

# **ROTOLAVIT**

**Automatic Cell Washing System for Serological Testing** 





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In blood banks and transfusion centres, it is routine practice to test the compatibility between donor and recipient prior to every blood transfusion.

The ROTOLAVIT cell washing system is ideal for this vital application.

The washing process is carried out automatically. The appropriate quantity of saline solution is filled equally into 12 or 24 tubes, depending on the rotor, and mixed with a previously pipetted drop of blood. It is then centrifuged and the supernatant is decanted. The washing cycle is repeated several times and the anti-human globulin (Coombs) serum is then added manually, in order to assess possible agglutination following the final centrifugation.



# AREAS OF APPLICATION



- Cross-matching
- Antibody search and differentiation

#### **TECHNOLOGY**

- Microprocessor control
- Frequency drive
- 5 programmable memories
- Max. RCF 1,438 (3,500 min<sup>-1</sup>)

## **USER-FRIENDLINESS**

- Effortless cleaning
- Easy rotor changing
- A visual and acoustic signal warns when the saline solution container is empty
- One-handed lid closing

### **SAFETY**

- Lid locking and holding
- Lid dropping protection
- Emergency lid lock release
- Metal housing
- Imbalance switch-off
- Motor cut-off at standstill





Either for standard tubes 10 x 75 mm or 12 x 75 mm.

Cat. No. for 12 x 75 mm tubes: **0553**.

The use of 10 x 75 mm tubes requires adapters No. **1019**.



#### **OPERATION AND CONTROL**

The washing process is repeated automatically, allowing up to 9 sequenced washing cycles to be programmed freely.

A washing cycle includes the following steps:

- 1. Filling the saline solution
- 2. Centrifuging at (usually) 3,500 min<sup>-1</sup>
- 3. Decanting the supernatant
- 4. Resuspending the sediment (between cycles only)

# DIGITAL DISPLAY AND CONTROL PANEL

#### **DISPLAY**

PROG Program number.

Five programmable memories

are available.

CYC Washing cycles.

A maximum of nine washing cycles

can be entered.

ml Volume of saline solution

per tube (max. 5 ml).

RPM Speed indication.

Entry in increments of 10.

t/min:s Centrifugation time (max. 9 min:59 sec).

An LED lights up: ( in the event of imbalance,

as long as the rotor is rotating,

when the lid can be opened on

completion of the program.







Guides the user through the menu options.



Increases the relevant value.



Decreases the relevant value.

START WASH

Starts washing, the production of a suspension or the cleaning

program.

SPIN

Starts additional centrifugations, e.g. Coombs centrifugation.

STOP

Stops centrifugation or washing manually.

SALINE

· Activates the fill volume calibrator.

· Charges the system with washing liquid during the cleaning program.

CHECK

Checks the volume of saline solution

per washing cycle.



TECHNOLOGY	ROTOLAVIT	
Cell Washing System, without rotor		
Power supply*)	200 – 240 V 1 ~	100 – 120 V 1 ~
Frequency	50 – 60 Hz	
Consumption	180 VA	
Emission	EN 55011 group 1, class B EN 61000-3-2, EN 61000-3-3	FCC class B
Immunity	EN 61000-6-1	-
Max. capacity	24 standard tubes (10 x 75 mm or 12 x 75 mm)	
Max. RPM (speed)	3,500 min <sup>-1</sup>	
Max. RCF	1,438	
Radius (both rotors)	105 mm	
Running time of the individual washing cycles	1 sec - 9 min:59 sec	
Dimensions (HxWxD)	278 x 333 x 420 mm	
Weight	approx. 24 kg	
Cat. No.	1006	1006-01

<sup>\*)</sup> Other voltages on request.







Hettich centrifuges comply with all relevant EU standards in effect and conform to the European level of quality and safety for medical devices. Evidence is provided by national and international test marks such as IEC 61010 or the CE conformity. The ISO 9001:2008, ISO 13485:2003  $\,$ and 14001:2004 certificates accredited to the company bear witness to the extreme care and responsibility Hettich puts into the manufacturing of centrifuges and their accessories.















