MIKRO 185

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Translation of the original operating instructions

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1 About this document

1.1 Use of this document

- Read this document carefully and in full before commissioning the device for the first time.
  Observe other enclosed instruction sheets where necessary.
- This document is part of the device and must be kept within easy reach.
- This document must be included if the device is passed on to a third party.
- The current version of the document in the available languages can be found on the manufacturer's website: ➦ *https://www.hettichlab.com/de/download-center/*

1.2 Gender reference

The employed masculine or feminine language form is to facilitate reading. In the spirit of equal treatment, corresponding terms apply in principle to all genders and do not imply any valuation.

1.3 Symbols and labels in this document

General symbols

The following markers are used in this document to highlight instructions, results, listings, references and other elements:

Marker	Explanation
1. ⟶ 2. ⟶ 3. ⟶ ... ⟶	Step-by-step instructions
➡	Results of action steps
➦	References to sections of the document and other applicable documents
■ ... ■ ...	Listings without a fixed order
[Buttons]	Controls (for example: buttons, switches)
'Indicator'	Indicator elements (for example: signal lights, screen elements)

2 Safety

2.1 Intended use

Intended use

The centrifuge MIKRO 185 is an in vitro diagnostic medical device in accordance with the In Vitro Diagnostic Medical Devices Regulation (EU) 2017/746. The device is used for centrifugation as well as enrichment of sample material of human origin for subsequent further processing for diagnostic purposes. The user can set each of the variable physical parameters within the limits set by the device.

The centrifuge may only be used by qualified personnel in closed laboratories. The centrifuge is only intended for the use referred to above. Intended use also includes observing all instructions in the user manual and compliance with inspection and maintenance. Any other use or use beyond this is considered improper. Andreas Hettich GmbH & Co. KG shall not be liable for any damage arising from this.

Non-intended use

- The centrifuge is not suitable for use in explosive or radioactive, or biologically or chemically-contaminated atmospheres.
- The user must take appropriate actions when centrifuging hazardous substances or mixtures of substances that are toxic, radioactive or contaminated with pathogenic microorganisms.

  The manufacturer generally recommends using only centrifuge tubes with special screw caps for hazardous substances.

  Use sealable centrifuge tubes with a biosafety system for materials of risk groups 3 and 4.
- The manufacturer does not recommend centrifugation with flammable or explosive materials.
- The manufacturer does not recommend centrifugation with materials that react chemically with one another with high energy.

Foreseeable misuse

The manufacturer recommends using only accessories that it has approved for the intended purpose.

Only operate the centrifuge under supervision.

2.2 Personnel requirements

Required qualifications

The user has read the user manual in full and familiarised themselves with the device.

NOTICE

Damage to the device by unauthorised personnel

– Tampering with and modifications to devices by unauthorised persons are at the operating organisation's own risk and will result in the loss of all warranty and liability claims.

Trained user

The user is trained in laboratory practice and able to carry out the work assigned to them, and to recognise and prevent potential hazards independently.

Personal protective equipment

Lack of personal protective equipment or unsuitable personal protective equipment increases the risk of impaired health and injury.

- Only use personal protective equipment that is in proper condition.
- Only use personal protective equipment that is adapted to the person (correct size, for example).
- Observe instructions on other protective equipment for specific activities.

2.3 Operator's responsibility

Follow the instructions in this document for proper and safe use of the device.

Keep the user manual for future reference.

Provide information

- Following the instructions in this document will help:
  - To avoid dangerous situations.
  - To minimise repair costs and downtime.
  - To increase the reliability and service life of the device.
- The operator is responsible for compliance with company regulations, standards and national laws.
- Note and keep the revision of the document separate from the document. If lost, the document can be replaced in the correct revision.
- Keep the user manual available at the place where the device is used.
- Pass the user manual on to the buyer when the device is sold.

Training of personnel

Lack of knowledge when working with the device may result in serious injury or death.

- Instruct personnel on their tasks and the associated risks in accordance with the instruction.

2.4 Safety instructions

Reporting serious incidents and notifiable incidents

In the event of serious incidents or notifiable incidents involving the device or its accessories, these must be reported to the manufacturer and, where applicable, to the competent authority where the user and/or the patient is registered.

DANGER

Risk of contamination for the user due to inadequate cleaning or failure to observe the cleaning instructions.

- Observe cleaning instructions.
- Wear personal protective equipment when cleaning the device.
- Observe laboratory regulations (e.g. TRBAs, the German Protection against Infection Act, hygiene plan) for handling biological agents.

DANGER

Fire and explosion hazard due to hazardous substances in samples.

- Observe relevant regulations and directives for handling chemicals and hazardous substances.
- Do not use aggressive chemicals (for example: dangerous, corrosive extraction agents such as chloroform, strong acids).

WARNING

Dangers due to insufficient maintenance or maintenance not carried out on time.

- Follow maintenance intervals.
- Check the device for visible damage or defects.
  If any visible damage or defects are present, take the device out of service and inform a service technician.

WARNING

Risk of electric shock due to ingress of water or other liquids.

- Protect the device against external liquids.
- Do not pour any liquids into the interior of the device.
- Transport using original transport packaging.

WARNING

Contamination with hazardous substances and substance mixtures!

Observe the following actions for substances and substance mixtures that are toxic, radioactive and/or contaminated with pathogenic microorganisms:

- As a rule, use only centrifuge tubes with special screw caps for hazardous substances.
- Use sealable centrifuge tubes with a biosafety system for materials of risk groups 3 and 4.
- If no biosafety system is used, the device is not microbiologically tight in the sense of standard EN / IEC 61010-2-020.
- Contact the manufacturer if necessary.

WARNING

Risk of injury and damage to the device due to a loose rotor.

- The driver of the rotor shaft must be correctly seated in the groove of the rotor when mounting the rotor.
- Hand-tighten the nut securing the rotor.
- Check that the rotor is firmly seated.
- Follow maintenance intervals.

CAUTION

Risk of injury due to rotating rotor

Long hair and items of clothing can get caught on the rotor if the rotor is moved manually.

- Tie long hair back.
- Do not allow garments to hang in the centrifuging chamber.

NOTICE

Damage to the device electronics due to incorrect voltage or frequency at the device circuit breaker.

- Operate the device with the correct mains voltage and mains frequency.
  The value can be found in the technical data and on the rating plate.

NOTICE

Damage to the device and samples due to premature program termination.

Premature program termination is caused by power failure, switching off during the program or pulling out the mains plug.

- Do not switch off the device while the program is running.
- Do not trigger the emergency release on the device while the program is running.
- Do not pull out the mains plug while the program is running.

3 Device overview

3.1 Technical data

Manufacturer	Andreas Hettich GmbH & Co. KG, D-78532 Tuttlingen	
Model	MIKRO 185	
Type	1203	1203-01
Mains voltage (±10%)	200-240 V 1~	100-127 V 1~
Mains frequency	50-60 Hz	50-60 Hz
power consumption	390 VA	390 VA
Power consumption	1.8 A	3.6 A
max. capacity	24 x 1.5 / 2.0 ml	
max. permissible density	1.2 kg/dm³	
max. speed (RPM)	14000	
max. acceleration (RCF)	18845	
max. kinetic energy	2450 Nm	
Obligation to perform checks (DGUV Rules 100-500) (valid only in Germany)	No	

Ambient conditions (EN / IEC 61010-1):		
Installation site	indoors only	
Altitude	up to 2000 m above sea level	
Ambient temperature	2 °C to 40 °C	
Humidity	maximum relative humidity 80% for temperatures up to 31 °C, decreasing linearly to 50% relative humidity at 40 °C.	
Overvoltage category (IEC 60364-4-443)	II	
Pollution level	2	
Device protection class	I not suitable for use in potentially explosive atmospheres.	
EMC:		
Emitted EM interference, EM interference immunity	EN / IEC 61326-1 Class B	FCC Class B
Noise level (rotor-dependent)	≤59 dB(A)	
Dimensions:		
Width	261 mm	
Depth	353 mm	
Altitude	228 mm	
Weight	approx. 11 kg	

Rating plate

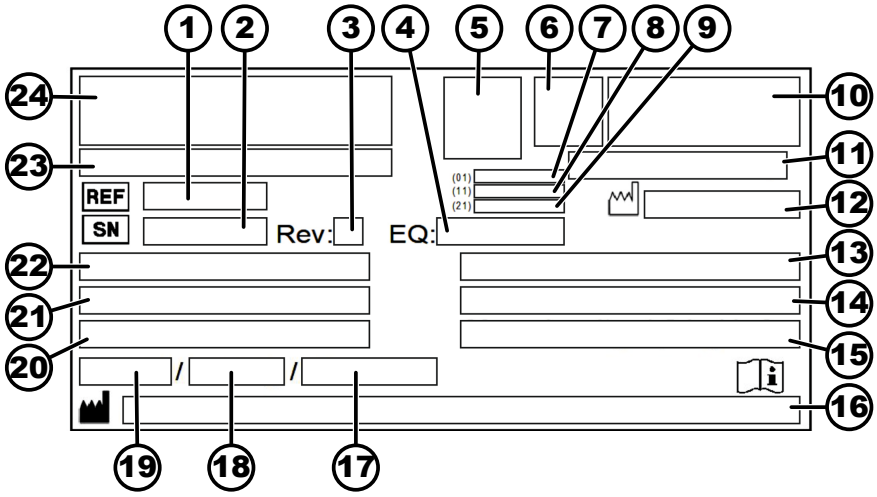


Fig. 1: Rating plate

1 Item number
2 Serial number
3 Revision
4 Equipment number

5 Data matrix code
6 any labelling indicating whether medical device or in vitro diagnostic medical device
7 Global Trade Item Number (GTIN)
8 Date of manufacture
9 Serial number
10 any EAC mark, CE mark
11 Country of manufacture
12 Date of manufacture
13 Mains frequency
14 Maximum kinetic energy
15 Maximum permissible density
16 Manufacturer's address
17 any Coolant circuit pressure
18 any Coolant capacity
19 any Coolant type
20 Revs per minute
21 Performance values
22 Mains voltage
23 any Device designation
24 Manufacturer's logo

3.2 European registration

Device conformity

Device conformity according to EU directives.

CE

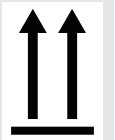
Single Registration Number

SRN: DE-MF-000010680

Basic-UDI-DI

Basic-UDI-DI	Device assignment
04050674010009A2	MIKRO 185 (in vitro diagnostic medical device)

3.3 Important labels on the packaging



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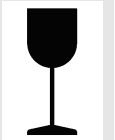
This is the correct upright position of the shipping container for transport and/or storage.

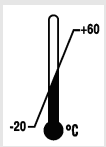


FRAGILE GOODS

The contents of the shipping container are fragile, so it must be handled with care.

PROTECT FROM MOISTURE

The shipping container must be kept away from rain and kept in dry conditions.



TEMPERATURE LIMITATION

The shipping container must be stored, transported and handled within the indicated temperature range (-20 °C to +60 °C).

HUMIDITY LIMITATION

The shipping container must be stored, transported and handled within the indicated air humidity range (10% to 80%).

STACK LIMITATION BASED ON QUANTITY

Maximum number of identical packages that may be stacked on the lowest package, "n" standing for the number of packages allowed. The lowest package is not included in "n".

3.4 Important labels on the device

The labels on the device must not be removed or covered, or have anything pasted over them.

Attention, general danger area.

Ensure you read the instructions for commissioning and operation and observe the safety instructions before using the device.

Biohazard warning.

Direction of rotation of the rotor.

The orientation of the arrow indicates the rotor's direction of rotation.

Direction of rotation of the emergency release.

Symbol for the separate collection of electrical and electronic equipment, in accordance with Directive 2012/19/EU (WEEE).

Use in European Union countries, Norway and Switzerland.

3.5 Operating and indicator elements

3.5.1 Control

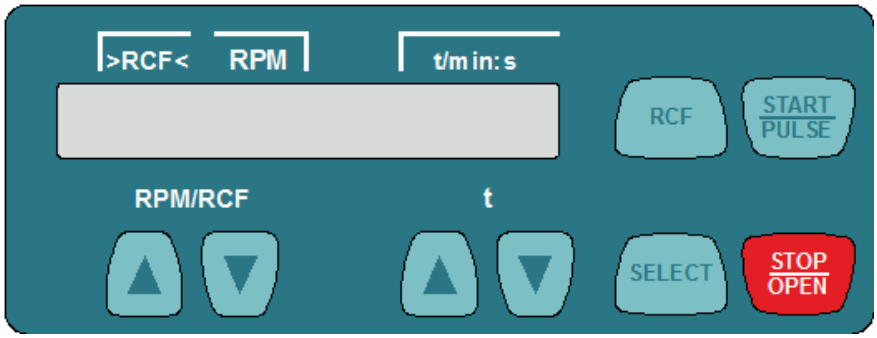


Fig. 2: Control

3.5.2 Indicator elements

Fig. 3: 'Lid unlocked' indicator

- The indicator appears when the lid is unlocked.

Fig. 4: 'Lid locked' indicator

- The indicator appears when the lid is locked.

Fig. 5: 'Rotation' indicator

- The indicator light rotates when the rotor is turning.

3.5.3 Controls

Fig. 6: [Mains switch]

- Switch the device on and off.

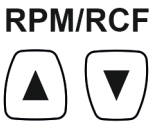


Fig. 7: [RPM/RCF] button

- Enter speed.
- The value changes at an increasing rate if the button is held down.

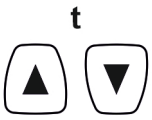


Fig. 8: [t] button

- Enter runtime.
  Adjustable up to 1 minute in 1 second increments and from 1 minute in 1 minute increments.
- Enter the centrifugation parameters.
- The value changes at an increasing rate if the button is held down.

Fig. 9: [RCF] button

- Toggle between RCF indicator and RPM indicator.
- Relative centrifugal force, RCF.
  The RCF is displayed in brackets ⟩ ⟨.
- Speed, RPM.

Fig. 10: [SELECT] button

- Selecting the individual parameters.
- Open *'MACHINE MENU'*.
- Scroll forward in the menus.

Fig. 11: [START/PULSE] button

- Start centrifugation run.
- Short-term centrifugation. The centrifugation run takes place as long as the button is being pressed.
- Open submenus.

Fig. 12: [STOP/OPEN] button

- End the centrifugation run.
  The rotor ramps down to a stop at the preselected brake level.
- Pressing the button twice triggers the quick stop function.
- Unlock the lid.

3.6 Original spare parts

Only use original spare parts from the manufacturer and approved accessories.

3.7 Scope of supply

The following accessories are supplied with the centrifuge:

- 2 Fuse link
- 1 hex key (SW5 x 100)

- 1 power cable
- 1 user manual
- 1 instruction sheet, transport lock
- 1 Emergency release instruction sheet

Rotors and the corresponding accessories are supplied depending on the order.

3.8 Returns

An original Return Material Authorisation (RMA) form from the manufacturer must always be requested for a return. Secure and reliable acceptance and booking in of the goods with the manufacturer is not possible without an

original RMA form from the manufacturer. The Return Material Authorisation (RMA) form contains a Declaration of No Objection (UBE), which must be completed in full and enclosed with the return.

If the device and/or accessories are returned to the manufacturer, the complete return shipment must be cleaned and decontaminated by the sender. If returns are not cleaned and/or decontaminated or are insufficiently cleaned and/or decontaminated, this will be performed by the manufacturer and charged to the sender.

The original transport locks must be attached for return shipment, see ➦ *Chapter 4 'Transport and storage' on page 15*. The device must be shipped in its original packaging.

4 Transport and storage

4.1 Transport and storage conditions

Transport conditions

NOTICE

Damage to the device due to failure to use the transport locks.

– Secure the transport locks before transporting the device.

NOTICE

Damage to the device due to condensation.

There is a risk of condensation forming on electrical components when component surfaces are cold and the surrounding air is warmer. The condensation that forms may cause a short circuit and/or destroy electronics.

– Warm the device up for at least 3 hours in a warm room before connecting it to the mains.

  or

– Warm up for 30 minutes in a cold room.

- Before transporting, fasten the transport lock and disconnect the device from the mains socket.
- The transport temperature must be between -20 °C and +60 °C.
- Humidity must not be condensing. Humidity must be between 10% and 80%.
- Be aware of the weight of the device.
- When transporting using a transport aid (e.g., a pallet truck), the transport aid must be able to carry at least 1.6 times the transport weight of the device.
- Secure the device to prevent it tipping over and falling down during transport.
- Never transport the device sideways or upside down.

Storage conditions

- The device must be stored in the original packaging.
- Only store the device in dry rooms.
- The storage temperature must be between -20 °C and +60 °C.
- Humidity must not be condensing. Humidity must be between 10% and 80%.

4.2 Fastening the transport lock

Personnel:

- Trained user

The lid is closed.

The mains cable is disconnected from the device.

1. Tilt the device on the back of the device.
2. Insert 2 spacer sleeves (*1*).
3. Screw in 2 screws (*2*).

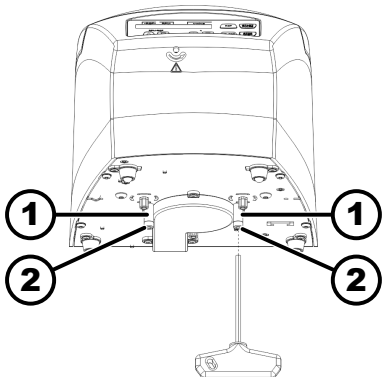


Fig. 13: Transport lock

1 Spacer sleeves
2 Screws

5 Commissioning

5.1 Unpacking the centrifuge

CAUTION

Danger of crushing due to parts falling out of the transport packaging.

- Keep the device balanced during the unpacking process.
- Only open the packaging at the points provided for this purpose.

CAUTION

Risk of injury from lifting heavy loads.

- Provide an adequate number of helpers.
- Note the weight. See ➥ *Chapter 3 'Device overview' on page 9*.

NOTICE

Damage to the device due to improper lifting.

- Do not lift the centrifuge by the control panel or the control panel holder.

Personnel:

- Trained user

1. Open the box at the top.
2. Remove the padding.
3. Remove the device and accessories by lifting them up out of the box.
4. Place the device on a stable and level surface.

5.2 Remove the transport lock

Personnel:

- Trained user

The lid is closed.

The mains cable is disconnected from the device.

1. Tilt the device on the back of the device.
2. Unscrew 2 screws (*2*).
3. Remove 2 spacer sleeves (*1*).
4. Keep the screws and spacer sleeves in a safe place.

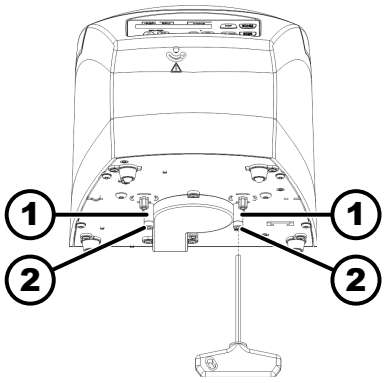


Fig. 14: Transport lock

1 Spacer sleeve
2 Screw

5.3 Setting up and connecting the centrifuge

Setting up the centrifuge

WARNING

Risk of injury due to failing to maintain a sufficient distance to the centrifuge.

- As per EN / IEC 61010-2-020, no persons, hazardous materials or objects may be present within a **safety zone of 300 mm** around the centrifuge during a centrifugation run.
- A distance of **300 mm** from the ventilation slots and ventilation openings of the centrifuge must be maintained.

CAUTION

Risk of crushing and damage to the device due to it falling down because of vibration-induced position alterations.

- Place the device on a stable and level surface.
- Select the installation surface dependent on the weight of the device.

NOTICE

Damage to the samples and the device if the ambient temperature exceeds or falls below the respective maximum/minimum permissible ambient temperature.

- Comply with the maximum and minimum permissible ambient temperatures for installation of the device.
- Do not place the device next to a heat source.
- Do not expose the device to direct sunlight.
- Do not expose the device to frost.

Personnel:

- Trained user

1. Place the device on a stable and level surface.
2. Maintain a distance of 300 mm around the device.
3. Comply with the ambient conditions in the technical data (➥ *Chapter 3 'Device overview' on page 9*).

Connecting the centrifuge

NOTICE

Damage to the device by unauthorised personnel

– Tampering with and modifications to devices by unauthorised persons are at the operating organisation's own risk and will result in the loss of all warranty and liability claims.

NOTICE

Damage to the device due to condensation.

There is a risk of condensation forming on electrical components when component surfaces are cold and the surrounding air is warmer. The condensation that forms may cause a short circuit and/or destroy electronics.

– Warm the device up for at least 3 hours in a warm room before connecting it to the mains.

  or

– Warm up for 30 minutes in a cold room.

Personnel:

- Trained user

1. A type B residual current circuit breaker must be used if the device is additionally protected with a residual current circuit breaker in the building installation.

   When using a different type, the residual current circuit breaker may either not switch off the unit if there is a fault on the unit, or it may switch off the unit even though there is no fault on the unit.
2. Check whether the mains voltage matches the specification on the rating plate.
3. Connect the device to a standard mains socket using the mains cable.

5.4 Switching the centrifuge on and off.

Switching the centrifuge on

Personnel:

- Trained user

Set the mains switch to *[I]*.

➥ The buttons flash, depending on the centrifuge type.

The following indicators appear one after the other, depending on the centrifuge type:

- the centrifuge model
- the machine type and program version
- The last centrifugation data used.

The lid opens.

Switching off the centrifuge

The rotor is stationary.

→ Set the mains switch to *[0]*.

6 Operation

6.1 Opening and closing the lid

Opening the lid

Personnel:

- Trained user

The centrifuge is switched on.

The rotor is stationary.

→ Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button.

➡ The lid unlocks by means of a motor.

The *'Lid unlocked'* indicator appears.

Closing the lid

CAUTION

Danger of crushing when closing the lid.

Danger of crushing fingers when the closing motor pulls the lid against the seal.

- No parts of the body should be in the hazard zone of the lid when closing the lid.
- To close the lid, press on the lid from above.

NOTICE

Damage to the device caused by the lid slamming.

- Close the lid slowly.
- Do not slam the lid.

Personnel:

- Trained user

→ Close the lid and press the front edge of the lid down gently.

➡ The lid locks using a motor.

The *'Lid locked'* indicator appears.

6.2 Removing and installing the rotor

Removing the rotor

Personnel:

- Trained user

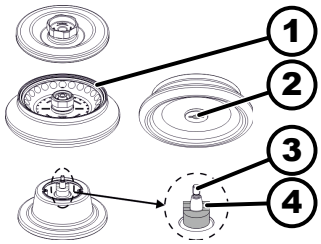


Fig. 15: Rotor installation and removal

1 Marker
2 Groove
3 Motor shaft
4 Driver

1. → Open the lid.
2. → Loosen the rotor clamping nut using the supplied spanner.

➡ After passing the working point for lifting the rotor, the rotor detaches from the cone of the motor shaft (*3*).

3. → Turn the clamping nut until the rotor can be lifted off the motor shaft.
4. → Remove the rotor.

Installing the rotor

Personnel:

- Trained user

The lid is open.

1. Clean the motor shaft (*3*) and rotor hole.
2. Lightly grease the motor shaft (*3*), see ➦ *Chapter 8.2 'Cleaning and disinfection instructions' on page 32*.
3. Place the rotor vertically on the motor shaft (*3*).

   The driver (*4*) on the motor shaft must be in the groove (*2*) of the rotor.

   The orientation of the groove is marked on the rotor (*1*).
4. Hand-tighten the rotor clamping nut using the supplied spanner.
5. Check that the rotor is firmly seated.

6.3 Loading

Filling centrifuge tubes

WARNING

Risk of injury from contaminated sample material.

Contaminated sample material escapes from the sample tube during centrifugation.

- Use centrifuge tubes with special screw caps for hazardous substances.
- For risk group 3 and 4 materials, use a biosafety system in addition to the sealable centrifuge tubes (see WHO's 'Laboratory Biosafety Manual').

NOTICE

Damage to the device due to highly corrosive substances.

Highly corrosive substances may impair the mechanical strength of rotors, buckets and accessories.

- Do not centrifuge highly corrosive substances.

Standard glass centrifuge tubes can be loaded up to RCF 4000 (DIN 58970 part 2).

Personnel:

- Trained user

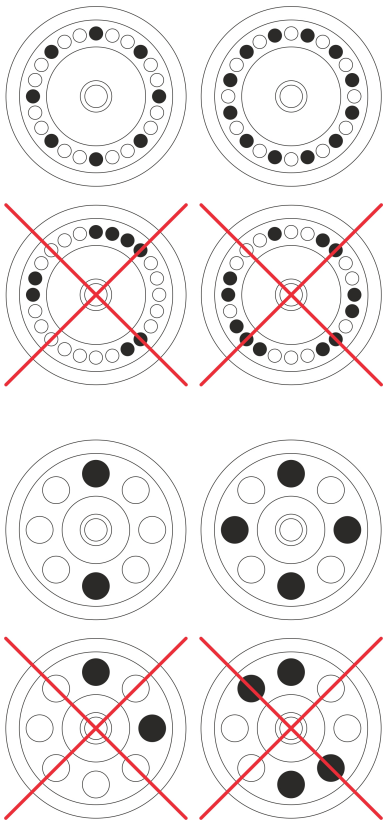
Fill centrifuge tubes outside the centrifuge.

The maximum capacity of the centrifuge tubes specified by the manufacturer must not be exceeded.

With angle rotors, the centrifuge tubes must only be filled to the extent that no liquid can be ejected from the tubes during the centrifugation run.

It must be ensured that there is a uniform fill level in the tubes in order to keep the weight differences in the centrifuge tubes as low as possible.

Loading the angle rotors



Personnel:

- Trained user

1. Check that the rotor is firmly seated.
2. The centrifuge tubes must be distributed evenly over all locations on the rotor.

   No liquid must be allowed to enter the rotor and the centrifuging chamber when loading the rotor.

   With rotors, the centrifuge tubes must only be filled to the extent that no liquid can be ejected from the tubes during the centrifugation run.

   The weight of the permissible filling capacity is indicated on each rotor. The weight must not be exceeded.

6.4 Opening and closing the biosafety system

6.4.1 Explanation

The user must take appropriate actions when centrifuging hazardous substances or mixtures of substances that are toxic, radioactive or contaminated with pathogenic microorganisms.

Centrifuge tubes with special screw caps for hazardous substances must always be used.

For materials of risk group 3 and 4, a biosafety system must be used in addition to the sealable centrifuge tubes (see the World Health Organisation's "Laboratory Biosafety Manual").

In a biosafety system, a bioseal (sealing ring) prevents droplets and aerosols from escaping.

If the bucket of a biosafety system is used without the lid, the sealing ring must be removed from the bucket to prevent damage to the sealing ring during the centrifugation run.

Damaged biosafety systems are no longer microbiologically tight.

If no biosafety system is used, a centrifuge is not microbiologically tight in the sense of the EN / IEC 61010-2-020 standard.

Storage of biosafety systems

Biosafety systems must only be stored with the lid open to avoid damage to the sealing rings during storage.

6.4.2 Lid with screw cap without hole

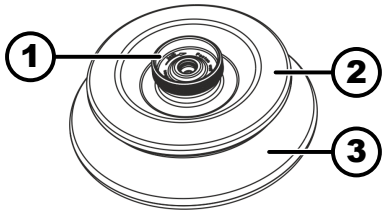


Fig. 16: Biosafety system

1 Rotary handle
2 Lid
3 Rotor

Closing

1. Place the lid (*2*) centrally on the rotor (*3*).
2. Turn the lid (*2*) at the rotary handle (*1*) clockwise until it is tightly closed.

Opening

1. Turn the lid (*2*) at the rotary handle (*1*) anticlockwise until it is open.
2. Remove the lid (*2*) from the rotor (*3*).

6.5 Centrifugation

6.5.1 Centrifugation in continuous operation

Personnel:

- Trained user

1. If required: Press the *[RCF]* button.
   - ➡ The parameter RCF (*'>RCF<'*) or RPM (*'RPM'*) is displayed. Press the *[RCF]* button to toggle between the two parameters.
2. Enter the desired speed (RPM) or relative centrifugal force (RCF).
3. Set the parameters t/min and t/sec to zero.
   - ➡ *'--:--'* is displayed.
4. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
   - ➡ The centrifugation run is started.

     The timing starts at *'0:00'*.

     The rotor speed or the resulting RCF value and the elapsed time are displayed during the centrifugation run.
5. Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button to cancel the centrifugation run.
   - ➡ Ramp-down takes place with the set brake level. The brake level is displayed.

     When the rotor is at a standstill, the lid opens, an audible signal sounds and the remaining number of run cycles (centrifugation runs) is displayed.

6.5.2 Centrifugation with time preselection

Personnel:

- Trained user

1. If required: Press the *[RCF]* button.
   - ➡ The parameter RCF (*'>RCF<'*) or RPM (*'RPM'*) is displayed. Press the *[RCF]* button to toggle between the two parameters.
2. Enter the desired speed (RPM) or relative centrifugal force (RCF).

3. Set the parameters t/min and t/sec to the desired value.
4. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
   ➡ The centrifugation run is started.
   The rotor speed or the resulting RCF value and the remaining time are displayed during the centrifugation run.
5. Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button to cancel the centrifugation run.
   or
   Wait for the centrifugation time to elapse.
   ➡ Ramp-down takes place with the set brake level. The brake level is displayed.
   When the rotor is at a standstill, the lid opens, an audible signal sounds and the remaining number of run cycles (centrifugation runs) is displayed.

6.5.3 Short-term centrifugation

Personnel:

- Trained user

1. If required: Press the *[RCF]* button.
   ➡ The parameter RCF (*'>RCF<'*) or RPM (*'RPM'*) is displayed. Press the *[RCF]* button to toggle between the two parameters.
2. Enter the desired centrifugation parameters.
3. Press and hold the *[START/PULSE]* button.
   ➡ The centrifugation run is started.
   The timing starts at *'0:00'*.
   The rotor speed or the resulting RCF value and the elapsed time are displayed during the centrifugation run.
4. Release the *[START/PULSE]* button to end the centrifugation run.
   ➡ Ramp-down takes place with the set brake level. The brake level is displayed.
   When the rotor is at a standstill, the lid opens, an audible signal sounds and the remaining number of run cycles (centrifugation runs) is displayed.

6.6 Quick stop function

Personnel:

- Trained user

Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button twice.
➡ Ramp-down with brake level "fast" (shortest ramp-down time) is displayed and executed.

7 Software operation

7.1 Centrifugation parameters

7.1.1 Input with the SELECT button

The number of centrifugation parameters that can be set differs depending on whether the RPM indicator or the RCF indicator is selected.

This chapter describes input of the centrifugation parameters with the RPM indicator and RCF indicator selected, one after the other.

The display returns to the previous values if no button is pressed for 8 seconds after parameter selection or during parameter entry. The parameters must then be entered again.

RPM indicator

1. If required: Press the *[RCF]* button to select the RPM indicator.
   - ➡ Press the *[RCF]* button to toggle between the two parameters RPM (*'RPM'*) and RCF (*'>RCF<'*).
2. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   - ➡ Runtime in *'t/min'* is displayed
3. Use the *[t]* buttons to set the desired value.

   Adjustable from 1 to 99 minutes in 1 minute increments.

   The parameters t/min and t/sec must be set to zero to set continuous operation.
   - ➡ *'--:--'* is displayed.
4. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   - ➡ Runtime in *'t/sec'* is displayed.
5. Use the *[t]* buttons to set the desired value.

   Adjustable from 1 to 59 seconds, in 1 second increments.

   The parameters t/min and t/sec must be set to zero to set continuous operation.
   - ➡ *'--:--'* is displayed.
6. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   - ➡ Speed *'RPM'* is displayed.
7. Use the *[t]* buttons to set the desired value.

   A numerical value from 200 RPM to the maximum rotor speed can be set.

   Adjustable in 10 second increments.

   Over 10000 RPM adjustable in increments of 100.
8. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   - ➡ The DEC brake level is displayed.

     fast: short ramp-down time

     slow: long ramp-down time
9. Use the *[t]* buttons to set the desired value.

10. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
    ➡ The settings are stored.

RCF indicator

1. If required: Press the *[RCF]* button to select the RCF indicator.
   ➡ Press the *[RCF]* button to toggle between the two parameters RPM (*'RPM'*) and RCF (*'>RCF<'*).
2. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ Runtime in *'t/min'* is displayed
3. Use the *[t]* buttons to set the desired value.
   Adjustable from 1 to 99 minutes in 1 minute increments.
   The parameters t/min and t/sec must be set to zero to set continuous operation.
   ➡ *'--:--'* is displayed.
4. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ Runtime in *'t/sec'* is displayed.
5. Use the *[t]* buttons to set the desired value.
   Adjustable from 1 to 59 seconds, in 1 second increments.
   The parameters t/min and t/sec must be set to zero to set continuous operation.
   ➡ *'--:--'* is displayed.
6. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ Centrifuging radius *'RAD/mm'* is displayed.
7. Use the *[t]* buttons to set the desired value.
   A numerical value from 10 mm to 250 mm can be set.
   Adjustable in 1 millimetre increments
8. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ Relative centrifugal force *'RCF'* is displayed.
9. Use the *[t]* buttons to set the desired value.
   A numerical value can be set that gives a speed between 200 RPM and the maximum rotor speed.
   Adjustable in 1 second increments.
   Over 10,000 adjustable in increments of 10.
10. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
    ➡ The DEC brake level is displayed.
    fast: short ramp-down time
    slow: long ramp-down time
11. Use the *[t]* buttons to set the desired value.
12. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
    ➡ The settings are stored.

7.1.2 Runtime t

1. Use the *[t]* buttons to set the desired value
   ➡ The value is set up to 1 minute in 1 second increments.
   The value is set from 1 minute in 1 minute increments.
   Adjustable from 1 to 99 minutes and 1 to 59 seconds.

2. The parameters t/min and t/sec must be set to zero to set continuous operation.
   ➡ *'--:--'* is displayed.

7.1.3 Speed, RPM

1. Press the *[RCF]* button to select the RPM indicator.
   ➡ Press the *[RCF]* button to toggle between the two parameters RPM (*'RPM'*) and RCF (*'>RCF<'*).
2. Use the *[RPM/RCF]* buttons to set the desired value.

   A numerical value from 200 RPM to the maximum rotor speed can be set.

   Adjustable in 10 second increments.

   Over 10000 RPM adjustable in increments of 100.

7.1.4 Relative centrifugal force, RCF

The relative centrifugal force RCF is dependent on the speed and the centrifuging radius.

The relative centrifugal force RCF is stated as a multiple of the acceleration due to gravity (g).

The relative centrifugal force RCF is a dimensionless numerical value and is used to compare the separation and sedimentation performance.

$$\mathrm{RCF} = \left(\frac{\mathrm{RPM}}{1000}\right)^2 * \mathrm{r} * 1{,}118$$

$$\mathrm{RPM} = \sqrt{\frac{\mathrm{RCF}}{\mathrm{r} * 1{,}118}} * 1000$$

RCF = Relative Centrifugal Force

RPM = speed

r = centrifuging radius in mm = distance from the centre of the axis of rotation to the bottom of the centrifuge tube.

7.1.5 Relative centrifugal force RCF and centrifuging radius RAD

The relative centrifugal force (RCF) is dependent on the centrifuging radius (RAD). After entering the RCF, check that the correct centrifuging radius is set.

1. If required: Press the *[RCF]* button to select the RCF indicator.
   ➡ Press the *[RCF]* button to toggle between the two parameters RPM (*'RPM'*) and RCF (*'>RCF<'*).
2. Use the *[RPM/RCF]* buttons to set the desired value.

   A numerical value can be set that gives a speed between 200 RPM and the maximum rotor speed.

   Adjustable in 1 second increments.

   Over 10,000 adjustable in increments of 10.
   ➡ The centrifuging radius (RAD) is displayed during setting.
3. If required: Use the *[t]* buttons to set the desired centrifuging radius.

   A numerical value from 10 mm to 250 mm can be set.

   Adjustable in 1 millimetre increments

7.1.6 Centrifugation of substances or mixtures of substances with a density higher than 1.2 kg/dm³

The density of the substances or mixtures of substances must not exceed 1.2 kg/dm³ during centrifugation at maximum speed. The speed must be reduced for substances or substance mixtures with a higher density. The permissible speed can be calculated using the following formula:

$$\text{Reduzierte Drehzahl } (n_{red}) = \sqrt{\frac{1{,}2}{\text{höhere Dichte (kg/dm}^3)}} * \text{maximale Drehzahl (RPM)}$$

For example: Maximum speed 4000 RPM, density 1.6 kg/dm³

$$n_{red} = \sqrt{\frac{1{,}2(\text{kg/dm}^3)}{1{,}6(\text{kg/dm}^3)}} * 4000 \text{ RPM} = 3464 \text{ RPM}$$

If, in exceptional cases, the maximum load indicated on the bucket is exceeded, the speed must also be reduced. The permissible speed can be calculated using the following formula:

$$\text{Reduzierte Drehzahl } (n_{red}) = \sqrt{\frac{\text{maximale Beladung (g)}}{\text{tatsächliche Beladung (g)}}} * \text{maximale Drehzahl (RPM)}$$

For example: Maximum speed 4000 RPM, maximum load 300 g, actual load 350 g

$$n_{red} = \sqrt{\frac{300 \text{ g}}{350 \text{ g}}} * 4000 \text{ RPM} = 3703 \text{ RPM}$$

Please contact the manufacturer if you are not sure.

7.2 Machine Menu

7.2.1 Querying system information

The following system information can be queried:

- Centrifuge model
- Centrifuge program version
- Centrifuge type number
- Date of manufacture of the centrifuge
- Centrifuge serial number
- Frequency converter type
- Program version for the frequency inverter

The rotor is stationary.

1. Press and hold the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ *'*MACHINE MENU*'* is displayed after 8 seconds.
2. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   '-> Info' is displayed.
3. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
   ➡ The centrifuge model is displayed.
4. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ The centrifuge program version *'CP FW='* is displayed.
5. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ The centrifuge type number *'Type#1:'* is displayed.

6. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ The continuation of the centrifuge type number *'Type#2:'* is displayed.
7. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ The date of manufacture *'Date:'* of the centrifuge is displayed.
8. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ The centrifuge serial number *'Serial#:'* is displayed.
9. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ The type of frequency converter *'FC type'* of the centrifuge is displayed.
10. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
    ➡ The program version of the frequency converter *'FC FW='* of the centrifuge is displayed.
11. Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button twice to exit the *'-> Info'* menu

    or

    Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button three times to exit the *''*MACHINE MENU*'*.

7.2.2 Cycle counter

The centrifuge is equipped with a cycle counter. The cycle counter counts the run cycles (centrifugation cycles). The remaining number of run cycles (centrifugation runs) is displayed briefly after each centrifugation run.

If the maximum permissible number of rotor run cycles entered is exceeded, *'Cycles passed'* is displayed after each start of a centrifugation run. The centrifugation run must be restarted. The rotor must be replaced with a new one.

Once the rotor has been replaced, the cycle counter must be reset to *'0'*.

Resetting the cycle counter

The cycle counter must be reset to *'0'* after installing a new rotor.

1. Press and hold the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ *''*MACHINE MENU*'* is displayed after 8 seconds.
2. Press the *[SELECT]* button repeatedly until *'-> Time & Cycles'* is displayed.
3. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
4. Press the *[SELECT]* button repeatedly until *'Cyc sum=...'* is displayed.
5. Press the *[RCF]* button.
6. Press the *[t ▼]* button.
   ➡ The number of run cycles completed is reset to *'0'*.
7. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
   ➡ *'Store cycles...'* is displayed.
8. Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button twice to exit the *'-> Time & Cycles'* menu

   or

   Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button three times to exit the *''*MACHINE MENU*'*.

7.2.3 Querying operating hours and centrifugation runs

The operating hours are divided into internal and external operating hours.

- Internal operating hours: Total time for which the device has been switched on.
- External operating hours: Total time of centrifugation runs to date.

The rotor is stationary.

1. Press and hold the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ *'*MACHINE MENU*'* is displayed after 8 seconds.
2. Press the *[SELECT]* button repeatedly until *'-> Time & Cycles'* is displayed.
3. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
   ➡ *'TimeExt='* is displayed.
   TimeExt: External operating hours
4. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ *'TimeInt='* is displayed.
   TimeInt: Internal operating hours
5. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ *'Starts='* is displayed.
   Starts: Number of all centrifugation runs
6. Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button twice to exit the *'-> Time & Cycles'* menu
   or
   Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button three times to exit the *'*MACHINE MENU*'*.

7.2.4 Audible signal

7.2.4.1 General

The audible signal sounds:

- after a problem occurs in the 2 s interval.
- after completion of the centrifugation run and rotor standstill in the 30 s interval.

Opening the lid or pressing any button stops the audible signal.

7.2.4.2 Setting an audible signal

1. Press and hold the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ *'*MACHINE MENU*'* is displayed after 8 seconds.
2. Press the *[SELECT]* button repeatedly until *'-> Settings'* is displayed.
3. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
   ➡ *'End beep = on'* or *'End beep = off'* is displayed.
4. Use the *[t]* buttons to set *'off'* or *'on'*.
   off: Audible signal after completion of the centrifugation run is disabled.
   on: Audible signal after completion of the centrifugation run is enabled.
5. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ *'Error beep = on'* or *'Error beep = off'* is displayed.

6. Use the *[t]* buttons to set *'off'* or *'on'*.
   off: Audible signal after the occurrence of a malfunction is disabled.
   on: Audible signal after the occurrence of a malfunction is enabled.
7. Press the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ *'Beep volume = min'*, *'Beep volume = mid'* or *'Beep volume = max'* is displayed.
8. Use the *[t]* buttons to set *'min'*, *'mid'* or *'max'*.
   min: The volume of the audible signal is set to low.
   mid: The volume of the audible signal is set to medium.
   Max: The volume of the audible signal is set to loud.
9. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
   ➡ The setting is stored.
   'Store Settings...' is displayed briefly.
   '-> Settings' is then displayed.
10. Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button once to exit the *'-> Settings'* menu
    or
    Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button twice to exit the *''*MACHINE MENU*'*.

7.2.5 Visual signal

The indicator backlight flashes as a visual signal after the centrifugation run is finished.

Switching on and off

1. Press and hold the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ *''*MACHINE MENU*'* is displayed after 8 seconds.
2. Press the *[SELECT]* button repeatedly until *'-> Settings'* is displayed.
3. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
   ➡ *'End beep = on'* or *'End beep = off'* is displayed.
4. Press the *[SELECT]* button repeatedly until *'End blinking=off'* or *'End blinking =on'* is displayed.
5. Use the *[t]* buttons to set *'off'* or *'on'*.
   off: Backlight does not flash.
   on: Backlight flashes.
6. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
   ➡ The setting is stored.
   'Store Settings...' is displayed briefly.
   '-> Settings' is then displayed.
7. Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button once to exit the *'-> Settings'* menu
   or
   Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button twice to exit the *''*MACHINE MENU*'*.

7.2.6 Automatic unlocking of the lid

Setting whether or not the lid unlocks automatically after the centrifugation run.

The rotor is stationary.

1. Press and hold the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ *'*MACHINE MENU*'* is displayed after 8 seconds.
2. Press the *[SELECT]* button repeatedly until *'-> Settings'* is displayed.
3. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
   ➡ *'End beep = on'* or *'End beep = off'* is displayed.
4. Press the *[SELECT]* button repeatedly until *'Lid AutoOpen=off'* or *'Lid AutoOpen=on'* is displayed.
5. Use the *[t]* buttons to set *'off'* or *'on'*.
   off: Lid does not unlock automatically.
   on: Lid unlocks automatically.
6. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
   ➡ The setting is stored.
   'Store Settings...' is displayed briefly.
   '-> Settings' is then displayed.
7. Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button once to exit the *'-> Settings'* menu
   or
   Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button twice to exit the *'*MACHINE MENU*'*.

7.2.7 Indicator backlight

The indicator backlight can be switched off after 2 minutes to save energy.
The rotor is stationary.

1. Press and hold the *[SELECT]* button.
   ➡ *'*MACHINE MENU*'* is displayed after 8 seconds.
2. Press the *[SELECT]* button repeatedly until *'-> Settings'* is displayed.
3. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
   ➡ *'End beep = on'* or *'End beep = off'* is displayed.
4. Press the *[SELECT]* button repeatedly until *'Power save=off'* or *'Power save=on'* is displayed.
5. Use the *[t]* buttons to set *'off'* or *'on'*.
   off: Backlight is switched off.
   on: Backlight is switched on.
6. Press the *[START/PULSE]* button.
   ➡ The setting is stored.
   'Store Settings...' is displayed briefly.
   '-> Settings' is then displayed.
7. Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button once to exit the *'-> Settings'* menu
   or
   Press the *[STOP/OPEN]* button twice to exit the *'*MACHINE MENU*'*.

8 Cleaning and care

8.1 Overview table

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8.2 Cleaning and disinfection instructions

DANGER

Risk of contamination for the user due to inadequate cleaning or failure to observe the cleaning instructions.

- Observe cleaning instructions.
- Wear personal protective equipment when cleaning the device.
- Observe laboratory regulations (e.g. TRBAs, the German Protection against Infection Act, hygiene plan) for handling biological agents.

- The device and its accessories must not be cleaned in dishwashers.
- Only perform hand cleaning and liquid disinfection.
- The water temperature must not exceed 25 °C.
- To prevent any corrosion due to use of detergents or disinfectants, it is essential to follow the special application instructions provided by the manufacturers of the detergent or disinfectant.

Disinfectant:

- Surface disinfectant (not disinfectant for hands or instruments)
- Ethanol as the sole active substance.
  Do not use an ethanol-propanol mixture to disinfect the viewing window in the lid of the device.
- Concentration is not less than 30 %
- pH: 6 – 8
- Non-corrosive

8.3 Cleaning

Cleaning the device

1. Open the lid.
2. Switch off the device and disconnect it from the power supply.
3. Remove accessories.
4. Clean the centrifuge housing and the centrifuging chamber with soap or a mild detergent and a damp cloth.
5. Remove any detergent residues with a damp cloth after using detergents.
6. The surfaces must be dried immediately after cleaning.
7. Dry the centrifuging chamber with an absorbent cloth if condensation forms.

Cleaning the biosafety systems

1. Clean the biosafety system using the detergent and a damp cloth.
2. Remove any detergent residues with a damp cloth after using detergents.
3. Dry the accessories immediately after cleaning using a lint-free cloth and oil-free compressed air. Dry all cavities completely using oil-free compressed air.

Cleaning the accessories

1. Clean the accessories using the detergent and a damp cloth.
2. Remove any detergent residues with a damp cloth after using detergents.
3. Dry the accessories immediately after cleaning using a lint-free cloth and oil-free compressed air. Dry all cavities completely using oil-free compressed air.

8.4 Disinfection

Disinfection must always be preceded by cleaning of the components concerned.

See ➦ Chapter 8 'Cleaning and care' on page 31

Disinfectant concentration and application time according to the manufacturer's instructions.

Disinfecting the device

CAUTION

Risk of injury due to ingress of water or other liquids.

- Protect the device against external liquids.
- Do not disinfect the device using spray.

1. Open the lid.
2. Switch off the device and disconnect it from the power supply.
3. Remove accessories.
4. Clean the housing and centrifuging chamber using disinfectant.
5. Remove any disinfectant residues with a damp cloth after using disinfectants.
6. The surfaces must be dried immediately after cleaning.

Disinfecting the accessories

1. Disinfect the accessories using the disinfectant.
2. Wet all cavities with bubble-free disinfectant.
3. Remove the disinfectant residues or leave them to dry after using disinfectants.

Autoclaving

The following accessories may be autoclaved at 121 °C / 250 °F (20 min):

- Swing-out rotors
- Aluminium angle rotors
- Metal buckets
- Lid with bioseal
- Inserting

No statement can be made about the resulting degree of sterility.

The lids of the rotors and bucket must be removed before autoclaving.

Autoclaving accelerates the ageing of materials. It may cause changes to colours. After autoclaving, the rotors and accessories are to be visually inspected for damage and any damaged parts are to be replaced immediately.

The sealing ring in question is to be replaced if there are signs of cracking, embrittlement or wear. For lids with non-replaceable sealing rings, the whole lid must be replaced.

The sealing rings must be replaced after autoclaving to ensure the tightness of the biosafety systems.

8.5 Maintenance

Greasing the rubber seal of the centrifuging chamber

- Rub the sealing ring lightly with a rubber care product.

Greasing the rubber seal of the biosafety system

- Rub the sealing ring lightly with a rubber care product.

Checking the accessories

1. The accessories are to be checked for wear and corrosion damage.
2. Check that the rotor is firmly seated.

Checking the biosafety system

1. Visually check all parts of the biosafety system for damage.
2. Check the correct installation position of the sealing ring(s) of the biosafety system.

3. Replace the damaged parts of the biosafety system.
4. Replace the sealing ring in question immediately if there are signs of cracking, embrittlement or wear. For lids with non-replaceable sealing rings, the whole lid must be replaced.

Inspecting the centrifuging chamber for damage

Check the centrifuging chamber for damage.

Greasing the motor shaft

1. Remove accessories.
2. Clean the motor shaft.
3. Remove any detergent residues with a damp cloth after using detergents.
4. Grease the motor shaft with Hettich Tubenfett 4051.
5. Excess grease in the centrifuging chamber must be removed.

Accessories with a limited service life

The use of certain accessories is time-limited. For safety reasons, the accessories must no longer be used when either the maximum number of permissible run cycles marked on them or the expiry date marked on them has been reached.

- The maximum permissible number of run cycles or the expiry date can be seen marked on the accessories.
- The centrifuge is equipped with a cycle counter.

Replacing centrifuge tubes

CAUTION

Risk of injury from broken glass.

Broken glass may cause glass splinters and contaminated liquids to be found inside the centrifuge.

- Wear cut-resistant gloves.
- Wear protective goggles and a face mask.

Broken parts of the tube, glass splinters and spilled centrifuge material must be removed completely in the event of leakage or if a centrifuge tube breaks. Glass splinters that are not removed will cause further glass breakage.

The rubber inserts and the plastic sleeves of the rotors must be replaced after a glass breakage.

Disinfection must be carried out if the material is infectious.

9 Troubleshooting

9.1 Fault description

Customer service must be notified if the fault cannot be rectified based on the fault table. State the centrifuge type and serial number. Both numbers can be seen on the type plate of the centrifuge.

* Error number does not appear on the display.

Fault description	Cause	Remedy
no display	No power. Mains input fuses defective.	■ Check the supply voltage. ■ Check mains input fuses. ■ The mains switch is in switch position *[I]*
IMBALANCE	The rotor is unevenly loaded.	■ Open the lid. ■ Check the loading of the rotor. ■ Repeat the centrifugation run.
MAINS INTER 11, MAINS INTERRUPT	Loss of mains power during the centrifugation run. The centrifugation run was not completed.	■ Open the lid. ■ Press the *[START/PULSE]* button. ■ If required: Repeat the centrifugation run.
TACHO - ERROR 1, 2	Speed pulse failure.	■ Perform a MAINS RESET.
LID ERROR 4.1 - 4.127	Lid lock error.	■ Perform a MAINS RESET.
OVER SPEED 5	Overspeed.	■ Perform a MAINS RESET.
VERSION-ERROR 12	Wrong centrifuge model detected. Error/defect in electronics.	■ Perform a MAINS RESET.
UNDER SPEED 13	Underspeed.	■ Perform a MAINS RESET.
CTRL-ERROR 25.1-25.2	Error/defect in electronics.	■ Perform a MAINS RESET.
CRC ERROR 27.1	Error/defect in electronics.	■ Perform a MAINS RESET.
COM ERROR 31-36	Error/defect in electronics.	■ Perform a MAINS RESET.
FC ERROR 60, 61.1-61.21, 61.64-61.142	Error/defect in electronics.	■ Perform a MAINS RESET.
FC ERROR 61.23	Speed measurement error.	■ Do not switch off the device while *'Rotation'* is displayed. ■ Perform a MAINS RESET if *'Lid locked'* is displayed.
TACHO ERR 61.22	Speed measurement error.	■ Do not switch off the device while *'Rotation'* is displayed. ■ Perform a MAINS RESET if *'Lid locked'* is displayed.
FC ERROR 61.153	Error/defect in electronics.	■ Perform a MAINS RESET. ■ Open the lid. ■ Check the loading of the rotor. ■ Repeat the centrifugation run.
The left half of the display lights up.	-	■ Notify customer service.

9.2 Perform a MAINS RESET

1. Set the mains switch to *[0]*.

2. Wait 10 seconds.
3. Set the mains switch to *[/]*.

9.3 Emergency release

The lid cannot be unlocked by the motor in the event of a power failure. Emergency unlocking by hand must be performed.

WARNING

Risk of electric shock due to maintenance and servicing work on live device.

– Disconnect the device from the mains before carrying out repairs and maintenance.

WARNING

Danger of cutting and crushing due to moving rotor.

– Do not open the lid until the rotor has stopped.

Personnel:

- Trained user

1. Look through the window in the lid to ensure that the rotor is stationary.
2. Insert the hex key horizontally into the hole (*1*) and turn anticlockwise until the lid opens.
3. Remove the hex key from the hole (*1*).

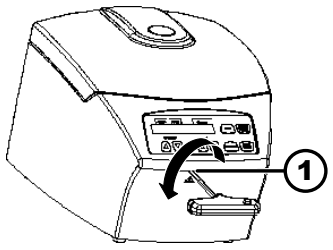

Fig. 17: Emergency release

1 Hole

9.4 Replacing the mains input fuse

WARNING

Risk of electric shock due to maintenance and servicing work on live device.

– Disconnect the device from the mains before carrying out repairs and maintenance.

Personnel:

- Trained user

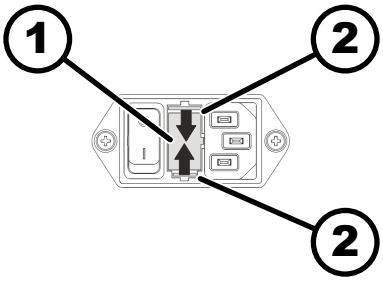

Fig. 18: Mains input fuse

1 Fuse holder
2 Snap lock

The mains fuses are located next to the mains switch.

The mains switch is in switch position *[O]*

1. Disconnect the mains cable from the device plug.
2. Press the snap locks (*2*) against the fuse holder (*1*) and pull them out.
3. Replace the defective mains input fuses.

   Only use fuses with the nominal value specified for the type: see the table below.
4. Push in the fuse holder (*1*) until the snap lock engages.
5. Reconnect the device to the mains.

Model	Type	Fuse	Order no.
MIKRO 185	1203	T 3.15 AH/250 V	E997
MIKRO 185	1203-01	T 6.3 AH/250 V	2266

10 Disposal

10.1 General instructions

The device can be disposed of via the manufacturer.

A Return Material Authorisation (RMA) form must always be requested for a return.

If necessary, contact the Technical Service Department of the manufacturer.

- ***Andreas Hettich GmbH & Co. KG***
- *Föhrenstrasse 12*
- *78532 Tuttlingen, Germany*
- *Phone: +49 7461 705 1400*
- *E-mail: service@hettichlab.com*

WARNING

Risk of pollution and contamination for people and the environment.

When disposing of the centrifuge, people and the environment may be polluted or contaminated by incorrect or improper disposal.

- Removal and disposal may be carried out only by a trained and authorised service personnel.

The device is intended for the commercial sector ("Business to Business" - B2B).

According to Directive 2012/19/EU, the devices may no longer be disposed of with household waste.

The devices are assigned to the following groups according to the Stiftung Elektro-Altgeräte Register (EAR (German foundation under civil law)):

- Group 5 (small devices)

Fig. 19: Household waste ban

The crossed-out wheelie bin symbol indicates that the device must not be disposed of with household waste. Regulations governing disposal of such devices may differ in individual countries. If necessary, contact the supplier.

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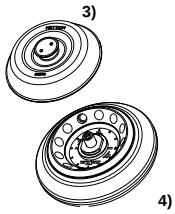
Winkelrotor 12-fach / Angle rotor 12-times 3)  4) 45° **max. Laufzyklen /max. cycles: 50000**										
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		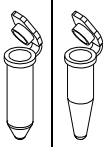						+		
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Maße / dimensions ∅ x L	mm	11 x 38		8 x 30	8 x 45	6 x 45	6 x 18	10,7 x 36		
Anzahl p. Rotor / number p. rotor		12		12	12	12	12	12		
Drehzahl / speed	RPM	14000								
RZB / RCF	7)	15558						14462		
Radius / radius	mm	71		71	71	71	71	66		
(97%)	sec	15								
1	sec	15								
Probenerwärmung/sample temp. rise	K 1)	15								

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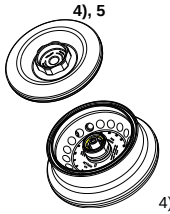
Winkelrotor 18-fach / Angle rotor 18-times 4), 5  4) 45° **max. Laufzyklen /max. cycles: 50000**											
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		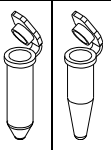									
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Maße / dimensions ∅ x L	mm	11 x 38		8 x 30	8 x 45	6 x 45	6 x 18	11 x 38			
Anzahl p. Rotor / number p. rotor		18		18	18	18	18	18			
Drehzahl / speed	RPM	14000									
RZB / RCF	7)	16654									
Radius / radius	mm	76		76	76	76	76	76			
(97%)	sec	16									
1	sec	15									
Probenerwärmung/sample temp. rise	K 1)	19									

1) Probenerwärmung bei maximaler Drehzahl und 1 Stunde Laufzeit
2) bei hochtouriger Zentrifugation empfohlen
3) autoklavierbar
4) autoklavierbar, phenolbeständig
5) mit Bioabdichtung (nach DIN EN 61010, Teil 2 – 020). Die Hinweise für Bio-Sicherheitssysteme in den Kapiteln "Sicherheitshinweise" und "Pflege und Wartung" beachten.
7) Angaben des Röhrchenherstellers beachten.

1) Sample temp. rise during maximum speed and 1 hour running time
2) recommended for high-speed centrifugation
3) autoclavable
4) autoclavable, phenol resistant
5) with bio-containment (in conformity with DIN EN 61010, part 2 – 020). Observe the notes for bio safety systems in chapters "Notes on safety" and "Maintenance and servicing".
7) Observe the tube manufacturer's instructions.

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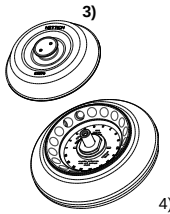
Winkelrotor 18-fach / Angle rotor 18-times 3)  4) 45° **max. Laufzyklen /max. cycles: 50000**										
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		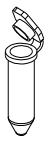		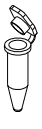				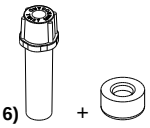		
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Maße / dimensions ∅ x L	mm	11 x 38		8 x 30	8 x 45	6 x 45	6 x 18	10,7 x 36		
Anzahl p. Rotor / number p. rotor		18		18	18	18	18	9		
Drehzahl / speed	RPM	14000								
RZB / RCF	7)	16654						15558		
Radius / radius	mm	76		76	76	76	76	71		
(97%)	sec	15								
1	sec	15								
Probenerwärmung/sample temp. rise	K 1)	17								

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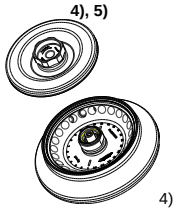
Winkelrotor 24-fach / Angle rotor 24-times 4), 5)  4) 45° **max. Laufzyklen /max. cycles: 50000**										
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		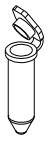	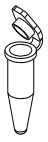	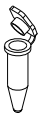				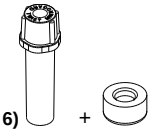		
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Anzahl p. Rotor / number p. rotor		24		24	24	24	24	12		
Drehzahl / speed	RPM	14000								
RZB / RCF	7)	18845						17749		
Radius / radius	mm	86		86	86	86	86	81		
(97%)	sec	15								
1	sec	15								
Probenerwärmung/sample temp. rise	K 1)	22								

1) Probenerwärmung bei maximaler Drehzahl und 1 Stunde Laufzeit
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6) Nur jeden zweiten Platz des Rotors beladen
7) Angaben des Röhrchenherstellers beachten.

1) Sample temp. rise during maximum speed and 1 hour running time
2) recommended for high-speed centrifugation
3) autoclavable
4) autoclavable, phenol resistant
5) with bio-containment (in conformity with DIN EN 61010, part 2 – 020). Observe the notes for bio safety systems in chapters "Notes on safety" and "Maintenance and servicing".
6) Load only each second position of the rotor
7) Observe the tube manufacturer's instructions.