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the TSI Certifier Ventilator Test System:

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## Ventilator Tester Comparison Chart

Parameter	TSI Certifier	Mallinckrodt PTS 2000	Bio-Tek VT-Plus	RT200
<b>High Flow Air or O2 Accuracy</b>	0-300 SLPM +/- 2% of reading or +/-0.075 SLPM, whichever is greater	0-300 SLPM +/- 1.75% of reading +0.10 SLPM	300 SLPM +/-2% of reading or +/-0.5 SLPM	5-180 SLPM +/-2% of reading
<b>High Flow Air/O2 Mix Accuracy</b>	0-300 SLPM +/- 4% of reading or +/-0.100SLPM, whichever is greater	0-300 SLPM +/- 4% of reading + 0.10 SLPM	Does Not Specify Gases Not Specified	N/A
<b>Low Flow Air or O2 Accuracy</b>	0.01-15.00 SLPM +/- 2% of reading or +/-0.010 SLPM, whichever is greater	0-15 SLPM +/- 1.75% of reading + 0.025 SLPM	25 SLPM +/-2% of reading or +/-0.1 SLPM	0-5 SLPM +/-4% of reading
<b>Low Flow N2O Accuracy</b>	0.01-15.00 SLPM +/-4% of reading or +/-0.025 SLPM, whichever is greater	0-15 SLPM +/-3% of reading +0.025 SLPM	Does Not Specify Gases Not Specified	0-5 SLPM +/-3% of reading or +/-2 digits
<b>Volume Air or O2 Accuracy</b>	0-10 L STP +/-2% of reading or +/-0.020 L STP, whichever is greater +/-2% of reading or +/-0.010 L STP, whichever is greater (Low Flow Module)	0-10 L STP +/-2% or 0.02 L STP	7 L STP +/-3% of reading or +/-10ml	0-3 L STP
<b>Volume Air/O2 Mix Accuracy</b>	0-10 L STP +/-4% of reading or +/-0.020 L STP, whichever is greater	0-10 L STP +/- 4.5% of reading +0.02 L STP	Does Not Specify Gases Not Specified	N/A
<b>Volume N2O Accuracy</b>	0-9.999 L STP +/-4% of reading or +/-0.010 L STP, whichever is greater	Does Not Specify N2O Not Specified	Does Not Specify Gases Not Specified	N/A
<b>High Pressure Accuracy</b>	N/A - Recommend Meriam Smart Manometer 0-72 psig +/-0.025% F/S - List Price \$662	0-100 psig +/- 1% of reading +0.1 psig	100 psig +/- 1% of reading or +/-0.1 psig	0-100 psig +/-1.5% of reading
<b>Low Pressure Accuracy</b>	-25 to 150 cmH2O (-18.4 to 110 mmHg) +/-0.75% of reading or +/-0.20 cmH2O, whichever is greater	-150 to 150 cmH2O +/- 0.75% of reading +0.04 cmH2O	+/- 120 cmH2O +/-0.75% of reading or +/-0.5 cmH2O	-120 to 250 cmH2O +/-1.6% of reading
<b>Breath Parameters</b>				
Breath Rate	(0.5 to 120 BPM) +/-5%	(.5 to 120 BPM) +/-5%	( 2-150 BPM) +/-1%	+/-5% of reading or +/-1 digit
I:Time	(0.25 to 60 seconds) +/-0.01 sec.	(0.25 to 60 seconds) +/-0.01 sec.	(0.2 - 30) +/-1% or 0.1sec	0.1 to 5 sec +/-5% of reading
E:Time	Not Displayed	(0.25 to 60 seconds) +/-0.01 sec.	(0.2 - 30) +/-1% or 0.1sec	0.1 to 99 sec +/-5% of reading
I:E Ratio	HF(1:100.0 to 100.0:1) +/-5%, LF 1:15.0 to 15:0:1; +/-5% of reading	(1.999 to 999:1) +/-5%	(0.25 - 9.99) +/-2% or 0.1 Sec.	1:10 to 1:9.9 +/- 5% of reading
Minute Volume	(0-99.00 stp liters) +/-7%	(0-99 L STP) +/-7% Air or O2 (0-99 L STP) +/-9% Air/O2 Mix	(0-60 L STP) +/-3% or 250ml	no stated accuracy range for parameter
<b>Barometric Pressure Accuracy</b>	375 to 1,500 mmHga +/-8mmHga	10-16 psia (500 - 800 mmHg) +/-0.1 psia (5mmHg)	Not Specified	N/A
<b>Oxygen Accuracy</b>	0-100% +/-2% at Calibration Conditions	0-100% +/-2%	0-100% Not Specified	N/A
<b>Portability</b>	Case For Complete Kit - 11"x8"x4" - 3 Lbs.	8"x4.1"x11.5" - 7 Lbs.	10"x10"x5" - 10 Lbs.	12"x10.5"x11.5" 20 Lbs.
<b>Warm-Up Time</b>	1 minute	10 Minutes		5 Minutes
<b>Calibration Interval</b>	1 Year	1 Year	1 Year	1 Year
<b>Calibration Cost</b>	\$185 For Each Flow Module	\$550	\$500	\$455
<b>Power</b>	(4) AA - Battery Life 15 to 20 Hours	110V / No Battery	110V / No Battery	110V / No Battery
<b>Case</b>	Softcase - N/C Included With High Flow Package	Hard-case Available For \$457.29	Softcase Avail for \$119, Hard-case \$253	Optional
<b>List Price</b>	Inc. High Flow Kit, Low Flow Module & O2 Kit - \$3,465	Base Unit - \$7,500	Base Unit - \$8,315	N/A Obsolete

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