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INSTRUCTIONS FOR USING BUILT-IN CO2 SYSTEM

EXTREME COLD! COVER EYES AND SKIN!

CO2 is a colorless gas with a sharp pungent odor in concentrated form and a slight acid taste. It can be detected in concentrated form by the normal human senses. It does not support combustion. CO2 is non-life supporting, therefore keep the equipment area well ventilated. **KEEP EQUIPMENT AREA WELL VENTILATED.** IT CAN CAUSE ASPHYXIATION IN A CONFINED AREA WITHOUT ADEQUATE VENTILATION. ANY ATMOSPHERE WHICH DOES NOT CONTAIN ENOUGH OXYGEN FOR BREATHING CAN CAUSE DIZZINESS, UNCONSCIOUSNESS, OR EVEN DEATH.

Because CO2 is about one and one half times the weight of air, the gas will settle to the lower part of the enclosures.

Accidental contact of Liquid CO2 or cold issuing gas with skin and eyes may cause a freezing injury similar to a burn. Protect your eyes and cover the skin where the possibility of contact with the liquid, cold pipes, and cold equipment, or cold gas exists. Safety goggles or a face shield should be worn.

The CO2 back up system is designed to shield and divert the liquid CO2 away from the normal position in which you would stand, nevertheless always use the utmost safety precautions when it is connected and in use.

There is a switch in the lid to prevent the liquid CO2 from being induced into the freezer when the lid is open, but the best safety program is to close the liquid CO2 valve when reaching into the cabinet, then open the valve when the lid is closed. Always use clean insulated gloves that can be easily and quickly removed, and long sleeves are recommended for arm protection.

When using CO2, it is necessary that the freezer be equipped with a cryogenic high pressure solenoid valve. Be sure to use a high pressure hose from the CO2 bottle to the valve. You will need to provide a CO2 container with a drop pipe for liquid CO2 or invert container without a drop pipe.



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Connect the high pressure hose from the liquid CO2 bottle to the solenoid valve on the rear of the freezer using an 1/8" MPT to 1/4" flare stainless steel fitting.

Set the liquid CO2 temperature controller at the desired temperature for CO2 refrigeration (-100 deg F or -73 deg C is the lowest temperature attainable with CO2).

For economical use of CO2, set the electric control a few degrees warmer than the normal freezer operating temperature and at the highest temperature permissible to preserve your product.

After the freezer cabinet has reached the temperature set by the digital controller, the CO2 container valves may be opened. In the event of electrical failure or mechanical failure, the stand-by system should be energized when the cabinet temperature raises to the point set on the liquid CO2 controller.

The alarm will sound in the event of power failure, rise in temperature, and when operating on the stand-by system.

COMMON ISSUES: No CO2 (Bottle Empty) in Bottle, Valve Closed, Lid Switch Contacts open, Valve Not Operating Battery Discharged.

*If CO2 will not shut off: Valve Failure – Stuck Open Lid Switch contacts closed