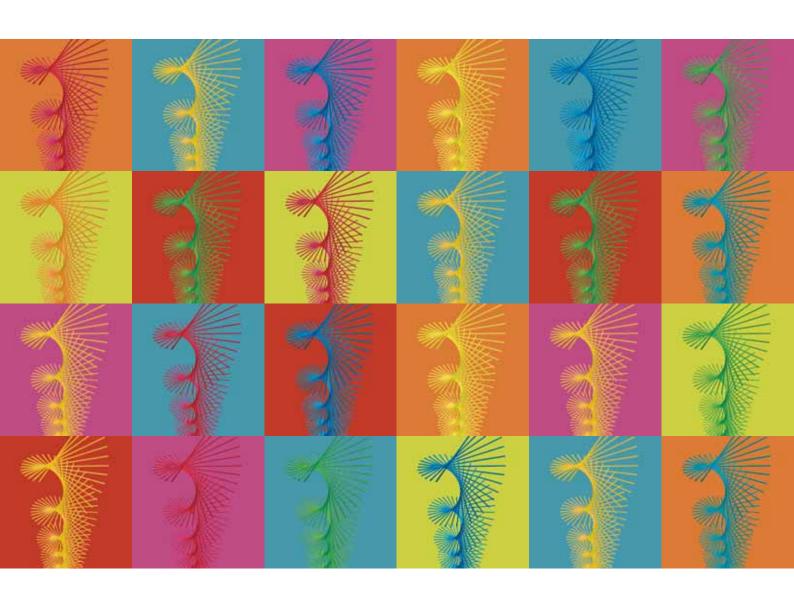


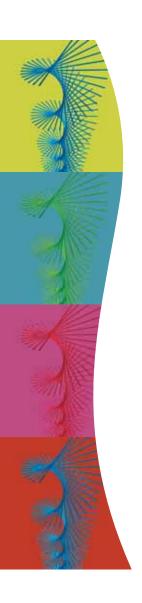


# **Animal Reproduction Technology Bovine**

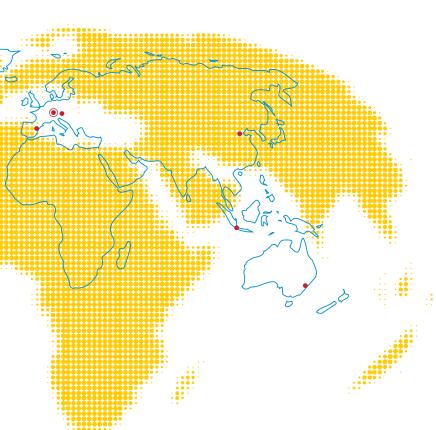




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We need detailed knowledge of reproductive physiology in order to ensure that you are successful in the use of artificial insemination. Veterinarians and agro-scientists specialised in this field therefore, are responsible at Minitüb for product development and for consulting with our clients. The technical demands of semen processing and preservation also require knowledge and expertise in other fields, such as electronics, sensorics, mechanics, chemistry, cryobiology and many others. At Minitüb, these demands are met by specially-trained engineers and scientists.

For product development, our teams of veterinarians and engineers cooperate closely. Together, they offer all the knowledge and experience necessary to quarantee the best possible results.

With Minitube of America's international centre for biotechnology in Wisconsin, USA, the Minitüb group relies on high capacity facilities for training and research. Here we conduct fundamental research concerning assisted reproduction technologies as well as applied research that leads to improved techniques in production, evaluation and conservation of semen and embryos. Important elements are furthermore biotechnical services for our customers, as well as training and technology transfer.

Originating in Tiefenbach, Bavaria, Minitüb has established its competence over many years in more than 100 different countries all over the world. With several companies, highly-trained local representatives, and multilingual professionals handling exports, we keep in contact with the international Al industry. Innovative ideas, modern production techniques and a keen appreciation of product quality are the basic ingredients of our knowledge and your success.

We thank you for your interest and your confidence placed in us.

DR. CHRISTIAN SIMMET

June

MANAGING DIRECTOR

# IDA AND IDENT: MINITUBE SOFTWARE FOR THE BULL SEMEN LABORATORY

THE IDA LABORATORY SOFTWARE INTEGRATES ALL EJACULATE DATA AND LINKS ALL PROCESSES FROM SEMEN COLLECTION TO PRODUCTION STATISTICS. MOTILITY CONCENTRATION **VOLUME Ejaculate files DILUTION SALES SOFTWARE PACKAGING STATISTICS** 

## **Your benefits**

- IDA introduces a high security level in your lab
- the whole process is standardized and optimized
- automatic integration of ejaculate parameters through interfaced hardware
- automatic data transmission to and from the straw printing and filling system
- IDA helps to save time and labour
- every step is documented and verifiable
- statistical analysis of all relevant production data
- IDA can easily be connected with other software applications
- IDA is a very user friendly software

# **IDA AND IDENT: MINITUBE SOFTWARE** FOR THE BULL SEMEN LABORATORY

**IDA** is a flexible, multitalented and modular computer program, based on an Access data base. It automates and links ejaculate analysis including record keeping of thawing controls as well as extender dispensing and semen packaging in straws. The identification of each ejaculate can be entered manually, by barcode label or through a transponder. The ejaculate data file guarantees quick and precise ejaculate data management.

The connected lab equipment like scale, photometer or Sperm Vision™ transfer analysis data quickly and securely to the lab computer. Automatic calculation of extender quantities, automatic semen dilution by means of the Smart Dispenser and the data transfer to the filling machine greatly rationalize laboratory work. Production data is provided in real time for administration and sales. Due to the Access data base the connection is carried out comfortably.

A special menu item provides evaluation and administration of bull and ejaculate data.

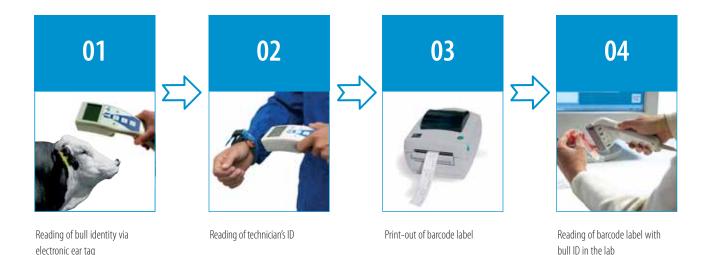
IDA is available in multiple languages.

electronic ear tag

: 18500/0000



#### ELECTRONIC BULL IDENTIFICATION WITH IDENT

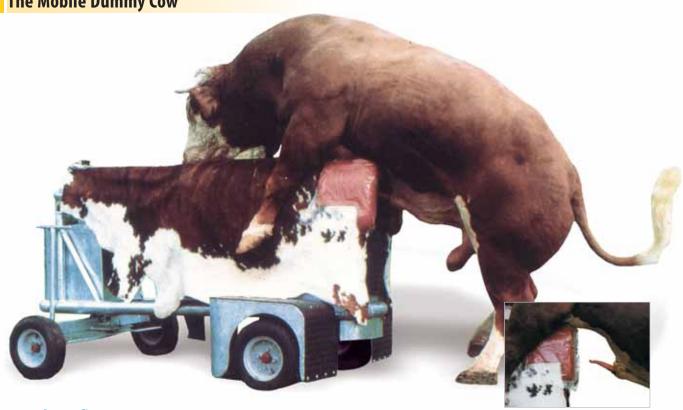


**IDENT** is available in addition to IDA or as an independent program: The software contains collection planning, the identification of bulls via electronic ear tags, the electronic identification of semen collection staff and the print-out of labels with bull identity, bar code and further information about the semen collection.

: 18000/0015

# **BULL SEMEN COLLECTION**





#### **Your benefits**

- comfortable semen collection for the bull
- safe and easy operation
- optimal stimulation of the bull with controlled forward and backward movements
- minimum risk for the bull due to the separated, smooth hindquarters
- optimal hygiene due to the use of disposable sanitary covers (optional)

#### **Product features**

- Body made of rigid, zinc-coated steel
- High quality padding
- Cover made of reinforced PVC material
- Inside seat for the collector

Bovine Collection Dummy, mobile REF. : 11000/1000

**Bovine Collection Dummy**, stationary **REF.** : 11000/0500

## **Accessory**

**Disposable sanitary cover,** 100/package, **REF.** : 11000/0200





# **BULL SEMEN COLLECTION**

# Bovine Artificial Vagina

Minitube offers bovine artificial vaginas in 4 different lengths to suit all kinds and sizes of bulls.

#### Casing with valve

20 cm	REF.	: 11021/0020
30 cm	REF.	: 11021/0033
35 cm	REF.	: 11021/0035
41 cm	REF.	: 11021/0041

#### Inner liner

smooth	REF.	: 11022/0002
rough	REF.	: 11022/0003
Director cone	REF.	: 11024/0000
Collection vial, glass, graduated, 15 ml	REF.	: 11023/0015
Warming bag, neoprene, long, blue	REF.	: 11025/0058
Warming bag, 18 cm, green	REF.	: 11025/0018
Warming bag, 35 cm, green	REF.	: 11025/0035
Rubber ring	REF.	: 11022/0001



Low pressure sterilizer, specially designed for artificial vaginas and accessories. Made of stainless steel, double wall with insulation. With pressure safety valve, timer, water drain, protection against overheating and insert for artificial vaginas for bulls.

Sterilizer Sterivar 230 V	REF.	: 11050/0015
Sterilizer Sterivar 115 V	REF.	: 11050/0014

# **Technical features**

- Capacity: 15 artificial vaginas
- Temperature range: up to +100°C
- Pressure: max. 0.02 bar
- Inside dimensions: 750 x 400 mm Ø approx.
- Power supply: 230 V / 50 Hz or 115 V / 60 Hz
- Power consumption: 3500 W

# **Accessories**

Roller base for STERIVAR	REF.	: 11051/0000
Sterivar insert for 15 latex cones	REF.	: 11051/1015
<b>Spreader</b> for inner liner, stainless steel	REF.	: 11051/0550



## **Additional accessories**

Greasing stick	REF.	: 11905/0050
MiniLube, 3.8	REF.	: 17116/7010
<b>Vaseline</b> , 1 kg	REF.	: 11905/0100
Thermometer	REF.	: 11027/0000
Plastic collection vial	REF.	: 11023/0018
Tulip shape collection glass	REF.	: 11023/0016
Rubber stopper for vial	REF.	: 11023/1590







# **BULL SEMEN COLLECTION**

# **Electro Ejaculator**

**Electro ejaculator set**, consisting of heavy-duty carrying case, probe and control unit. Inbuilt battery and transformer/charger. Semen collection funnel with holding device and tube. Digital display and adjustment of the actual value in 0.5 volt steps. Fully portable with remote control.

Semen collection is made easier, especially from older bulls that may be difficult to stimulate.

Power supply: 115 V/ 60 Hz or 230 V/ 50 Hz.

**Set with electro ejaculator**, case and cables **REF.** : 11900/0000

#### **Accessories**

REF.	: 11900/0025
REF.	: 11900/0022
REF.	: 11900/0020
REF.	: 11900/0250
	REF.



# **Warming Cabinet 700**

#### **Product features**

- Suitable for artificial vaginas and accessories
- Casing and interior made of stainless steel
- Electronic control of temperature and air circulation
- Timer with functions for heating time and delay
- Temperature range: +30°C up to +250°C

REF. : 14135/0400

#### **Technical features**

- Volume: 416 l
- 2 insert racks
- Dimensions (w x h x d): inside: 1 040 x 800 x 500 mm outside: 1190 x 1080 x 650 mm
- Power supply: 115 V/ 60 Hz or 230 V/ 50 Hz
- Power consumption: 1800 W

We offer many different models and sizes of warming cabinets, also hand-through models.





# **Computerised Motility Analysis**

#### **Your benefits**

- Precision: Sperm Vision™ provides excellent sperm cell recognition and a highly precise sperm count.
- Optimized process: Sperm Vision™ standardizes evaluation and calculation criteria, which significantly improves the accuracy of motility and concentration analysis. The calculated "security margin" for spermatozoa per dose can be lowered considerably.
- Morphology: The user has got the possibility of a comfortable, fast morphology evaluation. Besides motility, sperm velocity, linearity and hyperactivity, morphological criteria can optionally account for the calculation of the extender volume.







- Viability: this tool automatically assesses damaged/not damaged semen cells by using a fluorescence stain. Requires a microscope with fluorescence equipment.
- **Individual settings:** The user can individually define which criteria and ponderation account for the dose calculation.
- Documentation: Pictures and complete films, as well as all analyse data are archived. Thus Sperm Vision™ allows retrospective monitoring to demonstrate the quality of each frozen or delivered semen dose.

#### **Technical features**

- Real time and simultaneous motility and concentration assessment
- Rapid analysis: 7 measuring fields in 7 seconds
- Comparative measurements of up to 16 fields with average value calculation
- Motility parameters DCL, DAP, DSL, VCL, VAP, VSL, LIN, WOB, STR, BCF, AOC, ALH
- User-defined tolerance values and standard deviations
- Morphology tool with automatic sperm recognition
- Viability tool for SYBR 14/Pl dye
- · Hoechst dye evaluation live/dead
- Compatible with IDA/ILAS; multi purpose evaluations with Sperm Vision™ reports; all analysis results can be printed out or exported to other programs (Excel, Word, HTML...)
- Can be combined with a wide variety of microscopes

**SpermVision™ Professional** system includes software, digital camera, PC with complete accessories

REF. : 12520/3502

#### **Accessories**

#### Zeiss Axioscope A1

Phase contrast microscope with ergonomic support and base plate, excellent image quality, phase achromat objective 10x can be retrofit with a ScanStage or with fluorescence equipment.

REF. : 12008/0040

#### CASA Objective

10x negative phase contrast REF. : 12006/0232

#### ScanStage

Automated scanning microscope stage, heated, positioning precision:  $\pm$  5  $\mu$ m, suitable for different microscopes

REF. : 125208/3115

# **Alternative to SpermVision® Professional:**

#### Sperm Vision™ Production

this CASA system is tailored for the production lab and includes a standard microscope. It provides proven parameter settings for the analysis of one species (can be upgraded). A semen analysis report is integrated.

REF. : 12520/7000

# **MICROSCOPY**

# Phase Contrast Microscope CX 31

- Infinity optic system: sharp images over the complete field
- Phase achromatic optics with universal condenser
- Heated original microscope stage with temperature control unit HT 200 with additional warming plate and two digital temperature displays
- Temperature freely selectable
- Ergonomic design of the support
- Phase achromatic objectives 10x, 20x, 40x, 100x
- 6 V/30 W halogen light

 Binocular
 REF.
 : 12004/0331

 With photo tube
 REF.
 : 12004/0431



# Phase Contrast Microscope MBL 2000

Functional microscope for semen analysis with phase achromatic objectives 10x, 40x, 100x, heating system with temperature control unit HT50 with digital temperature display and freely selectable temperature adjustment

Binocular REF. : 12010/2000

With ocular video, camera and monitor REF. : 12010/2100



# Semen Dyes

Spermac, semen dye for morphological evaluation, 4 x 50 ml

Farelly stain, consisting of 3 components, 250 ml each

REF. : 15405/0026

Eosin G, solution for supravital staining, 50 ml

REF. : 15405/0025

Nigrosin, solution for supravital staining, 50 ml

REF. : 15405/0029



# PHOTOMETER SDM6

#### Photometer SDM6

#### Your benefits

- large touch screen, easy handling
- programs for the determination of sperm concentration of bull, boar, stallion, ram and buck semen
- automatic calculation of extender volume and number of doses
- display of semen concentration in 10<sup>9</sup> sperm cells/ml
- optional: integrated printer for printout of production data per ejaculate
- serial and parallel interfaces for data transfer

#### **Technical features**

- Spectral range: 340 578 mm
- Filter: 546 nm
- Halogen lamp
- Use of 10 mm macro cuvettes
- Analysis time: 2 seconds/sample
- Power supply: 230 V/ 50 Hz or 110 V/60 Hz





**Photometer SDM6**, for the determination of semen concentration and for dose calculation, with integrated printer

Photometer SDM6, without printer REF. : 12300/0008

#### **Accessories**

Paper for printer	REF.	: 12300/0311
<b>Macro cuvette</b> , 4 ml, 100/package	REF.	: 12301/0003
		. 12201/4667
NaCl solution, 0.9 %, 11	REF.	: 12301/4667
<b>Dispenser</b> 0.5 - 5 ml for NaCl solution	REF.	: 12428/1815
<b>Varipette</b> 10 - 100 μl, with digital display	REF.	: 12425/4810
Pipette tip yellow, 1000/package	REF.	: 12425/9409

**Automatic diluter-dispenser** for precise sample preparation and concentration measurement. Use of disposable syringes for semen sampling Power supply: 110 – 220 V

REF. : 12421/0503



# **BULL SEMEN DILUTION**

#### Semen Extenders

#### **Andromed**°

- Egg yolk free medium for frozen and liquid bovine semen
- High fertility rates without ingredients of animal origin
- No risk of microbiological contamination
- Easy to prepare, time saving

Andromed\* 200 ml, for a total of 1 litre of extender, with antibiotic formula according to EC requirements

	REF.	: 13503/0200
Andromed CSS,		
one-step, 200 ml, without antibiotics	REF.	: 13503/1200
Andromed° CSS,		
two-step extender, 100 ml, fraction 1	REF.	: 13503/1250
Andromed CSS,		
two-step extender, 100 ml, fraction 2	REF.	: 13503/1251

**Triladyl**\* Since decades one of the most successful extenders for bull semen freezing in the world. Used for one-step semen processing at room temperature, it stands for constantly optimal results of your bull population, even when using highly diluted ejaculates.

**Triladyl**\* 250 g, for a total of 1250 g of extender, with antibiotic formula according to EC requirements

	REF.	: 13500/0250
Trilladul® CCC 2FD a without antibiation		. 12500/1250
<b>Triladyl</b> *, CSS, 250 g, without antibiotics	REF.	: 13500/1250

**Biladyl**\* The two step extender based on the proven Triladyl\* formula, according to the CSS-requirements (Certified Semen Services). Consisting of fractions A, B and cocktail AB for the production of a total of 1 000 g extender.

Biladyl°, fraction A	REF.	: 13500/0004
Biladyl*, fraction B, with glycerol	REF.	: 13500/0006
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**Antibiotic supplement for 2-step extender** Antibiotic formula in powder according to CSS protocol, contains 300 mg Gentamicin, 60 mg Tylosin, 180 mg Lincomycin, 360 mg Spectinomycin.

REF. : 13500/0005

**Antibiotic supplement for 1-step extender,** Antibiotic formula in powder according to CSS protocol, contains: 550 mg Gentamicin, 110 mg Tylosin, 330 mg Lincomycin and 660 mg Spectinomycin.

REF. : 13504/9000











# **BULL SEMEN DILUTION**

# ..... Magnetic Stirrer

Magnetic stirrer, without heater, 14 W REF. : 14230/0000

Magnetic stirrer, with heater and connection for contact thermometer, 620 W

115 V / 60 Hz REF. : 14235/0731

230 V/ 50 Hz **REF.** : 14235/0732

#### **Accessories**

#### Contact thermometer,

for magnetic stirrer, electronic REF. :14235/7320

**Support** for thermometer REF. : 14235/7323

#### Stirring bars

25 mm	REF.	: 14240/7125
30 mm	REF.	: 14240/7130
40 mm	REF.	: 14240/7140
50 mm	REF.	: 14240/7150

# **Smart Dispenser**

- The automatic, electronically controlled dispensing system for bull semen extender adds security to your process
- Maximum degree of precision in terms of dispensed extender volume (±1 g) allows very precise sperm cell numbers per dose
- Operation as stand-alone unit or interfaced with IDA or other software
- Power supply: 115 V/ 60 Hz or 230 V/ 50 Hz

**Smart Dispenser** for bull semen production, control unit with balance

REF. : 13200/0700

Pump for Smart Dispenser,

with stand, tubing and sinker REF. : 13200/0790

#### **..... Water Baths**

#### Water bath with temperature control and water circulation

stainless steel, capacity: 45 l, with insert racks for 20 diluent bottles and 72 semen collection vials

inner dimensions (I x w x h): 590 x 350 x 220 mm 230 V, 50 Hz, 2 800 W

REF. : 14082/0600

**Water bath with temperature control**, stainless steel, capacity: 10 l inner dimensions (l x w x h):  $350 \times 210 \times 140 \text{ mm}$ Power supply: 115 V/60 Hz or 230 V/50 Hz, 1200 W

REF. : 14079/0001





# **COLD HANDLING CABINET**

# **Cold Handling Cabinet**

Spacious cold handling cabinet made of stainless steel for semen processing at working temperature +5°C. Timer for automatic defrosting cycle. Cover made of acrylic glass. Installed on heavy duty rolls

available in 2 sizes:

approx.	working area (cm - W x D)	outside dimensions (cm - W x D x H)	230 V	115 V
large	200 x 90	221 x 114 x 128	REF. : 14335/0403	REF. : 14335/0400
standard	200 x 67	216 x 91 x 127	REF. : 14335/0401	REF. : 14335/0398

Shorter, custom made versions are available.

#### **Technical features**

- Optionally with hydraulic height adjustment
- Height of refrigerated area: 500 mm (340 mm below acrylic cover in the front)
- Digital temperature controller
- 4 electric connectors in the working area
- 50 mm openings on each side for cables
- Power supply: 230 V/ 50 Hz or 115 V/ 60 Hz
- Power consumption: approx. 450 W



# **COMBISYSTEM**

# ...... Minitube CombiSystem

for optimal efficiency in the bull semen laboratory: the combination of the filling and sealing machine MPP Quattro or MPP Uno with the MiniJet printer

# Your benefits

- perfect automatic integration of semen processing: filling, sealing and printing in one system and one step
- convertable from 0.5 ml to 0.25 ml straws and vice versa, without changing any part
- · fully electronic control of all components
- semen level control and automatic stop of straw supply at the end of the ejaculate
- both devices, the filling and sealing machine MPP Quattro and the MiniJet printer may also be separated and operated individually, at any time
- includes software with bull data files, can be combined with IDA laboratory software (see page 5)
- requires no extra control unit, only standard PC
- fully certified according to European norms

CombiSystem, composed of MPP Quattro and MiniJet, complete set REF. : 13018/0002

CombiSystem, composed of MPP Uno

and MiniJet, complete set REF. : 13017/0002



CombiSystem, composed of MPP Quattro and MiniJet printer

# **AUTOMATIC FILLING & SEALING OF STRAWS**

#### **MPP Quattro**

Fully automatic filling and sealing machine for 0.25 and 0.5 ml semen straws.

#### Your benefits

- up to 4 straws are filled and sealed per cycle. Number of straws can be freely selected: 1, 2, 3 or 4 straws at a time.
- modern touch-screen monitor for software control and display. Easy to operate, with color coded display. Continuous display of number of filled straws, machine status, straw size.
- touch screen guided conversion from and to 0.5/0.25 ml straws without exchange or replacement of any parts.
- the filling and sealing area is completely closed, fully hygienic and safety conditions are guaranteed.
- optimal control by the operator: processing of 4 straws at a time can easily be observed.

- very quick exchange of blocks with 4 filling and suction nozzles between ejaculates.
- dual ejaculate control through built-in adjustable balance and sensor at the filling tube: automatic switch from 4 needle filling to 1 needle filling when the built-in balance indicates that the reservoir holding the ejaculate is almost empty.

Practically no semen is wasted and the ejaculate is used up to the very last drop.

#### **Technical features**

- Machine can be operated at room temperature and in cold room or cabinet.
- Exchangeable hopper: hopper holds either 2 200 0.25 ml straws or 1 300 0.5 ml straws.
- Capacity: 15 000 straws/hour
- No wearing parts. Very easy and quick cleaning.
- Can be included into the Minitube CombiSystem with the latest MiniJet printer model Leibinger.
- Power supply: 110 V /60 Hz or 230 V /50-60 Hz, as defined according to project needs.

MPP Quattro, complete : 13018/0000



#### **Accessories**

Straw dish, stackable	REF.	: 13012/0003	Fixing unit for filling and suction blocks,		
			stackable, stainless steel	REF.	: 13017/0050
Filling block with 4 nozzles					
			Washer for 0.25 ml and 0.5 ml nozzles,		
for 0.25 ml straws	REF.	: 13018/0013	5 000/bag	REF.	: 13021/3001
for 0.5 ml straws	REF.	: 13018/0018			
			Filling/suction tubing, 380 mm, sperm friendly	/ material	(silicone), bevelled
Suction block with 4 nozzles			edge, 100/aluminum foil bag		
				REF.	: 13021/3800
for 0.25 ml straws	REF.	: 13018/0022			
for 0.5 ml straws	REF.	: 13018/0027	Disposable semen cone, 100/bag	REF.	: 13018/0100

# **AUTOMATIC FILLING & SEALING OF STRAWS**

## ..... MPP Uno

Automatic filling and sealing machine for 0.25 and 0.5 ml straws

### **Your benefits**

- the MPP Uno seals and fills 1 straw per cycle. Therefore the machine is ideal for handling small volumes of valuable ejaculates. The sealing is performed by ultrasound.
- conversion between 0.25 ml straws and 0.5 ml straws without exchanging any parts within only a few minutes. The exchangeable hoppers hold either 2 200 straws of 0.25 ml or about 1 300 straws of 0.5 ml.
- a very compact device which requires minor space. The vacuum pump and the pressure controller are integrated in the device. The ultrasonic generator is integrated in an external casing that can be mounted at a distance of up to 2.5 m. ON/OFF switch directly on the machine.
- the filling and sealing area is completely closed: Best hygienic and safety
  conditions are therefore fully guaranteed. Optimal control by the user: the
  filling process is performed right in front of the user, who can easily
  observe the procedure.

MPP Uno, complete REF. : 13017/0000

#### **Technical features**

- Capacity approx. 4 000 straws/hour
- No wearing parts. Very fast and easy cleaning.
- Machine dimensions: 370 x 460 x 320 mm (W x D x H) + ultrasound generator
- Power supply: 110 V / 60 Hz or 230 V / 50 Hz

#### **Accessories**

Exchangeable straw hopper	REF.	: 13017/0005
Filling possile 0.25 ml		. 12017/0012
Filling nozzle 0.25 ml	REF.	: 13017/0012
Suction nozzle 0.25 ml	REF.	: 13017/0022
Filling nozzle 0.5 ml	REF.	: 13017/0017
Suction nozzle 0.5 ml	REF.	: 13017/0027
<b>Washer,</b> 5 000/bag	REF.	: 13021/3001
Filling tubing, 100/bag	REF.	: 13021/3800



# PRINTING MACHINES FOR SEMEN STRAWS

#### ..... MiniJet

Professional printing system for 0.25 ml and 0.5 ml straws

## Your benefits

- combines excellent print quality with high print speed
- suitable for all types of semen straws
- Minitube software with clear and user-friendly menues
- exchangeable hopper fits for both straw sizes
- easily adjustable print head position
- change of the transport belt without tools
- remote maintenance via teleservice possible
- no gear pump is used for generating the pressure in the ink circuit, therefore no abraded particles are ageing the ink
- the ink nozzle is automatically closed when the printer is switched off, thus avoiding its blockage caused by dried ink. Steady once per day tuning of ink viscosity guarantees optimal start-up conditions
- low operational costs: the ink tank is only refilled instead of replacing it altogether
- ink run time is not limited by electronic timer
- the inkjet printer is equipped with a touch screen for direct input of system commands and display for diagnosis purposes
- specific databases

# Each system consists of

- Inkjet printing unit Leibinger, state of the art computer with accessories and Minitube software
- Transport unit for straws with exchangeable hopper
- Control unit for electronics and power supply of the transport unit

#### **Technical features**

- Capacity: approx. 20 000 straws per hour
- Character size 1.4 mm to 5 mm
- Printing of barcodes and logos
- Bold print option
- Immediately non-abrasive print
- Adaptable for the CombiSystem
- Power supply: 110 V / 60 Hz or 230 V / 50-60 Hz as defined by project needs

MiniJet with Inkjet System Leibinger,

complete : 13034/0001

The MiniJet printer can be combined with the filling and sealing machine MPP Quattro or MPP Uno to a CombiSystem. The printer is also available as a TwinJet system for printing 2 lines

on each straw. Microsoft Access Database for easy data conversion to and from customer



# PRINTING MACHINES FOR SEMEN STRAWS

# EasyCoder 2.0

The innovation in semen laboratories: printing of straws without ink, now with new software

#### Your benefits

- unmatched neat and clear printing on 0.5 and 0.25 ml straws
- up to 3 lines with a total of about 200 characters, even on Ministraws
- printing of barcode signs, logos and specific characters
- immediately non-abrasive print
- control via PC by a clear and user-friendly Minitube software
- sequential numbers can be printed on straws

- adjustable character fonts and graduations from micro to macro
- freely eligible number of lines and of printing positions
- clean and odourless working without ink and without solvents
- easy handling, little maintenance required
- easy and quick conversion between different straw sizes

EasyCoder printer 2.0, complete REF. : 13038/0000

EasyCoder software upgrade to version 2.0 REF. : 18800/0001



## **Technical features**

- Thermal transfer printer with automatic straw supply
- Output: 3 600 straws per hour
- Windows based Minitüb software with data base for storing names and numbers
- Data transfer by serial port or USB adapter (included)
- Individual composition of printing lines possible, different configurations can be stored in memory
- Dimensions (I x w x h): 690 x 370 x 310 mm (PC not included)
- Power supply: 110-230 V AC, 50/60 Hz

#### **Accessories**

Color ribbon for straw printer EasyCoder

black	REF.	: 13038/0010
gold	REF.	: 13038/0012
red	REF.	: 13038/0015
silver	REF.	: 13038/0017

# THE MINITUBE SYSTEM

#### :::: The Minitube Straw

Minitube straws can be used in many ways: for frozen semen preservation as well as for the production of fresh semen. During the last years, the use of fresh semen in the bovine Al industry has increased and become more important, especially as a tool to meet the high demand for top bulls. The original Minitüb with two sealing balls provides fundamental advantages for both preservation methods:

- Gas-tight and hygienic seal of both straw ends with sealing balls
- No waste of semen due to sperm cells trapped in the cotton plug
- Reduced number of semen cells per dose
- Maximum use and maximum profit of top bulls

**Minitube straw,** 65 mm/0.3 ml, clear **REF.** : **13401/0065** 



# ASP 65R — Filling & Sealing Machine for Minitubes

#### **Technical features**

- Fully automatic packaging of bull semen in Minitubes
- Use of only one sterilizable filling nozzle with hose and sinker per ejaculate
- Capacity: approx. 8 000 straws per hour
- Power supply: 230 V/ 50 Hz

REF. : 13001/0165

#### **Accessories**

Filling nozzle for ASP,

with silicone tubing and sinker REF. : 13001/1010

Suction nozzle for ASP REF. : 13001/1020

Washer for ASP filling and suction nozzle,

1000/ package **REF.** : 13001/1000

**Nitrogen gas module for liquid semen production**, flushes each Minitube with nitrogen gas immediately before filling, thus ensuring that the bubble within the filled and sealed semen straw contains only nitrogen. Increases longevity of liquid semen providing anaerobic conditions.



# SEMIAUTOMATIC STRAW PROCESSING

## Semiautomatic System SFS 133

For 0.25 ml and 0.5 ml straws

Semiautomatic Filling & Sealing Machine SFS 133, with vacuum bottle,

filling and suction head for 0.5 ml straws

for 0.5 ml straws : 13133/0133 for 0.25 ml straws : 13133/0135

Low density vacuum pump, 30-60 Hg, with manometer and

valve

230 V/50 Hz : 13133/0267 115 V/50 Hz : 13133/0268

Cartridge loading device with loading block and 10 cartridges for 36 straws

0.5 ml : 13133/0005 0.25 ml : 13133/0025



# Straws are filled and sealed 6 by 6 Sealing is done securely and hygienically with metal or glass sealing balls The glass sealing balls are available in different colors An air bubble of 1 cm is automatically produced in each straw Capacity: approx. 2000 straws/hour

# AHDR/HDR Printers

For 0.5 or 0.25 ml straws and Minitubes, with counter. Capacity: approx. 7 200 straws/hour

AHDR, automatic	REF.	: 13142/1000
HDR (without motor)	REF.	: 13140/0000

#### Set of alpha-numerical characters

for 0.5 ml straws and Minitubes	REF.	: 13052/0000
for 0.25 ml straws	REF.	: 13052/0010

#### Printing ink ER, 40 ml

red	REF.	: 13056/0032
black	REF.	: 13056/0033
yellow	REF.	: 13056/0207
green	REF.	: 13056/0327
blue	REF.	: 13056/0210

Thinner for ER printing ink, 1000 ml : 13056/9000

**Doublestick tape** : 13050/0010



# MINITUBE SEMEN STRAWS



For over 25 years, the Minitube 0.25 ml and 0.5 ml semen straws have been used worldwide as a standard for the freezing of semen from bulls, stallions, boars, and many other species. Minitube's quality control process, production techniques, and material selection ensure for a reliable product that consistently exceeds industry standards. Minitube straws are available in a variety of transparent colors.

EcoStraws feature a plug with a shorter inner wick section that absorbs 3 - 4 % fewer sperm cells than the corresponding symmetrical plugs of standard semen straws. They are ideal for overnight equilibration of semen at refrigerated temperatures.

# EcoStraws are used in exactly the same way as standard semen straws:

- · identical processes for filling,
- identical processes for sealing,
- · identical processes for printing,
- · identical processes for insemination.

#### **EcoStraw**

#### **Your benefits**

- Better utilization of available sperm cells per ejaculate because fewer sperm cells are lost in the plug
- Yield a larger number of semen straws per ejaculate
- Better use of valuable genetics without adding additional costs
- Ideal for overnight equilibration and fresh semen preservation



# MINITUBE SEMEN STRAWS

Color	Mir 0.2	Mini straw 0.25 ml	0.7	0.25 ml		Mediu 0.5 ml	Medium straw 0.5 ml	EcoStra 0.5 ml	EcoStraw 0.5 ml
transparent	REF.	:13407/0010	REF.	:13407/3010		REF. :	: 13408/0010	REF.	:13408/3010
red	REF.	: 13407/0040	REF.	: 13407/3040	1	REF.	1	REF.	ı
red – transparent	REF.	: 13407/0044	REF.	: 13407/3044	4	REF.	: 13408/0044	REF.	: 13408/3044
green	REF.	: 13407/0050	REF.	: 13407/3050		REF.	1	REF.	ı
green – transparent	REF.	: 13407/0054	REF.	: 13407/3054		REF.	: 13408/0054	REF.	: 13408/3054
blue – transparent	REF.	: 13407/0064	REF.	: 13407/3064	1	REF.	: 13408/0064	REF.	: 13408/3064
grey	REF.	: 13407/0070	REF.	: 13407/3070		REF.	1	REF.	ı
grey – transparent	REF.	:13407/0074	REF.	:13407/3074		REF. :	: 13408/0074	REF.	: 13408/3074
purple	REF.	: 13407/0080	REF.	: 13407/3080		REP.		REF.	ı
yellow	REF.	:13407/0090	REF.	: 13407/3090		REF.	ı	REF.	ł
yellow – transparent	REF.	: 13407/0094	REF.	:13407/3094		REF.	: 13408/0094	REF.	:13408/3094
pink	REF.	REF. :13407/0100	33.00	13407/3100		REF.	:13408/0100	REF.	:13408/3100
turquoise	REF.	: 13407/0130	<b>8</b> 8	:13407/3130		#	: 13408/0130	REF.	: 13408/3130
orange	REF.	:13407/0140	REF.			REF.	:13408/0140	REF.	:13408/3140
orange – transparent	REF.	REF. : 13407/0144	REF	: 13407/3144		RE.	1	REF.	ł
salmon	REF.	:13407/0160	REF.	:13407/3160		REF.	-	REF.	1
beige	REF.	: 13407/0180	REF	:13407/3180		REF.	1	REF.	ŀ
pistachio green	REF.	:13407/0200	REF.	:13407/3200		REF.	: 13408/0200	REF.	ŀ
pistachio green transparent	REF	:13407/0204	ME.	:13407/3204	1	REF.	!	REF.	: 13408/3204
white	1		200			110	.12/08/0210	1	0100/00/61.

# **BULL SEMEN FREEZING**

# **.....TurboFreezer** ™

#### **Your benefits**

- standardized semen freezing curves independent of straw position
- uniform post-thaw quality of the semen
- user defined freezing programs
- ergonomic and easy handling of racks and straws in ample freezing chamber
- high throughput provides outstanding economy

REF. : 16811/0000

# Benefits over traditional freezing machines for semen:

Semen freezing in conventional freezers suffers from unpredictable cold and warm spots distributed throughout the freezing chamber.

- The TurboFreezer<sup>™</sup> provides a uniform chamber temperature due to its aerodynamic design and the unidirectional horizontal gas flow.
- The freezing pattern of each single straw is precisely controlled by instant removal of crystallization energy.
- A homogenous gas flow is provided over the complete height and length of the stacks of straw racks.

#### **Technical features**

- · Highly insulated body with stainless steel cover
- Quadruple LN<sub>2</sub> injection ports
- Conditioning plenum separated from the freezing chamber
- 2 fan blocks with 4 fans each for homogenous LN<sub>2</sub> dispersion and precision air flow throughout the chamber
- Programmable controller
- Ample space available to unload racks and transfer straws into goblets inside the freezing chamber
- Electric connection: 220 V
- Outer dimension: 190 x 108 x 86 cm (W x H x D)
- Chamber size: 145 x 41 x 32 cm (W x H x D)
- LN<sub>2</sub> consumption: approx. 18 liters of LN2/cycle
- Required LN<sub>2</sub> pressure: 1.3 1.5 bar

#### **Accessories**

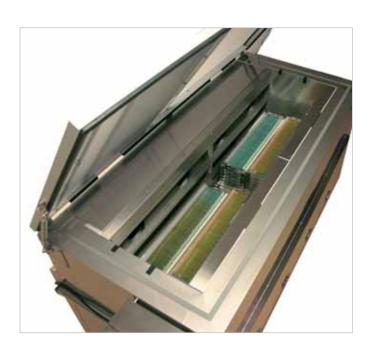
**Freezing racks** with new design, streamlined for optimal vapor flow rate:

New style feezing rack for 175 mini straws 0.25	REF.	: 15040/0175
Loading block for mini straw rack	REF.	: 15041/0175
New style feezing rack for 100 medium straws 0.5	REF.	: 15040/0100
Loading block for medium straw rack	REF.	: 15041/0100



# **BULL SEMEN FREEZING**







The low nitrogen consumption per freezing cycle combined with high through-put of straws per cycle provides an outstanding economic freezing performance in labour and  ${\rm LN_2}$  consumption.

Dual operation lid: inserted sliding covers for low impact loading and unloading of racks. Complete cover opens supported by air pressure cylinder.

Ample space available to unload racks and transfer straws into goblets inside the freezing chamber.

# **BULL SEMEN FREEZING**

# ::::: Storage Systems for Straws

#### Goblets

diameter	color		
10 mm	white	REF.	: 16912/0133
13 mm	white	REF.	: 16913/0133
13 mm	blue	REF.	: 16913/1133
13 mm	red	REF.	: 16913/3133
13 mm	pistachio – green	REF.	: 16913/4133
13 mm	yellow	REF.	: 16913/5133
35 mm	white	REF.	: 16935/0135
65 mm	white	REF.	: 16965/0133
<b>Goblet canes</b> , for 2 x 10 mm Go	761613	REF.	: 16965/6000
for 2 x 13 mm Go	blets	REF.	: 16965/6013
Marker sticks for different colors	or goblet canes,	REF.	: 13422/00xx
<b>Divider</b> for goble 12 cm	ets, 100/bag	255	: 16967/0065
24 cm		REF.	: 16967/0066
24 (111		KEF.	. 10907/0000
Identification i	rod		
0.25 ml		REF.	: 16903/0210
0.50 ml		REF.	: 16903/1210
Funnel for filling	g large goblets	REF.	: 15004/0402



**Short and long triangular cassettes** for 20/40 Minitubes or 10/20 straws 0.5 ml or 28/56 straws 0.25 ml

**Short and long flat cassettes** for 6/12 Minitubes or 3/6 straws 0.5 ml or 6/12 straws 0.25 ml



	triangular cassette				flat cassette			
	long		short	t	long		shor	t
green	REF.	: 16981/0135	REF.	: 16981/0120	REF.	: 16980/1201	REF.	: 16980/0601
blue	REF.	: 16981/0136	REF.	: 16981/0121	REF.	: 16980/1202	REF.	: 16980/0602
yellow	REF.	: 16981/0137	REF.	: 16981/0122	REF.	: 16980/1203	REF.	: 16980/0603
red	REF.	: 16981/0138	REF.	: 16981/0123	REF.	: 16980/1204	REF.	: 16980/0604
white	REF.	: 16981/0139	REF.	: 16981/0124	REF.	: 16980/1205	REF.	: 16980/0605
beige	REF.	: 16981/0140	REF.	: 16981/0125	REF.	: 16980/1206	REF.	: 16980/0606

# **BOVINE ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION**

# :::::::::: QuickLock 2000

- Al instrument with best available length: only 1 cm of the sheath length is required for fixation
- Universally suitable for all kinds of straws and sheaths. The straw is automatically guided into the optimal position in the QuickLock 2 000 tube
- Comfortable working through ergonomic design: also suitable for smaller hands due to smaller distance between the thumb plate and the fingertip
- Simple cleaning: the handle is made of only one piece. Sterilization in the autoclave (up to 120°C) is possible
- No loose parts, the plunger is secured against sliding out
- Suitable for all types of straws and sheaths

# .....QuickLock Classic

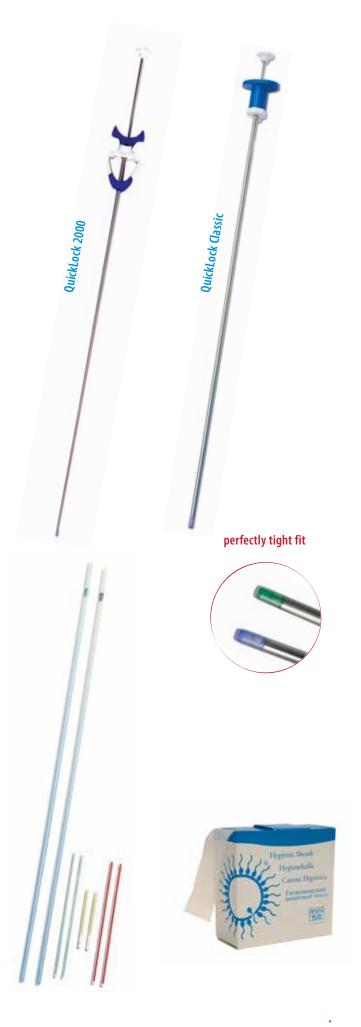
- Small handle with very easy sheath fixation and release
- Universal for all types of straws and sheaths
- All parts made of sterilisable plastic or stainless steel
- No loose parts, plunger can not slide out



# **Universal Sheaths**

- Suitable for all types of semen straws
- Absolutely tight fit with all types of straw
- Gentle insemination due to a soft shape of the tip
- 50/bag, 1000 box
- transparent adapters for better visual control of straw position

QuickLock 2000	REF.	: 17026/0000
QuickLock Classic	REF.	: 17025/0000
Universal sheath split (transparent-green)	REF.	: 17007/0001
Universal sheath non split (transparent-blue)	REF.	: 17007/0000
Hygienic sheats, 100/roll	REF.	: 17028/0100



# **BOVINE ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION**

# **Thawing Unit**

- Electronic temperature control
- Control and temperature indication by LEDs
- · Central, built-in thawing chamber with lift
- Accuracy: ± 0.2°C
- Power supply: 12 V DC (car battery)

MT 35/42: set to +38°C REF. :17043/3542 MT 47/54: set to +50°C REF. :17045/0150

#### Other temperature settings upon demand

#### **Accessories**

 Thermometer for thawing devices
 REF.
 : 17049/0000

 Transformer for 110 - 230 V
 REF.
 : 17165/1395



#### ..... Insemination Kit

Insemination kit complete: heavy duty ABS case, electronic thawing unit MT 35/42, QuickLock, 100 Universal sheaths, MiniLube lubricant, speculum Varikon, 1 box Al gloves, MiniCutter, tweezers and clamp

REF. : 17050/0060

# Components also available individually

Insemination case	REF.	: 17050/0001
<b>Insemination glove</b> , 100/box	REF.	: 17080/0005
Varikon speculum	REF.	: 17064/0380
Straw tweezers, angular shape	REF.	: 17060/0000
<b>MiniLube</b> , 90 ml	REF.	: 17116/7000
MiniCutter	REF.	: 17062/0010
Clamp	REF.	: 17063/0000



Transformer for thawing unit REF. : 17165/1395

Hygienic cover for Varikon REF. : 17064/1600



# **BOVINE ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATON**

#### ..... MiniCutter

#### Your benefits

- Ergonomic shape
- Precise cut of 0.25 and 0.5 ml straws
- Easy to keep clean

MiniCutter for straws REF. : 17062/0010

# ..... Deep I.U. Insemination

- Long, flexible sheath and mandrin for insemination deep inside the uterine horn
- Metal tip of the sheath for easy palpation and exact fit with the straw
- Extra introduction mandrin for penetrating the cervix
- Also suitable for embryo transfer

**DIUI bovine inseminator set**, consisting of flexible A.I. mandrin, stiff introduction mandrin, finger support and fixation rings

REF. : 17015/0000

**DIUI bovine sheath**, split, for 0.25 ml straws,

10/package **REF.** : **17015/0650** 

# ····· QuickLock Heater

battery operated, with charger and carrying strap

#### Your benefits

- Al guns are transported at a constant temperature
- thawed semen will not loose temperature in pre-warmed QuickLock Al gun
- very robust material, easy to clean bag can be washed in a washing machine
- strap allows different ways of carrying the bag
- rechargeable battery, works for approx. 8 hours
- battery charger can be connected in the car (12 V DC) or to the wall socket (220 V AC)
- temperature setting: +35°C, other values optional

QuickLock heater, complete REF. : 17028/0200

# **Accessory**

Disposable plastic bag to protect the inside,

100/bag REF. : 17028/0201



# SUPEROVULATION AND BOVIPRO™ EMBRYO MEDIA

# BoviPRO™ – Media for Bovine Embryo Transfer

- Formulated and manufactured by Minitube of America
- Dedicated clean room manufacturing
- Quality control of every media batch in our own lab with bovine IVP embryos
- Gas-tight packaging for longer shelf life
- Convenient package sizes

# ::::: Recovery Media

#### Media for Bovine Embryo Transfer

A complete formulation containing Zwitterionic buffer solution, BSA or PVA, Kanamycin and Gentamycin.

- Process-Patented purified and enriched BSA
- No additives required
- Gas-tight package prevents oxidation and change in pH
- 3-way port configuration

With BSA, 1 litre	REF.	: 19982/1100
With BSA, 2 litres	REF.	: 19982/1102
With PVA, 1 litre	REF.	: 19982/1106
With PVA, 2 litres	REF.	: 19982/1108

#### BoviPRO™ Filter Rinse

Without protein or surfactant. Contains Zwitterionic buffer with Kanamycin and Gentamycin. Used to rinse embryos from embryo filters.

85 ml	REF.	: 19982/1150
1 litre	REF.	: 19982/1151

# ::::: Holding Medium

A multiple application medium for:

- Holding in vivo or in vitro derived embryos at room temperature in atmospheric air
- Washing and rinsing embryos
- Loading embryos for transfer to recipients

#### BoviPRO™ Holding Medium

Zwitterion-buffered solution containing D-glucose, Napyruvate, 0.4 % BSA, amino acids, growth factors, vitamins, Kanamycin and Gentamycin. 3-Tube pack, 10 ml/tube

REF. : 19982/1250

# PLUSET ®

FSH for superovulation in bovine, for 1 treatment. Each box contains vials of freeze dried product with: 500 IU FSH and 500 IU LH each, and 20 ml diluent q.s.

REF. : 19600/0010





# EMBRYO MEDIA: BOVIPRO™

# ..... Cryopreservation Media

Media for conventional slow-rate freezing of embryos. BoviPRO™ cryopreservation solutions contain a Zwitterion-buffered solution with 0.1 M sucrose, D-glucose, Na-pyruvate, 0.4% BSA, amino acids, growth factors, vitamins and antibiotics (Kanamycin and Gentamycin).

#### BoviPRO™ Ethylene Glycol with Sucrose

For direct transfer after thawing. Includes 1.5 M ethylene glycol. 3-Tube pack, 10 ml/tube

REF. : 19982/1302

#### BoviPRO™ Glycerol with Sucrose

For conventional freezing and rehydration post-thaw. Includes 10% glycerol. 3-Tube pack, 10 ml/tube

REF. : 19982/1303



Media for thawing, rehydration, and warming cryopreserved embryos.

#### BoviPRO™ Embryo Rehydration Kit

Solutions A, B and C each contain a Zwitterion-buffered solution with D-glucose, Na-pyruvate, 0.4% BSA, amino acids, growth factors, vitamins, Kanamycin and Gentamycin.

**A:** 5% Glycerol + 0.5 M sucrose **B:** 2.5% Glycerol + 0.5 M sucrose **C:** 0.0% Glycerol + 0.5 M sucrose

Kit includes 10 ml tube of each REF. : 19982/1404

#### BoviPRO™ Sucrose Solution

3-Tube pack, 10 ml/tube REF. : 19982/1405



# **EMBRYO COLLECTION**

# Flushing Catheters

Silicone Catheters, 650 mm length (26"), 20 - 30 ml inflation cuff, high-volume recovery ports, Luer activated valve. Gamma irradiated, 1/bag

#### 2 way, Luer Lock

CH 12	REF.	: 19982/0100
CH 14	REF.	: 19982/0101
CH 16	REF.	: 19982/0102
CH 18	REF.	: 19982/0103
CH 20	REF.	: 19982/0104

#### 2 way, Foley end

CH 12	REF. : 19982/0110
CH 16	REF. : 19982/0113
CH 18	REF. : 19982/0111
CH 20	REF. : 19982/0112

#### 3 way, Foley end

CH 16	REF.	: 19982/0120
CH 18	REF.	: 19982/0121
CH 20	REF.	: 19982/0122

# **Lampeter stainless steel tip catheter with 8 ports**, Luer activated valve, 1/bag

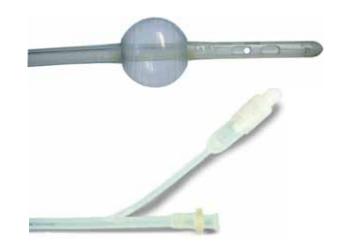
CH 15	REF.	: 19006/0015
CH 18	REF.	: 19006/0017

**Neustadt Aisch/Rüsch catheter with 4 ports**, air pressure control bulb, 2/bag

CH 15	REF.	: 19004/0015
CH 18	REF.	: 19004/0018

**Cervix dilator**, all stainless steel, fully autoclavable. Facilitates introduction of embryo collection catheter

REF. : 19001/1000









# **EMBRYO COLLECTION**

# **......Miniflush™** Filter

The patented Minitube embryo recovery system

#### Your benefits

- Embryo filter and grided search dish in one unit
- Chances of loosing an embryo are greatly reduced as they are recovered directly into the Miniflush™ dish
- Large filter area for high flow rates
- Automatic maintenance of a minimum fluid level of 20 ml in the filter. Embryos are never outside of the medium
- Suitable for closed flushing systems and syringe collection method
- · Vertical filtering surface minimizes the chance of a plugged filter
- Molded from transparent Polystyrene for maximum optical clarity

#### **Product features**

- effective filter size: diameter 73 mm
- mesh size/open area 44 μl/ 33%
- sterilized (gamma irradiated)
- disposable

REF. : 19222/2000

#### **Accessories**

Bag for Miniflush™ filter, insulated REF. : 19010/1100

# Flushing Tubings

Disposable Y-junction tubing with clamps, to be used in combination with any catheter and inline filter. Sterilized (gamma irradiated), 1/bag. Tubing made of very smooth, flexible material. End for filter connection requires no extra adapter

Luer end REF. : 19011/0000

Foley end REF. : 19011/0001





# **EMBRYO EVALUATION**

# Stereo Microscopes

**Zoom stereo microscope**, 20x eye pieces. Total magnification from 13.4x to 90x. Working distance 92 mm approx. With incident and transmitted light source. 110 - 240 V / 50 - 60 Hz

REF. : 12025/0033

**Stereo zoom microscope MSZ 5600**, total magnification from 7x to 45x, eye-pieces 10x, transmitted light source

REF. : 12011/0000



# Temperature Control

**Heated stage** for stereo microscope **REF.** : 12055/0003

**Control unit HT 50** for heated stage REF. : 12055/0050



#### **Bead bath**

Temperature controlled incubator for sample tubes or straws of different sizes (up to 15 mm diameter), with steel balls inside for secure fixation. Temperature range between ambient and  $+55^{\circ}$ C. Requires a control unit HT 50 S, HT 300 or HT 400 W

 Bead bath
 REF.
 : 12055/5000

 Controller HT 50 S
 REF.
 : 12055/0205



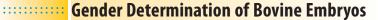
#### **Laboratory Heating Plate**

Heated Area: 470 x 260 mm. Preset temperature (37°C), with integrated control unit and external power supply.

REF. : 12055/0010



# EMBRYO EVALUATION AND GENDER DETERMINATION



**SEX-Y<sup>TM</sup>**, with components to identify 10 bovine embryos by flourescent dye. No need for PCR

# New procedure for sexing bovine embryos

SEX-Y<sup>IM</sup> contains a molecular probe, known as Bov-Y that recognizes a specific site found only on the DNA of the Y chromosome. To identify the embryo's sex, a biopsy is taken from the embryo. This group of cells is then treated with the Bov-Y probe. If the embryo is a male, the Bov-Y probe attaches directly to the DNA of the Y chromosome and produces a fluorescent signal seen as a bright "dot" under a fluorescent microscope. If the embryo is female, there is no Y chromosome present, so there is no attachment of the Bov-Y probe, and no fluorescent signal is observed.

#### Your benefits

- Simple: the procedure is different, and much easier to carry out than other available methods for sexing:
  - six easy steps to get the result
  - · no PCR amplification (incl. electrophorensis)
  - no gel or colour reactions
- Fast: results in less than one hour!
- Convenient: only little laboratory equipment is necessary. All you need is:
  - · a micromanipulation set up for taking the biopsy
  - · a normal or inverted microscope with fluorescent set up
  - 2 incubators (only small stage incubator or heating plate, respectively)
- Reliable: as the probe binds only to male bovine DNA, an exact result is available within a short period of time

SEX-Y™KIT, for 10 bovine embryos REF. :19982/5010

**Inverted microscope Zeiss Axiovert 40 CFL**, with incident light fluorescence module, filters DAPI and CY3, phase contrast objectives PH 10x, PH 40x, HPX120 illumination

REF. : 12040/0040

**Micromanipulation unit**, includes 2 micromanipulators, 1 microinjector and 1 pneumatic injector

REF. : 19386/0000

Consumables for embryo biopsy available



# **EMBRYO HANDLING**

**Micropipettor**: easy and precise pipetting by handling wheel, for all sizes of capillary tubes up to 1 ml

Model A	REF.	: 19022/0000
Model B	REF.	: 19022/0002

**Steripette** for embryo handling, 55 mm individually packed, sterilized, 50/package, for use with 1 ml insulin syringe

REF. : 19025/0055

**Glass pipette for embryo handling**, silicone treated (240°C), 100/package.

REF. : 19026/0100

Adapter for glass pipette, for connecting with Luer syringe, sterilized

REF. : 19026/1100

Adapter for glass pipette, with tubing and mouth piece

REF. : 19026/2100

**Embryo Culture Dish**, with lid, sterilized, 5 wells, rounded well edges, mouse embryo batch tested

REF. : 19021/0001

Petri dish, plastic

diameter 35 mm	REF.	: 19020/0035
diameter 94 mm	REF.	: 19020/0094
diameter 145 mm	REF.	: 19020/0145

Petri dish, plastic, with grid

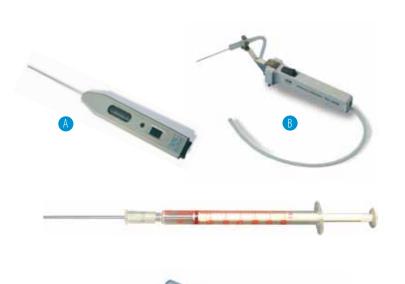
diameter 65 mm	REF.	: 19020/2065
diameter 94 mm	RFF	: 19020/2094

**0.25 ml straw**, clear, gamma irradiated, 10/package, without seal

clear	REF.	: 19042/0010
yellow (direct transfer)	REF.	: 19042/1010

**0.25 ml straw**, clear, gamma irradiated, 10/package, with ID rod seal

0.25 IIII Straw, cical, gaililla liladiatea, 10/package, with 16 foa seal			
white	REF.	: 19040/0010	
beige	REF.	: 19040/0011	
light yellow	REF.	: 19040/0012	
light blue	REF.	: 19040/0013	
red	REF.	: 19040/0014	
pink	REF.	: 19040/0015	
grey	REF.	: 19040/0016	
light green	REF.	: 19040/0018	
dark yellow	REF.	: 19040/0020	











# **EMBRYO HANDLING**

0.25 ml straw, yellow transparent, gamma irradiated,

10/package, with ID rod

 beige
 REF.
 : 19040/0111

 light yellow
 REF.
 : 19040/0112

0.25 ml straw 133 mm, clear, gamma irradiated,

10/package, with sealing ball

REF. : 19041/0010

**0.25 ml straw 90 mm**, clear, sterilized, 10/package

white, with ID rod, many colors available REF. :19040/9010 with sealing ball REF. :19041/9010

ET ID rod, for sealing and identification of 0.25 ml straws,

100/package

white	REF.	: 19046/0010
beige	REF.	: 19046/0015
light yellow	REF.	: 19046/0020
light blue	REF.	: 19046/0025
red	REF.	: 19046/0030
pink	REF.	: 19046/0035
grey	REF.	: 19046/0040
light green	REF.	: 19046/0050
dark yellow	REF.	: 19046/0060

Pen for marking, very fine, alcohol permanent

silver REF. :19045/0000 black REF. :19045/0100

**Manual sealer for straws**, securely seals all kinds of straws by applying heat at the end of the straws. Also seals in liquid nitrogen vapour. Consists of a plier welding head adapted for straws and a control unit for varying heat level.

REF. : 13135/2500

**Ultraseal 21**, manual straw sealer with ultrasonic sealing technology. Suitable for 0.25/0.5 ml and all other straws. User selected sealing times. Sealing without exposing straw content to heat. 115/230 V, 50 - 60 Hz

REF. : 13135/0220



**Straw Label Printer**, prints labels suitable for 0.25/0.5 ml straws and for ID rods. Battery operated and with optional 110/220V connection. Thermo transfer print, resolution 300 dpi, up to 3 line print

REF. : 13138/0000





# EMBRYO AND OOCYTE TRANSPORT

#### Portable Incubators

for a safe transport of embryos and oocytes at a constant temperature

#### Your benefits

- constant temperature distribution due to the use of metal balls in the device
- easy and secure fixation of vials and straws
- absolutely dry and hygienic environment

#### **Product features**

- Freely selectable temperature setting (up to + 55°C)
- Electronic temperature control
- Digital temperature display
- Temperature precision: +/- 0.5°C
- Power supply: 12 V DC (car battery) or rechargeable dry battery

**Portable incubator** for transport of embryos/oocytes with digital temperature display, temperature range 0° C bis 40° Celsius

REF. : 19180/0002

Portable ET incubator

with electronic temperature control REF. : 19180/0000

#### **Accessories**

Rechargeable dry battery, 12 V / 10 Ah,

capacity at +25°C: approx. 56 h.	REF.	: 19180/1210
Charger for battery	REF.	: 19180/1200
Power supply unit for ET transport unit, 230 V	REF.	: 17165/1395
Plastic vial 2 ml with screw cap	REF.	: 19180/5002
Plastic vial 5 ml with screw cap	REF.	: 19180/5006

# Embryo Transport Kit

#### Your benefits

- Heavy duty impact resistant
- Water resistant
- Airline approved due to pressure relief valve that adjusts for rapid altitude changes during flight
- Electrical components isolated in metal enclosure

# **Technical specifications**

- Outer dimensions: 43 x 24 x 34 cm
- · Capacity of battery: 24 h
- Weight of kit: approx. 10 kg

**Carrying case** with dry battery and battery charger

holds temperature for 24 hours during transport. REF. : 19180/2100

Portable ET incubator REF. : 19180/0000







# **EMBRYO FREEZING**

# Freeze Control Embryo Freezer

Freeze Control embryo freezing systems are designed for practitioners. They use liquid nitrogen as the cooling medium, and heat control for regulating temperature. Each system consists of a cyobath, a controller and a carry case. Capacity  $23 \times 0.5$  ml or  $46 \times 0.25$  ml straws.

**With controller CL 2200**, 4 preinstalled programs, 1.5 litre cryobath, external power supply

REF. : 19406/2200

**With controller CL 5500**, 8 preinstalled programs, 1.5 litre cryobath, inbuilt battery power pack

REF. : 19406/5500

**With controller CL 8 800**, 16 preinstalled programms, 3.8 litre cryobath, external power supply

REF. : 19406/8800

External power pack for CL 2200/CL 8800 REF. : 19407/0000







# .....Vitrification Kit and VitSet

**BoviPRO Vit-Kit™**, contains all equipment

for vitrification of embryos REF. : 19982/1405

**VitSet**, Set for vitrifying embryos

or oocytes in straws REF. : 19500/2000





# **EMBRYO TRANSFER**

# Transfit Sheaths and Stylets

**Transfit Lateral**, sheath with metal tip and side opening, to be used with Ministraws, sterilized, 5/package

REF. : 19240/1005

**Transfer stylet** to be used with

Transfit Lateral sheath REF. : 19240/1000

**Transfit Standard**, sheath with round plastic tip, front opening, sterilized, 5/package

REF. : 19240/0005

**QuickLock ET**, to be used with disposable Transfit sheaths, quick and secure fixation

REF. : 19240/0000



# Stainless Steel ET Instrument MT

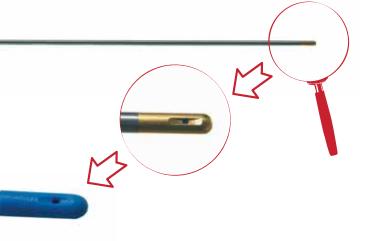
- Sterilizable transfer instrument to be used without sheaths, with removable tip made of gold plated stainless steel, 1 side outlet, ring for marking opening position
- Disposable tip for transfer instrument MT made of plastic, sterilized, individually wrapped, 100/box



 Transfer instrument
 REF.
 : 19250/0000

 Stainless steel tip
 REF.
 : 19250/0989

 Disposable tip
 REF.
 : 19250/0991



# ..... Hygienic Sheaths

- Protection sheath
- Sanisheath rigid hygienic sheath with perforable cap

Protection sheath, 80/roll REF. : 19271/0080
Sanisheath, 25/package REF. : 19270/0025



# DIAGNOSTICS

## eProCheck®

Automated Progesterone Test for Effective Bovine Reproduction Management

#### Your benefits

- Analysis of the progesterone level in milk or blood serum samples proceeds fully automatically
- Automatic analysis and evaluation of samples takes a maximum of 19 minutes (up to 7 samples at a time)
- It is not necessary to supervise the analyzing process
- Stored data can be transferred to a PC and managed with the software eProManager, which is provided with the equipment.

eProCheck® REF. : 21800/0000

#### **Technical details**

- Dimensions 36 x 23 x 27 cm
- Optimal operating temperature +18°C to +25°C
- Power supply 110 V to 220 V
- Weight 12 kg

## **Accessories**

**Testkits** incl. test agents, sampling tubes and disposable pipettes

for 84 milk samples + 12 Standards	REF.	: 21800/0096
for 72 milk samples + 6 Standards	REF.	: 21800/0048
for 72 serum samples + 6 Standards	REF.	: 21800/0196





# ..... Cytology Brush

Disposable set for collecting endmetrical cells for cytology. For use in combination with uterus culture swab.

**Cytology brush**, single packed, sterile **REF.**: 17214/2960



# ::::: Endo Control Sampler

Effective and early detection of endometritis by evaluation of vaginal mucus.

Endo Contol Sampler, single packed, sterile,

single use **REF.** : 17075/0020



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