

Ground Fault Devices

Bryant Self Test GFCI Patented Technology and Features

CIRCUITPRO® Self Test Technology 1st introduced by Bryant over 10 years ago!
...self test monitoring now required in 2015 UL 943 GFCI Safety Standard...

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Bryant CIRCUITPRO® GFCI receptacles continually test and monitor for “people protection capability” automatically. This patented safety feature includes disconnecting power to the receptacle if critical components are damaged and GFCI protection is lost. GFCI auto-monitoring is conducted continuously within every 30 seconds.

Also, clear visual indicators are provided on the device face representing power status, trip condition, ground fault condition and end of life status. In addition, for added safety, power will be denied to the receptacle face if reverse wiring of line and load was to occur.

UL (Underwriters Laboratory) now requires all manufacturers to provide self test monitoring capability effective June 29, 2015. When was the last time you tested a GFCI receptacle? Industry studies indicate only a very small number of installations are actually being tested as is recommended by the manufacturer and UL. This is the fundamental reason this new revision has been incorporated into UL 943 standard for 2015.

Each Ground Fault Receptacle must automatically monitor GFCI functionality periodically	If the unit can no longer provide GFCI protection, it must comply with the following	Reverse line and load miswire function – (repeated)
Automatically test within (5) seconds of power to line and load terminals, periodically means every (3) hours or less.	Deny Power (trip with the inability to reset), if unit does reset it is subject to the next auto-monitoring test cycle. Visual and/or audible indication that it no longer can provide protection.	If the line conductor is wired to the load terminal, power to the receptacle face will be denied. This includes both the initial installation and any subsequent reinstallations.

Features

- **Patented CIRCUITPRO® Technology** — Continuous Self Test functionality and disconnects power to receptacle if critical components are damaged and GFCI protection is lost
- **Federal Communications Commission Part 15** — Compliant for radiated and conducted emissions
- **Thermoplastic Nylon Housing** — High-impact and ultraviolet resistant construction provides resilience in harsh environments
- **Clear Visual Indication of Ground Fault Receptacle Status** — LED indicating lights:
 - Green LED (power to the device)
 - Red LED (trip condition/ground fault condition)
 - Flashing Red LED (end of life)
- **Internal Back Wiring Clamp and Guide Pocket** — Quick and dependable termination
- **Protection Against Line and Load Reversal** — No power to the face or downstream receptacles if device is miswired
- **Installation Ease, Lower Labor Cost** — With auto-grounding clip, captive mounting screws and single tab “breakoff” ears and full “breakoff” for OEM raised covers
- **Night Light Option** — Light sensor controls for automatic “ON/OFF” and custom dual lens for optimum light output

