Ventilators

How to Select Your Ventilator

1) In order to choose the proper ventilation product you must first decide on the mode of ventilation control required:

Volume Regulation	Constant Pressure Regulation	Both
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Go to question 2	Go to question 2	Inspira Only
		(see page F4)

2) You must know the specie or species you want to ventilate (select all that apply). Once selected, go to 2A or 2B.

Perinatal Mice, Small Bird Rat, Guinea Pig* Rabbit, Cat Dog

2A) If you want Volume Regulation Mode you must calculate the tidal volume and respiratory rate in order to choose the correct ventilator. Use the following formula for mammals. After calculating, locate appropriate species, tidal volume and respiratory rate in the chart below. Go to the pages indicated for more information or call Technical Support at 800-272-2775 US or visit our web site for the nearest dealer.

Tidal Volume	Respiration Rate
$*Vt = 0.0062 \ x M_{h}^{1.01}$	**Rate $(min^{-1}) = 53.5 \times M_{b}^{-0.26}$
$(M_b = Animal Mass, kg)$, i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i

2B) If you want **Constant Pressure Mode**, look at the chart below and compare Inspira to the HSE KTR and select the appropriate animal weight under the correct species. Go to the pages indicated for more information or call Technical Support at 800-272-2775 US.

* To ventilate more than one rat or guinea pig simultaneously, see the Multiple Channel Ventilator for Large Rodents on page F9.

Ventilator Selection Chart	BS4 73-0043	BS4 55-7058	BS4 55-0001		
Model	MiniVent	Inspira ASV	Mouse 687	Starling Miniature	
Control Modes BS4 73-0043	VOLUME VENTILATORS				
Species	mice, pre-natal rats, small birds	mice, rats, guinea pigs, rabbits, cats	mice, perinatal rats, small birds	rats, guinea pigs, rabbits, cats	
Animal Weight	up to 50 g	15 g to 10 kg	up to 200 g	250 g to 10 kg (22 lbs)	
Tidal Volume ml	0.03 to 0.35 ml	0.1 to 100 ml	0.1 to 1.0 ml	0.25 to 2.5 ml 1.0 to 10 ml 3.0 to 30 ml	
Respiratory Rate (breath/min)	60 to 400	5 to 200	18 to 150	10 to 200	
Certification	CE	CE	CE	CE, EMC	
% Inspiratory Time (I:E ratio)	1:1	1:4 to 4:1	1:1	1:1	
Multiple Animal	NO	NO	NO	NO	
Requires Compressed Air	NO	NO	NO	NO	
Sigh Pressure	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	
Ext Trig Input	NO	5 to 12 V peak pulse	NO	NO	
Pressure Range	NO	0 to 50 cmH ₂ O	NO	NO	
Sigh Frequency	NO	auto or manual	NO	NO	
Auto SET-UP	NO	YES	NO	NO	
Safety Alarms	NO	YES	NO	NO	
Built-in Overpressure Release	-	YES	-	-	
Ventilation Pressure	NO	YES	NO	NO	
Pressure Control	NO	OPTION	NO	NO	
Реер	yes (attach column of water)	built in	yes (attach column of water)	yes (attach column of water)	
Computer/Transducer Safety Pressure	NO	YES	NO	NO	
Port Size			OD 4 mm (5/32 in), ID 2.2 mm (0.866 in)	OD 6.3 mm, ID 4.8 mm	
Size	8 x 10 x 20 cm (3.2 x 3.9 x 7.9 in)	17.8 x 25.4 x 40.6 cm (8 x 10 x 17.25 in)	25 x 32.5 x 15 cm (10 x 13 x 6 in)		
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