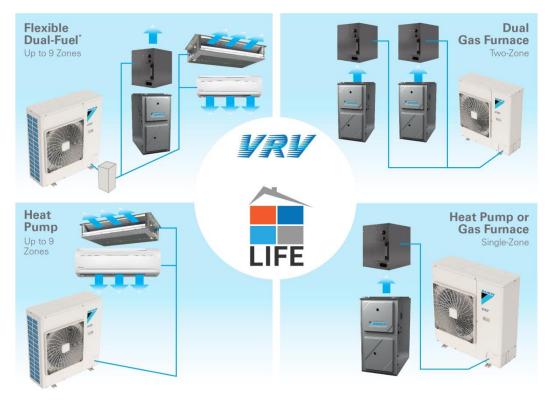


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Daikin Launches New VRV LIFETM Systems For Residential Applications

HOUSTON, March 6, 2018 – Daikin North America LLC has recently announced the launch of the new $VRV\ LIFE^{\text{TM}}$ systems. $VRV\ LIFE$ systems are re-inventing residential air-conditioning by breaking traditional HVAC technological barriers.



*Dual-Fuel is achievable only when VRV indoor units and gas furnace and A-coil are connected to one VRV LIFETM system outdoor unit.

VRV LIFE systems are designed specifically for residential applications, whether it's single family homes, townhomes or condominiums. The precision engineering of the new *VRV LIFE* systems provide flexibility, zoning, low sound and space savings, with the ability to mix and match several styles of both ducted and duct-free indoor models to accommodate the typical and the not so typical HVAC applications. Up to 9 indoor units can be connected to a single outdoor VRV heat pump to heat or cool, with high heating capacities below 0°F (-18°C). A highlight of the *VRV LIFE* system offering includes an industry first, ducted style furnace and evaporator coil system combination – Furnaces with evaporator coil combinations have been a common HVAC application throughout North America for many years, and are now also available with Daikin's world class *VRV* inverter compressor technology.

Daikin *VRV LIFE* systems use inverter driven *VRV* technology to solve some of the age-old residential HVAC challenges. Compressors are the heart of your heating and cooling systems and, as the single most energy consuming part of a system, it is important to understand that not all compressors are created equal. Traditional HVAC systems use single speed or dual speed compressors, while *VRV LIFE* systems are equipped with revolutionary Daikin variable speed inverter technology.

VRV LIFE systems can be configured as a heat pump or a dual fuel system using a gas furnace. As an all-electric heat pump, this system provides an efficient cooling and heating solution all year round with an extreme tempeature wide operating range from -4°F - 122°F. For colder months or for optimizing operational cost, *VRV LIFE* systems can also be paired with a gas furnace to provide a reliable source of heat in the most extreme climates. The small footprint and side discharge design of the *VRV LIFE* system outdoor heat pump provides additional placement flexibility, requires less space and is quieter than traditional air conditioning systems.

Revolutionary engineering technology and application flexibility make *VRV LIFE* systems an ideal choice for premium residential applications.

The *VRV LIFE* system includes a 10-year parts and 10-year compressor replacement limited warranty*. For more details, visit *VRV LIFE* online at https://daikincomfort.com/go/vrvlife/.

*Complete warranty details available from your local dealer or at www.daikincomfort.com. To receive the 10-Year Parts Limited Warranty, online registration must be completed within 60 days of installation. Online registration is not required in California or Quebec.

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Additional Information:

Before purchasing this appliance, read important information about its estimated annual energy consumption, yearly operating cost, or energy efficiency rating that is available from your retailer.

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