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Universal Lighting Technologies expands Triad® electronic compact fluorescent ballast family with 347-voltage

Increases options for interior and exterior architectural fixture applications

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (February 18, 2002) – Universal Lighting Technologies, a leading manufacturer of electronic and magnetic ballasts, has expanded its electronic ballast family for compact fluorescent lamps to include a 347-volt ballast for new fixtures or replacement retrofits in high wattage applications. The C242/347 is designed for flexibility in downlighting, architectural and outdoor applications.

The C242/347 operates:

- One or two 42-watt multi-lamps;
- Two 40-watt circular T5 lamps;
- Two 36-watt long twin-tube lamps;
- Two 32-watt triple lamps;
- Two 28-watt 2-D lamps;
- Two 26-watt quad lamps;
- One 57-watt multi-lamp;
- Two 24-watt long twin-tube lamps;
- Two 22-watt circular T5 lamps; or,
- One 22-watt circular T5 lamp and one 40-watt circular T5 lamp.

The C242/347 features a auto-reset shutdown circuit for lamp end-of-life protection and programmed rapid starting for maximum lamp life. Bottom exit versions easily fit on any junction wiring box, with or without integral mounting studs. Side exit connector models are also available for wall sconces, surface mount, and other decorative fixtures.

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“The small package and increased voltage make Universal Lighting Technologies’ latest product ideal for intricate applications,” said Chris Dimino, director of electronic products. “There is more flexibility in lighting design with these new options.”

For more information about Triad® electronic compact fluorescent ballasts or other Universal Lighting Technologies products, fax your request to (615) 316-5146 or visit the web site at www.universalballast.com.

Universal Lighting Technologies Inc., formerly MagneTek Lighting Products, is an industry leader in lighting ballast technology and design. Based in Nashville, Tenn., Universal Lighting Technologies has offered the most innovative selection of lighting ballasts for more than 50 years. With operations and distribution worldwide, the products of Universal Lighting Technologies are marketed under the Universal® and Triad® brand names.

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Photo Description: Universal Lighting Technologies Triad® C242/347 compact fluorescent ballast is designed for applications where higher light levels are required and features an auto-reset shutdown circuit for lamp end-of-life protection and programmed starting for maximum lamp life.

Color photography available by request by calling Mary Wymer at (615) 385-1100.