FA168C

First Alert Professional offers the finest security, fire and personal emergency protection for your home by incorporating advanced technology with simple operation.

How it works...

The FA168C is the communication center of your security system – the "brains." All the sensors from around your home are connected to the FA168C. When your system is armed and a sensor detects a problem, it sends a signal to the control panel that then sends a signal to the central station. To alert anyone inside the home, it can also sound a siren.

Protecting vulnerable locations...

Sensors are usually placed at entry points to your home such as doors and windows, which are most vulnerable to intrusion. These include magnetic contacts and glassbreak sensors. Inside the home, Passive Infrared Detectors sense motion through body heat. Smoke and fire detectors are also protecting your home – and they're working even when the system isn't armed. Home or away, your system can react to fire emergencies at any time.

Keypads...

At the heart of your security system is the keypad – the piece of equipment that puts control right at your fingertips. In Standard, Deluxe or Alphanumeric models, these keypads offer simple operation combined with the latest, most advanced technology.

Want more control?

There are many options available that give you even greater control of your security system. You can choose to add an option which lets you use any touchtone phone as a keypad, so even if you're not at home, you can operate your system. There is also a selection of portable, wireless remotes that allow you to control your system with just the press of a button. Arm or disarm your system, or even operate lights without having to remember a code! Imagine that!





Feel at ease with a First Alert Professional Security System

- Your First Alert Professional authorized dealer will work with you to create a security system that meets your needs.
- You'll receive expert installation and exceptional service from their highly trained technicians.
- With the FA168C, your home and family will be protected from the threat of intrusion and fire. And you will have the peace of mind you've been looking for.

The FA168C: Convenient, Versatile, Simple

The FA168C from First Alert Professional puts high-tech enhanced security to work in your home and convenient options right at your fingertips.

Advanced technology is at work, protecting your home 24 hours a day!

In the event of fire or intrusion, the central station is contacted via the telephone line. It's important that the line is always operating properly, so the system continually checks it for proper voltage. If the phone line is out of service, an alert will be sounded and visually displayed on the keypad.

PARTITIONS... The FA168C has two partitions, allowing it to function as two systems in one. This is ideal for a mother/daughter home, or if you have a professional office in your home. Partitioning gives you two completely independent areas of protection.

ZONES... By assigning certain devices or areas of the home to specific zones, the system can better pinpoint the exact location where an unauthorized entry occurs or where a fire may be starting. The system comes standard with 8 supervised zones that support a wide variety of alarm devices. Up to 40 expansion zones can be added depending upon the number of devices needed to properly secure your home. 40 expansion zones may be used for either hardwired or wireless devices, which is particularly helpful if you choose to take advantage of the convenience of our advanced 5800 series of wireless accessories. These zoning features allow for maximum flexibility and expansion of the system. If you decide to enlarge your home, you have a system that can grow with you, simply and easily.

ACCESS... The FA168C features a master code and can be programmed for up to 48 secondary user codes in each partition. The secondary user codes can be assigned to different family members, and you can have a babysitter code programmed as well as a duress code. When used to arm or disarm the system, the duress code sends a silent message to the central station. This is important should you ever come face to face with an intruder who forces you to disarm the system. By entering the duress code, you have silently summoned for help while keeping your master code private.

PANIC... The FA168C has three programmable panic keys that can be used at the keypad or with wireless devices. They can be programmed for 24 hour silent, audible, personal or fire emergencies. One touch of a panic key and help is on the way.

POWER... The FA168C comes with a battery back-up which meets standard UL requirements. In the event of a power outage, this allows for uninterrupted system operation, keeping your home and family secure. In the event of a power failure the power indicator on the keypad will be off, indicating that the system is operating on battery power.

CONVENIENCE... With this system, you've got it! The FA168C can be set up so that if you want to operate the garage door, unlock entryways, or control lights or appliances, you can do so through your keypad or choose from a variety of wireless remote devices. With wireless remotes, arm your system with just the press of a button. Or, arming your system can be as easy as 1, 2! "Quick Arm" allows you to just press the "#" key and "arm" rather than your code and that's it – your system is armed! It's a simple and quick way to leave your home and still arm your system.

The FA168C has a paging feature available which will send signals to your pager to alert you about certain system conditions. The pager would display a code number that corresponds to a specific system condition, alerting you immediately if, for example, your home was experiencing a break in. The paging feature is especially helpful if you have latch-key children. The system can be programmed so that when you're at work, the pager will notify you when your son or daughter arrives home from school because they have been assigned their own user codes. The FA168C can also page you if your child has not arrived home by a pre-programmed time.

PREVENT FALSE ALARMS... The FA168C has features that can help you prevent false alarms which are recommended by the Security Industry Association (SIA). After all, you want to avoid unnecessary visits from the police and fire departments. Consider these scenarios....

Have you ever run out the door, forgot something, and had to rush back inside? With this system, you can re-enter your home within a pre-programmed amount of time and you don't have to worry about setting off the alarm.

Or, you're getting ready to leave the house, you've set the alarm by pressing the "AWAY" button, but *you haven't left within the time allowed – what happens?* This system is so smart – it knows you haven't left yet, goes back into STAY mode, and avoids setting off a false alarm!

The FA168C from First Alert Professional...We've thought of everything, so you don't have to.





