

Laboratory Chambers



Series of all-purpose physical and chemical environmental cabinets meeting the diverse needs of laboratories and research facilities.

The Laboratory chambers incorporate a number of sophisticated technologies including electronics, thermodynamics, process control, and ergonomics; technologies developed for meteorological environmental testing chambers. The instrumentation supports both programmed and constant operation, and several chambers include a refrigeration unit, using HFC refrigerant which is safe for the ozone layer. All these features provide high-performance and reliable operation.

LH·LHL·LHU



LU





LC



LCV



Instrumentation (LHU - 113)

Temperature and humidity indicator-controller (for LHU-113)	
Model	ES-102
Operating mode	Program operation, constant operation
Display	7 segment LED display
Setting	Mechanical key input
Program memory capacity	9 steps per pattern (Repetition: 1 to 99 times)
Setting and indication ranges	Temperature: - 25 to +90 (- 13 to + 194° F) Humidity: 0 to 100%rh Time: 0 to 99hrs 59min. 100 to 999hrs.
Setting and indication resolution	Temperature: 0.1 (0.18° F) Humidity: 1%rh Time: 1minute(1hrs. for 100hrs. or more)
Indication accuracy	Temperature: ± 0.5 (typ. $\chi \pm 0.9^{\circ} F$) Humidity: $\pm 2\%rh$ (typ.) Time: within 30 seconds per month
Input	Thermocouple type T (Copper / Copper-Nickel)
Control	PID control
Communications (Options)	E-BUS, GP-IB, RS-232C, RS-485
Auxiliary functions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Input burn-out detection function • Upper and lower temperature & humidity limit alarm function • Self-diagnostic function (watchdog timer) • Alarm indication function • Power cut protection function • Timer function (automatic start/ stop) • Refrigerator capacity automatic control and others

*Specifications differ according to the models. .
For further information, please contact us.

● PID control temperature (& humidity) controller

The PID controlled electronic temperature (& humidity) controller provides highly accurate and automatic control of all operations once the desired temperature (& humidity) is set.

● Program operation

Constant or program operation can be selected for all installed instrumentation. Program operation can run up to 9 steps per pattern, set the timer for auto-start and auto-stop, and specify ramp setting for each step. (Except LC) For example, the timer activates when the chamber reaches the set temperature and stops automatically when the set time has elapsed. Reliable performance for testing, drying, sterilizing, and other types of treatments are assured. Also equipped with a display to show the remaining time.

● Upper temperature limit deviation warning

When the temperature is set, the warning function is automatically set to activate at + 10 (adjustable*) of the preset temperature.

*Only LC must be fixed with + 10 .

● Complete safety features

In addition to a ground leakage breaker which also protects against overcurrent, some models feature an overheat protector or thermal fuse as a secondary safety device providing added protection.

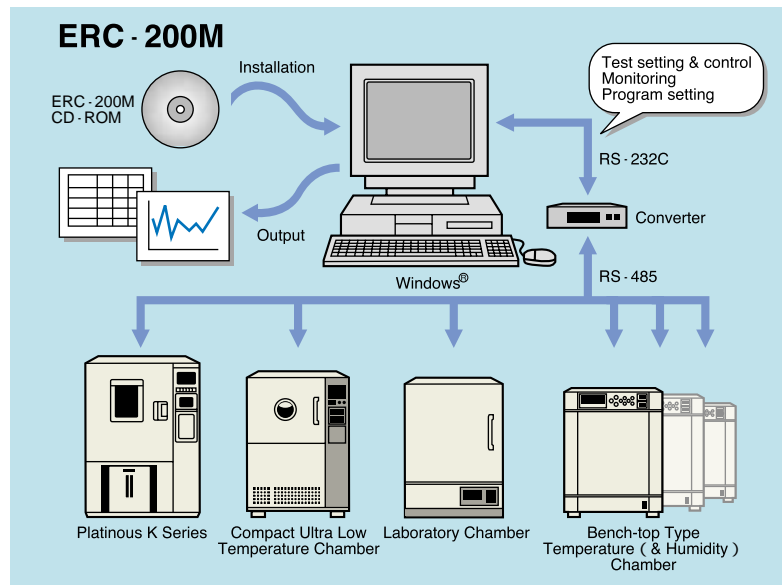
Environmental Testing Centralized Control Software ERC-100M/200M/300M (sold separately)

The application software makes it easy to monitor operation, central control, and remote control of up to 16 ESPEC test chambers. (monitoring only for 300M)

*Applicable for Laboratory Chambers manufactured in 1999 or after. (LC is not supported.)

Chambers must be equipped with a communication port (optional) which corresponds with each software.

*Software: English/ Chinese (in simplified Chinese characters)/ Japanese. (English/ Japanese only for 300M)



E . PILOT (ERC-100S)

The high-level of functions offered by ERC-200M is included in a non-networked package, meant for a single chamber to be interfaced with your personal computer. The RS-232C communications port option is required, but the software is free.

For one-to-one users

If you are not ready to establish a network of test chambers, this software would be an ideal trial of the capabilities of our ERC-200M package.

Freeware

ERC-100S can be downloaded from our website for free at www.espec.co.jp/english.

E . PILOT (ERC-200M)

Control, monitoring, programming, and datalogging for up to 16 ESPEC chambers can be performed through a single PC. RS-485 from ESPEC chambers connect via a serial bus converter to RS-232C on the PC.

Remote operation

Have full control of test chambers while sitting in your office.

Potential savings

Because the ERC-200M allows program operations to be run directly from the PC, test chambers with less-expensive single-setting controllers can be used.

E-BUS version available

For existing units with E-BUS system, ERC-100M is available.

E . PILOT (ERC-300M)

Set up an Intranet Web-PILOT site to allow monitoring of up to 16 chambers through one PC (possible with E-BUS communications system). Monitor the settings and operation of your chambers from any PC on the Intranet. Web-based method allows display of chamber information across many computer platform types.

E . PILOT (LabVIEW)

Provides an interlocking system of testing and measuring devices that allows customers currently using LabVIEW to link to ESPEC chambers, opening new horizons for environmental testing. Optional E-BUS or GPIB (IEEE-488) communications interface is required.

Driver software to connect test chambers are provided for free

LabVIEW drivers are available to give the basic building blocks for addressing ESPEC equipment. Drivers required for connecting ESPEC products to a personal computer is provided for free. For further information, please contact your nearby ESPEC sales office.

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This is a fully customizable system that provides centralized control, centralized monitoring, remote operation and specimen data management of ESPEC products (up to 32 units of which 16 are dedicated to centralized monitoring) by the use of a PC. (E-BUS compatible)

* Please contact us for further information.

* The series of application softwares and network systems are provided on a separate basis from the chamber.

VARIETY OF CHAMBERS

Chamber	Model	Temperature range(Δ °F]	Humidity range (%rh)	Capacity(L)	
Temperature(humidity)cabinet	Low Temperature Cabinet	LU	- 20 to + 85 [- 4 to + 185]	105	
	Temperature & Humidity Cabinet	LH	(Ambient+ 10)to + 85 [(Ambient+ 50)to + 185]	45 to 95 105	
		LHL	+ 5 to + 85 [+ 41 to + 185]	40 to 95	
Low Temperature & Humidity Cabinet	LHU	- 20 to + 85 [- 4 to + 185]	40 to 95	105	
Oven	Convection Oven	LC	124	(Ambient+ 20)to + 200 [(Ambient+ 68)to + 392]	165
		LC	114		90
		LC	224	(Ambient+ 20)to + 250 [(Ambient+ 68)to + 482]	165
		LC	234		360
	Vacuum Oven	LCV	233	(Ambient+ 20)to + 200 [(Ambient+ 68)to + 392]	90
		LCV	243		165



Do not use specimens which are explosive or inflammable, or which contain such substances. To do so could be hazardous, as this may lead to fire or explosion.

Do not place corrosive materials in the chamber. If corrosive substances or humidifying water is used, the life of the unit may be significantly shortened.

Do not place life forms or substances that exceed allowable heat generation.



Be sure to read the instruction manual before operation.

Some photographs listed in this catalog contain Japanese display.

Refrigeration unit achieves temperatures down to - 20 .

This bench-top low-temperature chamber incorporating an aircooled refrigerator supports a wide temperature range extending from - 20 to + 85 . It utilizes the BTC system, an ideal temperature control system for maintaining a precise, stable temperature environment, and the efficient refrigeration system, with ozone-friendly refrigerants , and superb insulation.

Safety devices

- Leakage breaker for power supply
- Thermal fuse
- Upper and lower temperature limit alarms
- Watchdog timer
- Burn-out detection circuit
- Refrigerator automatic delay circuit
- Overheat protector
- Air circulator temperature switch
- Refrigerator overload relay

Accessories

- Shelf (Stainless steel wire) ————— 2
- Shelf bracket
(18-8 Cr-Ni stainless steel) ————— 2 sets
- Socket adapter
(AC100V / 115V spec. only) ————— 1
- Instruction manual ————— 1 set

Options

- Specimen power supply control terminal
- Communication function
(RS-485, E-BUS, GPIB, RS-232C)
- Communication cable RS-485 5, 10m
E-BUS 5, 10m
GPIB 2, 4m
RS-232C 1.5, 3, 5m

- Thermocouple
- Cable port
- Rubber plug for cable port
- Shelf / Shelf bracket
- Inner door
- Caster
- Chamber stand
- Special spare parts



Model	LU-113	
System	Balanced temperature control system (BTC system)	
Power supply/ Maximum current	AC100V 1 50/60Hz· 9A, AC115V 1 60Hz· 8A, AC220V 1 50/60Hz· 4.1A, AC230V 1 50/60Hz· 3.9A	
Operating temp.	0 ~ + 40 (+ 32 ~ + 104° F)	
Performance*1	Temp control range	- 20 ~ + 85 (- 4 ~ + 185° F)
	Temp fluctuation	± 0.5 (± 0.9° F)
	Temp uniformity	± 2.0 (± 3.6° F)
Construction	External material	Painted steel (melamine coating)
	Internal material	18-8 Cr-Ni stainless steel plate (2B polish)
Air circulator	Propeller fan	
Heater	Sheathed heater with fin	
Refrigerator	Air-cooled hermetically sealed compressor (HFC134a)	
Fittings	Drain port filter, cable port (25mm), power cord	
Capacity	105L	
Inside dimensions*2	500W × 600H × 390Dmm (19.7W × 23.6H × 15.4Din)	
Outside dimensions*2	650W × 1090H × 805Dmm (25.6W × 42.9H × 31.7Din)	
Weight	90kg	

*1 Figures for an ambient temperature of + 23 with no specimen in the chamber.

The performance is according to JTM K 01-1998 of Japan Testing Machinery Association.

*2 Excluding protrusions.

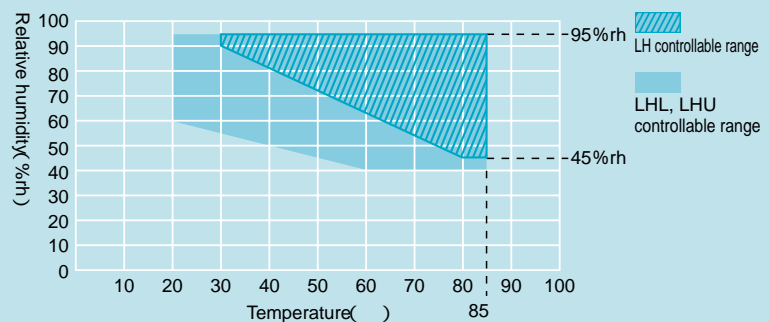
BTHC system ensures a stable internal environment.

This bench-top temperature and humidity cabinet is ideal for laboratories and research facilities. It has a wide temperature and humidity control range and its superior temperature and humidity uniformity performance create a precise internal environment. It also uses refrigerants that cause no damage to the ozone layer (LHL/ LHU).



Controllable temperature and humidity ranges

(Ambient temperature of +23)



[NOTE] The LH-113 is not equipped with a dehumidifying refrigerator. Therefore, the low humidity range of the controllable temperature and humidity ranges shown here will vary depending on the installation conditions and environment (such as ventilation, fluctuations in ambient temperature, and other factors).

Low Temperature & Humidity Cabinet

Model	LH-113	LHL-113	LHU-113	
System	Balanced temperature & humidity control system (BTHC system)			
Power supply/ Maximum current	AC100V 1 50/60Hz•15A, AC115V 1 60Hz•13A, AC220V 1 50/60Hz•7A, AC230V 1 50/60Hz•6.5A			
Operating temp.	0 ~ +40 (+32 ~ +104°F)			
Performance*1	Temp & humid control range	(Ambient + 10) ~ +85 (185°F)/ 45 ~ 95%rh	+5 ~ +85 (+41 ~ +185°F)/ 40 ~ 95%rh	-20 ~ +85 (-4 ~ +185°F)/ 40 ~ 95%rh
	Temp & humid fluctuation	±0.5 (±0.9°F)/ ±3%rh		
	Temp & humid uniformity	±2.0 (±3.6°F)/ ±6%rh		
Construction	External material	Painted steel (melamine coating)		
	Internal material	18-8 Cr-Ni stainless steel plate (2B polish)		
Air circulator	Propeller fan			
Heater	Sheathed heater with fin			
Humidifier	Sheathed heater			
Refrigerator	_____	Air-cooled hermetically sealed compressor (HFC134a)		
Fittings	Drain port filter, cable port (25mm), power cord			
Capacity	105L			
Inside dimensions*2	500W × 600H × 390Dmm (19.7W × 23.6H × 15.4Din)			
Outside dimensions*2	650W × 1090H × 805Dmm (25.6W × 42.9H × 31.7Din)			
Weight	85kg	95kg	100kg	

*1 Figures for an ambient temperature of +23 with no specimen in the chamber.

The performance is according to JTM K 01-1998 of Japan Testing Machinery Association.

*2 Excluding protrusions.

Safety devices

Leakage breaker for power supply
Boil dry protector
Thermal fuse
Refrigerator overload relay (except LH)
Upper and lower temperature & humidity limit alarms
Burn-out detection circuit
Watchdog timer
Air circulator temperature switch
Refrigerator automatic delay circuit (except LH)
Overheat protector
Float switch for protecting electromagnetic pump

Accessories

Shelf (Stainless steel wire) _____ 2
Shelf bracket
(18-8 Cr-Ni stainless steel) _____ 2 sets
Water supply and drain hose
(Hose with quick coupling 8mm) _____ 1
Wet-bulb wick (24pcs) _____ 1 box
Brush (for cleaning humidifying tray) _____ 1
Socket adapter
(AC100V•115V spec. only) _____ 1
Instruction manual _____ 1 set

Options

Specimen power supply control terminal
Communication function
(RS-485, E-BUS, GPIB, RS-232C)
Communication cable RS-485 5, 10m
E-BUS 5, 10m
GPIB 2, 4m
RS-232C 1.5, 3, 5m
Thermocouple
Inner door
Shelf / Shelf bracket
Chamber stand
Caster
Cable port
Rubber plug for cable port
Portable water supply tank
Wet-bulb wick
Special spare parts

Excellent temperature uniformity performance with easy operation.



This hot-air oven uses a sirocco fan to evenly distribute hot air within the chamber. The ease of temperature setting and use of an upper temperature limit deviation warning make this device both safe and user-friendly.

Safety devices

- Leakage breaker for power supply
- Circuit breaker for SSR overload shortcircuit protection
- Thermal fuse
- Upper temperature limit alarms
- Watchdog timer
- Burn-out detection circuit
- Overheat protector
- Air circulator temperature switch

Accessories

- Shelf (Stainless steel wire)
 - LC-114 _____ 2
 - LC-124 / 224 / 234 _____ 3
- Shelf bracket (18-8 Cr-Ni stainless steel)
 - LC-114 _____ 2 sets
 - LC-124 / 224 / 234 _____ 3 sets
- Socket adapter _____ 1(except LC-223 / 234)
- Instruction manual _____ 1set

Options

- Cable port _____ Rubber plug for cable port
- Shelf / Shelf bracket _____ Caster
- Chamber stand _____ Special spare parts (LC-114 only)

Model	LC-114	LC-124	LC-224	LC-234
System	Hot air circulation			
Power supply*1	AC100V 1	50/60Hz	AC200V 1	50/60Hz
Maximum current	11A	14A	10.5A	
Operating temp.	+ 5 ~ + 35 (+ 41 ~ + 95° F)			
Performance*2	Temperature range	(Ambient + 20) ~ +250 (+ 482° F)	(Ambient + 20) ~ +200 (+ 392° F)	(Ambient + 20) ~ + 250 (+ 482° F)
	Temperature fluctuation	± 1.0 (± 1.8° F)		
Performance*2	Temperature uniformity	± 2.0 (at + 100)	± 2.0 (at + 100)	± 2.0 (at + 100)
		[± 3.6° F (at ± 212° F)	[± 3.6° F (at ± 212° F)	[± 3.6° F (at ± 212° F)
		± 4.0 (at + 200)	[± 3.6° F (at ± 212° F)	± 4.0 (at + 200)
		[± 7.2° F (at ± 392° F)	± 4.0 (at + 200)	[± 7.2° F (at ± 392° F)
Performance*2	Temperature uniformity	± 6.0 (at + 250)	[± 7.2° F (at ± 392° F)	± 6.0 (at + 250)
		[± 10.8° F (at ± 482° F)	[± 7.2° F (at ± 392° F)	± 6.0 (at + 250)
		[± 10.8° F (at ± 482° F)	[± 7.2° F (at ± 392° F)	± 6.0 (at + 250)
		[± 10.8° F (at ± 482° F)	[± 7.2° F (at ± 392° F)	[± 10.8° F (at ± 482° F)
Construction	External material	Painted steel (Urethane resin electrostatic coating)		
	Internal material	18-8 Cr-Ni stainless steel plate (2B polish)		
Heater	Sheathed heater			
	1000W	1300W	2000W	
Air circulator	Direct coupled motor, Sirocco fan			
Fittings	Viewing window	Reinforced glass (W200 × H350mm) × 3		_____
	Cable port	25mm, left side × 1		50mm, left side × 1
	Power cord	With 3P plug		
Capacity	90L	165L		360L
Inside dimensions*3	450W × 450H × 450Dmm (17.7W × 17.7H × 17.7Din)	450W × 820H × 450Dmm (17.7W × 32.3H × 17.7Din)		600W × 1000H × 600Dmm (24W × 40H × 24Din)
Outside dimensions*3	600W × 875H × 590Dmm (23.6W × 34.4H × 23.6Din)	600W × 1250H × 590Dmm (23.6W × 49.2H × 23.6Din)		750W × 1430H × 740Dmm (30W × 57.2H × 29.6Din)
Weight	60kg	82kg		100kg

*1 Voltage fluctuation: ± 10% of the rated voltage.

*2 Figures for an ambient temperature of + 23 with no specimen in the chamber.

The performance is according to JTM K 05-2000 of Japan Testing Machinery Association.

*3 Excluding protrusions.

A separate type transformer for voltage modification is available upon request.

TEMPERATURE PROGRAM INDICATOR CONTROLLER

Operation mode	Program operation, Constant operation
Program capacity	1 pattern/ Max.6 steps*
Setting and indication ranges	Temp. : 0 ~ + 260 (LC-114, 224, 234) 0 ~ + 210 (LC-124) Time : 0 to 999.9 hours
Setting and indication resolution	Temp. : 1 Time : 0.1hour
Input	Thermocouple type K (Copper/ Copper-Nicke)
Control	PID control
Auxiliary functions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Input burn-out detection function • Upper temperature limit alarm function • Self - diagnostic function (Watchdog timer) • Alarm indication function • Power failure protection function • Timer function (automatic start/ stop)

*Available by setting patterns 1, 2, and 3 (2 steps each) consecutively.

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