COMPRESSOR UNIT

Instruction Manual

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Export Control Policy

Vacuum pumps that pump nitrogen gas at pumping speed of 15000L/S or more fall under row 2(35) of appended table 1 of Japan's Export Trade Control Order, which is based on international export control regimes. Also, when applying a refrigerator system to a cryocooler for optical sensors, the cryocooler falls under row 10(2) of appended table 1 of Japan's Export Trade Control Order as well.

Customers must follow all related rules and regulations such as Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act and take appropriate procedures when exporting or re-exporting those products.

Introduction

Thank you for choosing our products. This instruction manual gives information and precautions on handling, installation, operation, and maintenance of the product.

This product is intended for use by qualified personnel who recognize shock hazards and are familiar with the safety precautions required to avoid possible injury. To ensure proper use of this product, read this instruction manual carefully and keep this manual close at hand so that you can use for reference during operation.

If you purchased our other products and/or optional devices with this product, read relevant instruction manuals carefully.

1. About the personnel who are involved in handling our products

All personnel involved in handling our products should take a general safety education and training that is officially accepted in the country where our product is used. The personnel are also required to have specialized knowledge/skills and qualification on the electricity, the machinery, the cargo handling, and the vacuum. Especially, the personnel should be familiar with handling a cryopump in order to use it safely. Since we offer a training session (which is subject to fees) as needed for people who use cryopumps for the first time, please do not hesitate to contact our Service Engineering Division to join the training session.

2. Warranty

2.1 Gratis warranty period and Warranty coverage

[Gratis warranty period]

Note that an installation period of less than one year after installation in your company or your customer's premises or a period of less than 18 months (counted from the date of production) after shipment from our company, which is shorter, is selected.

[Coverage]

(1) Failure diagnosis

As a general rule, diagnosis of failure should be done on site by customer. However, ULVAC CRYOGENICS or our service network can perform this service for an agreed fee upon the customer's request. There will be no charge if the cause of the breakdown is found to be a fault of ULVAC CRYOGENICS.

(2) Damage during transportation

When damage by delivery/transportation is admitted, the product will be repaired free of charge within the range of the guarantee expressed in the sales contract.

(3) Breakdown repairs

There will be a charge for breakdown repairs, replacements and on-site visits for the following seven conditions. In those cases the cost shall be your own expense even though the product is within the warranty period.

- ① Breakdowns due to improper storage or handling, careless accident, software or hardware design by the customer.
- ② Breakdowns due to modifications of the product without consent of the manufacturer.
- ③ Breakdowns due to maintenance of the product without authentic parts or breakdowns resulting from using the product outside the specified specifications of the product.
- (4) Breakdowns due to contamination or corrosion caused by user's use conditions.
- (5) Breakdowns due to natural disasters (such as fire, earthquake, flood, lightning, salt damage, and so on), environmental pollution, irregular voltage, and /or usage of undesignated power source.
- 6 Breakdowns that are outside the terms of warranty.
- \bigcirc Consumables and/or replacement service.

Since the above services are limited to within Japan, diagnosis of failures, etc are not performed abroad. If you desire the after service abroad, please contact ULVAC CRYOGENICS and consult us for details in advance.

2.2 Exclusion of opportunity loss from warranty liability

Regardless of the gratis warranty term, compensation to opportunity losses incurred to your company or your customers by failures of ULVAC CRYOGENICS products and compensation for damages to products other than ULVAC CRYOGENICS products and other services are not covered under warranty.



2.3 Repair period after production is discontinued

ULVAC CRYOGENICS shall accept product repairs for seven years after production of the product is discontinued.

3. Service Form

After the products are delivered, please fill out the following information in the blanks. If you have any questions or technical problems, please feel free to contact the nearest Customer Support Center or headquarters. Please refer to "Service Network".

Cryopump∕Super trap Model	:
Cryopump∕Super trap Serial No.	:
Refrigerator Model	:
Refrigerator Serial No.	:
Compressor Model	:
Compressor Serial No.	:
Temperature controller/Thermal display Model	:
$Temperature \ controller \ \ \ Thermal \ display \ Serial \ No.$:
Option Part Model	:
Optional Part Serial No.	:

4. Notes for repair and maintenance requests

We may decline your request for the repair or the maintenance of our products if you refuse to give us information about the presence of the hazardous substance and/or contaminant.

Also, please be aware that we do not accept liability for damages by the contaminant, which might be caused during transportation to our office or the nearest customer support center. To avoid such accident, please pay careful attention to packing of the product

5. In case of breakdown and accident

When breakdown or accident occurs, we may ask for keeping the product on site as it is or retrieving the product to investigate its cause. Also we may ask for reporting the detailed process and/or the operating condition. When unidentified malfunction was generated, please contact our Service Engineering Division or the nearest customer support center with reference to the chapter of Service Network. We ask for cooperation about the above.

6. General Precautions

- It is strictly prohibited to duplicate, open, and transfer this instruction manual or any of its parts to a third person without written permission from ULVAC CRYOGENICS.
- (2) Information in this document might be revised without a previous notice for the specification change and the improvement of the product.
- (3) If you have any questions or comments on this document, please do not hesitate to contact us. The phone numbers of local customer support centers are listed at the end of this manual.



Safety Considerations

Our products have been designed to provide extremely safe and dependable operation when properly used. Following safety precautions must be observed during normal operation and when servicing them.



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Compressor Unit Safety Instructions

Read this manual and follow these safety guidelines before installing, operating, or servicing the compressor unit.

1. Do not Charge Compressor with Excessive Helium

Our Cryo-U[®] cryopump and Super trap refrigerator systems make a refrigeration cycle by circulating high pressure helium gas. Filling helium gas more than the defined amount does not improve refrigeration capacity appreciably. Instead, if excessive helium gas is filled and pressure becomes higher than the defined value, gas will release from the safety valve and its sheet may become clogged with dirt. This may even cause a leak as well as overloading of the compressor motor.

Never charge helium gas more than specified in Table 1-1.

2. Adding helium gas and charging equipments

When charging helium gas or performing helium line decontamination, refer to the "Maintenance" section and follow the instruction.

The equipments (regulators, charging hoses, adopters, etc.) that can be used at the pressure of 2.0MPaG or higher are required to perform the above work.

3. Do not switch between ON and OFF frequently

Do not switch between ON and OFF frequently.

The number of startup and shutdown of the compressor motor must be less than 6 times per hour and ON or OFF condition should be maintained for at least 3 minutes. Starting up and shutting down too frequently reduces the insulation life of compressor motor and may result in failure. When operating multiple refrigerators, the number of startup and shutdown of the refrigerator motors must be also 6 times or less per hour.

Do not use startup and shutdown to control the temperature of the Super Trap.

Please contact us when it is required to control the Super Trap temperature.

4. Disposal of used adsorber

Ensure to discharge helium gas and remove either side of the self-sealing couplings from the used adsorber before disposing.

When the refrigerator system is not in operation, helium gas pressure inside the adsorber is as high as the charge pressure of the compressor. Disposing the adsorber with helium gas inside may cause accidents. For example, if the adsorber was thrown in a burner reactor without discharging helium gas by mistake, the inside pressure of the adsorber rises as the inside temperature rises and may result in explosion. If the adsorber was pressed with helium gas remaining inside, it may also cause explosion. Refer to "Disposal Consideration" for more information.

Use appropriate charging adaptor to remove helium gas safely.

☆We collect used adsorbers. If there is any used absorber, please contact a person in your local dealership or Ulvac Techno Ltd. to have it picked up or send it directory to our Service Engineering Division. We only accept CTI adsorbers and our adsorbers.

5. Electrical wiring connections

- Power supply voltage must be kept within the allowable range(refer to "Section 1 Table1-1 Compressor Unit Standard Specifications". Applying more than the allowed voltage may damage the equipment.
- Install a ground-fault circuit interrupter(rated current: 20A, rated tripping leakage current: 30mA 3ϕ , rated voltage: 200V).
- Grounding conductor (earth wire) must be connected. (D class grounding (with the ground resistance of 100Ω)).
- Connect the refrigerator cable and remote cables (signal lines) to the compressor before connecting the compressor to the power supply. These wiring connections must not be done when the compressor is powered on. It could lead to a serious accident such as electric shock and/or damage to the equipment.
- Follow recommended sizes for wires and cables.
- The distance between power line and signal line must be larger than 100mm.

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6. Cooling water

If there is a water leak, there is a danger of electric shock. Ensure there is no water leak from the cooling water piping. If the water pressure is too high, a leak may occur in the cooling water line inside the compressor unit. Adjust and control the cooling water supply pressure to maintain an allowable upper limit indicated in "Section 3 Figure 3-2 Cooling Water Requirement"

If water stain or some products accumulate in the water line inside the heat exchanger, heat exchange effectiveness will be significantly reduced and helium gas temperature will rise, this may shut down the compressor unit.

We employ the cooling water quality management standard of the Japan Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Industry Association as a standard value of water quality for compressor units. Please refer to "Section 3 Table 3-1 Recommended Cooling Water for Compressor".

7. Ambient conditions of the compressor unit

The upper limit of the compressor operating ambient temperature is 38 °C. Do not use the compressor in unsuitable environments such as dusty, highly humid environments and/or places that are affected by strong electromagnetic waves. Keep electric terminals free from dust to avoid electrical leakage and/or a short circuit.

8. Maintenance precautions



- 1. Installation and maintenance of the product must be done by personnel in charge of the equipment or servicing who are familiar with the product structure and risk associated with the operation of the compressor.
- 2. Input power supply must be disconnected before opening the cover of the compressor to avoid the risk of electrical shock.

Also, parts inside the compressor unit are still hot immediately after shutdown. Wait at least 15 minutes to open the cover to avoid the risk of burn injury.

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Disposal Considerations

Disposal of our products must be done in accordance with applicable national and local laws and regulations.



We provide Safety Data Sheet (called SDS) of our products upon your request. Please contact us if necessary.

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1. COMPRESSOR UNIT DESCRIPTION

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1.1 General

The compressor unit supplies and circulates helium continuously in the cryopump system for operation of the refrigerator unit (coldhead).

The C15T compressor unit consists of: 1) compressor motor, 2) cooling system, 3) oil separation system and 4) adsorber.

See Table 1-1 for the standard compressor specifications.

1.2 Specifications

Compressor Unit Standard Specifications

♦ Model : C15T

Table 1-1

Power Source	Voltage x Phase x Frequency	190 - 220VAC x 3Ф x 50Hz 200 - 230VAC x 3Ф x 60Hz	
	Power (in normal operation) (*1)	3.3kW / 4.1kW(50Hz/60Hz)	
Cooling Type		Water cooled	
Cooling	Water Requirement	Temperature : 5 - 32°C	
(See Fig.3-2)		Flow Rate : 2 - 6L/min	
		Pressure Drop: 0.04 - 0.17MPa	
Ambient	Temperature	10 - 38°C	
Compressor Winding Resistance		1.63 Ω	
Adsorber Replacement Cycle		30,000 hours	
Current ((normal operation)	13A (200V, 60Hz)	
Weight		100kg	
Cooling	Water Inlet/Outlet	Rc3/8 female	
Helium Gas SUPPLY/RETURN		1/2B self-sealing coupling	
Connector			

(*1) The power consumption shows the figure when flexible hose of 3m is used and helium charge pressure is 1.60MPaG. The power consumption is higher by 10% for 5 minutes from the startup.



◆Helium Gas Pressure: (Room temperature : 20°C)

Charge Pressure(*1)	1.60±0.04 MPaG	
Operating Pressure (*2)	17 10 MDcC	
SUPPLY side	1.7 – 1.9 MFaG	

(*1) The charge pressure may slightly vary depending on the length of flexible hose. Refer to Chapter 3.4 and adjust the pressure based on the flexible hose length.

(*2) The figure shows the pressure at normal cooling down operation. The pressure may slightly differ than the table above immediately after the startup. The pressure is 1.7MPaG for 30 seconds from the startup as bypass operation takes place inside the compressor unit.

◆Applicable Model of Cryopump

CRYO-U10H, U10HL, U10PU, U10PU-S, U10HSP
CRYO-U12H, U12HSP, U12HL (*3)

(*3) For 12-inch models of cryopump, the C15T compressor unit can be used only when the load is light.

Connector Specifications

CONNECTOR	MANUFACTURER	TYPE
INPUT POWER	NANABOSHI	NCS-304-P
COLD HEAD POWER		
CABLE	NANABOSHI	NJC-204-PM
METAL CONNECTOR		
(For external signal, remote	JAE	SRCN6A25-16P
response)		



♦Dimensions



[FRONT]









Dimensions









CONTROLLER (REAR)



CONTROLLER (SIDE)



*Remove the control panel on the rear to operate switches on the side of the controller.

Figure 1-3 Major Components (Controller)



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2. INSPECTION

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2.1 Shipping List

Inspect the compressor for visible sign of damage. Also, refer to the shipping list enclosed in the carton and check that the items on the list are present. Depending on your specification, the optional part(s) in Table 2-2 is attached.

Table 2-1Shipping List

Item	Quantity
Compressor Unit	1
Instruction Manual (This book)	1
Fuse(250V,1A)	1
Metal Connector (External signal, Remote)	1

Item	Quantity
Input Power Cable (5.5mm ² x 4cores x 3m or customized length)	1
Coldhead power cable	1
(0.5mm ² x 4cores x 3m or customized length)	
Flexible Hose (3m or customized length)	2
Lipped Bowl Spanner (for attaching flexible hoses)	2
Gasket for Helium Coupling(Spare)	4

Table2-2Optional Parts

2.2 Inspect Compressor Unit

Check helium charge pressure on the pressure gauge on the front panel. When charging helium is required, refer to chapter 6.3 for the procedure.

If the pressure drops even after charging helium, please contact us.



2.3 Inspect Flexible Hoses



- Do not bend flexible hoses in a way that damages them, or with the bend radius smaller than 250mm. Failure to observe this precaution may result in damage to the flexible hose.
- Prevent twisting at the connection.
- Refer to Appendix C for more information on handling of the flexible hoses.

Inspect the exterior of the flexible hose for twists or tear.

When the flexible hoses are stored or not being used, put dust caps and plugs on as they were shipped.

2.4 Inspect Cables

Inspect the cables for damage.

If you find any missing parts or damages of the product, please contact us.



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3.1 Installation

- 1. Place the compressor unit on a level floor within 5°.
- 2. The compressor unit must be operated in proper room temperature (10°C 38°C). Avoid dust and moist.
- 3. Leave the spaces as shown in Figure 3-1 for easier maintenance processes including;
 - Pressure gauge inspection.
 - Gas charge valve operation.
 - Adsorber replacement.



Figure 3-1 Maintenance Space(Unit: mm)



3.2 Connecting Cooling Water Piping

Install the cooling water piping as follows:

- 1. Cooling water inlet/outlet connector: Rc3/8 female.
- 2. Water pipes should be made of materials with pressure resistance of larger than 1.5 times of the cooling water inlet such as plastic or copper.
- It is recommended that a filter is installed in the water line between the cooling water main valve and the compressor unit to prevent water scales. It is also recommended to install a flow meter (approx.0 - 15L/min.) between the filter and the compressor unit to check the flow rate.
- 4. Ensure to connect inlet/outlet to the right place. Do not connect them the wrong way around.



Check water connections for leaks.

3.3 Cooling Water

1. Determine the cooling water flow rate within the allowable range as shown in Fig. 3-2. Always use the proper cooling water that meets the requirement. Keep the cooling water supply pressure less than 0.7MPaG.



- If the temperature of cooling water is below 5°C, it can cause overloading or a difficulty in starting the compressor.
- If the temperature of cooling water is higher than 32°C, the thermal switch will be activated due to the overheat and turn off the compressor.
- · Excessive flow rate reduces the life of heat exchanger.

2. For the standard quality of cooling water, we refer to the water quality control standard set by The Japan Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Industry Association.



- Usage of poor quality water causes performance degradation of heat exchanger.
- If the water quality does not satisfy the requirement, it shortens the lifetime of the heat exchanger.



Item	Unit	Allowable Range			
pH (25°C) ^{※1}	рН	6.5 - 8.0			
Conductivity (25°C) ^{×1}	mS/m	< 30			
Chloride Ion, CI- ^{**1}	mg / L	< 50			
Sulfate Ion, SO4 ^{2-※1}	mg SO ₄ 2- / L	< 50			
Acid Consumption (pH4.8) ^{**1}	mgCaCO₃ / L	< 50			
Total Hardness ^{*1}	mgCaCO₃ / L	< 50			
Total Carbonic Acid ^{*1}	mg/ L	< 10			
Calcium Carbonate	mg/ L	< 75			
%1 The values of the items are based on the water quality management standards of					

 Table 3-1
 Recommended Cooling Water for Compressor

X1 The values of the items are based on the water quality management standards Japan Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Industry Association.

- (*) The ground water may contain large amount of total carbonic acid and lower the pH value. If the ground water flows in one-way, corrosion of heat exchanger may occur in a short-term. It is recommended to use cooling water with total carbonic acid density of lower than 10mg/L. Since the dissolved ratio of total carbonic acid depends on the temperature and the pressure, analyze the ground water immediately before exposing to the atmosphere. Check the water supply whether it is from ground water or not before use. It is highly recommended to use cooling tower to circulate the water containing a large amount of carbonic acid.
- Stop supplying cooling water when the compressor is not running. If normal water supply is done while the device is suspended, it may result in clog or corrosion of pipe and heat exchanger.



Stop cooling water flow when the water temperature is below 10°C. If cooling water of below 10°C keeps flowing while the compressor is not in operation, the compressor may fail to startup due to increased viscosity of lubricating oil.

Cooling water must be drained from the compressor unit when:

- •Cooling water may freeze when the compressor unit is not running. The water pipe can burst.
- •The compressor unit will be suspended for longer than a week.
- Shipping the compressor unit.

Most of the cooling water can be drained by 30 seconds of blowing air with inlet pressure of 0.2MPaG and outlet opened to the air





(*1) Water pressure drop (ΔP) refers to the differential pressure between cooling water inlet and outlet.

(*2) Water flow rate should be below 6.0L/min to prevent corrosion of heat exchanger.

EXAMPLE (\rightarrow) in the above graph shows the water flow rate and pressure (ΔP) required when the water temperature is 30°C. Water flow rate is 4.5L/min and water pressure (ΔP) is 0.1MPa.





3.4 Connecting the Compressor Unit to the Cryopump



- · Read the handling notes in appendix C about the connection of the flexible hoses.
- When connecting flexible hoses, always use two single open end spanners with width across flat 26mm and 30mm.
- · Do not forcibly bend flexible hoses. They may be damaged and cause helium leakage.
- Do not connect or disconnect self-sealing coupling frequently. It may cause helium leakage.
- Remove all dust plugs and caps from the supply and return flexible hoses, compressor and cryopump. Clean the self-sealing coupling flat rubber gasket to be free from dust and metallic powder.
- 2. Connect the flexible hose from the compressor unit to the cryopump (See Figure 3-4) .
 - a. Connect the helium gas supply flexible hose labeled SUPPLY to the helium gas supply connector on the compressor. Then connect the other end of the hose to the SUPPLY GAS port on the cryopump (coldhead).
 - b. Connect the helium gas return flexible hose labeled RETURN to the helium gas return connector on the compressor. Then connect the other end of the hose to the RETURN GAS port on the cryopump (coldhead).
- Check helium charge pressure. Standard helium charge pressure is 1.60±0.04MPaG at 20°C. See Figure 3-3.

If the indicated pressure is higher than appropriate, allow a slight amount of helium gas to escape by opening the gas charge valve **very slowly**.

If indicated pressure is lower than appropriate, add helium gas as described in section 6.3.



Figure 3-3

Charge Pressure and Temperature





firmly sealed. When using torque wrench, torque the connection to $20N \cdot m$.

Figure 3-4 Connecting Flexible Hose





3.5 Connecting Electrical Cables



1. Make the REMOTE/RESPONSE wiring, if necessary.





REMOTE WIRING :Set the REMOTE/LOCAL switch to 「REMOTE」 position. Make the REMOTE wiring according to the circuit diagram shown in Appendix B. Always use the momentary switch (contact) for setting START/STOP push button switch (PB1, PB2) in remote operation.

- RESPONSE WIRING :Be sure to make wiring for RESPONSE signals. The relay specification of response signals is shown in Appendix B.
- 2. Connect the refrigerator power cable from the compressor to the cryopump.
- 3. Connect the ground.
- 4. Connect the connector side of the input power cable to the compressor.

Connect the other side of the input power cable to the power source.

Note : If customer-supplied input power cable is used, be sure that it is equivalent to UCI-supplied cable.

Table	3-2	Input Power	Cable Specifications
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Item	Symbol	Specifications
	INPUT	Copper wire / 600VAC, 3 conductors with ground(*1)
input power cable	POWER	1.25mm ²

^(*1) The color of the ground wire is green.

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4. OPERATION

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4.1 Before Operation

Before operating the compressor, check following items;

- 1. The power supply meets the requirements described in Table 1-1.
- STOP switch lights up when the power is supplied to the compressor.
 If it does not light, the phase may be reversed. Change any one set of RST phases.
- 3. REMOTE/LOCAL switch is properly set.
- 4. Connectors are fixed firmly.
- 5. Cooling water meets the requirements.
- 6. Helium gas static pressure is within the appropriate values.

4.2 Normal Operation



Check that the operating pressure is within the values shown in Table 1-1.

Helium pressure while the compressor is in operation varies depending on the length of the flexible hoses. Especially, helium pressure tends to be high when flexible hose is longer than 3m. Adjust the pressure by releasing helium from helium charge port.

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5. DISCONNECTION and STORAGE

5.1 Disconnecting Flexible Hose



When disconnecting flexible hoses, be sure to use two single open end spanners with width across flat 26mm and 30mm.

- 1. Shut down the compressor unit.
- 2. After the Super Trap and/or cryopump (refrigerator unit) has been warmed up to room temperature, disconnect the flexible hoses.



- If flexible hoses are disconnected while the cryocooler is still in low temperature, the pressure inside the cryocooler will rise as it warms up, resulting in helium leakage by activated pressure relief valve.
- Note that when performing helium circuit decontamination of the refrigerator unit, it is required to disconnect the flexible hoses at the compressor unit side immediately after shutdown.





5.2 Storage

- Follow the instructions below to store the compressor unit.
 - 1. Disconnect the flexible hoses. Refer to Section 5.1.
 - 2. Disconnect cables and cooling water piping. Cooling water must be purged from the compressor unit. Refer to Section 3.3.
 - 3. Put the protective caps back on the helium gas connectors and cover the compressor unit with plastic sheet as they were shipped.
 - 4. Avoid direct sunlight, heat, humidity, vibration, radiation, dust, wind and rain.
 - 5. The compressor unit should be placed on level floor (within $\pm 5^\circ\,$) and fixed not to move and/or fall.
 - Check the pressure gauge of the compressor unit periodically. Contact our Service Engineering Division or the nearest customer support center if the pressure keeps lower. There is a possibility that a leakage might have occurred.



- When the compressor unit is to be suspended for more than three months, follow the instructions below in addition to the above.
 - Operate the compressor unit for about an hour every three months to circulate lubricating oil to prevent the damage caused by the lack of the oil when starting the compressor unit again after long-term storage.
- When shipping the compressor unit, pack in the same way as at the time of shipment and avoid excess impact.



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6. MAINTENANCE

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Always disconnect the compressor from all sources of electrical power before performing any maintenance procedures.

6.1 Scheduled and Unscheduled Maintenance

Scheduled Maintenance : Replacement of the adsorber (after every 30,000 hrs)

♦ Unscheduled Maintenance : Adding helium gas

6.2 Adsorber Replacement

One of the scheduled maintenance required on the compressor is the replacement of the adsorber within every 30,000 hours. Use more than 30,000 hours cause to be a machine trouble on refrigerator unit. Keep to remove and replace the adsorber proceed within every 30000 hours as following procedures:

- ◆Removing the Adsorber
 - 1. Close the main valve of high vacuum system.
 - 2. Shut down the refrigerator unit and the compressor unit.
 - 3. Switch off the primary power.
 - 4. Disconnect the flexible hoses from gas-return and gas-supply connectors at the rear of the compressor.
 - 5. Remove the jam nuts holding the self-sealing coupling (male) .(Figure 6-1 (1))
 - 6. Remove the rear panel from the compressor by unscrewing 7 screws.(Figure 6-1 (1))
 - 7. Disconnect the flexible hose from the adsorber inlet. (Figure 6-1 (2))



When disconnecting and reconnecting the self-sealing coupling, always use two spanners as described in Section 3.4 and 5.1.

- 8. Remove the adsorber mounting bolt (M6). (Figure 6-1 (3))
- 9. Remove the adsorber from the compressor. (Figure 6-1 (4))



Always use the charging adapter to depressurize the adsorber.

- Installing the Adsorber
- 1. Remove the dust caps from the self-sealing coupling halves at each end of the replacement adsorber.
- 2. Install the replacement adsorber following the steps for adsorber removal in reverse order.
- 3. Connect the adsorber to the compressor internal piping.
- 4. Ensure that the helium pressure gauge reads 1.60 ± 0.04 MPaG. If additional gas pressure is required, follow the instructions in Section 5.1.
- 5. Replace the rear panel.
- 6. Write installation date and elapsed time on the adsorber label. Also write elapsed time for the next replacement of adsorber (plus 30000 hours to the present elapsed time).



(1) Remove the jam nuts. Loosen the seven bolts to remove the rear panel.



(3) Remove the adsorber mounting bolt.



(2) Disconnect flexible hose from the adsorber inlet.



(4) Draw the adsorber out of the compressor unit.

Figure 6-1 (1)

Adsorber replacement



 Tilt the adsorber to take out from the compressor.
 Use cautions not to touch the piping.

RECORD SHEET OF THE ADSORBER REPLACEMENT

Replace the adsorber after a maximum operation of 30,000 hours. Write the elapsed-time of the meter (ETM) on this sheet.

Elapsed-Time Hours	Replaced Date	Person Replaced		
Hr.				
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- (5) Install the replacement adsorber following the removal steps in reverse order.
- (6) Record the elapsed time on the label.

Figure 6-1



6.3 Charging Helium Gas

Equipment for charging helium gas (regulators, charging hoses, adopters) that can be used at 2.0MPaG or above are required.



If the helium pressure gauge of the compressor unit shows 0 MPaG, contamination caused by air or moisture may occur in the system. If it occurs, contact our Service Engineering Division or customer support center.

When helium gas pressure reduces, it is necessary to add helium gas. Clarify the cause of the pressure reduction before adding helium gas. If there is a leakage, take an adequate measure before charging. Improperly connected self-sealing coupling might be one of the causes of the leakage.

♦ It is recommended to use the regulator which shows the range of 4-6 MPaG as outlet pressure.

♦ The gas charge inlet of the compressor unit is 1/4B male flare.

 \diamond Use helium gas with purity of 99.999% or above.

Follow the steps below to add helium gas;

- 1. When mounting the regulator on a new helium bottle, perform the following procedures in order to purge the air and fill helium gas in the gas line between the regulator and the bottle valve.
 - a. Open the regulator a little. The regulator can be opened commonly by turning the handle clockwise.
 - b. Slowly open the bottle valve, and purge the air in the gas line for several seconds.
 - c. Close the regulator. (Normally by rotating counterclockwise)



If the bottle valve is opened ignoring the above step 1, the air between the regulator and the bottle valve diffuses into the helium bottle and deteriorates the purity of helium gas.

- 2. Remove the front panel of the compressor unit.
- 3. Connect the helium charging hose as follows:



- a. Connect the charging hose to the regulator.
- b. Loosely connect the charging hose to the charge inlet on the compressor unit.
- c. Open the regulator until the return side pressure reaches 0.1 0.2 MPaG. Allow helium gas to flow out from the charging hose for about 30 seconds. Meanwhile, open the charge valve slightly in order to drive out the air that exists between the charge valve and the charge inlet.
- d. Tighten the flair nut at the end of charging hose and close the charge valve.
 Helium gas charge in the line between the regulator and the charge valve on the compressor has been completed.
- 4. Adjust the low pressure side of the regulator at 1.8 MPaG.
- Open the charge valve slowly and follow the instruction below based on the state of the compressor.
 - a. If the compressor unit is running under normal operating conditions, replenish it with the pure helium gas until it reaches the operation pressure described in the compressor instruction manual.
 - b. If the compressor unit is not running, replenish it with the pure helium gas until it reaches the static pressure described in the compressor instruction manual.



If helium gas has been charged more than 1.9MPaG, the pressure relief valve on the refrigerator may work. Charge helium gas slowly to prevent the pressure relief valve from being activated. The pressure relief valve inside the compressor unit is set at 2.5MPaG.

- 6. Close the charge control valve after charging helium gas.
- 7. Close the regulator and remove the charging hose from the charge inlet.





Figure 6-2 Charging Helium Gas



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Appendix A

TROUBLESHOOTING



No	Problems	Possible Cause	Corrective Action
Ι	Compressor	1) No power coming from the	Check wiring and ensure that the
	does not	source.	power supply connecter is
	startup.		connected properly.
		2) Circuit protectors (CP1, CP2) are	Set circuit protector to ON.
		OFF.	(See Fig.1-3)
		3) Phase reverse relay (PRR) is	Interchange 2 phases of primary
		active. (STOP lamp lights off)	power. (Refer to Section 4.1)
Π	Compressor	1) Thermal protective switch (TS3)	Check the cooling water condition
	stops during	is ON.	(temperature, flow rate). (See
	continuous		Fig.3-2).
	operation.	2) Circuit protectors (CP1, CP2) or	Check the power supply voltage.
		thermal relay (OL) are active.	Contact our Service Engineering
			Division or the nearest CS center.
			(The cooling water temperature
			and the room temperature will be
			needed.)
		3) Thermal protective switches (TS1	Contact our Service Engineering
		and TS2) are ON.	Division or the nearest CS center.

Table A-1 Troubleshooting Procedures



Ш	Compressor	1) Thermal protective switch (TS3)	Check that the cooling water is
	stops after	is ON.	flowing and its flow rate. (See
	operating		Fig.3-2)
	several minutes	2) Low pressure switch (LPS) is ON.	Add helium gas till the static
			pressure.
		3) Circuit protectors (CP1, CP2) or	Check the power supply voltage.
		thermal relay (OL) are active.	Contact our Service Engineering
			Division or the nearest CS center.
			(The cooling water temperature
			and the room temperature will be
			needed.)
		4) Thermal protective switches (TS1	Contact our Service Engineering
		and TS2) are active.	Division or the nearest CS center.
		5) Compressor failure.	Contact our Service Engineering
			Division or the nearest CS center.
IV	Compressor	Helium charge pressure is too high.	Check helium charge pressure.
	makes		The pressure must not exceed
	abnormal noise		1.65MPaG (at room temperature
	during		of 20°C).
	operation.		



CRYOPUMP S/N					T	CRYC)-U®	POV	VER	V×	φ		
COMPRESSOR S/N							OPERATING					r	
REFRIGERATOR S/N				-	LO	G							
										Crv	/opump		
Ν	Neasu	ring c	onditio	on		Compre	ssor ur	nit	Tor	nneratu	ro	Pressure	Remarks
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		urer	n temp. [°C]	dity [%]		oressure helium MPaG]	nt [A]	ng water ate 【L/min(*)】	thermocouple	MBS-C	H₂VP etc		

Table A-2 Operating Log

(*) Measure cooling water flow rate with flow meters for each compressor unit.

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Appendix B

CIRCUIT DIAGRAM

◆Safety Devices (inside of the controller)					
	Name	Function and specification			
OL	Thermal relay (AUTO RESET)	 This relay is set up in the controller and automatically stops the compressor if the current flowing in the compressor is higher than specified value due to overloading, etc. STOP pushing button (PB1) lights up. Rated current: 14A 			
CP1	Circuit protector (MANUAL RESET)	This device shuts off power if any line in the compressor circuitry is shorted. • Rated current: 25A			
CP2	Circuit protector (MANUAL RESET)	This device shuts off power if any line in the refrigerator circuitry is shorted. • Rated current: 1A			
PRR	Reverse phase protective relay	This relay does not allow the compressor to start when the compressor power wires are connected reverse phase.			

◆ Safety Devices (outside of the controller)

	Name	Function and specification
TS1	Thermal switch	This switch automatically stops the compressor if the oil flow rate is insufficient or the compressor is overloaded. STOP push button (PB1): lights-out
TS2	Thermal switch	This switch is set up on the top of compressor and automatically stops the compressor if the compressor pump temperature is excessively high due to overloading, etc. STOP push button (PB1): lights-out
TS3	Thermal switch	This switch stops the compressor if there is no cooling water supply or cooling water temperature is excessively high. STOP push button (PB1): lights-out



	Safety valve	This valve is set up in the helium supply line and automatically opens when the pressure is higher than static value. Set pressure: 2.55MPaG (370psig)
	Differential pressure regulating valve	This valve is set up in the helium line between helium supply and return. The valve keeps the difference of pressure at the constant pressure rate. Set pressure: 1.60MPa
LPS	Low pressure switch	This switch stops the compressor when the pressure drops below a set value (due to leakage, etc.). Set pressure: 0.1 ± 0.03 MPaG
SOL	Solenoid valve	This valve opens when the compressor is turned off.

◆ Electrical equipment function

	Name	Function and specification	
PB1	STOP push	Press to turn off the compressor and coldhead.	
(PL1)	button switch	When the compressor unit is suspended while being connected	
	(Momentary)	to the power supply, this switch lights ORANGE.	
PB2	START push	Press to turn on the compressor unit. The STOP switch turns off	
(PL2)	button switch	and the START switch lights GREEN. The compressor unit	
	(Momentary)	normally starts operation.	
SW1	REMOTE/LOCAL switch	Depends on your selection, START/STOP of the compressor operation and ON/OFF of the refrigerator operation by a remote location or switching of the compressor unit. Need to connect with REMOTE/external signal connector when you select a remote location.	
SW2	L/H switch	This switch is set to H position at factory default. (If the cryopump has too much vibration, set this switch to L position to reduce. Note that this only works out with 50Hz.)	
ETM	Elapsed time meter	This meter displays the elapsed operating hours of the compressor unit.	
MR	Momentary	Momentary power cut shorter than 2 seconds	
	power failure	-> Compressor automatically restarts after power restored	
	restart relay	Momentary power cut longer than 2 seconds -> Not restart	



CR1	Output signal	Turn ON or OFF START(PB2) and STOP	P(PB1) button to
	relay to control	activate this relay to ope	erate compresso	r unit including
	the unit	refrigerator.		
		The C contact of this relay	works to take out	t output signal of
		START and STOP via output	signal or remote of	connectors.
		The following table shows the	e specification of t	he relay cont-act.
		CONTACT SPECIFICATIONS		
		Maximum voltage	AC250V	DC125V
		Maximum current	5A	5A
		Rated load	Resistance load	(Induction load)
			AC220V	5A (2A)
			DC 24V	5A (2A)
		Minimum applicable load	DC5V	1mA
CR2	Solenoid valve (SOL) relav	This relay is ON when the compressor is powered on.		
TM1	OFF delay timer	This timer delays restarting the compressor for 5 seconds from		
		shutdown until it reaches to the restart prevent overloading.		
TM2	ON delay timer	This timer delays restarting the compressor for 5 seconds to prevent overloading.		
TM3	On delay timer for SOL	After the compressor unit is set up, this timer keeps the solenoid valve OPEN for 30 seconds to prevent overloading.		

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 \odot : CN3 (For output signal, REMOTE) \square Pin number shown in this box. \Im : CN4 (Internal connector), \bigcirc Pin number shown in this box. (Refer to wiring drawings for connectors)

C15T CIRCUIT DIAGRAM

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MC

MR

SW1

SW2

TM2

TM3

0L

TS1

TS2 -

TS3 -



Appendix C

FLEXIBLE HOSE

1. Specifications

- Gas : Helium Gas (Purity of 99.999% or above)
- Pressure : Max. 2.45MPaG
- Temperature : 0 to 70°C
- Material : SUS304
- Length : 3000mm (standard)
- Minimum Bending Radius:250mm
- Recommended Torque for Connecting : 20N·m

Tighten until the self-sealing coupling stops turning.

- Connection : 1/2B self-sealing coupling
- 2. Handling Precautions



- When carrying a flexible hose, hold the braid support of the hose. Bending the flexible part forcibly at an acute angle may damage the hose.
- Do not twist a flexible hose especially when making continuously bent connections.
- Keep away from water and salt to prevent corrosion. Do not place heavy objects on flexible hoses in order to prevent deformation or collapse.

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Appendix D

FLOW DIAGRAM

Low pressure helium gas returning from the refrigerator unit enters the compressor. Lubricant oil is injected into the compressor with the low pressure helium; the gas containing the oil is then compressed by the compressor pump turning it into high temperature high pressure helium gas. Most of the lubricant oil returns to droplet form and is separated within the compressor. This lubricant oil is pooled at the bottom and lubricates the inside of the compressor. It follows the circulating system where it comes out from the compressor and cooled down at an oil heat exchanger before being injected back into the compressor through an oil injection filter.

High temperature high pressure helium gas comes out from the compressor, passes through a water cooled helium heat exchanger for removal of compression-caused heat. It is cooled to an ambient temperature and then enters an oil separator. In here, the oil is separated and the droplets of separated oil pass thorough an oil return filter and oil return orifice before joining the low pressure helium gas and being returned to the compressor. High pressure helium gas comes out from the oil separator enters an adsorber where oil-mist is adsorbed and removed. The Helium gas comes out the adsorber passes through a flexible hose and is supplied to the refrigerator unit.





(*1): Open when the compressor unit is in operation.

Figure D-1 C15T Flow Diagram



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