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Mouse Ventilator

Cat. No. 28025

General

This new Respirator, which completes the well known Ugo Basile line of Ventilators, features:-

- The **tidal volume**, in the range 0.1-1 ml (or 0.05-0.5 with the smaller piston installed), can be selected via its knob either while the pump is running or at a standstill. The stroke volume scale is ample, provided with precise engraved marks.
- The rate, selected by a knob, is indicated by a 3-digit solid state display, in the range 60-300 strokes per minute.
- Suitable channels and ports provide the witching of the air flow, with practically no dead space.
- A unique **variable stroke linkage** mechanism operates the piston.

The reciprocating motion is adjusted and transmitted to the piston by rods and articulated joints only, which leads to minimal wear, no backlash, silent operation and exact stroke reproducibility.







Main Features

- Ideal for use with mice, small birds and perinatal rats
- Optional 0.5 ml cylinder/piston assembly
- Purely mechanical, with impeccable finishing: lifetime lasting
- Quiet operation and negligible electrical noise

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MOUSE VENTILATOR

The instrument is compact and light, cm 20x13x18.5 and 2.5 Kg, and it is self-contained: in other words, it embodies its power supply which feeds the geared motor, its feedback controller and the rate display.

The Connection Square



As illustrated in the drawing above, and pictured below, a connection square of four ports include:-

- 1. intake of air or other non-explosive gas mixture
- 2. delivery of air to the animal lungs
- 3. return air from animal
- 4. exhaust, for sampling, partial recycling, testing positive expiration pressure, etc.

so closely packed, that the connection tubes are cut in different lengths, to ease the insertion of the tubing.



Start / Stop Model

A Mouse Ventilator version is available, Cat. 28125, which embodies a controlled pause feature.

The synchronised START/STOP function gives the operator a means to stop and restart the respirator at "full lungs" point, via an external trigger pulse, when it is beneficial if not essential to minimize any extraneous movement of the anesthetized animal during electrophysiological recording, X-ray and imaging, etc.

Specifications

Rate	60 to 300 strokes for minute
Rate Read-out	on digital display
Stroke Volume	0.1 to 1ml (with standard 1 ml piston)
	0.05 to 0.5ml (optional 0.5ml piston)
	Reproducibility $\pm 2\%$
Volume Scale	precision engraved, 0.05ml divisions
Start-Stop	by synchronised command
	(model 28125 only)
Power Requiremer	nts : 115 or 230V, 50/60Hz,10W max.

Physical

Dimensions	20x13x18.5cm
Net weight	2.2Kg
Shipping Weight	4.6Kg approx.
Packing	40x39x30cm

Ordering Information

28025	MOUSE VENTILATOR , complete with following standard accessories :-
28025-010 28025-302 28025-321 28025-323 E-WP008	1ml Cylinder/piston assembly Instruction Manual (on CD) Perspex Vertical Lid Cannula/Y-connection assembly (0.7mm & 1mm ID), tube, etc., in a plastic case Mains Cord
Ontions	
28025-5	Mouse Ventilator , with 0.5ml cylinder/ piston assy. & standard accessories
28025-005	0.5ml Cylinder/piston assembly
28125	Mouse Ventilator, with synchronised START/STOP feature, with 1ml cylinder/ piston assy. & standard accessories
28125-5	Mouse Ventilator, with synchronised

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Rodent Ventilator

Cat. No. 7025

General

The 7025 Rodent Ventilator is a volume-controlled mechanical ventilator (according to Starling's ventilator method), designed for use with rats, guinea pigs, mice and small birds.

The 7025 drive consists of a variable speed geared motor linked by a novel variable stroke mechanism to easily interchangeable cylinder/piston assemblies.

In particular, the **7025 can be equipped with 5, 10 or 30ml** cylinder/piston assembly.

Its precisely regulated geared-motor speed provides the most accurate and reliable stroke rate control of any respirator available.

The operation of the 7025 may be "paused" by an external TTL logic signal.

The picture features a Rodent Ventilator 7025, together with the 6025 for Cat/Rabbit



Main Features

- Interchangeable cylinder/piston assemblies (5, 10, 30ml)
- Quiet operation, both acustically and electrically (negligible R.F. broadcasting)
- Reliable mechanics and impeccable finishing: lifelong lasting
- Synchronised START/STOP function available as optional

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RODENT VENTILATOR

Instrument description

The unique linkage mechanism insures that:

- The piston almost touches the cylinder end with each stroke, regardless of the pre-set volume, thus insuring all air taken into the pump is expelled with each stroke.
- 2) The volume, clearly indicated on a **stationary dial**, is adjustable by means of a knob while the pump is either running or at standstill.
- 3) The reciprocating motion is generated, adjusted and transmitted to the piston by rods and articulated joints only.

The lack of sliding friction leads to:

- a) practically no wear
- b) no backlash and hence silent operation and exact stroke reproducibility.

Hook-up to animal

Four ports (*Intake, To Animal, From Animal* and *Exhaust*) allow flexibility in air channelling.

The input may be room air or any non-explosive gas mixture. The exhaust air may be partially or totally recycled or collected for analysis.

Ventilator Controls

The speed control knob adjusts the geared motor to the desired speed, which is indicated on the 3-digit LED display labelled STROKES P.M.

The operation of Ugo Basile Ventilators may be "paused" by an external TTL logic signal.

Start / Stop Model

For more demanding electrophysiological-pharmacological investigations, in particular when the operation of the Ventilator is software controlled, a **synchronised command** is available to START-STOP the Ventilator at completed forced inspiration.

Ask for special models 7125.

Specifications

Rate	TO to T80 strokes for minute	
Rate Read-out	digital display	
Stroke Volume	0.5 to 5; 1 to 10 or 3 to 30 ml,	
	depending on cylinder/piston	
Stroke Vol. Scale	1-10 ml	
Stroke Vol. Reprod.	±2%	
Universal input 85-264 VAC, 50-60Hz, 40 VA max.		

Physical

Dimensions27x2Net weight9.5KShipping Weight16KgPacking67x4

27x26x19cm 9.5Kg 16Kg approx. 67x42x53cm

Ordering Information

- **7025 RODENT VENTILATOR**, complete with following standard accessories:
- 7026 10ml Cylinder/piston assembly, complete
- 7032 Perspex Lid
- 7033 Lithium-Grease Tube
- 7044 Y-Canula

7025-302 Instruction Manual (on CD) E-WP 008 Mains Cord

Other available models and accessories

- 7025-5 RODENT VENTILATOR, as above, 5ml
- 7025-30 RODENT VENTILATOR, as above, 30ml
- **7128** 5ml Cylinder/piston assembly, complete**7027** 30ml Cylinder/piston assembly, complete
- 7025-150 Anesthesia Kit

Models with synchronised START/STOP feature

7125	Rodent Ventilator, 10ml
7125-5	Rodent Ventilator, 5ml
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7125-30 Rodent Ventilator, 30ml

See also our Anesthesia Systems, series 21100, the ideal match to our Ventilators!



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Cat/Rabbit Ventilator

Cat. No. 6025

General

The 6025 Cat/Rabbit Ventilator is a volume-controlled mechanical ventilator (according to Starling's ventilation method), designed for use with cats, rabbits and animals of similar size.

The 6025 drive consists of a variable speed geared motor linked by a novel variable stroke mechanism to easily interchangeable cylinder/piston assemblies.

In particular, the 6025 can be equipped with 50 or 100ml cylinder/piston assembly.

Its precisely regulated geared-motor speed provides the most accurate and reliable stroke rate control of any respirator available

The operation of the 6025 may be "paused" by an external TTL logic signal.

The picture features a Rodent Ventilator 7025, together with the 6025 for Cat/Rabbit

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Main Features

- Interchangeable cylinder/piston assemblies (50 and 100ml)
- Quiet operation, both acustically and electrically (negligible R.F. broadcasting)
- Reliable mechanics and impeccable finishing: lifelong lasting
- Synchronised START/STOP function available as optional

CAT / RABBIT VENTILATORS

Instrument description

The unique linkage mechanism insures that:

- The piston almost touches the cylinder end with each stroke, regardless of the pre-set volume, thus insuring all air taken into the pump is expelled with each stroke.
- 2) The volume, clearly indicated on a **stationary dial**, is adjustable by means of a knob while the pump is either running or at standstill.
- 3) The reciprocating motion is generated, adjusted and transmitted to the piston by rods and articulated joints only.

The lack of sliding friction leads to:

- a) practically no wear
- b) no backlash and hence silent operation and exact stroke reproducibility.

Hook-up to animal

Four ports (*Intake, To Animal, From Animal* and *Exhaust*) allow flexibility in air channelling.

The input may be room air or any non-explosive gas mixture. The exhaust air may be partially or totally recycled or collected for analysis.

Ventilator Controls

The speed control knob adjusts the geared motor to the desired speed, which is indicated on the 3-digit LED display labelled STROKES P.M.

The operation of Ugo Basile Ventilators may be "paused" by an external TTL logic signal.

Start / Stop Model

For more demanding electrophysiological-pharmacological investigations, in particular when the operation of the Ventilator is software controlled, a **synchronised command** is available to START-STOP the Ventilator at completed forced inspiration.

Ask for special models 6125.

Specifications

Rate	10 to 100 strokes for minute
Rate Read-out	digital display
Stroke Volume	10 to 50; 20 to 100, depending on
	cylinder/piston installed
Stroke Vol. Scale	10-50 ml
Stroke Vol. Reprod.	±2%
Universal input 85-26	54 VAC, 50-60Hz, 40 VA max.

Physical

Dimensions2Net weight1Shipping Weight1Packing6

27x26x19cm 10.5Kg 16Kg approx. 67x42x53cm

Ordering Information

- 6025 CAT/RABBIT VENTILATOR, complete with following standard accessories:
 6026 50ml Cylinder/piston assembly, complete
- **6027** Set of 2 Lip-Seal Rings for 50ml piston
- 7032 Perspex Lid
- 7033 Lithium-Grease Tube
- **7034** Set of 3 Hex. Wrenches (2, 2.5, 3 mm)
- 6044 Y-Canula
- 6025-302 Instruction Manual (on CD)

E-WP 008 Mains Cord

Other available models and accessories

6025-100 Cat/Rabbit Ventilator, as above, 100ml
6029 Set of 2 Lip-Seal Rings for 100ml piston
6025-150 Anesthesia Kit

Models with synchronised START/STOP feature

6125 Cat/Rabbit Ventilator, 50ml 6125-100 Cat/Rabbit Ventilator, 100ml

See also our Anesthesia Systems, series 21100, featured in the picture together with a 6026 Ventilator.



The ideal match to our Ventilators!

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No. 6025



Bronchospasm Transducer

New model for digital recorders

Cat. No. 17020

General

This transducer is designed to perform the bronchospasm test on laboratory animals and is particularly suitable for connection to UGO BASILE DataCapsule-*Evo* Recorder, and to other digital data acquisition systems.

It enables the research worker to evaluate the spasm-inducing effect of drugs having a very wide range of action, not necessarily intended to act on respiratory dynamics.

The Bronchospasm Transducer 17020 is also a useful research tool for screening substances inducing the opposite effect, both those causing active bronchodilation in basal conditions and those which antagonize test drugs such as histamine, bradykinin, etc.

It is basically an air flow meter provided with a water input valve with adjustable pressure threshold.

The measuring device is a compact unit made entirely of Perspex; power supply and controls are located in a separate electronic box.





- Evaluates the bronchospasm inducing effect of drugs
- The new model records the volume (with a precision of 0.1ml)



Main Features

- Simple and reliable method to assess airflow resistance
- The effect of bronchodilators agents is quickly assessed
- A complete set-up includes optional animal ventilator and data acquisition system (or chart recorder). Ask for details!

Experimental Layout

The experimental layout follows the well-known Konzett-Roessler arrangement (see BIBLIOGRAPHY) with the anaesthetized subject breathing via a reciprocating pump, according to Starling's mode of operation. See sketch below:



Sensitivity

The sensitivity of the instrument in comparison with conventional Konzett-Roessler apparatus is illustrated in the table below:

Minimum dosage in µg/Kg giving significant readings

	K-R Apparatus	UGO BASILE 17020
Histamine	3 - 6	0.3 - 0.6
Acetylcholine	20 - 40	3 - 10
Serotonin	6 - 15	1-3

Air Flow Meter

The recording system monitors respiratory dynamics by providing a tracing appearing as a succession of spikes.

When bronchospasm occurs, overpressure displaces the water column inside the T-tube and air bubbles through the water, escaping through an air flow tranducer thus generating an electrical signal.

When Bronchodilators are administered, overpressure is reduced to below normal breathing values, as the bronchi exert less aerodynamic resistance to forced inspiration.

The tracing will decrease in amplitude to a marked degree, enabling the action of bronchodilators to be assessed.

Compared to the previous model, which simply recorded the number of events, **the new model also provides the volume, with a precision of 0.1ml**.

Controls

The power supply and the controls are located in a separate cabinet of original design.



Ordering Information

17020	Bronchospasm Transducer, complete
	with following parts:
17020-302	Instruction Manual (on CD)

Ask for details about:

7025	Rodent	Ventilator

17308 DataCapsule-Evo Digital Recorder

Physical

Weight	2.7Kg
Shipping Weight	5.2Kg
Packing	40x39x30cm

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Gas Anesthesia Systems

Cat. No. 21100

General

The Ugo Basile New Gas Anesthesia is a compact, modular and reasonably-priced system, intended to match the highest technical requirements of animal labs that do not compromise on quality.

A wide range of options and accessories are available, most of which can be added in a scalable manner, making the system modular and with an excellent value for price!

Typical anesthesia procedures involve an induction phase and a maintenance phase, which require at least:

- Flow-meter and anesthetic Vaporizer
- Induction box and/or mask with breathing circuit
- Scavenger or flow hood (for gas anesthetic removal)

The Ugo Basile New Gas Anesthesia system include all of the above! ... and much more!

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Portable

Modular

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Main Features

- Digital Flowmeter with wide range (up to 16 litres per minute) for multiple animal delivery
- Up to six Animals with one Station
- Manifold for mask/induction-box switch and full range of accessories
- NEW Tec3 Vaporizers (non-refurbished)

GAS ANESTHESIA SYSTEM

No. 21100

Overview

The unique digital flowmeter, coupled to non-refurbished vaporizers for Isoflurane or Sevoflurane, result in an innovative yet sturdy and reliable system to anesthetize animals of virtually any size and up to 6 animals simultaneously.

An ample selection of modular components and accessories enables the user to customize and expand the anesthesia system upgrading from a **basic** (flowmeter & vaporizer) to a **full system** (with induction boxes, breathing circuits with masks of any size, switch valves, multiple delivery systems active or passive scavengers, etc.)

The blue 4mm thick aluminum rack has a highly resistant paint to protect against stains from aggressive anesthetic liquids & solvents.

Two universal attachment blocks are mounted on the back, to connect the device easily to any rail or mobile floor model anesthesia rigs of sizes 25x8mm up to 35x10mm.

Digital Flowmeter

The Ugo Basile Gas Anesthesia System includes a unique digital flowmeter.

Its wide flow range (from 0.3 to 16 l/min.) and fine resolution (0.1 l/min.) guarantees enough gas flow to anesthetize up to 6 animals simultaneously!



Small and large animals could be anesthetized with the same system (virtually, from mouse to horse!)

Nose-cone/Masks with diaphragm

Unlike many rodent masks available on the market, these masks incorporate a latex diaphragm, which holds the rodent nose, keeping the animal in correct position and ensuring a continuous positive flow of fresh oxygen & anesthetic.

The membrane also provides a positive seal reducing the exposure of the user to anesthetic gases.

Available in several sizes:

- Small/Large Mice
- Small/Medium/ Large Rats
- Large Rodents/Feline

The picture shows a mouse nose-cone/ mask, connected to an evacuation tubing.

Induction Box

The **7900** Induction Box is a conveniently dimensioned (25x13x13cm), costeffective solution to confine one guinea pig, one rat or several mice.

It incorporates a sliding lid and tubing connectors (vaporizer input and scavenger output).



A larger size, **7910** is also available, dimensioned 44x22x-21cm, for larger animals such as rabbits.

Dual Diverter Manifold with Humidifier

All of the Ugo Basile Gas Anesthesia Systems come with a pre-installed mounting bracket to fit the Dual Diverter Manifold (as shown in the picture).



The anesthetic gas flow can be diverted toward 2 independent devices (i.e., an induction chamber and a breathing mask).

A simple and efficient humidifier is included with the manifold. It is especially recommended for long-term

anesthesia, when dehydration may become an issue.

Multiple Delivery System

The Multiple Delivery accessory allows the connection of up to six devices to one anesthesia system for simultaneous operation.

Each device (for 2, 3,



4, 5 or 6 animals) has independent flow regulation.

F/AIR Scavenger

A solution to handling waste anesthetic gases when active evacuation systems are not available, activated charcoal canisters remove approx. 50g of halogenated anesthetic agents from the waste gas stream before being discarded.



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GAS ANESTHESIA SYSTEM

Ordering Information

ANESTHESIA SYSTEMS

- **21050** Basic Single-Output Anesthesia System including Digital Flowmeter (for O₂ or Medical Air) and TEC-3 vaporizer for Isoflurane (*)
- 21100 Single-Output Anesthesia System, including 21050 (*), 2 passive scavengers (**), evacuation tubing.
- 21200 Double-Output Anesthesia System, Including 21050 (*), 4 passive scavengers (**), evac. tubing & dual diverter manifold with humidifier
- 21400 Multiple-Animal Anesthesia System, including 21050 (*), 8 passive scavengers (**), evac. tubing and Multiple Delivery System for 4 animals.
- 21600 Multiple-Animal Anesthesia System, including 21050 (*), 12 scavengers (**), evac. tubing and Multiple Delivery System for 6 animals.

<u>Special configurations available on request: ask for</u> <u>details!</u>

ACCESSORIES

Delivery Systems (Masks & Induction Boxes)

PS-0525-A Nose-Cone/Mask Circuit for Small Mice,

PS-0305-A Nose-Cone/Mask for Large Mice, 3cmø

PS-0306-A Nose-Cone/Mask for Small Rats, 4.5cmØ

PS-0307-A Nose-Cone/Mask, Medium Rats, 5cmø

PS-0308-A Nose-Cone/Mask for Large Rats, 5.5cmø

All masks are complete with diaphragm and inlet connector

- **7900** Induction Box for small rodents (rats and mice), dimensioned 25x13x13 (h) cm
- 7910 Large Induction Box, 40x22x21(h)cm
- **21100-790 Induction Box** for **small rodents**, airtight model, with latch, 25x13x13 (h) cm

Special Systems with N2O

22100 O2/N2O Anesthesia System, with 2 Analog Flowmeters, TEC-3 vaporizer for Isoflurane (*), passive scavenger (**), evac. tubing.

* Vaporizers for other anesthetic agents available on request ** Activated Charcoal Canisters

Multiple-Output Delivery Systems

- PS-0529-02 Dual Diverter Manifold with humidifier, see complete model 21200
- PS 30-459 Multiple-Animal Delivery System, 6 Flowmeters, see complete model 21600

Multiple delivery systems for 2, 3, 4, and 5 animals available

Anesthetic Scavenger and Evacuation

PS-0581-00 F/air filter (activated charcoal canister) PS-0581-01 F/air filter, pkg. of 8

- **PS-0582 Evac.Tubing for F/air**, 1.8 m with 19 mm male x 22 mm female adaptor
- 21100-833 Active Scavenger System, to remove the anesthetic agent by negative pressure (to be be connected to an activated charcoal canister)

Heating Pads and Surgical Tables

21100-800 Rodent Warmer, to monitor and maintain animal t e m p e r a t u r e during surgery: available with mouse, rat or home-cage heating pad; the rectal thermal probe is sold separately. <u>See leaflet!</u>



PS-0811 Heating Pads Delta-Phase Isotherm (pkg of 3), 20x20x0.65 cm. Maintains animal body temperature near 37°C up to several hours. Ideal for NMR.

Other <u>Recommended</u> Accessories

Fill Devices

PS-0950	for Isoflurane	-
PS-0951	for Sevoflurane	1
PS-0949	for Halothane	

Physical (21100)

Weight8.5KgDimensions26(w)Shipping Weight12KgPacking67x42

8.5Kg 26(w)x18(d)x24(h)cm 12Kg 67x42x53cm

(h)cm



Anesthetizing Box

Cat. No. 7900 (rodents) 7910 (rabbits)

General

Our Induction Boxes are conveniently dimensioned induction boxes, featuring a sliding lid. They are made of Perspex and prove to be particularly useful to confine laboratory animals during anesthetizing.

The **7900**, for small rodents, is **dimensioned 25x13x13**(h)cm; the larger model 7910, for rabbits is **dimensioned 40x22x21**(h)cm;

The transparent acrylics permits the animal to be kept under constant observation.

Two tubing connectors of nickel plated brass are fitted into each end, one located at the top of the box and the other at the bottom.

Any (non-explosive!) gas mixture can be used. In case small quantities of liquid, as ether or chloroform are used, soak a cotton wool flock and place it in a small Becker, in-side the box.

For more demanding application, and higher safety, an airtight model, with latch, is also available, see picture below.

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Our Induction chambers are ideal to work with our new Anesthesia Systems TO CONFINE SMALL LABORATORY ANIMALS DURING ANESTHETIZING



Ordering Information

- **7900** Induction box for small rodents 25x13x13(h)cm, ID 23x12x12(h) cm
- 7910 Induction box for rabbits 40x22x21(h)cm, ID 38x20x19(h) cm
- 2100-790 Airtight model, with latch, see picture 25x13x13 (h) cm, ID 21x11x13(h) cm



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Rodent Warmer

by Stoelting

Cat. No. 21100-800

General

Use Rodent Warmer before, during and after surgical procedures to improve surgical outcome and overall longevity.

Monitor and maintain animal temperature with three programmable settings: animal specific, timer or use with thermal probe.

The Rodent Warmer is available with mouse, rat or home-cage heating pad; the rectal thermal probe is sold separately.

The Rodent Warmer is a perfect complement to our line of Ventilators and Anesthesia Systems, as well as our BP Recorder, and Stoelting's Stereotaxic Instruments.

Model X2 is also available, which allows for easy programming and controls 2 independent heating pads simultaneously.

Available with a combination of mouse, rat or home-cage heating pads.

VENTILATORS and GAS ANESTHESIA



Minimize heat loss and improve surgical outcome with the new rodent warmer!

Compact

for Mice and Rats



Main Features

- Ideal for use with mice and rats
- Easy to use dial control
- Heating Pad Included (mouse, rat, or home cage)
- Preprogrammed Animal Temperatures
- Lightweight, small footprint
- Use with or without rectal probe (rectal probe sold separately)

Ugo Basile: more than 10,000 citations

General

The new Rodent Warmer can be used as a general warming system or with a rectal probe (sold separately) for more accurate, core temperature monitoring during pre- and post-op surgical procedures.

Before: Heating pad can be placed underneath an induction chamber to reduce heat loss during anesthetic administration.

During: Place heating pad on a rodent surgery table or stereotaxic instrument to maintain and monitor temperature during surgical procedures, ventilation and anesthesia.

After: Cage heating pads can be placed in the animal's home cage for faster recovery following surgical procedures.

Instrument Description

The Rodent Warmer provides three Operating Settings:

- 1. Select from pre-programmed animal temperatures
- 2. Countdown Timer
- 3. Use with Thermal Rectal Probe
- All selectable via an easy-to-use dial control.



Heating Pads

Heating pads are available in three different sizes:



Heating Pad 16x38cm



Optional

Rodent Warmer X2 is also available, to control 2 independent heating pads simultaneously. Available with a combination of mouse, rat or home-cage heating pads.



Physical

Temperature Control Range	:	25-45°C
Temperature Resolution	:	0.1°C
Heater Blanket Connection	:	4-pin locking DIN
Heater Power	:	24VDC@3A
Max Power Requirements	:	120/240VAC (switchable) 50/60Hz, 75VA
Probe Input Connector	:	Phone jack
Probe Dimensions	:	0.62in/1.6mm tip diam.
Control Box Dimensions	:	12.5(l)x9.5(w)x4(h)cm
Control Box Weight	:	200g

Ordering Information

Rodent Warmer X1

21100-800M 21100-800R 21100-800C	Rodent Warmer with Mouse Heating Pad Rodent Warmer with Rat Heating Pad Rodent Warmer with Cage Heating Pad
Rodent Wa	rmer X2
21100-850MM	Rodent Warmer with 2 Mouse Heating Pads
21100-850RR	Rodent Warmer with 2 Rat Heating Pads
21100-850CC	Rodent Warmer with 2 Cage Heating Pad
Accessories	:
21100-810	Mouse Heating Pad
21100-812	Rat Heating Pad
21100-814	Cage Heating Pad
21100-304	Rectal Thermal Probe (*)

(*) Rectal Thermal probe always sold separately.

Heating Pad

7x7cm

PHARMACOLOGY





PAIN AND INFIAMMATION



TISSUE BATHS, TRANSDUCERS, RECORDERS MISCELLANEOUS, ECT, LMD

MOTORY COORDINATION, GRIP, STRENGTH, ACTIVITY



BLOOD PRESSURE, VITAL FUNCTIONS

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VENTILATORS AND GAS ANESTHESIA



METABOLISM, FEEDING BEHAVIOUR



BEHAVIOUR, MAZES, TRACKING

MUROMACHI MICROWAVE FIXATION







Isolated Organ Baths

Cat. No. 4000 / 4050 / 4400

General

The Isolated Organ Baths have been designed for accurate recording of isometric or isotonic tissue contraction/release.

Research involving effects of electrical stimuli or drugs on isolated organs, uterus, trachea, vessel strips, auricle, can be performed under optimum conditions.

Wash or test solution enters the chamber after passing through the temperature equilibrating coils and the syringe valve. The tissue in the chamber is washed by flushing the chamber through an overflow drain tube, to avoid exposing the tissue to the air.

Water stirring is accomplished by a water jet delivered by a centrifugal pump.

A 200W stainless steel heating element is mounted on the Perspex tank floor. A precise solid state "proportional" thermostat maintains the temperature within the excellent limits of $\pm 0.1^{\circ}$ C on all models.

Note : the Isometric and Isotonic Transducers featured in the picture are not included and can be ordered separately.



TISSUE BATHS, TRANSDUCERS, STIMULATORS

SAFETY EFFICIENCY

4000 One Muscle Chamber 4050 Two Muscle Chambers 4400 Four Muscle Chambers

Main Features

- All components visible through the clear Pespex tank: great for teaching!
- Tissue washing without exposure to air
- Water-jet bath stirring provided by a noiseless vibration-free centrifugal pump
- Easy and quick mounting of tissue

Bath 4000

The 4000 water bath consists of a clear Perspex tank, 19x19x17cm which contains one tissue chamber, one temperature equilibrating coil, one adjustable support rod on which transducers can be fastened to the tank via the holder provided.

Bath 4050

This is similar to the one-chamber bath 4000 but the tank is dimensioned (34x19x17cm) to accomodate two muscle chambers and syringe valves, two coils, two adjustable support rods and holders for transducers.

Bath 4400

The bath 4400 lodges up to 4 preparations; they maintain the features of the 4050 but heating power and dimensions are upgraded accordingly, the tank being 47x29x22cm.

Tissue Chamber Configuration

The tissue chambers provided with porous frit, available in 5, 10, 20, 30 or 50 ml are standard. unless otherwise specified, we supply our tissue baths with 10ml muscle chambers.

An accurately positioned glass hook is provided in the chamber to which the thread loop can be easily attached, ensuring the organ being well centered in the chamber.

Tissue chambers are also available provided with an aeration side arm in 20, 30 or 50 ml volume. Tissue chambers without hook are available on request.

Control Box

The control section of the bath lodges the electronics; the temperature regulator, the temperature sensor &



the temperature sensor & the circulation motor are connected to by connectors enabling quick disconnection for servicing purposes.

The upper panel consolidates all commands and the temperature regulator, with keys to preset water temperature in the range 25-45°C, enabling an accurate temperature setting in 0.1°C steps.

Recording & Transducers

Ugo Basile offers a complete line of Transducers (Isometric 7003, 7004, 7005, 7010 or Isotonic 7006) and a versatile 4-channel digital recorder, **DataCapsule**-*Evo*. **Ask for details**!

Ordering Information

4000	Isolated Organ Bath , One Muscle Chan ber , with circulation pump, heater, the mostat, temperature sensor, complete pro- vided with following standard accessories	1- r- 5:
4005 4100	Temperature Equilibrating Coil Muscle Chamber, 10ml, provided with porous frit and hook	
14110 4004 4000-302 E-WP 008	Lead-Screw Positioner for 10 & 13mm rods Supporting Rod (10mm diam.) Instruction Manual Mains Cord	
4050	Isolated Organ Bath, 2 Muscle Chamber as above but all standard accessories mult plied by two, i.e., 2x4005, 2x4100, etc.	s , :i-
4400	Isolated Organ Bath, 4 Muscle Chamber as above but all standard accessories mult plied by four, i.e., 4x4005, 4x4100, etc.	s , :i-
Physical		
4000	Dimensions : 32x20x22cm Weight : 4Kg Shipping Weight : 10.5Kg Packing : 67x42x53cm	
4050	Dimensions : 47x20x22cm Weight : 6.5Kg Shipping Weight : 11.5Kg	

	Packing	:	80x60x44cm
4400	Dimensions	:	47x29x22cm
	Weight	:	9Kg
	Shipping Weight	:	16.5Kg
	Packing	:	680x60x44cm

Power Requirement:

115 or 230V, 50-60Hz 250VA max. for 4000/4050, 400VA max. for 4400

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Multiplexing Pulse Booster

Cat. No. 3165

General

The 3165 Multiplexing Pulse Booster is a useful complement to any stimulator, delivering up to 800mA of constant current to up to four in-vitro preparations (e.g., smooth muscles) at the same time.

The Multiplexing Pulse Booster has been designed to obviate the inconveniences connected to the use of single-channel stimulators, that lack the independent output connections and the individual adjustment capability to deliver pulses of preset intensity to more than one preparation.

It is especially useful when "field electrodes" and other low impedance stimulation arrangements are used.

Bear in mind that the one-channel stimulator can be conveniently replaced by a data acquisition system, as our **17304 DataCapsule-Evo**!

Four in-vitro preparations can be driven by a single one-channel stimulator



Main Features

- High Power constant current: up to 800 mA
- Independent Isolated Circuits to eliminate interference
- Unipolar or Bipolar Mode
- Adequate Voltage (45V) enabling stimulation by field electrodes of most in-vitro preparations
- Continuous Monitoring of the preset current flowing through each preparation

Ugo Basile: more than 10,000 citations

TISSUE BATHS, TRANSDUCERS, STIMULATORS

Instrument Description

The 3165 features:

- High Power, digitally adjustable constant current: up to 800 mA
- Adequate Voltage (45V) which enables stimulation by field electrodes of most in-vitro preparations described in the literature
- Unipolar or Bipolar Mode
- Independent Isolated Circuits to eliminate interference
- Continuous Monitoring of the preset current flowing through each preparation

The current level of each channel is set via its individual 3-digit thumb-wheel switch.

The current output is adjustable in each channel to equal or different levels in the range 0-799mA in 1mA steps.

These current levels are independent of the Stimulator output voltage.

The pulse mode, either unipolar or bipolar, can be selected on one or more channels.

Optional Timer

An optional **Timer (Cat. 3175)** can be supplied, housed in its individual mini-box, to enable the Pulse Booster to deliver pulse trains, when the Stimulator lacks this feature.

This timer is provided with both train and pausebetween-trains duration adjustments. Both adjustment time-scales span the interval 0-999 seconds in 1 second steps.

A standard field electrode pair (Cat. 3160) can be supplied. Special electrodes can be designed and manufactured on request.

Please ask for details!

Connection to Digital Recorder

A one-channel stimulator can be conveniently replaced by a data acquisition system, as - for example - our **DataCapsule-Evo**!

Ordering Information

3165	MULTIPL	MULTIPLEXING PULSE BOOSTER,	
	complete		
3165-302 E-PE 015 E-WP 008	Instruction Manual Connection Cable Power Cord		
Optional			
3175	Timer for	3165	
PHYSICAL			
Power Req	uirement	115/230 V, 50/60 Hz, 30W	
Dimension Weight Shipping V Packing	s /eight	26(w)x30(d)x12(h 4.4Kg 6.5Kg approx. 46x38x27cm	

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Superfusion System

Cat. No. 14900

General

Neurotransmitter release is the major step of neurotransmission. Abnormalities in neurotransmitter release have been proposed to be involved in many pathological conditions.

Therefore, understanding the physiological mechanisms of transmitter release and how the process can be modified by pathological states is essential to develop therapeutically useful pharmacological agents.

UGO BASILE 14900 Superfusion System has been especially designed to perform release studies from synaptosomes, although brain slices can be employed as well.

On the other hand, presynaptic nerve terminals are the sites where release specifically occurs; therefore superfusion of synaptosomes is best suited to explore presynaptic events.

Superfused synaptosomes are the preparation of choice to study release-regulating presynaptic receptors and to explore the intimate mechanisms of neurotransmitter release.

TISSUE BATHS, TRANSDUCRES, STIMULATORS



RAITERI'S METHOD

Synaptosomes Release Studies



Main Features

- Specifically designed to perform release studies from synaptosomes
- Brain slices can be employed as well
- More than 300 full papers using superfused synaptosomes have been published

SUPERFUSION SYSTEM

Introduction

UGO BASILE **14900 Superfusion System is a semi-automated version of that originally developed in Raiteri's laboratory**, where about 200 papers have been published exploiting the technique.

We have developed this Superfusion System in order to make commercially available an instrument in which the original design of the superfusion chambers has remained intact.

The 14900 Superfusion System consists of 12 parallel open superfusion chambers with 12 upper reservoirs, all thermoregulated by a water-jacket. Prewarmed oxygenated media of the desired composition can be concomitantly delivered from the reservoirs to the superfusion chambers.

Synaptosomes are accomodated as very thin layers on microporous filters placed on glass filter supports.



Superfusion is provided by a multi-channel peristaltic pump and superfusate samples are directly collected into scintillation vials.

Ordering Information

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14900	SUPERFUSION SYSTEM (Raiteri's me-
	thod), standard package, including:-
14900-001	Electronic Unit
14900-002	Superfusion Bath Complete Assem-
	bly, including upper & lower cham-
	bers, valves, set of tubes, etc.
14900-004	Suction Pump
14900-302	Instruction Manual
14900-328	Set of Phials
14900-338	Set of Filters
14900-325	Phial Rack
14900-302	Drain Pan
E-WP008	Mains Cord
Optional:	
14900-003	Water Circulator/Heater
14900-015	Masterflex Peristaltic Pump, 12 chan-
	nels, expandable
14900-024	Masterflex Peristaltic Pump 24 chan-

Physical

Weight	34Kg (complete assembly)
Shipping Weight	48Kg
Dimensions	14900-001: 38(w)x30(d)x13(h)cm 14900-002: 46(w)x28(d)x60(h)cm
Packing	1 box 80x60x44cm 1 box 62x65x84
Power Requirement	115 or 230V, 50/60Hz, 100W max.

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In addition, more than 300 full papers using superfused synaptosomes have been published



Isometric Transducers

Cat. No. 7003 / 7004 / 7005 & 7010

General

The three models 7003-7004-7005 cover the range from 0 to 50 g (see table on the facing page). The high sensitivity 7010 is designed for the mg range.

The force exerted on a hollow carbon fibre beam is converted into proportional electric signal via strain-gauges, conveniently wired in Wheatstone bridge circuit.

Model Selection

Ugo Basile transducers are of robust construction and can withstand forces of up to 5-10 times the rated value.

It is possible to use 7003 which is generally used for trachea rings or artery strips, where forces of 5-10 grams are involved, by operating at minimum amplifier sensitivity; however, the cantilever will deflect with a load of the mentioned magnitude

Generally speaking, it is advisable to use a stiff transducer, operating at high amplifier sensitivity, and use the most sensitive transducer only when





Isotonic Transducer (left), see separate datasheet

Also available from Ugo Basile:

- Tissue Baths, 1, 2, 4-chambers
- Digital Recorder DataCapsule-Evo
- Electrodes & Stimulators



Main Features

- Ugo Basile transducers have been designed for precise measurement of force in muscular preparations under isometric conditions
- An Isometric Transducer measures changes in force at constant length whereas an Isotonic Transducer is basically a displacement meter under constant load

Isometric Transducer Specifications

Model	7010	7003	7004	7005
Electrical				
Excitation Voltage (max.)	6V	6V	6V	6V
Excitation Voltage (typical)	3V	3V	3V	3V
Sensitivity (µV per g per V)	110	70	25	10
Non linearity & Hysteresis	+/-3%	+/-3%	+/-3%	+/-3%
Mechanical			•	
Force Range	0-800 mg	0-2g	0-10g	0-50g
Overload Rating	5g	20g	50g	200g
Moment of Inertia	7gcm²	7gcm²	7gcm²	7gcm ²
Lever Arm Displacement	0.5 mm/g	0.3 mm/g	0.1 mm/g	0.06 mm/g
Physical				
Weight	270g	270g	270g	270g
Shipping Weight	900g	900g	900g	900g
Packing	29x26x	29cm		

Compatibility

Before ordering, check the connection compatibility of your amplifier/recording system.

The Isometric & Isotonic Transducers are normally supplied with a connector designed for Ugo Basile Data-Capsule-Evo Recorder (see datasheet).

If the customer wishes to make use of other recording apparatus, the transducers can be supplied with appropriate connectors on request: we will be glad to provide transducer with different connectors, if available, or to provide wiring information and instruction.

Ordering Information

7003	Isometric Force Transducer , type DY1
7004	Isometric Force Transducer , type DY2
7005	Isometric Force Transducer , type DY3

7010 High-Sensitivity Transducer , type DY0

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Isotonic Transducer

Cat. No. 7006

General

The 7006 Isotonic Transducer basically consists of a carbonfibre lever arm which pivots on the shaft of a Hall-effect rotary motion transducer of original design.

The arm is balanced by an adjustable counterweight of tungsten alloy.

It is possible to carry out experiments on extremely small muscle fibres, which can be held under a tension of as little as 100-200 mg so that minimal force and consequent displacement alterations can be recorded.

The lever arm balancing is provided by a tungsten alloy counterweight which can be shifted by turning its knurled section.

This load is monitored by the counterweight rim moving along a scale calibrated in grams.

TISSUE BATHS, TRANSDUCERS, STIMULATORS



Isometric Transducer (right), see separate datasheet

Also available from Ugo Basile:

- Tissue Baths, 1, 2, 4-chambers
- Digital Recorder DataCapsule-Evo
- Electrodes & Stimulators



Main Features

- Ugo Basile Isotonic Transducer is specially designed for investigating isotonic contractions in isolated organs, particularly smooth muscle, amphibian hearts, etc.
- An Isotonic Transducer is basically a displacement meter under constant load, whereas an Isometric transducer measures changes in force at constant length

Isotonic Transducer Specifications

Voltage Output	300µV per mm displacement of lever arm tip
Linearity	\pm 2% to \pm 15 $^{\circ}$ rotation
Excitation Voltage	6 ÷ 15V
Excitation Current	20mA (constant in the range 6 \div 15V)
Operating Range	\pm 15° about the centre
Lever Arm Length	10cm
Lever Arm Travel	бст
Breakaway Torque	less than 0.1g x cm
Moment of Inertia	35 g x cm ²

Overall Dimensions16.5x5.5x11cm (excl. removable handle)Weight0.35KgShipping Weight1.60KgPacking29x26x29cm

Compatibility

Before ordering, check the connection compatibility of your amplifier/recording system.

The Isometric & Isotonic Transducers are normally supplied with a connector designed for Ugo Basile Data-Capsule-Evo Recorder (see datasheet).

If the customer wishes to make use of other recording apparatus, the transducers can be supplied with appropriate connectors on request: we will be glad to provide transducer with different connectors, if available, or to provide wiring information and instruction.

Ordering Information

7006 Isotonic Transducer

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TISSUE BATHS, TRANSDUCERS, STIMULATORS

DataCapsule-*Evo* Digital Recorder

Cat. No. 17308

NEW

General

The new DataCapsule-*Evo 17308*, powered by iWorx, is a new general purpose, 8-channel data acquisition system that provides high resolution and sensitivity over conventional recorders.

It is an advanced and feature-rich physiological data acquisition system; it comes standard with eight general purpose input channels, a low voltage and high voltage stimulator, eight digital inputs and outputs, a built-in barometric pressure sensor, and four iWire[™] inputs.

The 17308 exhibits the high resolution, low noise, and flexibility required for a variety of research applications.

Set-up is plug-and play easy, with connection to PC or MAC computers via USB interface; incorporating innovative iWire serial interface technology and advanced LabScribe data acquisition and analysis software, the 17308 Recorder accommodates a wide range of sensors, transducers, and other devices.

The 17308 feature a high resolution, 16-bit ADC, with exceptionally low system noise $\sim 1 \text{mV}$.

LabScribe3[™] software is provided with the instrument, or can be downloaded from our web site.



LabScribe3[™] Software on-board 100KHz Sampling Speed

4+4 CHANNEL DATA ACQUISITION SYSTEM

with iWire Interface (4 additional channels)



Main Features

- USB connection to PC and MAC
- Connectors for most transducers
- DIN & BNC inputs and BNC outputs
- Input trigger to start recording
- High resolution and sensitivity
- Dual Programmable stimulator iWire interface

DATACAPSULE

Connections and Specifications

Four Channels are equipped with a BNC connector for single-ended transducers. Four channels are equipped with a transducer amplifier, to allow connection to virtually any physiological transducer via a DIN8 connector.



The Maximum sampling speed is 100k samples per second aggregate.

iWire Connectors accept up to four serial iWire interfaces including the iWire-B3G, iWire-BIO4, iWire-BIO8, and iWire-ECG12. The iWire-B3G interface can record up to four channels of data. Three of the channels are isolated biopotential amplifiers capable of recording ECGs, EMGs, EOGs, EGGs, and EEGs, while the fourth is a dedicated GSR amplifier (used with the C-ISO-GSR sensor). The iWire-BIO4 and iWire-BIO8 include four or eight biopotential amplifiers respectively.

EM1 and EM2 accept the Event Marker (EM-220).



Each channel of the 17308 is equipped with dual, low voltage, independently programmable 16-bit +/- 15V stimulators.

Parameters for the stimulators, such as pulse width, frequency & amplitude, may be changed on the fly, using controls located in the LabScribe software toolbar.

Standard protocols include Pulse, Train, Step, Triangle, Ramp, and Custom. Connected via BNC connectors.

Software and Data Management

The DataCapsule-Evo setup is plug-and-play easy with connection to PC or MAC computers via USB interface.

Recorded data are managed by the versatile LabScribe3 Software, featuring optimized scaling of displayed data: time base or y-axis scaling can also be zoomed in or out with a single click of the mouse.

Keyboard input from the user may be time locked to the data; annotations may be positioned in the data, just as you would write on chart paper!

Twenty-four off-line calculations are also supported, including Max-Min, Slope at a Point, and Mean.

Any view of the data can be exported to the disk as a text file or graphic.

This capability is ideal for post calculation in programs like Excel™ or MatLab™; data from any window in the program can always be printed.

DataCapsule-Evo Specifications

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BNC Inputs (A1-A4) Number of Inputs ± 10 VDC Input Range Resolution 16 bit Connectors **BNC** Cable

DIN8 Transducer Inputs (A5-A8)

Number of Inputs Input Range Resolution Isolation Excitation Connectors Gain

 ± 10 VDC 16 bit No ±5 VDC, 100 mA DIN8 Programmable with input resistor

High Voltage Stimulator Output

Connectors **HV** Safety **Output Range** 0-1mA Compliance 100V Max ON time

10ms

Low Voltage Stimulator Outputs (S1-and S2)

Resolution 16bit Connectors BNC **Output Range** ± 15 VDC at 35 mA Modes Pulse, Train, Constant, Step, Ramp, Triangle, Custom

Digital Inputs and Outputs

Input Output

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A/D Converter

A/D Converter	
Sampling Speed Interface	100KHz aggregate USB 1.1, 2.0, full speed
Physical	
Power Dimensions Shipping Dimensions Weight Shipping Weight	12VDC, 1.5A 23cm(W) x 15cm(D) x 6.5cm(H) 45 (D) x 34 x 26 (h) cm 2.0 Kg 4.0 Kg
Software	iWorx LabScribe3 [™]
Warranty	The 17308 hardware is protected with a 24-month warranty

mA maximum load per line

8 independent lines, TTL input, 1 Mega

8 independent lines, TTL output level, 24

Ohm input impedance, 5V maximum

Ordering Information

17308 DataCapsule-Evo Digital Recorder, standard package, including LabScribe3TM Software

Transducers

The DataCapsule can be connected to a variety of transducers.

Among the ones offered by Ugo Basile:

7003-G	Isometric Force Transducer, type DY1
7004-G	Isometric Force Transducer, type DY2
7005-G	Isometric Force Transducer, type DY3
7010-G	High Sensitivity Transducer, type DY0
7006-G	Isotonic Transducer
17844-G	Pressure Transducer



ECT Unit

Cat. No. 57800

General

The ECT apparatus is specially designed for neurochemical and neuropharmacological research.

A constant current output is used, which ensures reproducible results and accurate determination of the EC threshold while also pinpointing any variations in the threshold, brought about by drugs having a specific action on the cortex and subcortical regions.

The shock parameters have been selected after consulting the most recent literature, to supply the most suitable range when operating with mice and rats.

Consistent reproducible current levels are produced by feedback circuitry that adjust for variance in impedance of the contact from animal to animal.

The Electroconvulsive Device is supplied with auricular (ear lobe) electrodes.

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DESIGNED FOR INDUCING CONVULSIONS IN RESEARCH ANIMALS FOR NEUROCHEMICAL & NEUROPHARMACOLOGICAL RESEARCH



Particularly useful for:-

- General screening of potentially neurotropic substances
- Evaluating the depressant or stimulating action of drugs on the CNS
- Endocrinological investigations on the relationship between the nervous system and the hypophysis

ECT UNIT

General

Consistent reproducible current levels are produced by feedback circuitry that adjust for variance in impedance of the contact from animal to animal.

The impedance of the animal can be previously measured and displayed, and a warning signal flashes if the impedance is too great to deliver the desired current level.

The special output circuit enables any type of electrode to be used.

The auricular electrodes 57800-002, supplied with the standard package, allow a single operator to deliver shock to a number of animals in a short time.



The above picture features Corneal Electrodes Cat. 57800-003, which can be provided as optional.

Different types of electrodes can be manufactured on request.

Specifications



Rectangular Positive

Pulse :	by H.V. transformer
Constant Current :	controlled by a feedback network
Pulse Rise&Fall Time :	20µs
Pulse Width (ms) :	0.1 to 0.9 in 0.1ms steps $\pm1\%$
Frequency (pulses/s) :	1-299 in 1 pulse/s steps \pm 1%
Shock Duration :	0.1 to 9.9 in 0.1s steps $\pm 1\%$
Pulse Voltage :	2.5KV max.
Current Range :	0-99mA in 1mA steps $\pm 2\%$
Output Resistance :	min 00hm - max. 25K0hm (at max.
	current)
KOhm Display :	0-199 KOhm - 1KOhm resolution
Power Requirements :	115/230V - 50/60Hz - 70VA

WARNING: due to HIGH VOLTAGE involved, the operator should always wear rubber gloves when handling the electrodes.

Bipolar Inverter 57800-010

An optional Biphasic Unit may be placed between the animal and the Electroconvulsive Device to invert every second pulse. Maximum frequency in this case becomes 100 Hz.

ECT Monitor 57800-015

When connection to an oscilloscope or data acquisition system, this useful accessory is required to guarantee a simple and safe way to monitor the ECT output.

The risk of damage to the ECT Unit due to accidental wrong connections is avoided when using the ECT Monitor.



Orderin	g Information
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E-WP 008	Mains Cord
57800-302	Instruction Manual (on USB pen drive)
57800-002	Set of Auricular Electrodes
57800-001	Pulse Generator
57800	ECT Unit, standard package including:

Accessories and Spares

57800-003	Set of Corneal Electrodes
57800-320	Set of 4 Felt Pads for Auricular Electrodes
57800-010	Bipolar Inverter
57800-015	ECT Monitor

Physical

Instrument Size	27(W)x37(D)x13(H)cm
Weight	3.4Kg
Packing	45x34x26cm
Shipping Weight	5Kg

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Lesion Making Device

Cat. No. 53500

General

This compact, **solid state DC Lesion Maker** has been designed for the production of localized lesions in small animals, when direct current (DC) is preferred to RF.

If features a regulated power supply combined with a constant DC current generator which operates on either continuous or timed mode.

The Lesion Making Device provides constant DC current in mA from 10 μ A to 99 mA. The pulse duration may be timed by the instrument between 1 and 99 seconds, or manually controlled.

The current generator is protected against short circuit, preventing the electronics to get damaged due to the electrodes coming accidentally in contact with each other.

Particular emphasis has been placed in the design of a good circuit output/ground insulation; this feature also minimizes spurious current field lines across the tissue, outside the pattern preset by the operator.

MISCELLANEOUS, ECT, LMD



New Model!

A precision instrument, which provides constant DC current in mA



Main Features

- Violation warning circuit
- Current Range : from 10 µA to 99 mA
- 3 modes of Operation

- Digital setting of constant current and time duration
- Pulse Duration : timed between 1 and 99 seconds

LESION MAKING DEVICE

Controls



The instrument controls are all placed on the top panel; the parameter are set by two thumb-wheel switches:-

- Current output adjustment, in the range 10µA to 99mA
- Pulse duration from 0.1 to 99 seconds.

The mode of operation can be selected via a 3-position switch:-

- Continuous: the current flows through the preparation in a continuous mode
- Stand-By: the instrument is ready to operate but the output stage is not energized
- Pre-set Duration: the current flow is timed according to the setting

Three binding posts are located at the upper right of the Lesion Maker: either the red (+) and the black (-) can be connected to the lesion making electrode.

The other binding post is usually connected to a pad electrode with electrolyte on the preparation. Either red (+) or black (-) may be grounded via the green binding post.

Led Indicators

Three LED indicators are embodied on the top panel:-

- **POWER** (green) which lights when the unit is ON
- MONIT. (red) which monitors the presence of lesion current
- **VIOL.** (yellow) which indicates when the current does not correspond to the setting

Electrodes

Usual needle electrodes, prepared by the researcher according to his/her experimental needs can be used in conjunction with the 53500 Lesion Making Device.

We have the capability and will to manufacture electrodes based on the customer's request.

Ordering Information

53500	Lesion Making Device standard package, including:-
53500-310	Set of 3 output plugs
53500-302	Instruction Manual
E-WP 008	Mains Cord

Technical Specifications

Current Range Pulse Duration	from 10 μA to 99 mA timed between 1&99 seconds
	or manually controlled
Compliance Voltage	200 V DC
Max. Electrode R	20MΩ(10μA) down to 2KΩ (100 mA)
Mains Supply	115 or 230V / 50-60 Hz
Power Consumption	20 W max.

Physical

Dimensions 25x15x11 cm Weight Shipping Weight Packing

1.5Ka 2.8Kg approx. 45x34x26cm

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MISCELLANEOUS, ECT, LMD

Stereotaxic Instruments by Stoelting

Cat. No. 51600

General

The Lab Standard[™] Stereotaxic Instrument, manufactured by Stoelting, is ideal for researchers in need of a versatile, reliable instrument for stereotaxic procedures with small animals.

Precision alignment when using the Lab Standard[™] ensures accurate placement of electrodes, micropipettes, and other devices.

The time-proven 'U'-Frame design concept, sturdy construction, and adaptability to most model species make this the best choice for a stereotaxic instrument.





Classic and Proven U-Frame Design

- Large, easy to read vernier scales. Scales are laser engraved accurate to 100 microns
- Triple lead screws for fast positioning 80 mm of vertical, lateral and anterior-posterior travel
- Absolute lock at 90 degrees (vertical) Brass bushings in manipulator arm permit electrical grounding

Stereotaxic Instruments

Stoelting's Lab Standard[™] offers several advantages over competing instruments:

Easily Read Scales

All scales are oriented to be read easily from the open end of the 'U'. This is the position from which most scientists prefer to work. The numerals on the scales are larger, and therefore more easily read. The scale lines are laser engraved, to allow finest possible permanent marking of scales on all 3 axes. Precise alignment with facing vernier scales gives accurate resolution to 0.1mm.

Smooth Movements

The Lab Standard's[™] exclusive, triple lead screws allow the fastest positioning possible, consistent with lining up the scales easily at a given coordinate.

Versatily of Positioning

The manipulator arm controls medio-lateral and vertical positioning via lead screws, and antero-posterior movement via dovetail slide movement, with 80 mm of travel possible in each direction. A Universal Joint allows the investigator to change the angle of the probe up to 90° in either the antero-posterior or medio-lateral planes. The improved locking mechanism on the Lab Standard[™] will hold any angle position without slippage. And of course, it also provides an absolute lock at 90° vertical.

In addition, a swing joint allows the investigator to conveniently swing the manipulator arm and probe out of the way for performing a procedure — then reliably return the probe to the same point.

Convenient for Electrophysiology

Integral brass bushings in the manipulator arm allow grounding directly to the closest metal on the manipulator arm — even the probe holder.

Selection of Accessories

Species adaptors are available to fit rat, cat/monkey, dog/monkey, mouse, guinea pig and small bird. Probe holders and species adaptors for 'U' frame stereotaxic instruments from other manufacturers are generally compatible with the Lab Standard[™] frame.

Ordering Information

- 51600 Lab Standard w/18 Degree Earbars
- 51650 Lab Standard w/45 Earbars
- **51653** Dual Lab Standard Stereotaxic w/45 deg. Ear Bars
- **51603** Dual Lab Standard Stereotaxic w/18 deg. Ear Bars
- 51601 Lab Standard without Manipulator Arms





MISCELLANEOUS, ECT, LMD

INFUSION PUMPS by KDS

SO ADVANCED THEY'RE SIMPLE !!

General

Ugo Basile presents an entirely new generation of micro-processor controlled syringe pumps. They are designed specifically for applications requiring high metering precision at low, pulse free flow rates.

KDS pumps, manufactured by KD Scientific Inc., U.S.A., provide a unique combination of sophisticated features and advanced microstepping motor-drive technology. The result? KDS pumps routinely perform many of the tasks that other pumps make you do manually. So you have more time for what's really important: your research.

KDS pumps are engineered by the designer of the best selling laboratory syringe pump, to ensure you of years of unsurpassed accuracy and reliability. In addition, you'll find they are extremely simple to set-up and use. And surprisingly affordable.





Setup is as easy as:

- Select syringe from displayed table
- Enter volume to be dispensed
- Enter flow rate, then press "start" button. It's that fast...and that simple!

Common to all models

• A simple menu-driven set up without printed look-up tables **performs rate and volume control and automatic shut-off**. Just set the volume you want dispensed. Volume is tracked continuously on the LC display. Then, when the preset volume has been dispensed, the pump shuts off automatically.

• An alphanumeric display helps eliminate reading errors. Their easy-to-read display provides real-time readings using both parameters and values for clearer, mistake-free readings.

• You can control KDS pumps in many different ways. Built-in TTL and RS-232C interfaces permit easy external control.

Operation

- 1. Find the syringe you use from the displayed table. Enter its code number.
- 2. Enter the volume to be dispensed

Ordering Information

3. Enter the flow rate, then press the "start" button. It's that fast and simple! Your settings are permanently stored in memory – there's no need to re-enter them each day

Cat. No.	Mode	N. of Syringes	Dim. cm	Weight Kg.
KDS 100	Infusion	1	23x15.3x14	2.00
KDS 101	Infusion	2	23x15x14	2.00
KDS 120	Push/pull	1+1	23x15x14	2.00
KDS 200	Infusion	2	28x23x14	4.00
KDS 210	Infusion/ Witdrawal	2	28x23x14	4.00
KDS 220	Infusion	Multiple	28x30.5x14	4.25
KDS 230	Infusion/ Witdrawal	Multiple	28x30.5x14	4.25
KDS 250	Infusion	4 (different size)	28x23x15.3	4.00
KDS 260	Push/pull	2+2	28x23x14	4.25
KDS 310	Nano Pump	1	2 items	2.00

Flow Rates

Models KDS 100 & KDS 120

Syringe	Minimum	Maximum
10 μl	0.1 μl/h	126.5 μl/h
25 μl	0.1 μl/h	318,8 μl/h
50 μl	0.2 μl/h	625 μl/h

100 μ	1.0 μl/h	1274 μl/h
250 μ	2.0 μl/h	3164 μl/h
500 μ	3.0 μl/h	6359 μl/h
1ml	0.01 ml/h	13,2 ml/h
2,5 ml	0.02 ml/h	31,7 ml/h
3 ml	0.02 ml/h	44.9 ml/h
5 ml	0.03 ml/h	87.0 ml/h
10 ml	0.1 ml/h	125.0 ml/h
20 ml	0.1 ml/h	219.0 ml/h
30 ml	0.1 ml/h	282.0 ml/h
60 ml	0.2 ml/h	426.0 ml/h

Model KDS 101

Syringe	Minimum	Maximum
10 µl	0.001 µl/min	0.350 µl/min
25 μl	0.001 µl/min	0.884 µl/min
50 μl	0.001 µl/min	1.759 µl/min
100 µl	0.001 µl/min	3.526 µl/min
250 µl	0.01 μl/min	8.78 µl/min
500 µl	0.01 µl/min	17.65 µl/min
1 ml	0.1 μl/min	35.2 μl/min
3 ml	0.1 μl/min	122.5 μl/min
5 ml	0.1 μl/min	176.2 µl/min
10 ml	0.001 µl/min	0.351 µl/min
20 ml	0.001 µl/min	0.602 µl/min
30 ml	0.001 µl/min	0.773 µl/min
60 ml	0.001 µl/min	1.175 µl/min

Models KDS 200/220, KDS 210/230, KDS 250/260

Syringe	Minimum	Maximum
10 µl	0.001 μl/h	21.1 μl/min
25 μl	0.003µl/h	53.15 μl/min
50 μl	0.005 μl/h	105.8 µl/min
100 µl	0.009 μl/h	212.6 µl/min
250 μl	0.021 μl/h	527.6 μl/min
500µl	0.042 μl/h	1060 µl/min
1 ml	0.083 μl/h	2119 µl/min
3 ml	0.288 μl/h	7360 μl/min
5 ml	0.414 μl/h	634 ml/h
10 ml	0.828 µl/h	1270 ml/h
20 ml	1.414 μl/h	2171 ml/h
30 ml	1.817 μl/h	2789 ml/h
60 ml	2.757 μl/h	4234 ml/h
140 ml	5.746 μl/h	8834 ml/h

PHYSIOLOGY





PAIN AND INFIAMMATION



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BLOOD PRESSURE, VITAL FUNCTIONS

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VENTILATORS AND GAS ANESTHESIA



BEHAVIOUR, CONDITIONING, REWARD

METABOLISM, FEEDING BEHAVIOUR



BEHAVIOUR, MAZES, TRACKING

MUROMACHI MICROWAVE FIXATION







Blood Pressure Recorder (non-invasive)

Cat. No. 58500 for Rats Cat. No. 58600 for Mice Cat. No. 58550 for Rats & Mice

General

The BP RECORDER 58500 combines three main systems

- pressure generation-pressure monitoring system
- a pulse amplifier and
- a thermal-array analog & digital recording unit

with two auxiliary systems

- pulse rate measuring and recording
- microprocessor controlled functions to self diagnosis, calibration, signal filtering, signal storage.

Instrument Description

Pressure is transmitted to the tail cuff; as soon the cuff pressure exceeds the diastolic pressure and starts to narrow the tail artery, the amplitude of the recorder pulse wave gradually decreases until the artery is completely constricted (ischemic), the graph becoming a straight line.

This point indicates the maximum internal pressure of the artery (**systolic pressure**) on the paper grid, on which the **actual pressure** of the system is **digitally printed in 10 mm Hg steps.**

At the end of the recording a second pressure measurement can be started, with decreasing pressure. The systolic pressure is indicated, this time, by the return of the pulse tracing.

The animal **pulse rate** can be assessed in real time by a pulse rate counter which picks the signal from the pulse transducer.

BLOOD PRESSURE, VITAL FUNCTIONS



INDIRECT MEASURING & RECORDING OF THE SYSTOLIC AND DIASTOLIC PRESSURE IN UNANAESTHETIZED RATS & MICE



Main Features

- graphic printer
- graphic display
- analog output to digital recorders
- pulse transducers of superior performances
- analogue & digital recording of all experiment phases
- reliable pressure generator, providing smooth, stepless pressure build-up

BP RECORDER

Animal Restrainers

A convenient animal restrainer is provided with the standard package. Our models are particularly suitable, being purpose-fully designed for this task, as they feature:-

- a conical "muzzle" to confine the animal head
- availability in 4 different diameters for rat and one for mouse, to fit various animal sizes
- telescope-adjustable length
- a quick fit/release back lid with an ample U-shaped tail slot
- convenient ventilation slots and selection of heat conductive materials, to guarantee body heat dissipation.

Optional Rat Heater / Scanner

The **58000-845 Heating Box for Rats** is a compact temperature controlled "cupboard", inside dimension 57(w)x47(d)x20(h) cm, to lodge and prewarm 5 rats, each in its individual holder; **58000-840**, designed **for mice**, has the same dimensions, but it accommodates 6 mouse holders.



The **58000-850 Rat Scanne**r is also available, combining the pre-warming features, with an electrical/pneumatical switch which enables connection of up to 5 rodents, tail cuff and pulse pick-up positioned on their tail, to scan their blood pressure in sequence.

Both Rat Scanner and Heating Boxes come complete with holders of selectable diameter.

Ordering Information

58500	BP RECORDER, with accessories for RAT: 8mm
	pulse pick-up, 13mm cuff, 50mm holder
58600	BP RECORDER with accessories for MOUSE .

- 3mm pulse pick-up, 6mm cuff, 30mm holder 58550 BP RECORDER, with accessories for RAT &
- MOUSE

Each BP Recorder includes as standard: dedicated software 52050-08, serial cable & USB adaptor, paper roll.

Available Pulse Pick-Ups

58000-503 Pulse Pick-up for Mouse, diam. 3 mm **58000-504** Pulse Pick-up for Mouse, diam. 4 mm **58000-505** Pulse Pick-up for Rat, diam. 5 mm **58000-506** Pulse Pick-up for Rat, diam. 6 mm **58000-507** Pulse Pick-up for Rat, diam. 7 mm **58000-508** Pulse Pick-up for Rat, diam. 8 mm **58000-509** Pulse Pick-up for Rat, diam. 9 mm

Available Tail Cuffs

58000-606 Tail Cuff for Mouse, diam. 6 mm **58000-609** Tail Cuff for Rat, diam. 9 mm **58000-611** Tail Cuff for Rat, diam. 11 mm **58000-613** Tail Cuff for Rat, diam. 13 mm

Available Holders

 58000-343
 Mouse Holder, 30 mm I.D.

 58000-344
 Rat Holder, 40 mm I.D.

 58000-345
 Rat Holder, 50 mm I.D.

 58000-346
 Rat Holder, 60 mm I.D.

 58000-348
 Rat Holder, 80 mm I.D.

Optional

58000-840 Mouse Heater, compl. with 6 mouse holders58000-845 Rat Heater, complete with 5 rat holders of selectable I.D.*

58000-850 Rat Scanner, complete with 5 rat holders of selectable I.D.* °

- * if diameter is not specified, the 50mm size will be supplied
- pressure cuffs & pulse pick-ups are <u>not included, and should</u> <u>be ordered separately</u>

Specifications

Pressure Range Power Requirements

Weight (net) Shipping Weight Dimensions Packing dimensions 115 or 230 V, 50/60 Hz, 25 W Kg 10.6 Kg 15.0 approx. 35x35x17(h)cm 80x60x44cm

50 to 290 mm Hg

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No. 58500





BLOOD PRESSURE, VITAL FUNCTIONS

Blood Pressure Transducer (invasive)

Cat. No. 17844

Typical Applications

- Arterial or venous blood pressure measurement
- Connects to Data Acquisition Systems or Chart Recorders



Robust, reusable transducer

- Urodynamic measurement
- Intrauterine Pressure Measurement
- Intracranial Pressure Measurement
- Catheterization
- Intensive Care Unit





Main Features

- MPG Klasse II b, CE 0470
- Gold plated for easier cleaning
- Only wiping cleaning necessary
- Disinfection/Sterilisation with VIRKON (10 to 30 min) possible
- Short adapter cable with transducer + separate monitor cable
- Dome with "Snap-on" coupling
- Very high frequency response
- High overload protection (10.000 mm/Hg)
- Dome dry-coupled to the transducer

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Pressure Transducer

Specifications

Pressure Range	-20+300mmHg
Overpressure max.	10 000mmHg
Sensitivity	50 μV/V/cmHg
Resonance Frequency	300Hz typical (Transducer and Dome)
Electrical Excitation max.	15V DC or AC
Input Resistance (Input)	700Ohm
Output Resistance (Output)	1000Ohm
Non-Linearity & Hysteresis	max. 0.5% FS
Zero Balance	max. ±30mm/Hg
Thermal Sensitivity Shift	0.15% / °C
Thermal Zero Shift	max. 0.25mm/Hg/°C
Operating Temperature Range	+10+50°C
Storage Semperature Range	-20 +70°C
Insulation Resistance	min. 103MOhm
Leakage Current	max. 1.5µA at 250V-50Hz
High Voltage Resistance	10KV between Dome and Transducer
Length of Adapter Cable	ca. 30cm
Length of Monitor cable	ca.250cm
Connector	see "compatibility"



Compatibility

Before ordering, check the connection compatibility of your amplifier/recording System.

The Pressure Transducers are normally supplied with a connector (type -F) designed for Ugo Basile DataCapsule-Evo Recorder (see datasheet).

If the customer wishes to make use of other recording apparatus, the transducers can be supplied with appropriate connector on request: we will be glad to provide transducers with different connectors, if available, or to provide witing information and instruction.

Domes

The 17844 is provided with a dome provided with with stop cock. The dome has wings, for easy fitting on the transducer.

The dome should be filled bubbleless at max. pressure of 50mmHg



Ordering Information

17844	Pressure Transducer "Sensonor", type SP-
	844, complete with one dome 17844-001
	lodged in its plastic case.

Accessories

- 17844-001 Clear Polycarbonate Dome (with Luer-Lock Fitting), complete with 3-way stopcock
- 17844-002 Set of 10 Clear Polycarbonate Dome (with Luer-Lock Fitting), complete with 3-way stopcock



Physical

Weight

0.024Kg (without cable)

Shipping Weight

Shipping Dimensions

0.2Kg (with cable) 0.4Kg

46x38x27cm



MouseOx *Plus* Pulse Oximeter for Mice and Rats

General

The MouseOx[®] is the world's first and only patented **non-invasive** vital signs monitor, for small laboratory animals; specifically designed for mice, it can be used on larger rodents too!

The MouseOx and The MouseOx Plus[®] are being used by over 1,500 researchers and veterinarians from Universities, Pharmaceutical Companies, and CRO.

It is fully controlled by PC with a **user-friendly in-terface.**

The new **MouseOx Plus**[®] uses the same technology as the original MouseOx[®] but also includes significant improvements:

- the enhanced signal processing ability improves response to the motion of conscious subjects; the pulse signal is maintained and quickly reacquired following significant movement.
- the modular software design allows the end user to purchase only the functionality that is needed.
- measurement of core body temperature is now available
- the optional Multiplexer makes it possible to monitor up to 16 animals (or 8 animals with temperature), using 1 MouseOx Plus.



Anesthetized Subjects

VITAL FUNCTIONS

Conscious Subjects

MRI Compatible

SMALL ANIMAL VITAL SIGNS MONITOR



- Simple non-invasive sensor clips for mice and rats
- Monitor data in real time while recording
- USB plug-and-play, user-friendly interface
- High accuracy at heart rates up to 900 BPM
- Works on neonates through adults

MOUSEOX

General

The **MouseOx Plus Small Animal Vital Signs Monitor** provides the following measurements:

- Arterial Oxygen Saturation
- Heart Rate
- Breath Rate
- Temperature (optional)
- Pulse Distention
- Breath Distention

MouseOx Plus[®] works with both mice and rats; there are 16 variations of the MouseOx[®] sensor available to accommodate various sensor placement options on mice and rats, ranging in size from neonatal mice to rats over 500gm. The subject must have a heart rate of at least 90 BPM and no greater than 900 BPM.

The MouseOx® oxygen saturation measurement has only been validated with mice and rats, but the instrument is being used in many research projects on subjects other than mice and rats. Some examples include Guinea pigs, hamsters, rabbits and small primates such as marmosets.

Cardiopulmonary Data Recorder

When used as a Cardiopulmonary Data Recorder, the MouseOx Plus provides:

- Quick Check of Vital Signs
- Real-time Changes in Heart Rate, Breath Rate & O2 Saturation
- Oxygen Saturation During Hypoxemia
- Analog Data Output

Surgery Monitor:

When used as a Surgery MonitorMouseOx Plus:

- Prevents Hypoxia During Surgery
- Titrates Mechanical Ventilation
- Ensures Proper Depth of Anesthesia
- Titrates Supplemental Oxygen

Features:

- Immediate responding, beat-by-beat measurements
- High accuracy at heart rates up to 900 BPM and breath rates up to 600 BrPM
- Drawing of blood is not required for any reason
- Simple non-invasive sensor clip enables quick and easy attachment to the subject
- USB plug-and-play technology easily turns your Windows based PC into a low cost physiologic monitor
- Monitor data in real-time, while recording to a file
- Experiment event markers allow the user to mark important events in the data file
- Enhanced signal processing ability improves response to the motion of conscious subjects

Standard Software and Options

The **Standard software** includes basic monitoring and parameter alarms for all of the vital signs provided by the MouseOx Plus; it is included with all MouseOx Plus systems and is intended for basic monitoring applications.



The **Premium Monitoring & Recording Software** includes trending charts, real time recording options, file markers for noting important events, and a quick averaging diagnostic feature for spot-checking



The **Conscious Applications Software** includes enhanced filters and control algorithms to allow the MouseOx[®] Plus to monitor conscious unrestrained subjects, and provides a subject activity measurement

MRI software allows for the use of the MRI sensor.

Ordering Information

015000	MouseOxPlus System, Operation 110V *
015001	MouseOxPlus System, Operation 230V *
015007	Premium Monitoring & Recording Softwar

- 015017 MRI Module, including Software, 20' Sensor with 15' Copper Wire and 5' Fiber Optic, 2 Mouse Thigh Clips, 2 Rat Foot Clips
- 015002 Conscious Applications Module

Sensors

* Two sensors, selectable when ordering, are included free of charge with each MouseOxPlus System:

CollarClip[™] available in XS, S, M, L, XL, 2XL size ThroatClip[™] available in XS, S, M, L, XL, 2XL size Mouse Thigh sensor, Rat Foot Sensor

Physical

Dimensions	16x12x4(h)cm	
Weight	2Kg	
Shipping Weight	5Kg approx.	
Packing	50x39x17cm	
NOTE : Manufacturer's warranty for MouseOx & accessories is limited to 12 months.		

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Metabolic Cages

Cat. No. 41700-002, -004, -005 for Rats Cat. No. 4170-003, -033 for Mice

General

These carefully engineered metabolic cages, manufactured by TECNIPLAST, are designed for simplicity of operation and total part interchangeability and feature a unique funnel/cone design which effectively separates faeces and urine and collects them into vials outside the cage.

All components below the cage floor are removable without upsetting the test animal and thus preventing behavioural artifacts.

Four models are available for either rats or mice; their dimensions comply with current USA animal welfare regulations. See Ordering Information for basic metabolic cages.

The Tecniplast Metabolic Cages feature a unique funnel and cone design that effectively separates faeces and urine into tubes outside the cage.

There's **no urine washover** and no potential for urine to enter the faeces tube, so separation is immediate and complete. The results are untainted and the samples reliable.

The cage performs well with either mice (in group) or rats; a single mouse cage of new design is also available. Space saving and great visibility are facilitated by the 12-cage rack.

METABOLISM, FEEDING BEHAVIOUR



RELIABLE

- Practicality of use
- Flexibility
- Space saving



- Unique design and high quality materials, to maximize reliability and endurance.
- Every component is designed to be interchangeable to provide maximum flexibility
- Separation apparatus featuring low-adherence plastic materials: perfect separation and collection of faeces and urine
- Easy to remove feeder and collection tubes: feed filling and samples collection without disturbing the animals on test.

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METABOLIC CAGES

Cage Components

The Metabolic cage components are:

- an Upper Chamber, made of smooth, gnaw-proof materials.
 a Feeder Chamber, located outside cage. Size discourages rodent from nesting or sleeping inside. The drawer slides out for easy filling without disturbing the animal
- a **Collection funnel** and **separating cone**, unique design and non-wetting PMP ensure immediate, complete separation of faeces and urine
- a **Faeces Collection tube**, made of non-wetting PMP. Pellets roll down side of funnel to be collected in tube. Unlocks with single twist from outside of cage, without disturbing the animal.
- a Support grid of stainless-steel lets excreta pass through the conveniently spaced bars; mouse cage includes mouse-sized grid.

Cage Design



Two-part **feeder chamber** located outside the cage. The front chamber catches spilled food so faeces won't be contaminated. Feeder sizes prevent rodent from nesting or sleeping inside. Available in five sizes.

Drawer slides out of feeder chamber for easy filling, without disturbing

animal.



Calibrated to accurately measure intake. Drain diverts overflow into collection tube so **water** can't contaminate urine.



Urine flows along the inside surface of the **collection funnel** and is directed by the urine ring directly into the urine collection tube.

A simple twist unlocks either faeces or urine tube. No need to dismantle cage or disturb animal.



Entire **lower section** of the cage can be easily removed.

Convenient for cleaning during multi-phase in-vestigation.

Standard Cage Dimensions

The cage upper chamber, is available in two sizes:

- for mice and rats up to 300g, with a surface of 320 cm² and a height of 14 cm;
- for rats over 300g, with a surface of 450 cm² and a height of 18 cm.
- In the single-mouse cage, the usable floor area is 200cm² with an internal height of 13cm

Surface and height are comply with current regulations.

Net weight	:	6Kg
Gross weight	:	10Kg
Packing dimensions	:	67x42x53cm

Ordering Information

BASIC METABOLIC CAGES

41700-002	Metabolic Cage for rats up to 150g	
41700-003	Metabolic Cage for mice	
41700-004	Metabolic Cage for rats 150 to 300g	
41700-005	Metabolic Cage for rats over 300g	
41700-003	Metabolic Cage for mice (groups)	

41700-033 Metabolic Cage for single mouse



Above models include a single cage stand (except 41700-033 which is self-standing

3M12D100 Vertical Rack for 12 Metabolic Cages, suitable for models 41700-002/005. Dimensions 124x48x190 cm



Metabolic Cages with Feeding/Drinking Analysis

Cat. No. 41853

General

Ingestive behavior sustains life, but in some forms can lead to serious conditions as obesity, diabetes, and chronic inflammation.

Understanding the signals that initiate ingestion and satiety require synchronized data with high temporal resolution, especially if the pattern of Ingestive events is important.

Animal models (for example, obese and diabetic mice) exhibit symptoms similar to those in humans.

When closely monitored model organisms reveal relevant differences that may correlate with those of human disorders in vital parameters such as feeding/drinking (quantity & frequency of food/drink uptake), activity (with optional I.R. motion detectors) and excretion (the latter assessed by volume or weight).

Ugo Basile introduces a new higher resolution model of feeding analiser, resulting from our cooperation with SABLE SYSTEMS International, worldwide leader in metabolic and intake measurement.

METABOLISM, FEEDING BEHAVIOUR



for Mice only

DESIGNED TO MEASURE:

- FEEDING BEHAVIOUR
- EXCRETORY FUNCTIONS
- ACTIVITY (OPTIONAL)





INNOVATIVE DESIGN

- facilitates retrofitting of Ugo Basile older models of Mouse Feeding Analyser
- makes upgrade from simple Metabolic Cage to Feeding Analyser extremely easy!

For all types of investigations on METABOLISM, including:

- preclinical trials evaluating treatments for anorexia
- addiction/aversion to particular substances
- thirst arousing and quenching mechanism
- feeding habits and their modification brought about by environmental conditions or toxicity

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This innovative ingestive behavior system includes:

- a basic Metabolic Cage
- a mass measurement system
- an interface and software routine
- an optional activity sensor

Basic Cage Design

These carefully engineered metabolic cages are manufactured by TECNIPLAST, see separate datasheet, for separation and quantification of urine and faeces.

All components below the cage floor are removable without upsetting the test animal.

Feeding and Drinking Analysis

Basic Metabolic Cages are upgraded with the addition of the FiWi High-ResolutionFood and Water Systems, for intake quantification and meal patern analysis.



At the heart of the system is the Sable MM1 food and water load sensor, providing high quality results.



Activity Detection

This versatile option measures the ambulatory activity of the rodent can be measured via the optional Environmental Sensor Array (ESA), monitoring environment and activity.

The ESA Environmental Sensor Array also provides monitoring of light and sound level, barometric pressure, cage temperature, and relative humidity, all relevant data for the animal welfare and test repeatability.

Data Recording

Data are recorded and analysed by software/interface package 41850-010 which includes EXPEDA-TA (data analysis) and METASCREEN (data acquisition) software and IM-2 Interface Module.



Ordering Information

METABOLIC CAGES WITH FOOD & DRINK RECORDING PROVISION

41853 Feeding/Drinking Monitoring system: one Mouse Metabolic Cage, provided with stainless-steel food and water hoppers, precision mass monitoring unit (0-1000g, 3mg resolution) & cage controller, plus software/interface pckg. 41850-010

41853-X2 Sistem of 2 Metabolic Cages, as above **41853-X3** Sistem of 3 Metabolic Cages, as above **41853-X4** Sistem of 4 Metabolic Cages, as above **41853-X5** Sistem of 5 Metabolic Cages, as above **41853-X6** Sistem of 6 Metabolic Cages, as above **41853-X7** Sistem of 7 Metabolic Cages, as above **41853-X8** Sistem of 8 Metabolic Cages, as above

Product Specifications (MM1 sensor)

Rated Load:up to1KgResolution:0.002g RMS at 2s digital filtrationSensor Type:Quad strain gaugeData Precision:24bits (better than 1 part in 500,000)OperatingTemperature: -20 to 60°C

Optional

41850-005 SSI Environmental Sensor Array (ESA)

Product Specifications (ESA sensor)

Light sensor:	0.05 to 10,000 Lux (auto ranging); re- solution: 0.05 Lux-1 Lux	
Sound sensor:	20 -100+ dB range	
Temperature:	range 0-60°C, resolution: 0.01°C	
RH Sensor:	range 0-100% (non condensing), re-	
	solution: 0.01%	
Barometric		
Pressure:	range 40-110 kPa, resol. 0.001 kPa	



New Microwave Brain Fixation System

Cat. MMW-05 (5kW)

General

In neurochemical studies of the brain, it is of great importance to measure accurately neurochemical events in vivo.

However, it is difficult to perform reproducible measurement of these events because rapid post-mortem changes occur in the brain concentrations of metabolites and neurotransmitters.

With the NEW Microwave Brain Fixation System by Muromachi, a living mouse or rat is positioned inside the applicator and, in less than 1 second, the microwave beam stops all brain chemistry at the level present in the living animal.

Measuring brain chemistry in-vivo is possible!

THE FASTEST AND MOST

EFFECTIVE KNOWN METH-OD OF HALTING BRAIN

CHEMICAL ACTIVITY

MUROMACHI MICROWAVE FIXATION



brain fixation occurs in 1 second

activity of degrading enzymes is blocked



Prior to analysis of:

- Phosphorylated proteins
- Acetylcholine, Serotonin, Endorphins
- Prostaglandins, Catecholamines
- C-AMP, C-GMP, GABA, DOPA

NEW features:

- Improved usability touch screen
- Air-cooled (no water circulation)
- CE-certified
- Absolute safety negligible leakage

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Microwave Brain Fixation System

Various techniques have been developed to prevent post-mortem changes. One of the more common method is cooling or freezing by immersion of the decapitated head in liquid Nitrogen or cooled Freon to inactivate enzymes involved in the metabolism of these compounds.

Cooling is not fully effective in preventing post-mortem changes as the time required to freeze deep structure of the brain may range from 10 - 90 seconds; post mortem changes will occur during this period.

An alternate method is microwave heating to inactivate enzymes.

The microwave method has several advantages over cooling or freezing:

- The enzymes in the whole brain can be completely inactivated in a very short time
- The brain can be dissected easily and reproducibly at room temperature

Microwave fixation system must satisfy the following criteria:

- 1. elevate the temperature of brain up to 75-90°C as rapidly as possible, by effectively focusing microwave energy on the animal head
- 2. give the same results from animal to animal
- 3. be easily and safely used by personnel not experienced in microwave

Instrument Description

Thanks to Patented Microwave Focus Applicators, microwaves are channeled and focused by the wave guide from above the head, rather than in front. The entire animal head is placed in a uniform microwave field. Movements of the head do not change the field strength or microwave distribution.





MICROWAVE-FIXED BRAIN



Uniform fixation of the whole brain is thus achieved, without "over cooking" and damage to the hypothalamus.

Muromachi's unique applicators provide protection to the researcher and also compensate for individual differences between animals, giving more reproducible results.

The Muromachi Microwave Fixation Systems are safely designed, so that the microwave leakage will not exceed 1 mW/cm2 (well below the safety standards).

The Microwave Fixation System comes with specific applicator heads and water-jacketed animal holders:

Ordering Information

MMW-05 Microwave Fixation System 5KW, including 1 Applicator head and 1 animal holder, to be selected

Applicator heads

TAW-174P for mouse holder TAW-424SP for rat holder WJR-S TAW-424MP for rat holder WJR-M & L

Water-Jacketed Animal Holders

WJM-24	for mice 15-20g
WJM-28	for Mice 20-40g
WJR-S	for Rats 150-250
WJR-M	for Rats 250-400
WJR-L	for Rats 400-500

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Physical Power

Dimensions

Weight

Packing

380-440VAC 20A 3-phase is required 75(w)x55(d)x128(h)cm 103Kg Shipping weight 195Kg 81x100x132cm

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We are a design and manufacturing company: our R&D department and our mechanical & electronic laboratories have capability and will to customize existing instruments, or create new instruments from scratch, based on the user requirements.

RESEARCHERS TRUST UGO BASILE TO FULFILL THEIR NEED OF CUSTOM INSTRUMENTS!

Here's just a sample of a custom product we have recently developed



It is interesting to know that many of the Ugo Basile legacy products originated from ideas submitted by our customers!

If you need an instruments which is not available on the market, please submit us your request using the contact page: our product manager will get in touch with you.



For the past 5 decades we have provided scientists with the unmatched tools necessary to transform their ideas into meaningful research and results. We look forward to working with you and to **another 50 years.**



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