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User's Manual

Purifier[®] Logic[®]+ Type A2 Biological Safety Cabinets

Models

30242 Series

30252 Series

30262 Series

PuriCare[®] Procedure Stations

Models

31242 Series

31252 Series

31262 Series

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CAUTION – See Manual. When this symbol is on the unit it indicates a caution that is detailed in this manual.

ATTENTION - Voir manuel. Lorsque ce symbole est allumé l'appareil, il indique une mise en garde qui est indiqué dans ce manuel.

Chapter 1:

Introduction

Congratulations on the purchase of a Labconco® Purifier Logic+® Biosafety Cabinet / PuriCare® Procedure Station. This cabinet is designed to protect you, the product and the laboratory environment from biohazardous aerosols. It is the result of years of experience in manufacturing biohazard cabinetry, and users like you suggested many of its features to us.

This cabinet offers many unique features to enhance safety, performance and ergonomics. To take full advantage of them, please acquaint yourself with this manual and keep it handy for future reference. If you are unfamiliar with how these cabinets operate, please review *Chapter 4: Performance Features and Safety Precautions* before you begin working in the cabinet. Even if you are an experienced cabinet user, please review *Chapter 5: Using the Cabinet*; it describes the cabinet's features so that you can use it efficiently.

This manual and other technical information is available in PDF format at our website: www.labconco.com.



If the unit is not operated as specified in this manual it may impair the protection provided by the unit.

Si l'unité n'est pas utilisée comme spécifié dans ce manuel il peut diminuer la protection fournie par l'unité.

Chapter 2:

Prerequisites

Before you install the unit, you need to prepare the site for installation. Examine the location where you intend to install it. You must be certain that the area is level and of solid construction. In addition, a dedicated source of electrical power must be located near the installation site.

Carefully read this chapter to learn:

- Location requirements.
- Electrical power requirements.
- Exhaust requirements.
- Service utility requirements.
- Space requirements.

Refer to *Appendix C: Specifications*, for complete electrical and environmental conditions, specifications and requirements.

Space Requirements

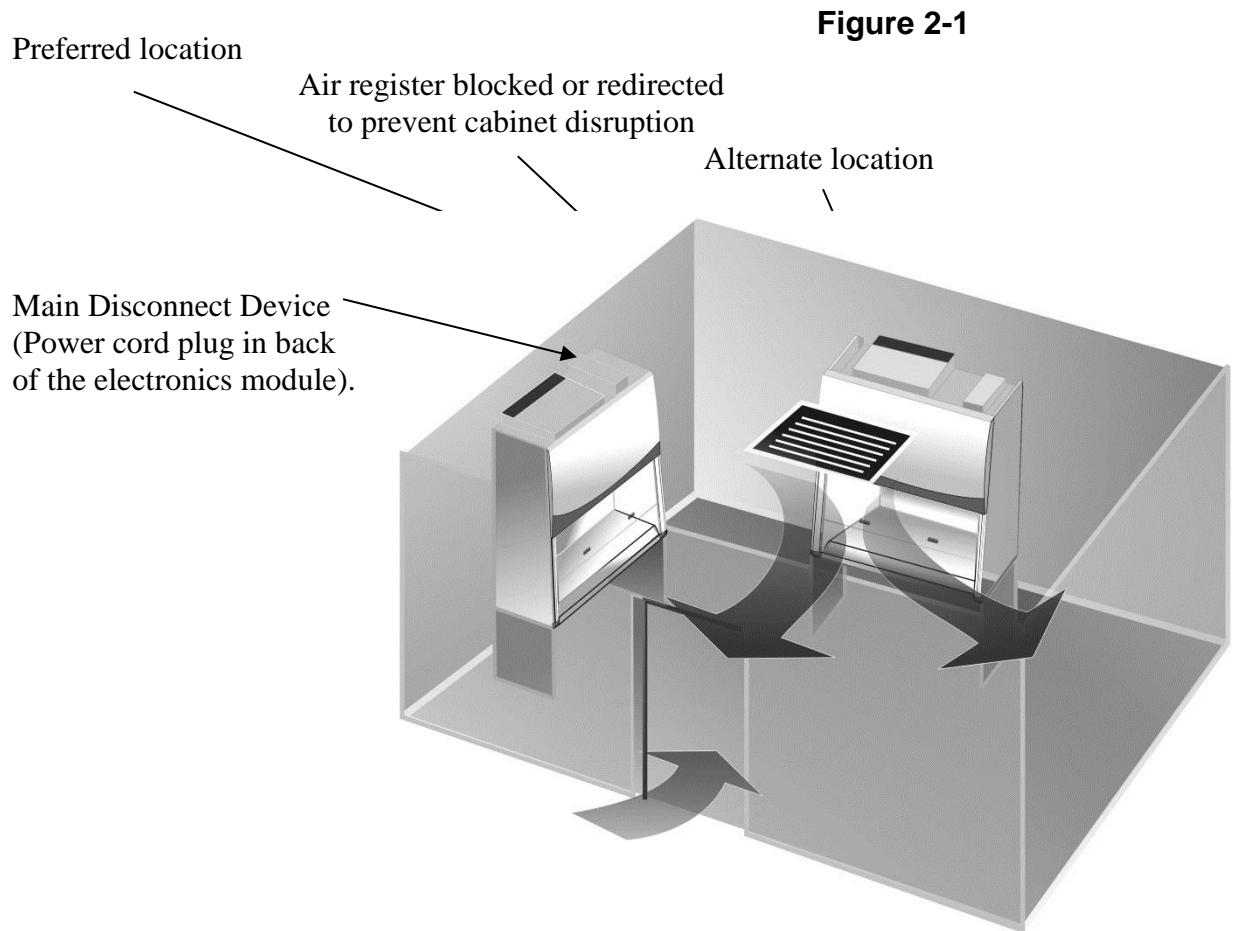
The dimensions for the cabinets are shown in *Appendix B: Dimensions*.

Clearance

A minimum clearance of at least 6 inches (150 mm) is suggested on the top and both sides of the unit for service.

Location Requirements

Note: The cabinet should be located away from traffic patterns, doors, fans, ventilation registers, fume hoods and any other air-handling devices that could disrupt its airflow patterns. All windows in the room should remain closed. Figure 2-1 shows the preferred location for the unit.



Do not position the unit so that it is difficult to operate the main disconnect device.

Ne placez pas l'appareil de sorte qu'il est difficile de faire fonctionner le dispositif principal de déconnexion.

Chapter 2: Prerequisites

Exhaust Requirements

If you intend to connect the cabinet to the optional Ventus™ Canopy Connection Kit, first examine the location to ensure that it accommodates the cabinet's exhaust duct. The area directly above the cabinet's exhaust port should be clear of structural elements, water and utility lines, or other fixed obstructions. There should be enough clearance to accommodate a 10-inch diameter duct. Avoid cabinet locations that require an elbow directly above the cabinet's exhaust connection or an excessive number of elbows in the exhaust system. For further information about the cabinet's exhaust system requirements, please refer to *Chapter 3: Getting Started*.

Electrical Requirements

The models have the following electrical requirements:

Table 2-1

Model #	Requirements
30242xx0x, 31242xx0x	115 VAC, 60 Hz, 16 Amps
30242xx-10, -30-80, 31242xx -10, -30-80	230 VAC, 50/60 Hz, 8 Amps
30252xx0x, 31252xx0x	115 VAC, 60 Hz, 16 Amps
30252xx-10, -30-80, 31252xx -10, -30-80	230 VAC, 50/60 Hz, 8 Amps
30262xx0x, 31262xx0x	115 VAC, 60 Hz, 16 Amps
30262xx-10, -30-80, 31262xx -10, -30-80	230 VAC, 50/60 Hz, 8 Amps

Note: A dedicated outlet with an appropriate circuit breaker should be located as close as possible to the right rear side of the cabinet, at a height even with, or higher than, the top of the bench or stand. Consult your local electrical codes for properly rated circuit breakers. For safe operation the dedicated outlet must provide the protective earthing ground connection to the cabinet.

Note: On 100 and 115 VAC models, both electrical outlets are protected by a ground fault interrupter circuit (GFIC). Labconco does not recommend plugging the cabinet into a GFIC outlet.



Electrical outlets in the cabinet are restricted to 5 amps maximum current.

Prises électriques dans l'armoire sont limitées à 5 courant maximum ampères.



Do not use any detachable power cord that is not adequately rated for the unit.

Ne pas utiliser un fil électrique amovible qui n'est pas du tension nominale de l'appareil.

Service Line Requirements

All utility service lines should be ¼ inch O.D., brass, copper, or stainless steel, and equipped with an easily accessible shut-off valve. If the service line pressure exceeds 40 PSI, it must be equipped with a pressure regulator to reduce the line pressure.

Note: The use of flammable gases or solvents should be avoided in the cabinet. Open flame in the cabinet will disrupt the laminar airflow in the cabinet and may damage the HEPA filters. Flammable gases or solvents may reach explosive concentrations in the cabinet or ductwork. If you feel that the procedure requires the use of an open flame or flammable materials, contact the institution's safety office.

The use of air or gases under high pressure should be avoided as they may seriously disrupt the airflow patterns in the cabinet.

Chapter 3: Getting Started

Now that the installation is properly prepared, you are ready to inspect, install, and certify the unit. This chapter covers how to:

- Unpack and move the cabinet.
- Install the cabinet.
- Connect the electrical supply source.
- Connect the service lines.
- Connect to an exhaust system (optional).
- Arrange certification of the unit.

Tools required for installation include two 1/2" wrenches, a flat-blade screwdriver, a #2 Phillips screwdriver, and a carpenter's level.

Note: The cabinet models weigh between 400–700 lbs. (182-318 kg). The shipping pallet allows for lifting with a mechanical lift truck or floor jack. If you must lift the product manually, use at least six (6) persons and follow safe-lifting guidelines.

Unpacking the Cabinet

Carefully remove the outer carton and inspect the cabinet for damage that may have occurred in transit. If the cabinet is damaged, notify the delivery carrier immediately and retain the entire shipment intact for inspection by the carrier.

Note: United States Interstate Commerce Commission rules require that claims be filed with the delivery carrier within fifteen (15) days of delivery.

Do not return goods without the prior authorization of Labconco. Unauthorized returns will not be accepted.

If the cabinet was damaged in transit, you must file a claim directly with the freight carrier. Labconco Corporation and its dealers are not responsible for shipping damages.

Do not discard the carton or packing material for the cabinet until all of the components have been checked, installed and tested.

The cabinet is secured to the pallet in two places on each side. To access the nuts and bolts, remove the side panels by removing and keeping the two Phillips screws on both panels. Swing the front of each panel away from the cabinet, and lift it straight up to remove the panel from the cabinet.

Note: The side panels must be removed to access the fasteners that secure the cabinet to the pallet. **DO NOT ATTEMPT TO LIFT THE CABINET BY THE SIDE PANELS; DAMAGE WILL OCCUR.**

Preparing the Cabinet for Operation

Installation instructions (Labconco P/N 1056801) are attached to the sash of the cabinet. If these instructions are missing or unclear, contact Product Service at 800-821-5525 or 816-333-8811. The following are located in a box underneath the work surface:

- User's Manual CD
- Drain Valve Assembly and fasteners
- Power Cord
- Product Registration Card
- Vacu-PassTM Accessories (optional)

If you did not receive one or more of the components listed for the cabinet, or if any of the components are damaged, contact Labconco Corporation immediately for further instructions.

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Moving and Lifting the Cabinet

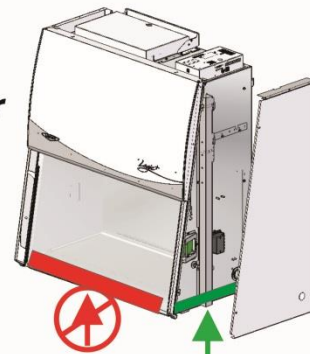
Move the cabinet, attached to its pallet, by using a floor jack, or a furniture dolly underneath the unit. **DO NOT** move the cabinet by tilting it onto a hand truck.

When lifting the cabinet **DO NOT** lift the cabinet in the middle front area of the hull. Lifting here may bend or distort the bottom of the cabinet, causing damage to the unit.

**NOTE: Damage will occur
Do not lift or support front center
or side dress panels**

This label to remain until installation is complete

p/n 10609



Lift on sides and back only

Installing the Cabinet on an Existing Work Surface

Note: The unit is very top heavy. Use caution when lifting or moving it.

When installing the cabinet onto an existing work surface or benchtop, ensure that the structure can safely support the combined weight of the cabinet and any related equipment. The work surface should be at least as wide as the cabinet and 31 inches (787 mm) deep to properly support the unit.

A hole or notch may be cut in the supporting surface in the right front corner to accommodate the optional drain valve.

Installing the Cabinet on a Labconco Base Stand

Labconco offers accessory Base Stands in a variety of configurations to suit your particular needs. Stands can be ordered with adjustable telescoping legs or with a manually or electrically adjustable hydraulic lift.

Telescoping Base Stands

These stands are included with some models, or are available separately. The base stands for each width cabinet are listed in Table 3-1 below. An optional caster wheel kit is available (part # 3730500).

Table 3-1

Width	Base Stand w/Feet Model #
4'	3401004
5'	3401005
6'	3401006

Manual or Electric Hydraulic Lift Base Stands

These base stands offer infinitely adjustable height between 25.5 and 33.5 inches (648 to 851 mm), giving a cabinet work surface height of 28.0 to 36.0 inches. The height is adjusted either by a manual (hand crank) or electric pump that drives hydraulic rams in the legs of the stands. All of the hydraulic stands are equipped with fixed feet, but can be converted to caster wheels with the addition of Caster Kit #3784000. The base stands for each cabinet size is listed in Table 3-2 below.

Table 3-2

Width	Manual Lift Stand #	Electric (115V) Lift Stand #	Electric (230V) Lift Stand #
4'	3780201	3780101	3780104
5'	3780203	3780106	3780107
6'	3780202	3780102	3780105

Note: When installing the cabinet on the hydraulic lift base stand, ensure that the hydraulic lines and the electrical cord are clear of any obstructions before installing the cabinet on the stand or operating the lift system.

SoLo™ Electric Hydraulic Lift Base Stands

These base stands permit the unit to be lowered enough to be transferred through a standard doorway as low as 78 inches. Casters provide mobility and lock in place. The SoLo Stands for each series model is listed below.

	115V SoLo Stand #	230V SoLo No. America Plug #	230V SoLo UK Plug #	230V SoLo Schuko Plug #	230V SoLo China/Australia Plug #
4'	3780311	3780315	3780331	3780335	3780339
5'	3780312	3780316	3780332	3780336	3780340
6'	3780313	3780317	3780333	3780337	3780341

Connecting the Cabinet to Utility Service Lines

Note: Some models have a solenoid valve connected to the service valve on the right side, rear position. The solenoid prevents gas from flowing to the

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service valve when the unit blowers are off. It is the only service valve position that can be fitted with a solenoid valve. Connect the gas service to the solenoid valve.

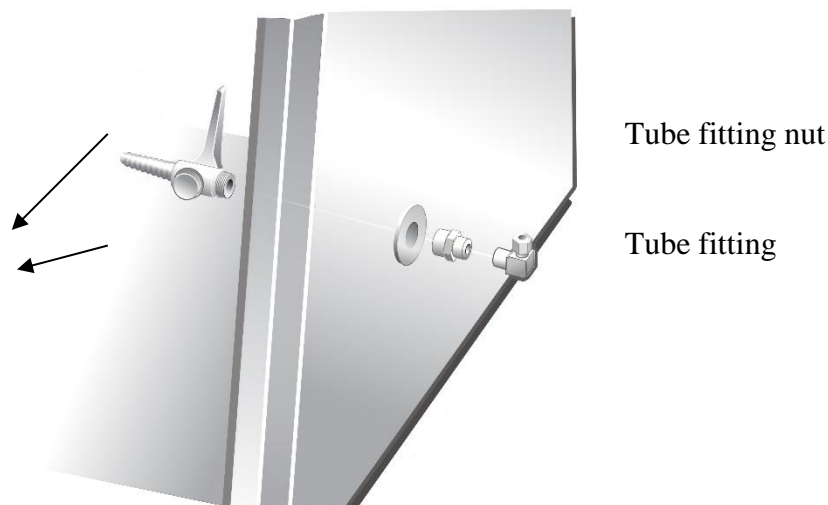
The service lines (if any) should be connected to the tube fitting(s) on the outside of the liner wall as shown in Figure 3-1. To install the tubing, follow these steps:

1. Ensure that the tubing is $\frac{1}{4}$ inch O.D., soft metal, and that the end has been completely deburred.
2. Route the tubing from the rear of the cabinet, ensuring that it will line up with the slot in the back of the side panel. The slot is located from $8\frac{3}{4}$ to $11\frac{1}{4}$ inches (222 to 288 mm) from the bottom of the cabinet.

Note: Make sure that the tube routing will not contact any electrical wires. DO NOT loop service line tubing within the side panels of the cabinet.

3. Make sure that the nut on the tube fitting is loose, but do not remove it. Look inside the fitting to make sure the tube ferrule is there.
4. Push the tube into the fitting until it is properly seated. The tube will go approximately $\frac{3}{4}$ inch (19 mm) into the fitting.
5. Tighten the tube fitting nut hand tight and then, using a $\frac{7}{16}$ -inch wrench, tighten it at least $\frac{3}{4}$ turn more.
6. Close the service valve in the cabinet and then slowly open the shutoff valve on the service valve. Test all fittings for leakage. Tighten the tube nut slightly if needed.

Figure 3-1



Optional Ventus™ Canopy Exhaust Connection

Certain applications such as working with odorous products or volatile toxic materials will require the connection of the unit to an exhaust system.

Note: The canopy connection, also referred to as a thimble or air gap connection, allows single or multiple biohazard cabinets to be connected to an exhaust system. During operation, the exhaust system draws all of the cabinet's exhaust air, plus a volume of room air (through the vent in the canopy) into the exhaust duct. Canopy connections function as a “shock absorber” allowing the system to function properly during changes in room air pressure.

For information on selecting a canopy connection, go to *Appendix D: Accessories*.

Note: If the research involves the use of toxic compounds or volatile materials, contact the facility's safety officer or Labconco to ensure that the cabinet and its exhaust system are compatible with the materials you will be working with.

Optional Vacu-Pass™ Cord & Cable Portal Use

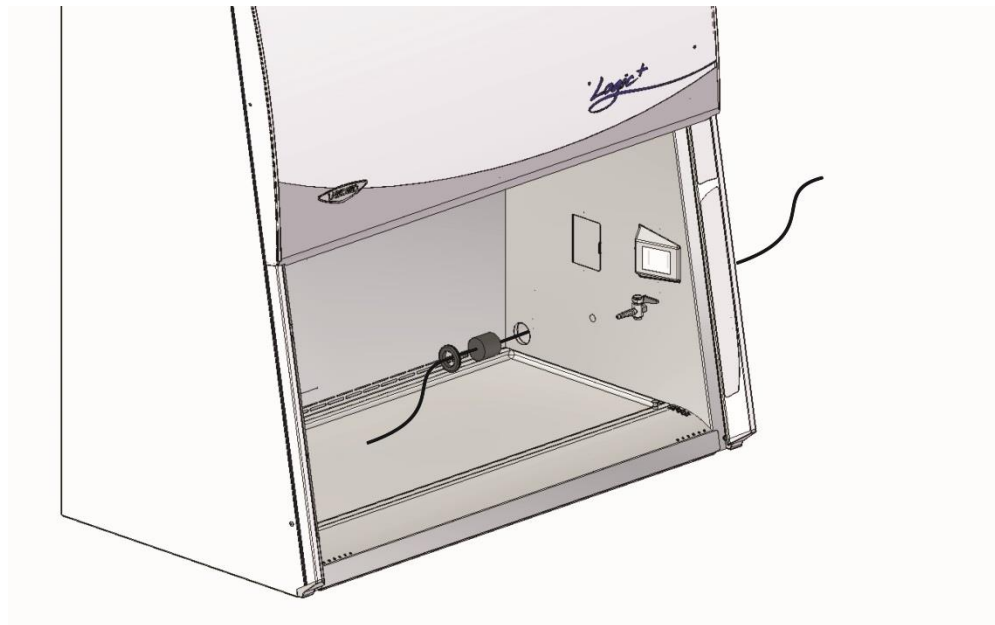
Note: There must be enough clearance to pass the cord or cable between the cabinet's exterior dress panel and any obstruction.

Note: Some Vacu-Pass components and the cord or cable passing through it may become contaminated during use of the cabinet. Ensure all potentially contaminated components are surface decontaminated before handling or removal from the cabinet.

1. Remove the grommet from the liner side wall. Remove the solid sealing plug from the body of the portal by either pressing it through from the outside, or by carefully inserting a spatula or similar device between the sealing plug and the body of the portal, and prying the plug out.
2. Pass the cord or cable through the body of the portal, and then through one of the plugs that has been cut for cord or cable use, then through the grommet, as shown in Figure 3-2.

Note: select a plug with a hole that is slightly smaller than the cord or cable, to create a proper seal. This will also help minimize movement of the cord or cable if it is accidentally pulled during use.

Figure 3-2



3. Position the cord or cable as it will be used in the cabinet, and then push the plug back into the body of the portal until it seats in the portal. Reinstall the grommet.

Drain Valve Installation

In order to prevent damage during shipping, the drain valve assembly has not been installed. If desired, the valve should be installed after the cabinet is in its final location.

To install the valve assembly, follow these steps:

Note: The work surface is heavy. Use caution when handling it.

4. Lift the work surface out of the cabinet by lifting on the knobs at the front of the work surface. Steady the work surface while pulling it straight out the front of the cabinet.
5. Using a putty knife, remove and discard the stainless steel cover that is sealed over the drain mounting holes. Scrape out remaining sealant that is around the holes.
6. Apply a light coating of silicone sealant (user supplied) to the mounting surface of the drain assembly. Attach the drain assembly under the bottom of the cabinet as shown in Figure 3-3. Wipe off any excess sealant from the cabinet bottom. Ensure that the center drain hole is unobstructed.
7. Make sure the drain valve is in the closed position.
8. Reinstall the work surface.
9. Allow the silicone sealant to cure for at least eight hours before exposing it to liquid.

NOTE: The drain valve assembly attaches to the underside of the cabinet bottom.

Apply a light coat of silicone sealant to this surface of the connector, aligning the three holes in the connector with the three holes in the cabinet liner.

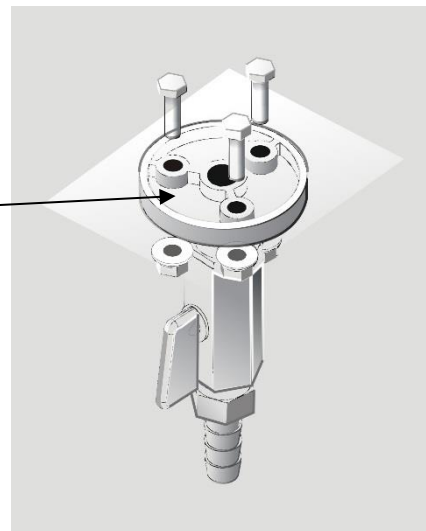


Figure 3-3

Initial Certification

Prior to use, a qualified certifier should certify the cabinet. Under normal operating conditions, the unit should be recertified at least annually and when relocated or serviced. The certifier should perform the following tests, as recommended in NSF/ANSI International Standard Number 49 in effect when the cabinet was manufactured:

- Downflow Velocity Profile Test
- Inflow Velocity Test
- Airflow Smoke Patterns
- HEPA Filter Leak Test
- Optional Canopy Alarm Test and Operation
- Vibration Test *
- Noise Level Test *
- Lighting Intensity Test *

*These tests are user comfort related tests and may be omitted at the user's or certifier's discretion.

If you have any questions regarding certification agencies or need assistance in locating one, contact Labconco's Product Service Department at 1-800-522-7658 or 816-333-8811.

Chapter 4:

Performance Features and Safety Precautions

All Labconco cabinets operate using the following principles:

- Filtration and retention of particulates by High Efficiency Particulate Air (HEPA) filter(s)
- Laminar airflow
- Directional airflow

The major components in the cabinet are:

- The HEPA filter(s) or optional ULPA filters
- The motor/blower to force air through the cabinet
- Cabinet air intakes (grilles), and ductwork

HEPA Filters

HEPA filters are disposable, dry-type particulate filters. The filter material or media is typically made of borosilicate microfibers formed into a thin sheet, in a process similar to the production of paper. This sheet is folded, or pleated to increase its surface area. The pleats are typically held in place by beads of glue that add rigidity to the media pack. The pack is then set into a frame, and sealed as shown in Figure 4-1.

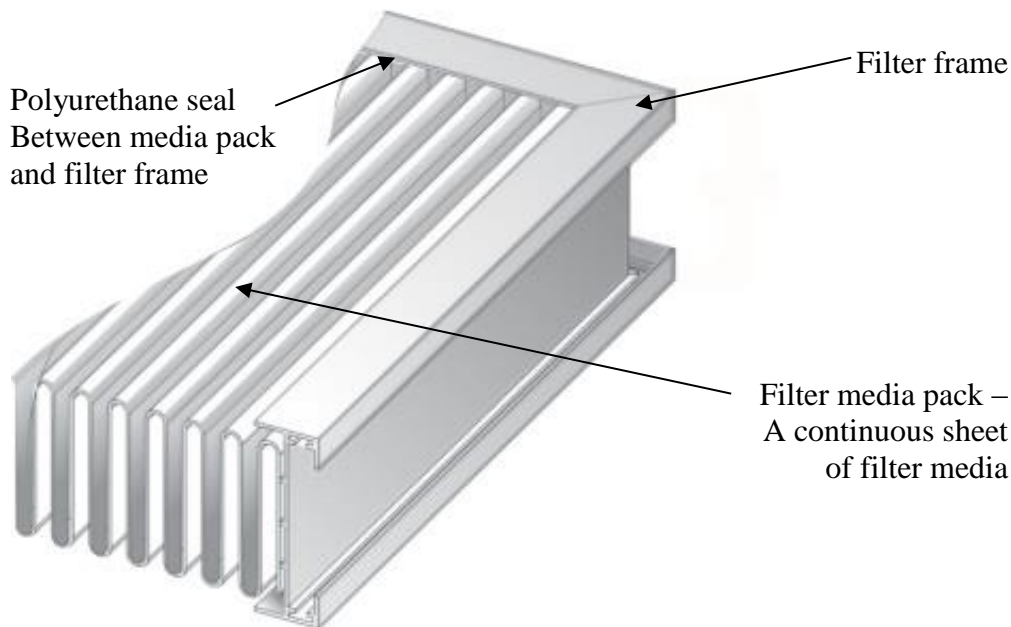
The HEPA filter manufacturer establishes the efficiency of the filter by challenging it with an aerosol of known particle size. The number of particles that penetrate the filter are quantified, and this establishes the efficiency of the filter. Thus, the filters used in the cabinets are at least 99.99% efficient in removing particles 0.3 micron.

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Note: The HEPA filter media is very fragile. DO NOT touch the media. If you think the media of a HEPA filter is damaged, DO NOT USE THE CABINET. Have the HEPA filter integrity tested by a certifier before using the cabinet.

Note: HEPA Filters are only effective against particulate material. Gases will pass through the filter.

Figure 4-1



ULPA Filters

Optional ULPA filters may be used to replace the standard HEPA filters in the cabinets. ULPA filters have the same properties as described above except they are rated at least 99.999% efficient in removing particles 0.1-0.2 or 0.2-0.3 micron.

Laminar Airflow

Laminar airflow is defined as the movement of a body of air in a single direction, with a uniform velocity. In practice, the laminar downflow of air in the cabinet captures any aerosol generated in the work area of the cabinet, and directs it to the HEPA filters. In order to be true laminar downflow, a number of individual downflow velocity test points (The Downflow Velocity Profile) must be ± 16 feet per minute (0.08 m/s) of the average of all the test points. This is illustrated in Figure 4-2.

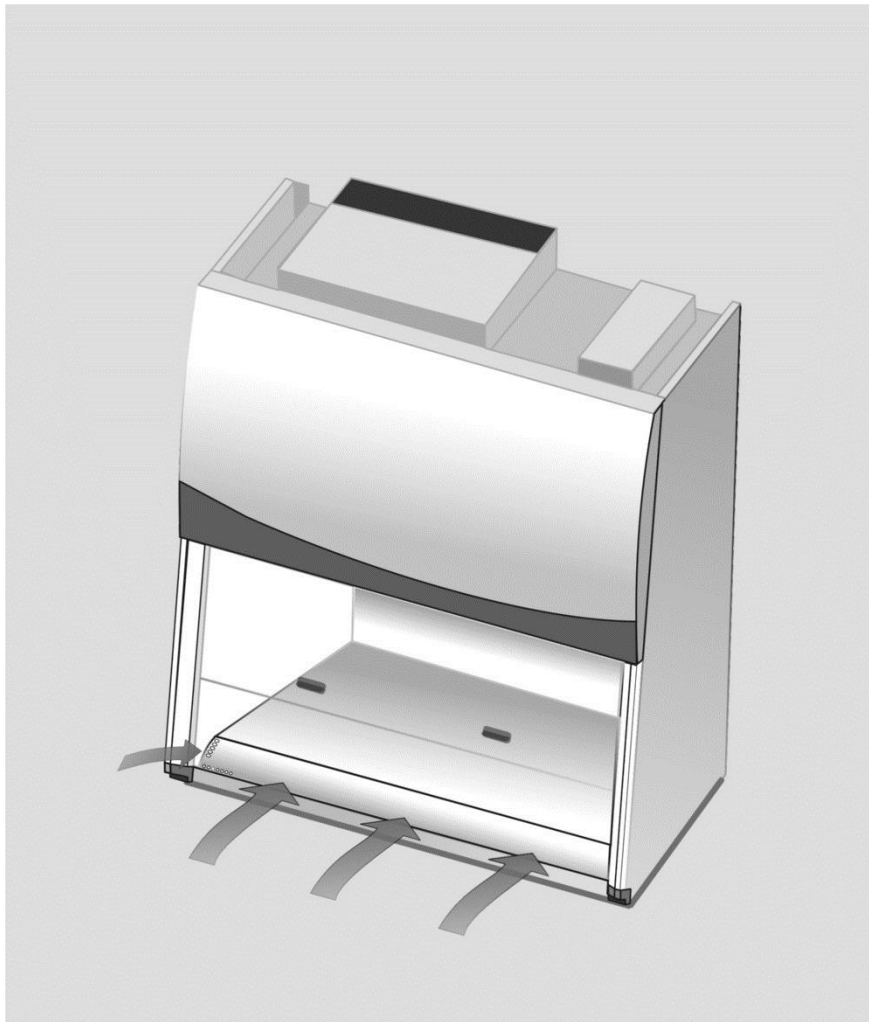
Figure 4-2



Directional Airflow

Directional airflow also plays a key role in cabinet performance. Air is drawn into the front of the cabinet at the front grille. This “curtain” of air makes it more difficult for aerosols to escape out of the work area of the cabinet and into the outside environment. This airflow is often calculated and referred to as the **Inflow Volume** or **Average Inflow Velocity**. This is illustrated in Figure 4-3.

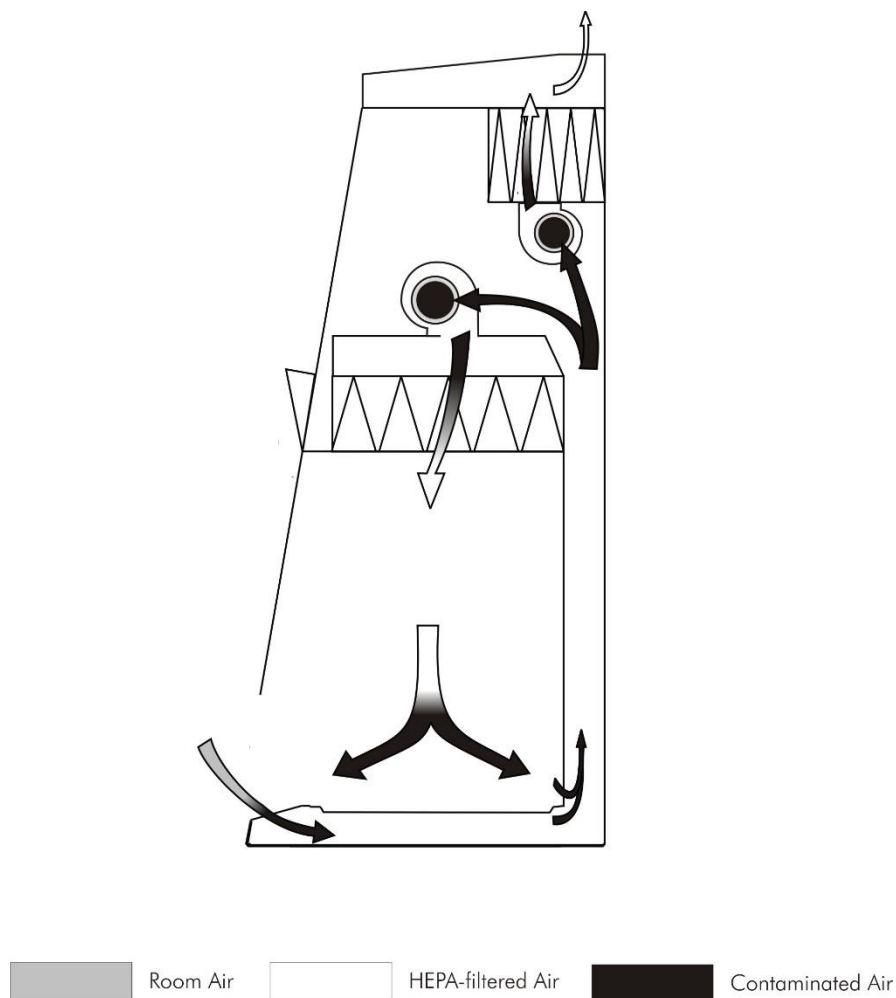
Figure 4-3



Motor/Blowers

Unlike most cabinets, these have two motor/blowers. The supply motor/blower is positioned above the Supply HEPA filter, and is responsible for the recirculation of air from the front grille and the work area back down through the work area. The exhaust motor/blower is located before the exhaust HEPA filter; it draws the inflow and downflow air, and pushes it through the filter, discharging HEPA-filtered air either back into the laboratory, or into an exhaust system. As shown in Figure 4-4. Both motors in the cabinet are electronically commutated motors (ECM). The ECM is a brushless DC motor that includes its own power supply to convert the incoming alternating current to direct current, as well as its own microprocessor to control and measure the motor's operation. The motors utilize Labconco's exclusive Constant Airflow Profile™ (CAP) programming to deliver a consistent volume of air, throughout the life of the HEPA filters.

Figure 4-4



Cabinet Air Intakes (Grilles)

The location, size, and pattern of the grilles in the work area affect cabinet containment and performance.

Note: Do not block or obstruct the grilles of the cabinet.

Ultraviolet (UV) Lamp

The optional UV lamp generates a primary wavelength of light of 254nm. A secondary emission is in the visible (blue) wavelength, resulting in the characteristic blue color while operating. UV light at this wavelength is biocidal, primarily by creating thymine dimers in DNA. These dimers prevent the correct transcription of the DNA into RNA, resulting in cellular death or viral inactivation. In order to be effective, the UV light must directly strike the nucleic acid, and its effectiveness can be diminished or negated by dissolved proteins or metals, or by other UV-opaque substances protecting the target nucleic acid.

Because of its limitations, UV light should be used as an adjunct to good surface disinfection practices. In order to get optimum performance from the UV light, it should be replaced after 6,000 hours of operation or less, and the exterior surface of the lamp should be kept clean and free of dust.

Note: The cabinet records the number of hours of operation of the UV light. You can program in the number of hours (in 100-hour increments) it will operate before a replacement message is displayed.

Note: UV irradiation is absorbed by the tempered safety glass of the sash. Independent research has shown that the level of UV irradiation on the outside of the cabinet's sash is equal to background radiation levels.

Note: The UV sensitivity of a target organism varies, depending on the UV output of the lamp, the genus and species of the organism, the medium the agent is suspended in, etc. Contact the Health and Safety Officer at your facility for UV light use and recommendations.

Safety Precautions

Note: The cabinet should be certified by a certification technician before its initial use. The cabinet should be recertified whenever it is relocated, serviced or at least annually thereafter. Filter integrity and airflow performance should be verified before using the cabinet.

Some internal components of the cabinet may become contaminated during operation of the unit. Only experienced personnel competent in decontamination procedures should decontaminate the cabinet before servicing these components. If you have any questions regarding certification agencies, or need assistance in locating one, contact Labconco's Product Service Department at 800-821-5525 or 816-333-8811.

DO NOT load more than 50 lbs. (23 Kg) in the work area. Exceeding this limit may damage the work surface and its supports. Excessive weight in the cabinet may increase the risk of it overturning, or failure of hydraulic lift stands, resulting in the cabinet and stand overturning. If your application requires loading more than 50 lbs., contact Labconco's Product Service Department at 800-821-5525 or 816-333-8811 for assistance.

Ensure that the cabinet is connected to electrical service in accordance with local and national electrical codes. Failure to do so may create a fire or electrical hazard. Do not remove or service any electrical components without first disconnecting the cabinet from electrical service.

Avoid the use of flammable gases or solvents in the cabinet. Care must be taken to ensure against the concentration of flammable or explosive gases or vapors. An open flame should NOT be used in the cabinet. Open flames will disrupt airflow patterns, burn the HEPA filter and/or damage the filter's adhesive. Gases under high pressure should not be used in the cabinet, as they may disrupt its airflow patterns.

HEPA filters only remove particulate matter. Operations generating volatile toxic chemicals or radionuclides must be evaluated carefully.

The media of HEPA filters is fragile and should not be touched. Avoid puncturing either HEPA filter during installation or normal operation. If you suspect that a HEPA filter has been damaged, DO NOT use the cabinet; contact a local certification agency or Labconco at 800-821-5525 or 816-333-8811 for re-certification information.

The HEPA filters in the cabinet will gradually accumulate airborne particulate matter from the room and from work performed in the cabinet. The rate of accumulation will depend upon the cleanliness of the room air, operating time and the nature of work being done in the cabinet. The Filter Gauge accurately displays the amount of filter life remaining.

Chapter 4: Performance Features and Safety Precautions

Proper operation of the cabinet depends largely upon its location and the operator's work habits. Consult the Installation and Normal Operation sections of this manual for further details.

Avoid direct exposure of plastic or coated materials to ultraviolet (UV) radiation. Never bypass the UV safety interlock that only allows the UV light to work when the sash is closed. When surface disinfecting the cabinet:

- Avoid splashing the disinfecting solution on skin or clothing.
- Ensure adequate ventilation.
- Carefully follow the disinfectant's safety instructions.
- Always dispose of disinfecting solutions in accordance with local and national laws.
- DO NOT allow disinfectants with high concentrations of free chlorine to contact the stainless steel components of the cabinet for a long period of time. Free chlorine will corrode stainless steel after extended contact.

Cabinets should be decontaminated for any of the following reasons:

- Before maintenance work requiring entry into contaminated areas.
- Before HEPA filter changes.
- Before performing certification tests requiring entry into contaminated areas.
- Before relocating the cabinet.
- Before changing research programs.
- After the gross spill of biohazardous material or toxic chemicals.

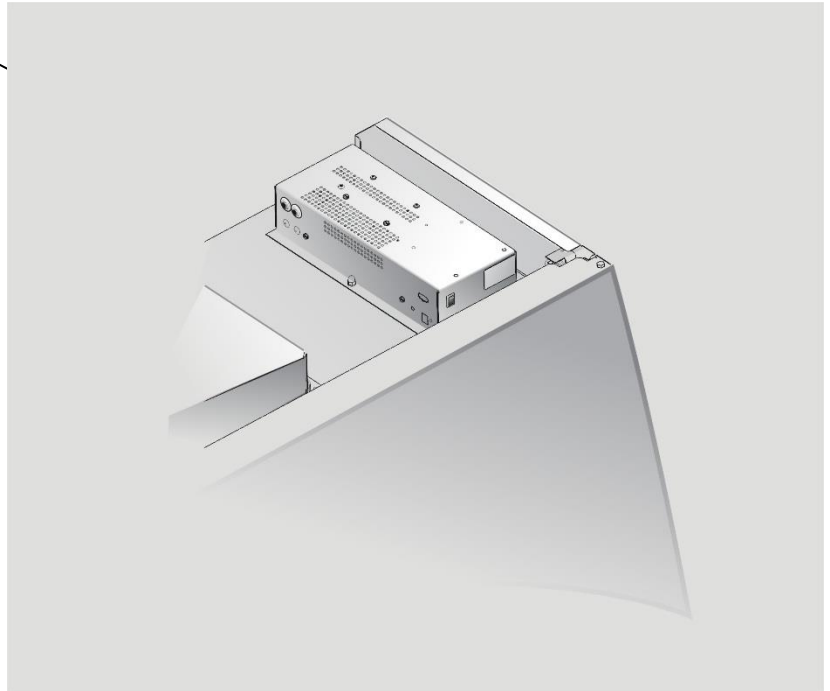
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System Reset Switch

The unit has a system reset switch for resetting its microprocessors. The switch is located on the front of the electronics module, on top of the cabinet, as shown in Figure 5-1. Ensure that the switch is in the “ON” (up) position before attempting to operate the cabinet.

Figure 5-1

The System Reset
Switch



Information Center

The Information Center is an LCD display located on the right side wall at eye level. When the blower is started, the words “please wait” will be displayed, as shown in Figure 5-2. After approximately 90 seconds, the display will switch to normal operation.

The display provides a clock, the remaining filter life, the cabinet’s current status, inflow and downflow velocities (if equipped with the optional airflow sensor), as shown in Figure 5-3. In the event of an alarm, the Information Center will immediately display a context sensitive display indicating the cause of the alarm, and possible solutions, as shown in Figures 5-4a-e.

The display will enter sleep mode, turning itself off, one minute after the blower is turned off or the sash is closed.

Figure 5-2

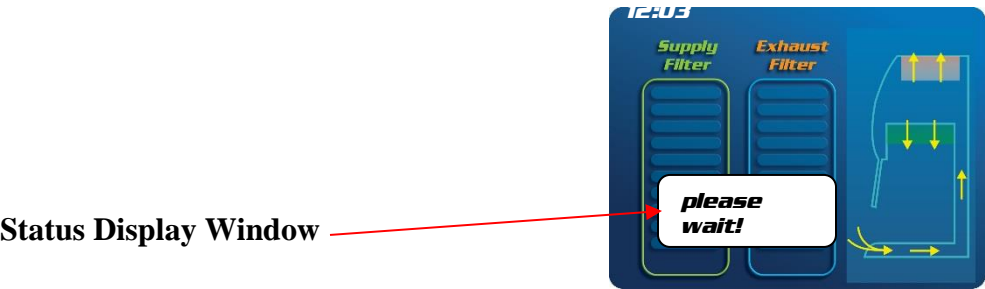
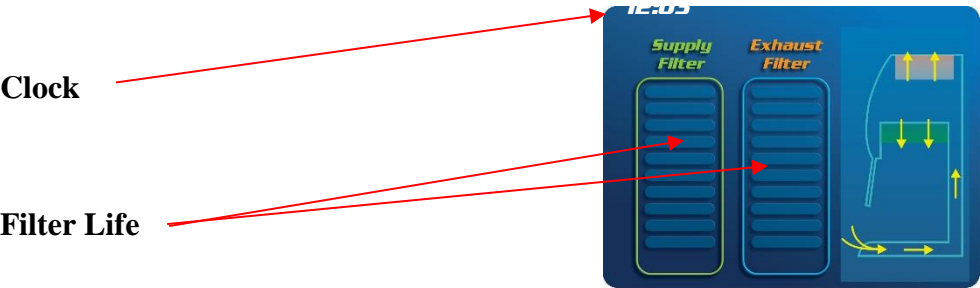


Figure 5-3



Alarm Screens

Sash is too high

The sash is open too far for safe operation.

Figure 5-4a



Figure 5-4b

Airflow Alert

The airflow patterns in the cabinet have changed, resulting in a sudden change in the motor speed. This is most likely due to a blockage of the grille or the exhaust filter outlet. It may also be caused by removal of the work surface while the cabinet is in operation.



Figure 5-4c

Airflow Alarm

If equipped with the optional airflow sensor and the inflow or downflow velocities are excessively high or low, this alarm will be displayed.

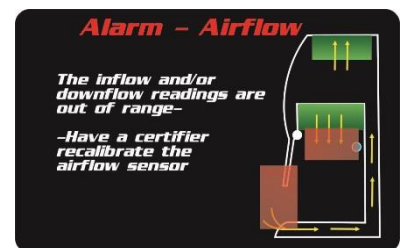


Figure 5-4d

Canopy Alarm

If equipped with the optional canopy connection, and there is insufficient exhaust system airflow, this alarm will be displayed. If this alarm is displayed, the unit's blowers will need to be turned off, and then back on again to reset the alarm.

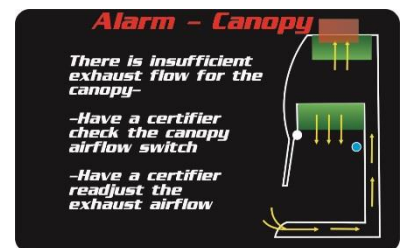
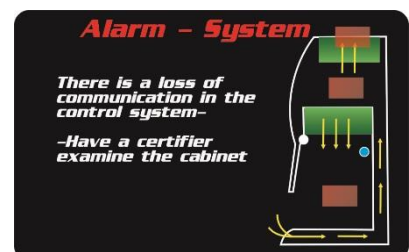


Figure 5-4e

System Error/Exhaust Fan Failure

The motor and display circuit board are not communicating properly. DO NOT USE THE CABINET UNTIL THE PROBLEM HAS BEEN CORRECTED.



Operating the Sliding Sash

The counterbalanced, anti-racking sash mechanism requires only a few pounds of force to move the sash up or down. You can open or close the sash smoothly with one or two hands positioned on either handle.

The sash position alarm and safety interlock system senses the sash position and acts appropriately. The cabinet has been programmed to operate at a 12-inch (305 mm) sash opening. Positioning the sash above or below the operating height will activate the audible and visual alarms. The audible alarm can be temporarily muted (for approximately five minutes) by depressing and releasing the **OK/Mute** button. Closing the sash back to its operating position will reset the alarm. The safety interlock system senses when the sash is closed and allows the optional ultraviolet (UV) lamp to operate only when the sash is closed, to protect the operator from irradiation.

Starting the Cabinet

Blower Startup Sequence

To ensure proper protection, during blower startup, the unit will always start its exhaust blower first. When the exhaust blower reaches an appropriate speed, then the supply blower will start.

During blower shut down, the supply blower will stop first, followed by the exhaust blower approximately 10 seconds later. This will ensure proper containment within the cabinet until all blower operation ceases.

1. To start the cabinet, raise the sash until its bottom edge aligns with the sash position label on the left corner post. The decal is shown in Figure 5-5.
2. Press the blower button to start the unit. The unit will display a standby screen for approximately 90 seconds to allow the cabinet to reach proper operating conditions. If the alarm sounds, recheck the sash position. If the sash is too high, the sash audible alarm and the LCD display will indicate the sash is too high.
3. To turn the UV light on, the sash must be completely closed to prevent the escape of any UV radiation. Push the UV light button to activate the UV light.

Note: The sash must be completely closed for the UV light to activate.

Sash position label

Figure 5-5



The Touchpad

The touchpad of the unit is shown in Figure 5-6. Take a moment to get familiar with the buttons, their locations and functions. Also familiarize yourself with the display located on the right side wall. The display will report system functions, such as filter capacity, timer displays, alarm or error messages, as well as icons that illuminate when cabinet functions such as UV light and blower are operational.

Figure 5-6

Blower Button – Starts or stops the cabinet blower. When the blower is in Smart-Start™ mode, opening the sash from the closed position turns the blower on automatically. In Night-Smart™ mode, when the sash is closed, the motor slows to idle to maintain air cleanliness in the work area. When the sash is reopened, the blower resumes normal operation. Pressing this button overrides Smart-Start and Night-Smart operation.

Light Button – Turns the fluorescent lamps on or off. Closing the sash automatically turns the lights off. When the lights are in Smart-Start mode, raising the sash turns the lights on automatically.

Outlet Button – Turns the electrical outlets in the work area on or off.

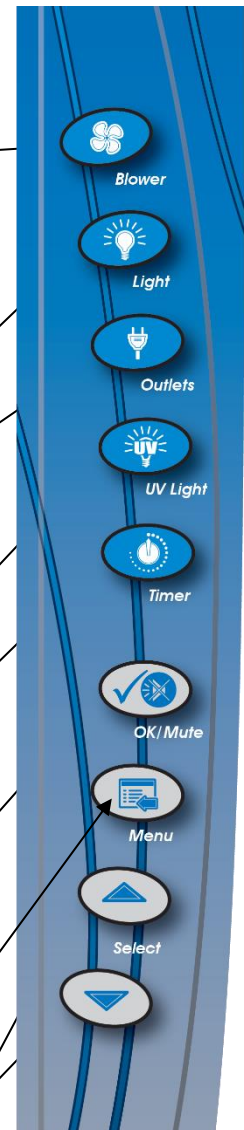
UV Light Button – Turns the UV lamp on or off. When the UV lamp is in Smart-Start mode, closing the sash turns the light on. When the sash is raised, the light turns off automatically.

Timer Button – Allows you to select either a repeating interval timer, or an elapsed timer (stopwatch).

OK/Mute Button – Mutes all audible alarms for approximately 5 minutes, unless there is a system error alarm. When in the Menu mode, this button is used to select an option.

Menu Button – This button toggles the display between the display and menu modes. When in the menu mode, pressing this button returns you to the previous menu level.

Select Buttons – Allow you to choose different options in the menu mode.



Navigating the Menu Screens

MyLogic™ allows you to use the Smart-Start or Night-Smart features that activate functions automatically when the sash is opened or closed.

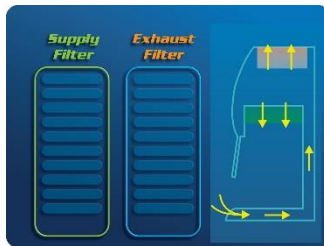
If equipped, the UV lamp can be programmed to operate for a given time interval when the sash is closed, before it shuts off.

NOTE: When you are in the menu mode, if a selection is not made within 30 seconds, the display will reset back to display mode.

Keypad operations are shown as *blue bold italic*. Menu screen selections are shown as *green italics*.

NOTE: Pressing the appropriate touchpad button will override Smart-Start or Night-Smart selections.

To access the menu, press the *Menu* button. The display panel will show the first level menu. To select from the various menu options press the ▲ or ▼ buttons until the selected option is displayed. Press *OK* to accept that option, or press *Menu* to return to the previous menu level.



Display Mode

Menu



Menu Mode

Navigating the MyLogic™ Menu Screens

The MyLogic screens will allow you to set the cabinet's clock, and to personalize its operation. Please note all MyLogic screens have a blue background.

Setting the Clock

Using the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad, highlight the *MyLogic* option-it will turn blue when selected. Press **OK** to enter the first MyLogic screen:



OK



Using the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad, highlight *set the clock* -it will turn white when selected. Press **OK** to enter the first clock setting screen:

At this screen, select whether you want the clock to display in a 12- or 24-Hour format. When you have highlighted your choice, press **OK** to go to the next screen...



Use the ▲ and ▼ buttons to select the hour, and press **OK**...



Use the ▲ and ▼ buttons to select the minute, and press **OK** to return to the first MyLogic screen.



Configuring the Unit

In the first MyLogic screen, use the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad to highlight *configure my Logic for use* -it will turn white when selected. Press **OK** to enter the first configuration screen:

The first screen gives you the option of activating the Smart-Start option for the blower; if you want the cabinet blower to start every time you raise the sash, select *start*, and then press **OK**. If *not start* is selected, then the blower must be manually started from the keypad. When **OK** is pressed, the next configuration screen will appear.

The next screen gives you the option of activating the Smart-Start option for the fluorescent light; if you want the lights to turn on every time you raise the sash, select *turn on*, and then press **OK**. If *stay off* is selected, then the lights must be manually turned on from the keypad. When **OK** is pressed, the next configuration screen will appear.

If you want the cabinet blower to run slowly, maintaining reduced airflows every time you close the sash, select *go into Night-Smart mode* and then press **OK**. If *stop* is selected, then the blowers will stop when the sash is closed. When **OK** is pressed, the next configuration screen will appear.

If your unit is configured for a UV light, then you will see the next two screens; if you want the UV lamp to turn on every time you close the sash, select *go into Night-Smart mode*, and then press **OK**. If *stay off* is selected, then the UV light will not turn on when the sash is closed. When **OK** is pressed, the final configuration screen will appear.



If you choose to use Night-Smart option for the UV lamp, this screen allows you to control the time the UV lamp will remain on after the sash is closed. Use the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad to cycle through the time intervals available, and then press **OK** to select it. The screen will then return to the first MyLogic screen.



Navigating the Settings Menu Screens

The Settings screens will allow an administrator to set some of the cabinet's operational parameters. Please note all Settings screens have a green background.

Using the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad, highlight the *Settings* option—it will turn green when selected. Press **OK** to enter the first Settings screen:



OK Button

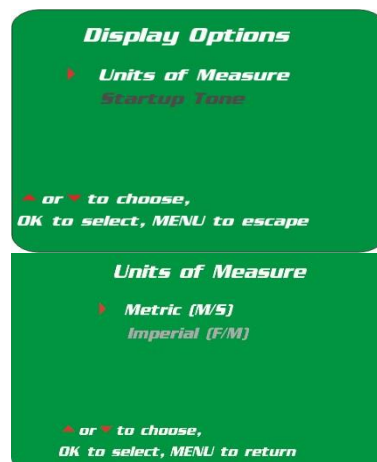


Display Options

Units of Measure

Note: The Units of Measure refers to the display of airflow velocities if the cabinet is equipped with the optional airflow sensor.

Using the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad, highlight the *Units of Measure* option—it will turn white when selected, and then press **OK**. Using the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad, highlight either *metric* or *imperial* units of measure—it will turn white when selected, and then press **OK**. The screen will then return to the first Settings screen.



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Startup tone

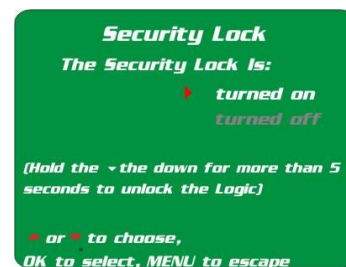
Using the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad, highlight the *Startup Tone* option-it will turn white when selected, and then press **OK**. Using the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad, highlight either *Turned on* or *Turned off* option. When turned on, an audible beep will sound during the first 90 seconds of blower operation to caution the user that the unit is not yet ready for use.



Security Lock

The Security Lock “locks” the keypad to prevent unauthorized use of the cabinet when it is not in use.

Note: The Security Lock feature only works when all Smart-Start and Night-Smart options are turned off. When selected, the security lock “locks” the keypad immediately if the blower is off, or after the blower is turned off. The security lock is deactivated by holding the ▼ button for three to five seconds. The lock must be turned on again after each deactivation.



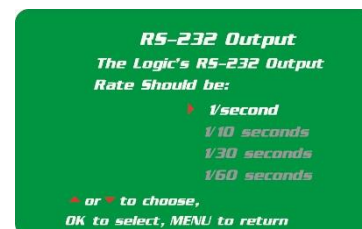
From the Settings menu screen, use the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad to highlight the *Security Lock* option-it will turn white when selected. Press **OK** to enter the Security Lock screen. Using the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad, highlight either *turned on* or *turned off*-it will turn white when selected, press **OK**. The screen will then return to the first Settings screen.

RS-232 Output Rate

Note: This selection will only work if the optional EN/RS-232 board is installed.

This menu option selects the rate that the RS-232 board outputs data. Data can be output at a rate of once per second, once every 10 seconds, once every 30 seconds, or once per minute.

From the Settings menu screen, use the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad to highlight the *RS-232 output*-it will turn white when selected. Press **OK** to enter the RS-232 output screen. Using the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad, highlight either the data output rate preferred. It will turn white when selected, and then press **OK**. The screen will then return to the first Settings screen.



UV Settings

For models equipped with the optional UV light the cabinet has an integral UV light maintenance system. It allows you to define how many hours you want the UV lamp to operate before receiving a reminder to replace it, a way to monitor how many hours the lamp has been on, and the means to reset the UV lamp hourmeter.

UV Lamp Hourmeter

This display only shows how many hours the UV lamp has been lit, and how many hours remain until you will receive a warning to replace the lamp.

From the Settings menu screen, use the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad to highlight the *UV Settings* option-it will turn white when selected. Press **OK** to enter the UV Settings screen. Using the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad, highlight UV Hourmeter-it will turn white when selected, and then press **OK**. The screen will then return to the UV Hourmeter screen.



This screen displays how many hours the UV lamp has operated, and how many hours of operation remain before replacement is recommended. When finished with this screen, press **MENU** to return to the first UV Settings screen.



Reset UV Lamp Hourmeter

This option lets you reset the UV hourmeter to 0 hours whenever the lamp has been replaced.

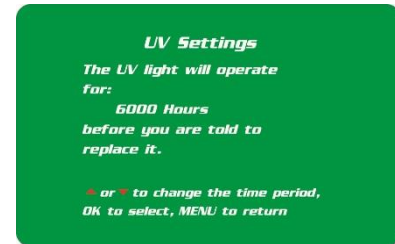
This screen allows you to reset the UV Hourmeter to 0 hours if you press **OK**. Pressing **MENU** will return you to the first UV Settings screen without resetting the hourmeter.



Change UV Lamp Life

In this screen, you can set the number of operating hours before receiving the replace UV lamp warning. For most UV lamps, the output of UV light decreases at a constant rate. Typically, after 6,000 hours of operation the lamp will output 80% of the UV light it did when it was new. This option allows you to set operational life of the UV lamp, in 100 hour increments.

From the UV Settings menu screen, use the ▲ and ▼ buttons on the touchpad to highlight the *Set UV Life* option—it will turn white when selected. Press **OK** to enter the Set UV life screen. Use the ▲ and ▼ buttons to increase or decrease the lamp life in 100 hour increments, until the desired value is displayed, and then press **OK**. The screen will then return to the UV Settings screen.



The Service Menu Screens

Note: The Service Menu screens are reserved for use by trained certification personnel as part of the certification or service procedures. All of the screens have a yellow background, and those portions of the Service Menu screens that can alter the performance of the cabinet are password protected. If you have any questions about these screens, contact Labconco's Product Service Department at 1-800-821-5525 or www.labconco.com for assistance.

Timer Operation

NOTE: The timer button allows activation of an interval (countdown) or stopwatch (elapsed) timer. The timers cannot be operated simultaneously.

To access the main timer menu, press the **Timer** button anytime during normal operation. The main timer menu is shown on the LCD display. Use the **▲** and **▼** buttons to highlight the **Interval** or **Stopwatch** Timer. Press the **OK** button to select the highlighted timer function.

Interval Timer Operation

1. When selected, the Interval Timer menu is displayed on the LCD. The timer defaults to 0:00:00 (hours:minutes:seconds).
2. Press and hold the **▲** or **▼** buttons to increase or decrease the timer interval.
3. When the proper interval is entered on the display, press the **OK** button to start the timer.
4. When the timer reaches 0:00:00, an audible alarm will sound, and the timer will reset itself and repeat the countdown.
5. Press the **OK** button to pause the timer.
6. Press the **Menu** button to clear the interval timer and return to the main timer menu.

Stopwatch Timer Operation

1. When selected, the Stopwatch Timer menu is displayed on the LCD. The timer defaults to 0:00:00.
2. Press the **OK** button to start the timer.
3. Press the **OK** button again to zero the timer.
4. Press the **Menu** button to clear the stopwatch timer and return to the main timer menu.

If An Airflow Alert Activates

The most common causes of an Airflow Alert are:

- Blockage of the inlet grilles or exhaust outlet.
- Removal of the work surface or grille during operation.

Resetting the Airflow Alert System

The Airflow Alert automatically resets to normal operation once the motor speed has stabilized.

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Working in the Cabinet

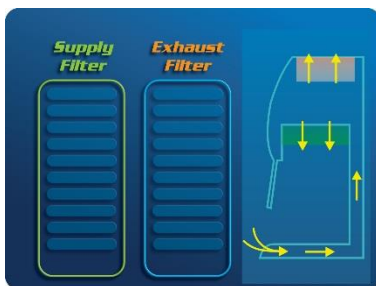
Note: A more thorough review of using the BSC can be found in: *Biosafety in Microbiological and Biomedical Laboratories (BMBL)*, Published by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (www.cdc.gov/biosafety/publications).

Planning

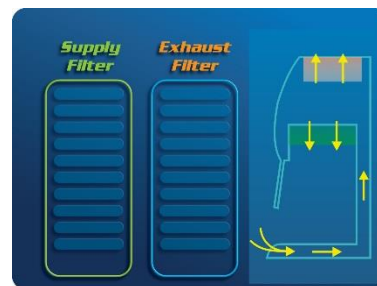
- Thoroughly understand procedures and equipment required before beginning work.
- Arrange for minimal disruptions, such as room traffic or entry into the room while the cabinet is in use.

Start-up

- Turn off UV light if included.
- Slowly raise the sash until the bottom of the sash aligns with the sash indicator decal located on the left side of the work area.
- Turn on the fluorescent light and cabinet blower if the Smart-Start features have not been activated.
- Check the air grilles for obstructions.
- Allow the cabinet to operate until the display screen is shown.



Warming up Screen



Display Screen

- Wash hands and arms thoroughly with germicidal soap.
- Wear appropriate personnel protective equipment (PPE).

Wipe-Down

- Raise the sash to its full open position (approximately 21.75 inches or 552 mm). Mute the alarm by depressing the "OK/Mute" switch.
- Wipe down the interior surfaces of the cabinet with 70% ethanol, or a suitable disinfectant, and allow to dry.

Loading Materials and Equipment

- Only load the materials required for the procedure. Do not overload the cabinet.
- Do not obstruct the front, side, or rear return air grilles.
- Large objects should not be placed close together.
- Slowly close the sash until it is in the correct operating position.
- After loading the cabinet, wait two to three minutes to purge airborne contaminants from the work area.

Work Techniques

- Keep all materials at least 4 inches (100 mm) inside from the sash, and perform all contaminated operations as far to the rear of the work area as possible.
- Segregate all clean and contaminated materials in the work area.
- Arrange materials to minimize the movement of contaminated materials into clean areas.
- Keep all discarded contaminated material to the rear of the work area.
- Avoid moving materials or the operator's hands and arms through the front access opening during use.
- Avoid the use of an open flame. Use disposable labware or an electric incinerator as alternatives.
- Use proper aseptic technique.
- Avoid using techniques or procedures that disrupt the airflow patterns of the cabinet.
- If there is a spill or splatter during use, all objects in the cabinet should be surface decontaminated before removal. Thoroughly disinfect the working area of the cabinet WHILE IT IS STILL IN OPERATION, to prevent the release of contaminants from the cabinet.

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Final Purging

- Upon completion of work, the cabinet should be allowed to operate for two to three minutes undisturbed, to purge airborne contaminants from the work area.

Unloading Materials and Equipment

- Objects in contact with contaminated material should be surface decontaminated before removal from the cabinet.
- All open trays or containers should be covered before being removed from the cabinet.

Wipe-Down

- Wipe down the interior surfaces of the cabinet with a suitable disinfectant, or 70% ethanol, and allow to dry.
- Periodically lift the work surface and wipe down the area beneath it.
- Inspect and clean the towel catch located at the rear of the work area, beneath the work pan.
- Dispose of rubber gloves appropriately, and have lab coat laundered properly.
- Wash hands and arms thoroughly with germicidal soap.

Shutdown

- Lower the sash to turn off the fluorescent light and cabinet blower and activate the UV light if appropriate.

Chapter 6:

Maintaining the Cabinet

The common service operations necessary to maintain the cabinet for peak performance are listed below.

Note: This manual covers operation and maintenance operations for the owners/users of the listed biosafety cabinets/ Procedure Stations. Complete certification procedures, service operations and specifications are published in a separate publication *Technical Manual: 12-Inch Sash models - Purifier® Logic®+ Biosafety Cabinets and PuriCare Procedure Stations*. This manual is available from Labconco's website: www.labconco.com. A complete certifier service kit is available to qualified certifiers from Labconco. Call Labconco's Product Service Department at 800-821-5525 or 816-333-8811.



Do NOT contact blower wheel while still in motion.

NE PAS être en contact avec la roué du ventilateur tant qu'il est en marche.

Routine Maintenance Schedule

Weekly

- Wipe down the interior surfaces of the cabinet with a suitable disinfectant, or 70% ethanol, and allow to dry.
- Using an appropriate glass cleaner, clean the sash and the surface of the UV lamp, if so equipped.
- Operate the cabinet blower, noting the percent filter life remaining in an operational log.

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Monthly (or more often as required)

- Using a damp cloth, clean the exterior surfaces of the cabinet, particularly the front and top of the cabinet, to remove any accumulated dust.
- Disinfect and lift the work surface. Surface disinfect the area beneath the work surface with a suitable disinfectant, or 70% ethanol, and allow to dry. Check the towel catch for retained materials.
- Check all service valves, if so equipped, for proper operation.
- Check the UV light hourmeter, and record its reading in an operational log.
- All weekly activities.

Semiannually or Annually

- Have the cabinet re-certified by a qualified certification technician.
- All monthly activities.

Service Operations

Work Surface Removal:

Note: The work surface must be thoroughly decontaminated before removing it from the cabinet.

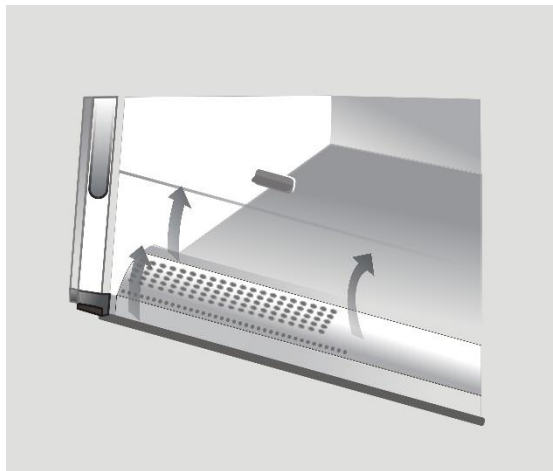
1. Lift the front edge of the work surface straight up by grasping the knob handles at either front corner.
2. Pull the work surface straight out, letting its rear edge rest on the center support underneath.
3. Reinstall the work surface by resting the bottom on the center rail while pushing it back into the cabinet. Be sure to engage the tabs on the back corners of the work surface with the slots on the rear wall of the work area.

Front Grille Removal:

Note: The grille must be thoroughly decontaminated before removing it.

1. Remove the work surface as described earlier.
2. At one end of the grille, grip the front of grille with one hand, and the back with the other hand. Pivot that end of the grille upward and inward, paralleling the angle of the sash, as shown in Figure 6-1.
3. Pull the other end of the grille up and away from the bottom edge of the cabinet.
4. Reinstall the grille by reversing the above sequence, ensuring that the grille properly engages the bottom edge of the cabinet.

Figure 6-1



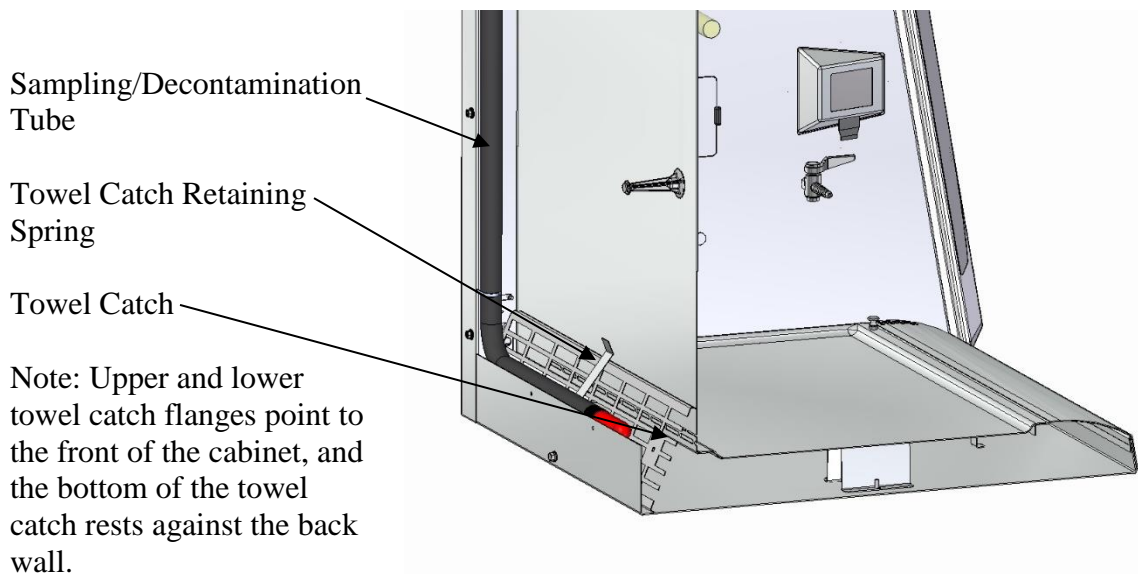
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Towel Catch Removal:

Note: The work surface of the cabinet and the towel catch must be thoroughly decontaminated before removing either.

1. Remove the work surface as described above.
2. Remove the towel catch by pivoting the bottom out toward you, as shown in Figure 6-2; it is spring loaded, and you will feel some resistance. Note the orientation of the towel catch.
3. Surface decontaminate the towel catch before removing it.
4. If equipped with prefilters, inspect them. Disinfect, clean or replace as necessary. Surface decontaminate the towel catch before removing it.
5. Reinstall the towel catch by sliding it back into position, ensuring that the that the DOP Sampling Line (the clear tube with a black cap) either passes through a hole in the towel catch, or rests behind the towel catch, allowing the catch to contact the rear wall of the cabinet.

Figure 6-2



Optional Prefilter Installation

Note: The prefilter is an option for the Logic+ models, and is standard on the PuriCare Procedure Stations.

Note: There are 2 different prefilter styles – all metal prefilters, and disposable paper prefilters – Each style installs differently.

Figure 6-2a

Metal Prefilter Installation

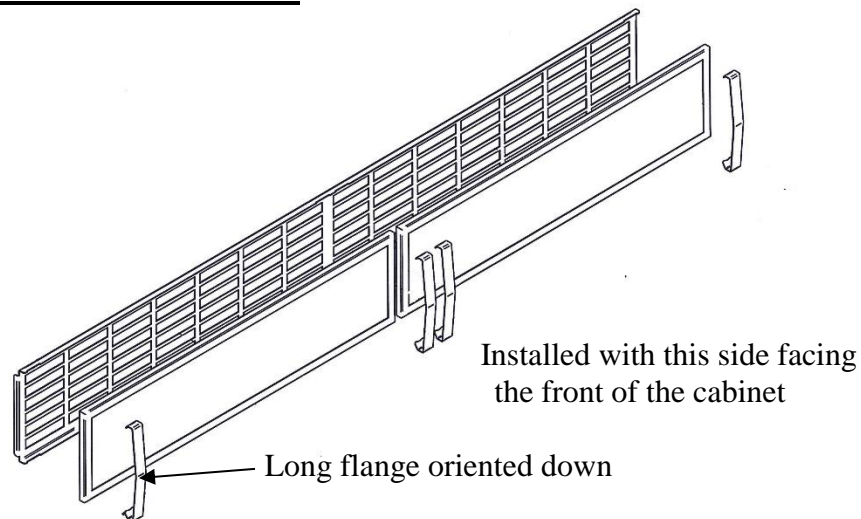
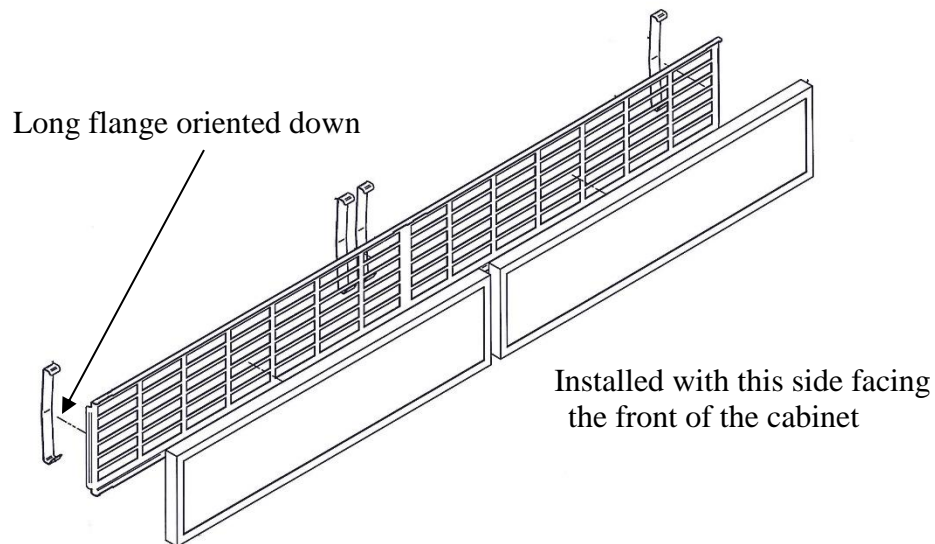


Figure 6-2b

Paper Prefilter Installation



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Font Panel Removal and Installation:

Figure 6-3

1. Locate and remove the two Phillips screws that secure the front panel as shown in Figure 6-3. They are located on the bottom corners of the front dress panel.
2. Swing the bottom of the dress panel out to clear the fluorescent light and then lift the front dress panel straight up and away from the cabinet.

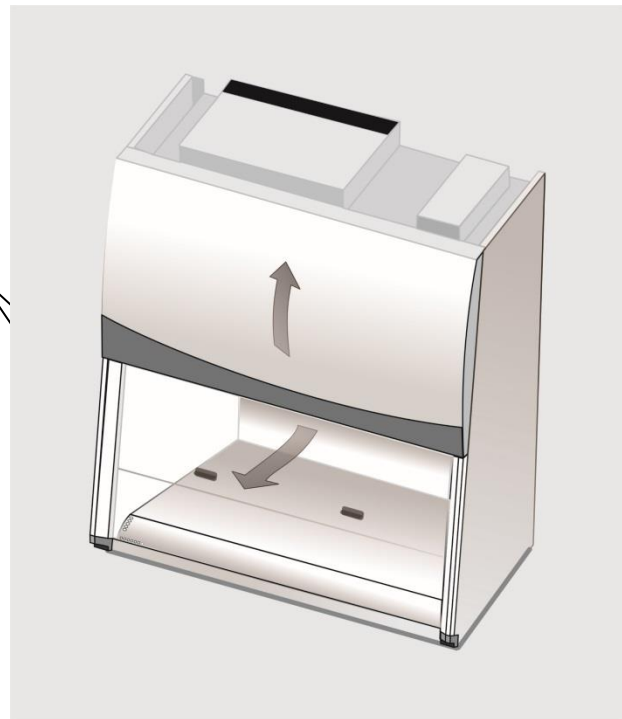


Figure 6-4

1. To reinstall the panel, reverse these steps, ensuring that the plastic pin in the top corners of the dress panel properly engage the corner posts.



Changing the Fluorescent Lamps:

1. Unplug the cabinet or turn off the System Reset Switch located on the top of the cabinet.
2. Remove the front dress panel as noted in Figure 6-3.
3. Remove the fluorescent lamps by pulling the lamp sockets straight off each end of the lamp, and releasing both lamps from the spring clips that secure them in place.
4. Install the new lamps by reversing the removal procedure.

Changing the Optional UV Lamp:

Note: For optimum performance, the UV lamp should be changed on an annual basis, or as indicated by the UV lamp timer.

The UV lamp and the work area of the cabinet must be thoroughly decontaminated before removing the lamp.

1. Start the cabinet and let it operate for 5 minutes.
2. Raise the sash to its full open position.
3. Thoroughly surface decontaminate the UV lamp and the work area of the cabinet.
4. Unplug the cabinet or turn off the System Reset Switch, located on the top of the cabinet.
5. Remove the UV lamp by rotating it 90 degrees and lifting it straight up and out of its sockets.
6. Install new lamp by reversing the removal procedure.

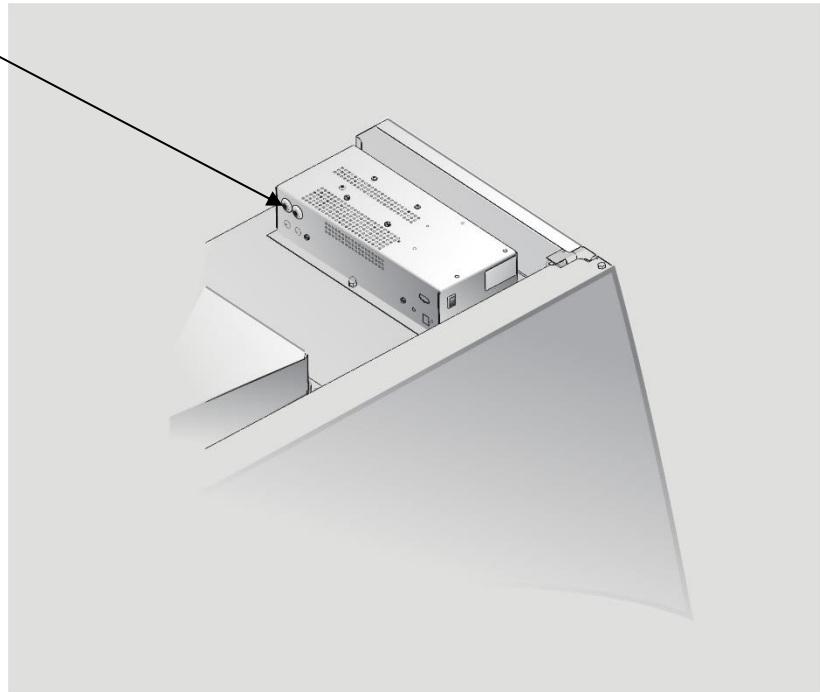
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Resetting a Circuit Breaker:

To reset any of the circuit breakers located on the left side of the electronics module, depress the white button until it sets.

Figure 6-5

Circuit Breakers- The front breaker protects the electrical outlets, the rear breaker protects the motor and lights.



Storage

If the cabinet is to be left unused for more than one month, it should be prepared for storage.

Note: The cabinet should not be stored in areas of excess humidity or temperature extremes. If the cabinet is moved during storage, it must be recertified before use.

1. Close the sash completely and seal the bottom edge and the exhaust outlet with plastic sheeting.
2. Unplug the cabinet.
3. Ensure that the cabinet will not be moved or disturbed while being stored.

Chapter 7:

Troubleshooting

Refer to the following table if the cabinet fails to operate properly. If the suggested corrective actions do not solve the problem, contact Labconco for additional assistance.

PROBLEM	CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
Cabinet blower and lights won't turn on	Unit not plugged into outlet	Plug the cabinet into appropriate electrical service. Check connection to control box on top of cabinet.
	System Reset Switch is Off	Turn on the System Reset Switch.
	Circuit breaker(s) tripped	Reset circuit breakers.
	Keypad disconnected or defective	Run keypad diagnostics and check connections.
Blower won't turn on	Sash closed	Raise sash.
	Keypad disconnected or defective	Run keypad diagnostics and check connections.
	Blower wiring is disconnected	Inspect blower wiring.
	Blower motor is defective	Replace blower motor.

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PROBLEM	CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
Fluorescent light not working	Sash is closed	Open sash – Fluorescent lights will not work with the sash closed.
	Lamp(s) are defective	Replace defective lamp(s)
	Lamp wiring is disconnected	Inspect lamp wiring.
	Defective lamp ballasts	Replace lamp ballasts.
Fluorescent light is dim or flickering	Keypad disconnected or defective	Run keypad diagnostics and check connections.
	Lamp(s) are defective	Replace defective lamp(s)
	Lamp wiring is disconnected	Inspect lamp wiring.
UV light not working	Defective lamp ballast	Replace lamp ballast.
	Sash is open	Close sash – UV light will not work with the sash open.
	Lamp is defective	Replace defective lamp.
	Lamp wiring is disconnected	Inspect lamp wiring.
	Defective lamp ballast	Replace lamp ballast.
UV light is dim or flickering	Keypad disconnected or defective	Run keypad diagnostics and check connections.
	Lamp is defective or is at end of operating lifetime.	Replace defective or worn out lamp.
	Lamp wiring is disconnected	Inspect lamp wiring.
	Defective lamp ballast	Replace lamp ballast.

PROBLEM	CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
Airflow Alert goes off and/or there is a slight decrease in filter life remaining gauge	HEPA filter loading	The gauge reading steadily decreases as the cabinet is used.
	Blockage of the return air slots or grille	Check all return air slots and grilles to ensure that they are not blocked or restricted.
	Blockage of the exhaust outlet	Ensure that the exhaust outlet is not blocked or restricted.
	Blockage or restriction under the work surface	Ensure that the towel catch and plenum beneath the work surface are unobstructed.
Contamination of work in the cabinet	Improper technique or procedure for the biosafety cabinet	See “Use of the cabinet” section in the manual.
	Restriction of the return air slots or grille – blockage of the exhaust outlet	Ensure that all return air slots, grilles and the exhaust outlet are unobstructed.
	External factors are disrupting the cabinet airflow patterns or acting as a source of contamination	See “Working in the Cabinet” section of this manual.
	Cabinet is out of adjustment/HEPA filter(s) are defective	Have cabinet recertified.

Appendix A: Components

Illustration A-1 indicates the location of the following service parts, and replacement accessory parts:

Cabinet Replacement Parts

Item	Quantity	Part No.	Description
1	1	3838901	Exhaust HEPA Filter 4-ft
1A	1	3838902	Exhaust HEPA Filter 5-ft
1B	1	3838903	Exhaust HEPA Filter 6-ft
2	1	3838401	Supply HEPA Filter 4-ft
2A	1	3838402	Supply HEPA Filter 5-ft
2B	1	3838403	Supply HEPA Filter 6-ft
3	2	9721900	Lamp, Fluorescent, 4-ft
3A	2	9721903	Lamp, Fluorescent, 5- & 6-ft
4	1	1271300	Lamp, UV (models with UV light only)

Prefilter Replacement Parts

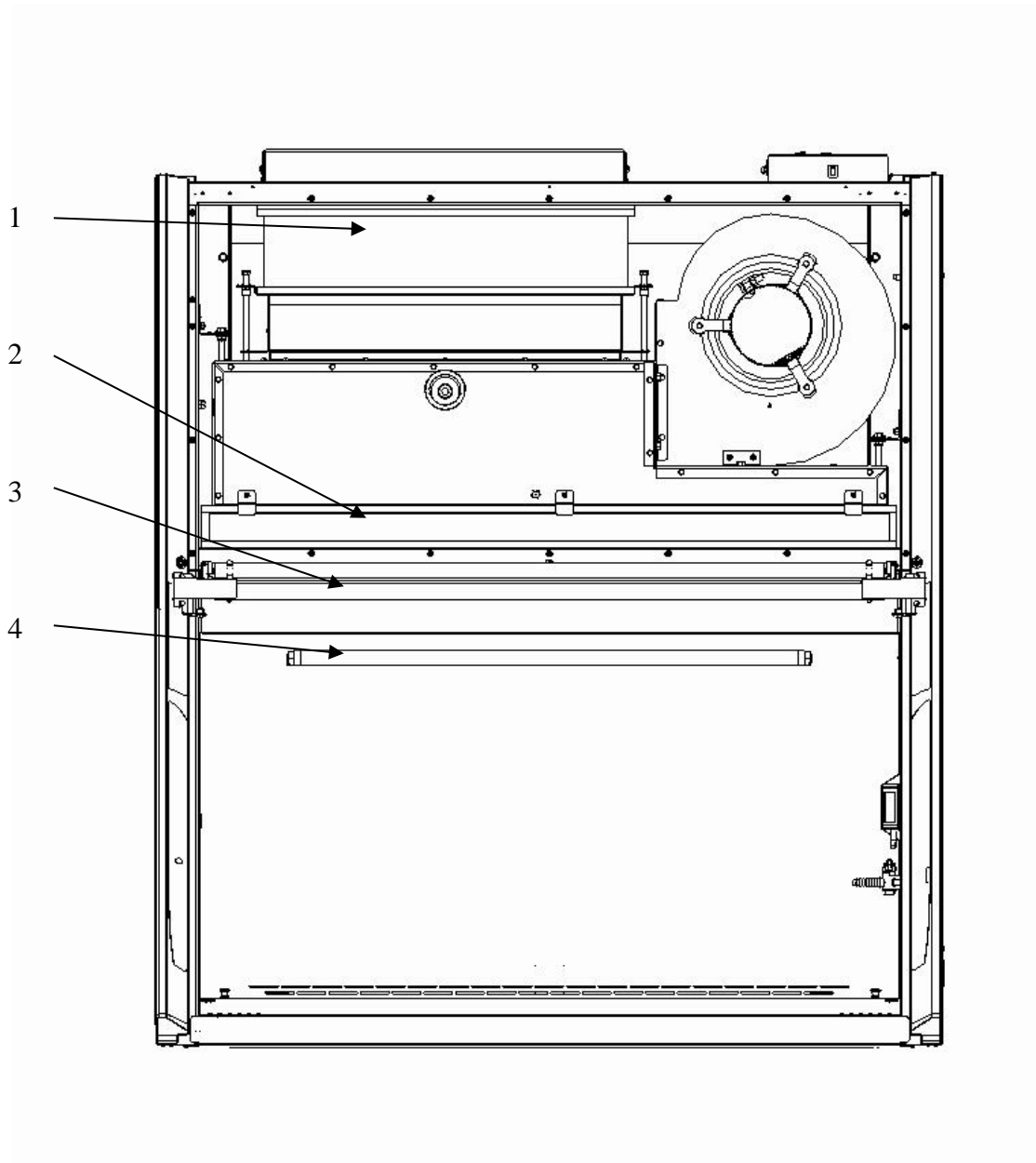
Note:

The 4-foot cabinet requires 2 each 24" prefilter elements.

The 5-foot cabinet requires 1 each 24" AND 1 each 36" prefilter elements.

The 6-foot cabinet requires 2 each 36" prefilter elements.

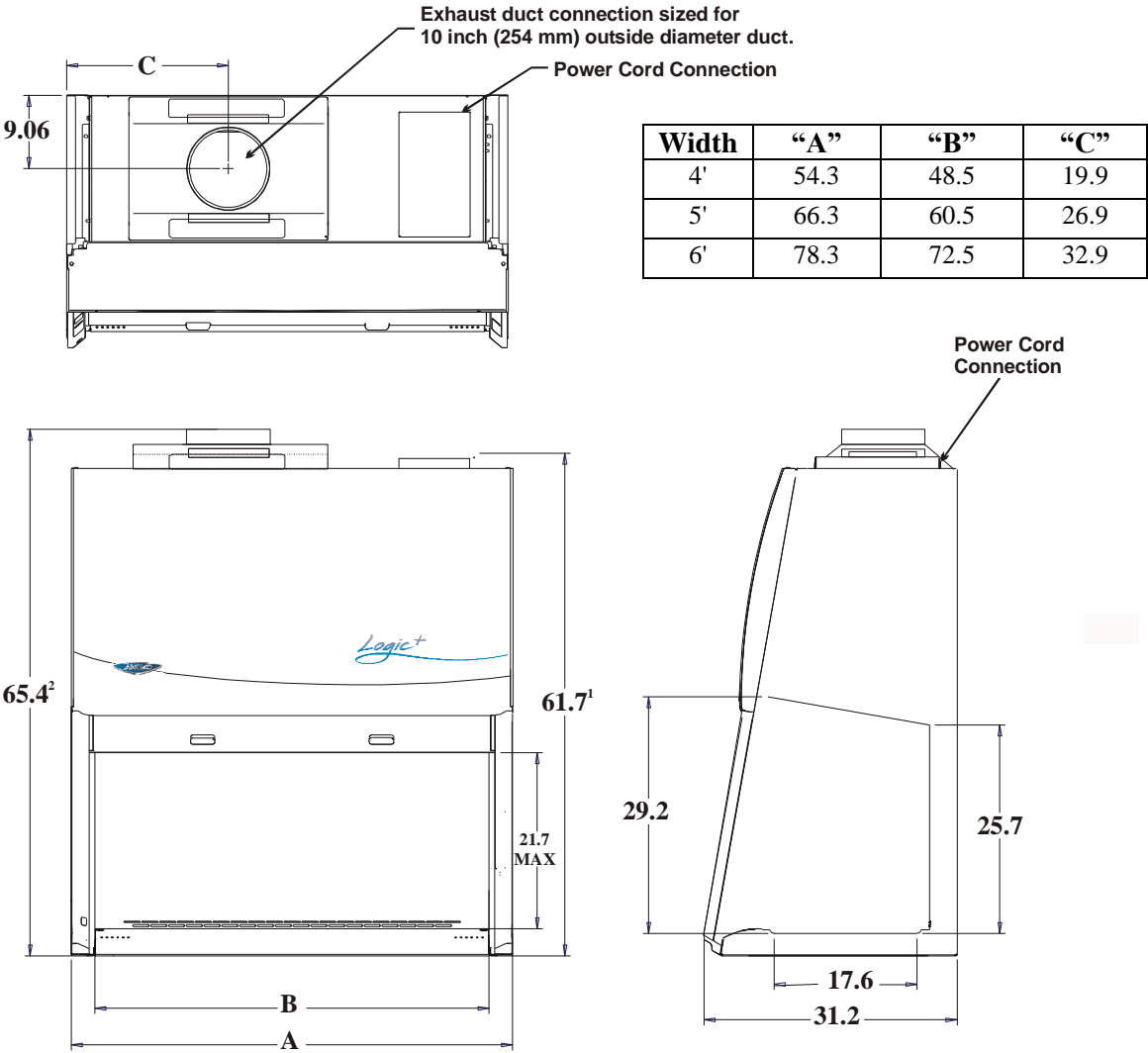
Cabinet Width	Quantity Required	Paper Prefilters	Metal Prefilters
4-foot	2 each	3759310	3759300
5-foot	1 each	3759310	3759300
	1 each	3795311	3759301
6-foot	2 each	3795311	3759301



Appendix B: Dimensions

All dimensions in inches.

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- 1 - Overall height with standard exhaust cover.
 - 2 - Overall height with Ventus canopy connection.
- Exhaust collar is 2 inches (50 mm) high.

Appendix C:

Specifications

Electrical Data

Model #	Requirements
30242xx0x, 31242xx0x	115 VAC, 60 Hz, 16 Amps
30242xx-10, -30-80, 31242xx -10, -30-80	230 VAC, 50/60 Hz, 8 Amps
30252xx0x, 31252xx0x	115 VAC, 60 Hz, 16 Amps
30252xx-10, -30-80, 31252xx -10, -30-80	230 VAC, 50/60 Hz, 8 Amps
30262xx0x, 31262xx0x	115 VAC, 60 Hz, 16 Amps
30262xx-10, -30-80, 31262xx -10, -30-80	230 VAC, 50/60 Hz, 8 Amps

Motor Specifications

Cabinet Model	Electrical Requirements
All Cabinets, all Voltages	1/3 H.P. Electronically Commutated Motor (ECM) 120-277 VAC – 50/60 Hz, Full Torque – 28 Oz.-Ft (2.37 N-M) 5.0 Full Load Amps @115VAC 2.8 Full Load Amps @230VAC Automatic Thermal Protection

Appendix C: Specifications

Environmental Conditions

- Indoor use only.
- Ambient temperature range: 41° to 104°F (5° to 40°C).
- Maximum relative humidity: 80% for temperatures up to 88°F (31°C), decreasing linearly to 50% relative humidity at 104°F (40°C).
- Main supply voltage fluctuations not to exceed $\pm 10\%$ of the nominal voltage.
- Transient overvoltages according to Installation Categories II (Overvoltage Categories per IEC 1010). Temporary voltage spikes on the AC input line that may be as high as 1500V for 115V models and 2500V for 230V models are allowed.
- Used in an environment of Pollution degrees 2 (i.e., where normally only non-conductive atmospheres are present). Occasionally, however, a temporary conductivity caused by condensation must be expected, in accordance with IEC 664.

Appendix D: Accessories

Labconco offers a full line of accessories to enhance your cabinet's operation and usability. For a complete list of these accessories, please consult our website at www.labconco.com .

Appendix E:

Quick Chart

Model	30242_31242_	30252_31252-	30262_31262_
Type	A2	A2	A2
Cabinet Size (in feet)	4	5	6
Sash Opening (inches)	12	12	12
Starting Serial # ¹	1601_	1601_	1601_
Nominal Avg. Downflow (FPM)	55+/-5	55+/-5	55+/-5
Nominal Average Inflow (FPM)	105+/-5	105+/-5	105+/-5
Supply HEPA Data			
Labconco P/N	3838401	3838402	3838403
Exhaust HEPA Data			
Labconco P/N	3838501	3838502	3838503
Motor/Blower Data (2 ea.)			
Motor HP	1/3	1/3	1/3
Fluorescent/UV Lamp Data			
Fluorescent Lamps (2 each)	F32T8 TL741	F40T8 SP41	F40T8 SP41
UV Lamp	G30T8	G30T8	G30T8

1. The primary serial tag is on the lower outside edge of the right corner post. The secondary serial tag is located on the front of the electronics module on the top right side of the cabinet. The first two digits of the serial number are the year of production; the next two are the month. The next 5 digits are the sequence of production, and the letter following the serial number is the revision level of the cabinet.
2. Each motor must be programmed by Labconco for the appropriate width cabinet.