meter and not into one of the four accounts.

Display		Programming Instructions
19) GROUP SALES OP *=SCROLL A=ABORT	TION #=ENTER	a) Press to the #=Enter key to enter this menu.
		b) Press the *=Scroll key to move forward.
Day: SUN A=ABT D=DEL *=SCRL	C=CPY #=ENTER	c) Press the *=SCRL key to scroll through the days of the week. For Sunday, (as pictured above) press the #=ENTR key to enter.
SUN BLK 1 ON:_		d) Enter the start of the desired meter time. Note: All times must be listed in military time. If the time is
*=Abort	#=Yes	before noon, you must enter a zero first. e) Press the #=Yes key after the four digits have been entered.
SUN BLK 1 OFF:		f) Enter the end of the desired meter time and press the
*=Abort	#=Yes	#=Yes key.
GROUP (A-D): A		g) Press the letter of the account you wish the sales be recorded into (A, B, C, or D) and press the #=Enter key.
*=Abort	#=Enter	h) Enter additional blocks of time if desired; if not, press the *=Abort key to exit the screen. Press the "A" key to exit the next screen, and "A" once more to return to the main menu.

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# TROUBLESHOOTING

# **GLOSSARY OF USEFUL TERMS**

Term	Definition
Vacuum Valve	An assembly comprised of a valve with a magnetic reed switch that detects airflow and a vacuum seal; used to indicate whether the robot has made contact with product or if product has been dropped.
Controller	The computer board.
Encoder & Encoder Pulses	A device used to send a given number or pulses per gear rotation that can then be interpreted by software to determine distance and location; allows the controller to calculate position of any bin and product drop point relative to the True Home Position. Encoders are built into the L/R, F/B and U/D motors.
Home on the X-axis	The relative Home Position indicated by the Left/Right Home Switch Trigger located at the left side of the cabinet.
Home on the Y-axis	The relative Home Position indicated by the Front/Back Home Switch located at the back of the cabinet.
Home on the Z-axis	The relative home position indicated by the Up/Down Home Switch; when the picker head is in the full up position.
Home Position or (True) Home Position	The home coordinate on all axes (X, Y and Z); located at the back left corner of the cabinet.
Product Drop Point	The range of coordinates on the X-axis and the coordinate on the Y-axis where the robot drops product into the product delivery chute; located in the front/center area of the cabinet.
VAC Error & VAC key	Log used by the computer to store fatal machine errors. Use the VAC key on the Service Keypad to view the VAC error log.
Fatal Errors & Non-Fatal Errors	Fatal errors are errors that will put the machine out-of-order. Non-fatal errors will only put a specific bin out-of-order.
**Left/Right, Front/Back and Up	/Down Home Switches can be referenced as part: Plastic Arm Limit Switch (49500566A)

# ERROR REPORTING FEATURES

#### Two types of errors:

#### 1. Non-Fatal Errors

Localized errors that put a specific bin out-of-order without taking the machine off line. Bin errors, including bin and selection number, are listed on the digital display when the machine enters Service Mode (open door to enter Service Mode). The customer keypad functions "\*= Exit" and "#=Next" can be used to scroll through each error.

Out Of Product	This error occurs when the robot reaches the "virtual bottom" of the bin (2 predetermined encoder distances on the Z-axis; one for tall and one for short bins)
Bin Error	This error occurs after the robot makes 3 unsuccessful attempts to vend product (vacuum seal is lost/product dropped) and puts that bin out-of-order. 9 consecutive, vacuum related Bin Errors become a VAC: "Vacuum Out of Order".

\*Note: It is important to view and check all Out Of Product and Bin Errors, by performing a free vend. Non-fatal errors are cleared by viewing them and then pressing \*= Exit on the Service Keypad.

# 2. Fatal Errors

Errors that put the entire machine out-of-order to prevent further component damage. Fatal errors are stored in the VAC log. They can be viewed by pressing the VAC button on the service switch while in Service Mode. The digital display will list up to 4 VAC errors.

Left/Right (L/R) Stuck Motor	The error that occurs when the robot tries to home itself on the X-axis and times out before triggering the Left/Right Home Switch.
Front Back (F/B) Stuck Motor	The error that occurs when the robot tries to home itself on the Y-axis and times out before triggering the Front/Bback Home Switch.
Up/Down (U/D) Stuck Motor	The error that occurs when the robot tries to home itself on the Z-axis and times out before triggering the Up/Down Home Switch.
Left/Right (L/R) Encoder Error	The error that occurs when the controller fails to see encoder pulses on the X-axis after 3 unsuccessful tries. This error can occur from either the Home Position to the bin, the bin to the Product Drop Point or the Product Drop Point to the bin.
Front Back (F/B) Encoder Error	The error that occurs when the controller fails to see encoder pulses on the Y-axis after 3 unsuccessful tries. This error can occur from either the True Home Position to the bin, the bin to the Product Drop Point or the Product Drop Point to the bin.
Up/Down (U/D) Encoder Error	The error that occurs when the controller fails to see encoder pulses on the Z-axis, on the way down to the bin.
Vacuum Out Of Order	The error that occurs when the robot makes 3 unsuccessful attempts to vend product (vacuum seal is lost/product dropped) on 3 consecutive bins (9 consecutive vacuum related Bin Errors= Vacuum Out of Order).
Out Of Product	The error that occurs when the robot reaches the "Virtual Bottom" of every bin or selection in the entire machine indicating that there is no product. The Controller determines the "Virtual Bottom" by calculating encoder pulses as the robot drops hose into the bin.

\*Only one Fatal Error is logged in the VAC for any given vend cycle. The Fatal Error that initially puts the machine outof-order is generally the error that is logged and displayed in the VAC (exception: Stuck Motor Errors will take precedence over Encoder Errors).

# ORDER OF OPERATION

	SOFTWARE VERSION: DC913 (2 BOARD SYSTEM)
	Initiating The Vend Cycle
1	<ul> <li>► Credits are calculated and registered by the control board.</li> <li>► A selection is accepted from the customer keypad.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>▶ Vend cycle starts from the Home Position moves on the X-axis first: 2B.</li> <li>▶ Vend cycle starts from the Drop Point 2A.</li> </ul>

	Robot Moves On The Y-Axis
	(Vend Cycle Starting From The Product Drop Point)
	► The F/B Motor moves the robot back a predetermined distance on the Y-axis in order to avoid structural obstacles at the front of the machine near the Product Drop Point.
2a	<ul> <li>The controller counts encoder pulses relayed by the F/B Encoder Switch.</li> <li>Encoder pulses are not seen for a period of time causing the robot to return to the Home Position.         <ul> <li>The robot moves to the Home Position on the X-axis then the Y-axis.</li> <li>The customer is prompted: "Make Another Selection".</li> <li>The next vend cycle starts from the Home Position.</li> </ul> </li> <li>The robot is not able to return to the home position after the F/B Encoder times out.         <ul> <li>F/B Stuck Motor is flagged and recorded in the VAC log.</li> <li>The machine is put out-of-order.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	► The robot stops once it reaches the default encoder count.

	Robot Moves On The X-Axis To Bin				
	► The LR Motor moves the robot to the right on the X-axis,				
2b	<ul> <li>The controller counts encoder pulses relayed by the L/R Encoder Switch.</li> <li>Encoder pulses are not seen for a period of time, the robot will attempt to return to the Home Position.         <ul> <li>The robot moves to the Home Position on the Y-axis then the X-axis.</li> <li>The customer is prompted: "Make Another Selection".</li> <li>The next vend cycle starts from the Home position</li> </ul> </li> <li>The robot has 3 consecutive failed attempts at vending any selection(s)         <ul> <li>The machine is put out-of-order with a L/R Encoder Error (VAC)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Encoder pulses are not seen for a period of time and the robot times out before reaching the Home Position.         <ul> <li>The machine is put out-of-order with a L/R Stuck Motor (VAC)</li> <li>The machine is put out-of-order.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>				
	► The robot stops once it reaches the selection's X-coordinate.				
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	Robot Moves On The Y-Axis To Bin		
►T	he F/B Motor begins to move the robot on the Y-axis		
3 ►T	<ul> <li>The controller counts encoder pulses relayed by the F/B Encoder Switch.</li> <li>If encoder pulses are not seen for a period of time, the robot will attempt to return to the Home Position. <ul> <li>The robot moves to the Home Position on the X-axis then the Y-axis.</li> <li>The customer is prompted: "Make Another Selection".</li> <li>The next vend cycle starts from the Home position</li> </ul> </li> <li>The robot has 3 consecutive failed attempts at vending any selection(s) <ul> <li>The machine is put out-of-order with a F/B Encoder Error (VAC)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Encoder pulses are not seen for a period of time and the robot times out before reaching the Home Position. <ul> <li>The machine is put out-of-order with a F/B Stuck Motor (VAC)</li> </ul> </li> <li>The robot stops once it reaches the selection's Y-coordinate and is centered over the bin.</li> </ul>		



#### Robot Moves Up On The Z-Axis

(Robot Retrieves Product/A Vacuum Seal Is Created)

► The open reed switch indicates that the robot has product and stops the U/D Motor from lowering the picker head and unreal the hose.

► The open reed switch signal activates the U/D Motor, lifting the picker head up the Z-axis (after a 1 sec. delay)

► The robot reaches the full up position causing the U/D Guide to collapse and trigger the Z-Home Switch.

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The controller times out before a closed U/D Home Switch signal is detected.

- The vacuum motor is shut down.
- The machine is put out-of-order with an UD Motor Stuck Error (VAC).

► The controller monitors for a closed reed switch indicating dropped product (airflow box flap in the up position caused by a break in the vacuum seal).

- The robot returns to the Z-axis home position and reattempt to complete the vend cycle up to 3 times.
  - The robot will go to the home position before making the third attempt.
  - 3 unsuccessful attempts will put the bin out-of-order with a Bin Error.
  - The customer is prompted: "Make Another Selection".
  - The machine is put out-of-order with a Vacuum Out Of Order Error (VAC), after 9 consecutive vacuum errors (3 bins out of order due to loss of product).

# Robot Moves On The X-Axis To Drop Point

The LR motor moves the robot towards the calculated Product Drop Point coordinate on the X-axis.

• The robot will move back a default distance before continuing on the X-axis, if the bin location is near the gusset zone (front left and right corners of the cabinet).

► The controller counts encoder pulses relayed by the L/R Encoder Switch.

- Encoder pulses are not seen for a period of time, the robot will attempt to return to the Home Position.
  - The robot moves to the Home Position on the Y-axis then the X-axis.
  - The customer is prompted: "Make Another Selection".
  - o The next vend cycle starts from the Home Position
- The robot has 3 consecutive failed attempts at vending any selection(s)
  - The machine is put out-of-order with a L/R Encoder Error (VAC)
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- Encoder pulses are not seen for a period of time and the robot times out before reaching the Home Position.
  - $\circ$   $\;$  The machine is put out-of-order with a L/R Stuck Motor (VAC)  $\;$
  - The machine is put out-of-order.

# ► The controller monitors for a closed reed switch indicating dropped product (airflow box flap in the up position caused by a break in the vacuum seal).

- The robot returns to the Z-axis home position and reattempt to complete the vend cycle up to 3 times.
  - The robot will return to the bin and try to pick up product.
  - o 3 unsuccessful attempts put the bin out-of-order with a Bin Error.
  - The customer is prompted: "Make Another Selection".
  - The machine is put out-of-order with a Vacuum Out Of Order Error (VAC), after 9 consecutive vacuum errors (3 bins out of order due to loss of product).
- ▶ The robot stops once it reaches the calculated Product Drop Point coordinate on the X-axis.

	Robot Moves On The Y-Axis To Drop Point	
	► The F/B Motor moves the robot to towards the calculated Product Drop Point coordinate on the Y-axis.	
	<ul> <li>The controller counts encoder pulses relayed by the F/B Encoder Switch.</li> <li>Encoder pulses are not seen for a period of time, the robot will move straight back, returning to the Y-Home Position located at the back of the cabinet.</li> <li>The robot will retry to deliver product up to 10 times in a row.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>The robot has 10 unsuccessful attempts at reaching the drop point and completing the vend cycle.</li> <li>The machine is put out-of-order with a F/B Encoder Error (VAC)</li> </ul>	
7	<ul> <li>The controller monitors for a closed reed switch indicating dropped product (airflow box flap in the up position caused by a break in the vacuum seal).</li> <li>The robot returns to the Y-axis home position and reattempts to complete the vend cycle up to 3 times.         <ul> <li>The robot will return to the bin and try to pick up product.</li> <li>3 unsuccessful attempts will put the bin out-of-order with a Bin Error.</li> <li>The customer is prompted: "Make Another Selection".</li> <li>The machine is put out-of-order with a Vacuum Out Of Order Error (VAC), after 9 consecutive vacuum errors (3 bins out of order due to loss of product).</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
	► The robot stops once it reaches the calculated Product Drop Point coordinate on the X-axis.	
	► The robot carriage moves forward on the rack system, and mechanically triggers the blow off valve crank, releasing all the vacuum pressure from the system.	
	► The Vacuum Motor shuts down	
	► Product is dropped into the product delivery chute.	

# The Vend Cycle Is Complete The Machine Is Ready For Another Vend Cycle Any change owed to the customer is calculated and dispensed. The vend sequence is complete and the machine is ready for another vend. The next three vend cycles will be initiated from this drop point position. The robot returns to true home after ever 4 vends to reorient itself for accuracy.

### TROUBLESHOOTING CHARTS

Always troubleshoot using logical, progressive steps so that the maintenance and repair procedure runs smoothly and efficiently. Most failures may have minor causes such as loose connectors or dirty contacts. Always check the following before replacing any parts:

- Check that all the plugs and connections are seated firmly in their receptacles (connector pins are not bent or broken).
- Check that there is continuity in the wires.
- Check that the connector pins are not bent or broken.
- Check the fuse(s).

#### Left/Right Stuck Motor

Note: The FL350 has dynamic breaking features that make it difficult to move the robot manually when power is on. To move the robot, use the Left, Right, Forward, Back buttons on the Service Keypad or disable the dynamic breaking feature by shutting the machine off before attempting to move the robot manually.

Detail	Possible Cause	Action/Solution
Manually move the robot to the right	Faulty L/R home switch	The L/R Home switch must be replaced.
6" and press the reset button. If the robot moves left towards the home position ►	Loose or bad connection from the controller board to the L/R home switch.	Perform a continuity check from the computer board J5 connector (pins 5 & 6) to the L/R home switch. Find the loose or bad connection.
	Faulty computer board	Replace the computer board
	Broken teeth or gear binding at the L/R motor and rack if it sounds like it is attempting to move.	Fix the cause of the binding and/or replace broken gears.
Manually move the robot to the right 6" and press the reset button. If the robot <b>does not</b> move left	Loose or bad connection from the Power board to the L/R Motor.	Perform a continuity check from the Power board J3 connector (pins 10, 11 & 12) to the L/R Motor. Find the loose or bad connection.
towards the home position	Blown or faulty fuse	Replace the fuse in the power box.
	Faulty Motor	Replace the L/R motor.
	Faulty power board	Replace the Power board
	Faulty computer board	Replace the computer board

F/B Stuck Motor			
Detail	Possible Cause	Action/Solution	
Manually move the robot forward 6"	Faulty F/B home switch	The F/B Home switch must be replaced.	
and press the reset button. If the robot moves back towards the home position ►	Loose or bad connection from the controller board to the F/B home switch.	Perform a continuity check from the computer board J10 connector (pins 5 & 6) to the F/B home switch. Find the loose or bad connection.	
	Faulty computer board	Replace the computer board	
	Broken teeth or gear binding at the F/B motor and rack if it sounds like it is attempting to move.	Fix the cause of the binding and/or replace broken gears.	
Manually move the robot forward 6" and press the reset button. If the robot <b>does not</b> move back	Loose or bad connection from the Power board to the F/B Motor.	Perform a continuity check from the Power board J3 connector (pins 7, 8 & 9) to the F/B Motor. Find the loose or bad connection.	
towards the home position	Blown or faulty fuse	Replace the fuse in the power box.	
	Faulty Motor	Replace the F/B motor.	
	Faulty power board	Replace the Power board	
	Faulty computer board	Replace the computer board	

U/D Stuck Motor		
Detail	Possible Cause	Action/Solution
	Short bin programmed as a tall bin	Reprogram and edit selection.
press the reset button.	Faulty U/D home switch	The U/D Home switch must be replaced.
If the robot moves up towards the U/D home position ►	Loose or bad connection from the controller board to the U/D home switch.	Perform a continuity check from the computer board J5 connector (pins 2 & 7) to the U/D home switch. Find the loose or bad connection.
	Faulty computer board	Replace the computer board
Manually pull the Hose down 6" and press the reset button.	Loose or bad connection from the Power board to the U/D Motor.	Perform a continuity check from the Power board J3 connector (pins 4, 5 & 6) to the U/D Motor. Find the loose or bad connection.
If the robot <i>does not</i> move up	Blown or faulty fuse	Replace the fuse in the power box.
towards the U/D home position►	Faulty Motor	Replace the U/D motor.
	Faulty power board	Replace the Power board
	Faulty computer board	Replace the computer board

L/R Encoder Error	
Note: All Encoder Switches are connected to their respective motor.	To replace a faulty Encoder Switch, the motor
must also be replaced	

Detail	Possible Cause	Action/Solution
Initiate a vend cycle. If the robot moves to the right ►	Loose or bad connection from the controller board to the L/R encoder switch. The robot will typically jerk towards the right if encoder pulses are not seen.	Perform a continuity check from the computer board J5 connector (pins 13,14 & 15) to the L/R encoder Switch in the L/R Motor. Find and fix the loose or bad connection.
	Faulty encoder switch in the L/R Motor.	Replace the L/R Motor
	Faulty computer board	Replace the computer board
	Loose or bad connection from the power board to the L/R motor.	Perform a continuity check from the power board J3 connector (pins 10, 11 & 12) to the L/R Motor. Find and fix the loose or bad connection.
Initiate a vend cycle. If the robot <i>does not</i> move to the right ►	Loose or bad connection from the computer board to the power board	Perform a continuity check from the computer board J4 connector (pins 10 & 11) to the power board J1 connector (pins 10 & 11). Find and fix the loose or bad connection.
	Blown or faulty fuse	Replace the fuse in the power box.
	Faulty Motor	Replace the L/R motor.
	Faulty power board	Replace the Power board
	Faulty computer board	Replace the computer board

F/B Encoder Error				
Detail	Possible Cause	Action/Solution		
Initiate a vend cycle. If the robot moves forward ►	Loose or bad connection from the controller board to the F/B encoder switch. The robot will typically jerk towards the right if encoder pulses are not seen.	Perform a continuity check from the computer board J5 connector (pins 10,11 & 12) to the F/B encoder Switch in the L/R Motor. Find and fix the loose or bad connection.		
	Faulty encoder switch in the F/B Motor.	Replace the F/B Motor		
	Faulty computer board	Replace the computer board		
	Loose or bad connection from the power board to the F/B motor.	Perform a continuity check from the power board J3 connector (pins 7, 8 & 9) to the F/B Motor. Find and fix the loose or bad connection.		
Initiate a vend cycle. If the robot <i>does not</i> move forward►	Loose or bad connection from the computer board to the power board	Perform a continuity check from the computer board J4 connector (pins 8 & 9) to the power board J1 connector (pins 8 & 9). Find and fix the loose or bad connection.		
	Blown or faulty fuse	Replace the fuse in the power box.		
	Faulty Motor	Replace the F/B motor.		
	Faulty power board	Replace the Power board		
	Faulty computer board	Replace the computer board		

U/D Encoder Error		
Detail	Possible Cause	Action/Solution
Initiate a vend cycle. If the robot move moves down ▶	Loose or bad connection from the controller board to the U/D encoder switch. The robot will typically jerk towards the right if encoder pulses are not seen.	Perform a continuity check from the computer board J5 connector (pins 8,9 & 13) to the U/D Encoder Switch in the U/D Motor. Find and fix the loose or bad connection.
	Faulty encoder switch in the U/D Motor.	Replace the U/D Motor
	Faulty computer board	Replace the computer board
	Loose or bad connection from the power board to the U/D motor.	Perform a continuity check from the power board J3 connector (pins 4, 5 & 6) to the U/D Motor. Find and fix the loose or bad connection.
Initiate a vend cycle. If the robot <i>does not</i> move down ►	Loose or bad connection from the computer board to the power board	Perform a continuity check from the computer board J4 connector (pins 4 & 5) to the power board J1 connector (pins 4 & 5). Find and fix the loose or bad connection.
	Faulty Motor	Replace the U/D motor.
	Faulty power board	Replace the Power board
	Faulty computer board	Replace the computer board

Out Of Product		
Detail	Possible Cause	Action/Solution
Check for product in bins	Tall bin was programmed as a short bin.	Reprogram and edit selection.
	Bins Out of Product	Refill

Vacuum Out Of Order			
Detail	Possible Cause	Action/Solution	
Initiate a vend cycle. If the vacuum turns on ▶	Not enough voltage going to the machine to pick up product.	Plug the machine into a better outlet or unplug anything that may be sharing the same outlet.	
	There is a hole in the hose	Locate and replace the damaged hose (88").	
	Loose or bad connection from the controller board to the vacuum valve switch.	Perform a continuity check from the computer board J5 connector (pins 4 & 7) to the vacuum valve switch. Find and fix the loose or bad connection.	
	There is debris in the vacuum valve box.	Clear out any obstruction.	
	Mechanical binding in the vacuum valve flap mechanism	Open the Vacuum Valve box and fix the cause of the binding.	
	Binding of the blow off actuator arm		
	Faulty Vacuum Valve reed switch	Replace the faulty Vacuum Valve reed switch	
Initiate a vend cycle. If the vacuum <i>does not</i> turn on ▶	Blown or faulty fuse	Replace the 10 amp fuse	
	Loose or bad connection from the power board to the vacuum motor.	Perform a continuity check from the power board J5 connector (pins 4 & 7) to the vacuum switch in the Vacuum Valve. Find and fix the loose or bad connection.	
	Faulty vacuum motor	Replace the vacuum motor	
	Faulty computer board	Replace the computer board	

Bin Errors			
Detail	Possible Cause	Action/Solution	
Initiate multiple vend cycles. If the robot is drops product ►	Hole in the product bag	Remove	
	Air leak in hose	Replace hose	
	Misshapen or hole in the Picker tip	Replace picker tip	
	Programming and/or bin alignment.	Check and reprogram bins so that the robot drops straight down the center of the bin.	
	Machine is not level so the Picker head is not centered on the product causing an improper vacuum seal.	Level the machine.	
	Blow off flapper in a slightly open position due to deformed gasket	Replace neoprene blow off valve gasket	
	Binding in the Vacuum Valve Assembly	Inspect the assembly and fix the cause of the binding.	

Vacuum Problems			
Detail	Possible Cause	Action/Solution	
Initiate multiple vend cycles.	Blockage or obstruction anywhere between the picker tip and the vacuum valve assembly.	Remove blockage	
Robot drops down approx 5", comes up without getting product and	Magnetic reed switch in the vacuum valve assembly is faulty.	Replace the Magnetic Reed switch	
proceeds to the product drop point to complete the vend cycle. Acts as if there was a successful vend cycle. ►	Loose or bad connection from the controller board to the vacuum switch.	Perform a continuity check from the computer board J5 connector (pins 4 & 7) to the vacuum switch in the Vacuum Valve. Find and fix the loose or bad connection.	

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# BIN SETUP/ PLAN-O-GRAM



resulting in possible machine failure (out-of-order). If tall bins are programmed as short bins, the machine will only vend product based on the height of a short bin. The robot will leave product at the bottom of the tall bin and flag it *Out-Of-Product.* 

