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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



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Dr. Nicholas Price, Monash University

# **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

# **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.
- 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 10 to 180 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**

Dimensions 27x26x19cm Net weight 9.5Kg

Shipping Weight 16Kg approx. Packing 67x42x53cm

## **Ordering Information**

**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
7125-30 Rodent Ventilator, 30ml

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



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