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Nitrogen Gas Heater

Warranty

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Safety Notices

Solvents and Vapors

J-KEM's Nitrogen gas heater must not be used in an environment containing flammable organic reagents or gas vapors. Any inert gas can be used with the gas heater, such as nitrogen or argon. No flammable reagents of any nature or reactive gasses, such as oxygen, can be used with this heater. CAUTION: This equipment should only be operated by qualified personnel knowledgeable in laboratory procedures.

Symbols

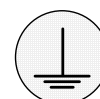
Power Switch: 1 - Mains power (120vac) is ON
0 - Mains power (120vac) is OFF



Caution. Risk of electric shock.



Caution. No user serviceable parts.



Protective conductor terminal. Earth Ground.

General Notice

WARNING: If equipment is not used as specified in this manual, the protection provided by this equipment may be impaired.

CAUTION: When operating this equipment insure that the heater is located away from flammable object.

Power

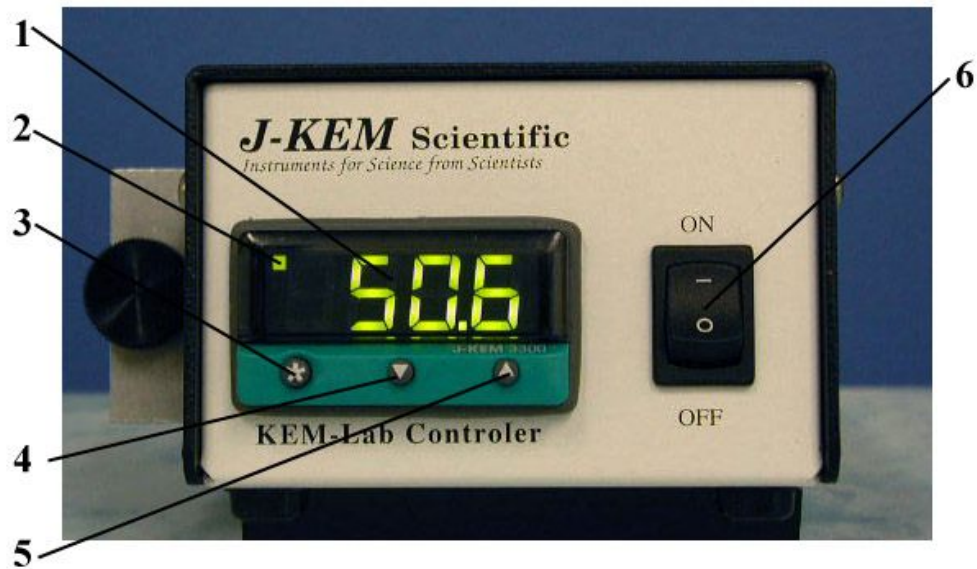
Voltage: 120 VAC @ 50-60Hz
Wattage: Model NGH-120, 700 watt heater core. Fused at 10 amps, 1200 watts
Wattage: Model NGH-130, 900 watt heater core. Fused at 10 amps, 1200 watts

Voltage: 220-240 VAC @ 50-60Hz
Wattage: Model NGH-230, 2000 watt heater core. Fused at 5 amps, 1200 watts

Environmental

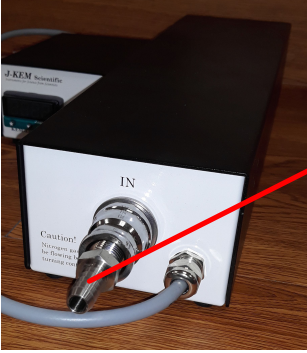
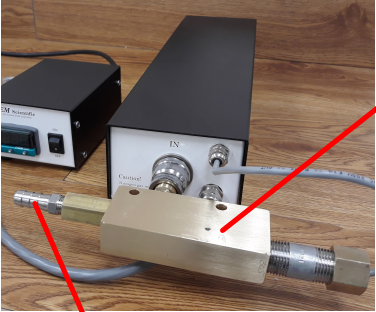

Indoor use
Altitude up to 2000 meters
Operating temperatures of 5° C to 800° C
Operating pressure: Maximum outlet pressure is 5 psi
Maximum relative humidity of 80% for temperature up to 31° C decreasing linearly to 50% relative humidity at 40° C.
Installation category II

Controller Description




1. Temperature Display. Shows temperature of the exit gas as the default display. Shows set point temperature (i.e. desired temperature) as a blinking number when '*' button is held in.
2. Indicates that heating power is being applied to the heater when lit.
3. Control Key. When held in, the display shows the set point temperature. To decrease or increase the set point, press the 't' key (4) or 's' key (5), while simultaneously holding in the control key. The set point appears as a blinking number in the display.
4. Lowers set point when '*' button (3) is simultaneously pressed.
5. Raises set point when '*' button (3) is simultaneously pressed.
6. Controller On/Off switch.

Connecting Gas to the Gas Heater

 <p>Nitrogen gas Inlet connection</p>  <p>Optional Flow Switch</p> <p>Nitrogen gas Inlet connection</p>	<p>The nitrogen gas heater can be order with or without the optional Gas Flow Switch. If your heater does not have the optional flow switch (top photo), then connect the gas supply line to the hose barb labeled “IN”.</p> <p>If your heater does have the optional gas flow switch (bottom photo), then connect the gas supply like to the hose barb connector entering the flow switch.</p>
 <p>Heated gas Outlet</p>	<p>The heated gas comes out of the hose barb connector in the front of the oven module. Connect whatever tubing will be used to deliver the hot gas to this connector.</p>

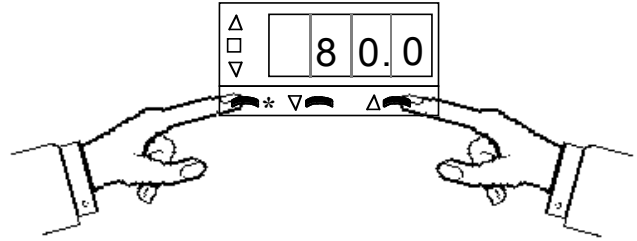
The pressure at the outlet of the heater must not exceed 15 PSI, and the inlet pressure must not exceed 20 PSI.

	<p>If your gas heater is not equipped with the optional flow switch, the heater MUST have at least 1 liter per minute of gas flowing through the heater before power is turned on to the temperature controller or heater core will burn out. J-KEM recommends a flow switch on the inlet port which prevents powering the heater core when there is inadequate gas flow.</p>
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Entering a Setpoint into the Controller

1. Turn on gas flow into the heater to a minimum flow rate of 1000ml/min.

2. Turn power on to the digital temperature controller. The default display (when no buttons are being pressed) of the controller is the current oven temperature.



3. To see the current setpoint temperature (i.e., the desired temperature), press and hold in the ‘*’ button on the front of the digital meter. The current setpoint appears as a blinking number in the display. To enter a new setpoint, hold in the ‘*’ button on the front of the meter. While holding in the ‘*’ button press either the s button to increase, or the t button to decrease the setpoint. When the desired temperature is present in the display, release all the buttons.