

## FIRST RAIN DISPLAY AND CONTROLLER



- ▶ The display & regulator must be connected to a rain gauge
- ▶ Information about the rain status: no rain, first rain, further rain
- ▶ Configurable parameters to set thresholds of rain status ( $T_1$ ,  $T_2$ ,  $Q_p$ )
- ▶ Relay outputs to indicate rain status

“First rain” is the first 5 mm of water rained in a given period of time. More than 5 mm of rain it is treated as “further rain” condition. DGP020 display unit, connected to a rain gauge, informs through its relay about the rain condition status, it shows the total rain, the rain intensity and the duration of the rain event.  $T_1$ ,  $T_2$  and  $Q_p$  parameters shown below, are programmable. The status of rain indicated by the display are described below:

- No rain condition: is any period of at least  $T_1$  min of no precipitation. The beginning of precipitation during the no rain period determines the transition to the status of “first rain”
- First rain condition: rainy condition, following a continuous period of no rain, or interrupted by any rain event intervals lower than  $T_2$  min, until rain volume reaches  $Q_p$  mm. When reached  $Q_p$  mm of precipitation, the system moves to further rain condition. If during first rain condition rain stops for a period longer than  $T_2$  min, the system goes back to the “no rain condition”.
- Further rain condition: is the period following the first rain condition, during which there are no rain breaks longer than  $T_1$  min. Break longer than  $T_1$  minutes determines the transition to the “no rain condition”.


$T_1$ ,  $T_2$  and  $Q_p$  parameters are programmable. **Technical Specifications**

Code	DGP020	
Input	Input	Tipping bucket rain gauge (1 imp. = 0,2 mm)
Output	Relay	OFF during “further rain” condition ON during other conditions: No rain, First rain
	Exchange contact	1 Amp 250 Vac
Commands	Switch	On/Off
	Led	Condition status information when relay is ON
	Buttons	N.4 buttons for $T_1$ , $T_2$ , $Q_p$ set-up and language
Power supply	Power supply	24 Vac $\pm$ 10% (opz. 220 Vca)
	Power consumption	2 VA
	Battery	Rechargeable Ni-Mh 9Vcc 150mAH
	Battery life	48 hrs if relay is OFF, 30 hrs if ON
General information	CE	Industrial environments
	Operative limits	0+50°C; UR 0-90%
	Language	Italian, English, French and German
	Display	LCD 20 chars, N.4 rows
	Dimension	144x72 mm
	Enclosure	DIN box (ELF020)



## First rain display & regulator

### Accessories

	<b>ELF020</b>	<p>IP65 box for DGP020 First rain display and regulator. It includes the power supply system (220 -&gt; 24 Vac) and the main switcher. Dimensions: 300x400x200 mm Material: polyester Power supply: 220 -&gt; 24 Vac Mounting: to mast or to wall</p>
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### First Rain System

The First Rain System consists of a rain gauge connected to the regulator / first rain interventor closed inside an IP65 box. The system can be mounted on a pole and is connected to the electric pumps that regulate the opening / closing of the First Rain tanks.

The system includes:

Ref. Fig.	PN	Description
		<b>Regulator/ First Rain Interventor</b>
1	<b>DGP020</b>	Display+regulator/First Rain/24Vac
		<b>IP65 Box</b>
2	<b>ELF020</b>	Box IP65/DGP020
		<b>Pole H.2 m (see catalogue MW9007-ENG-01)</b>
3	<b>DYA006.1</b>	Pole/H=2m/D=50mm
	<b>DYA020</b>	Tripod/concrete installation/pole D= 50 mm
	<b>DYA020.1</b>	Anchoring bolts for tripod/3 set
		<b>Rain Gauge (see catalogue MW9000-ENG-18)</b>
4	<b>DQA230.1</b>	Sensor/Rain gauge/324cmq/Siphone/Hz
5	<b>DYA040.2</b>	Arm/DQA230-231/to D=50mm.pole
	<b>DWA505</b>	Cable/L=5m/sensors



	Parameters	Range	Default
T1	Duration of the absence of precipitation that determines the transition from the condition of "further rain" to that of "absence rain"	1÷9999 min	2880 min
T2	Duration of first rain breaks that do not suspend the latter condition The occurrence of a longer pause immediately leads back to the "no rain" condition	1÷9999 min	2880 min
QP	Precipitation quantity, defined as first rain, the totalization of which determines the passage to the condition of "further rain"	1÷9 mm	5 mm

▶ T1, T2 and QP parameters are programmable

