

DATASHEET

SAFEMATE Q SERIES MICROBIOLOGICAL SAFETY CABINETS



- Low energy consumption DC motor blower
- State of the art microprocessor control system.
- Large digital display, high resolution
- Air and aerosol-tight sliding sash, electrically operated by finger touch
- Alarms for low air flow and wrong front window position
- Sloped front and back wall for the most comfortable access
- Lateral windows
- Front access for filter maintenance and service
- C-shaped support stand for the easiest *one-man installation* procedure
- Easy retrofit option kits

Safemate Q are a series of Microbiological Safety Cabinets Class II type A2, designed in compliance with EN12469-2000.

The internal design, the air flow aerodynamics and monitoring, the built-in safety devices and the very accurate manufacturing, guarantees the highest performances at the most stringent safety levels, as specified by EN12469 standard. The new soft plenum, along with a careful design of the airflows allow for a very low noise level to provide the most comfortable working environment.

Main specifications

- Microprocessor controlled DC motor blower, with volumetric sensor for exhausted air flow monitoring
- State of the art Microprocessor control system offering:
 - 7" touchscreen monitor.
 - Automatic control of preset airflow volumes.
 - Sliding sash window with smart control.
 - Permanent monitoring of HEPA filters life span.
 - Alarms. Multilevel alarms, with redundancy functions.
 - Permanent display of working conditions.
 - Highest air flow stability both in case of transitional disturbances or to progressive filter clogging
 - Continuous monitoring of front barrier air flow for the highest operator safety
 - Low barrier alarm
 - Power failure alarm
- Volt-free contact for remote monitoring of exhaust fan.
- Automatic reset of initial conditions in case of power failure
- C-shaped support stand for the easiest *one-man installation* procedure

Mechanical and functional specifications

- 5° Sloped front design for the highest operational comfort. Sloped back side of the working chamber for the best down flow distribution
- Utilities inlets from the top of the cabinet.
- Stainless Steel internal surfaces with SB finishing (including spillage tray). Solid work surface (3 sectors for 1.2 and 4 sectors for 1.8) and special designed front grill in stainless steel (AISI304)
- Electrically operated sliding multilayer safety glass window
- Comfortable 20cm front opening
- Easy to install retrofit options.
- Comfortable lateral side windows with two 20mm passthroughs for cables/tubings
- Exposed exhaust HEPA filter for easy visual integrity check.
- H14 class High Efficiency Particulate Air filters with 99.999% efficiency on .3micron particles (most penetrating particle diameter) (Efficiency $\geq 99.995\%$ on 0.1-0.2 micron particles MPPS as per EN1822-1)
- ISO 3 (ISO14644-1) internal cleanliness level
- Both exhaust and Main Filters are equipped with a micromesh membrane located downstream which acts as airspeed equalizer expansion plenum, as well as a clear indicator of filter damages.
- Filter change and maintenance from the front of the cabinet.
- Exhaust transitions easily installable.
- Self-calibration cycle performed when cabinet is switched on.
- High speed rinse and set up cycle performed, before reaching the SAFE operating mode.
- Visual display of SAFE conditions. Pre-warning before actual alarm conditions are reached (visual and acoustic alarms)

- Interconnected UV and LED lights.
- Exhaust and recirculating flow rates ensure 25 air changes/min in the working area (30%/70% split)
- Front barrier air speed $\geq 0.5\text{m/sec}$
- Aperture protection Factor (Apf) $\geq 1.5 \times 10^5$
- Max power (for all power point) 3Amps.

ADVANCED FEATURES

- Active front window belts tension control system. This mechanism interrupts the unrolling of the suspension belts supporting the front window in case of a jam or of the presence of obstacles to the window movements. This avoids the risks of the glass falling suddenly and reduces the risk of pinching during the window's movement.
- ECO Mode: this operational mode allows the reduction of power consumption and noise level while keeping the inner working area sterile. When engaged the front sash will be lowered to a few centimeters from the working surface and the motorblower will slow down. The reduced opening will allow the lower airflow to keep the front barrier active. Working is not allowed when in ECO Mode.
- Soft Plenum: the plenum is made with textile material to better compensate for blower vibrations and provide a more stable and uniform airflow in the working area, achieving a very quiet operation condition.

CONTROL PANEL

Controls are located in the front part of the cabinet and include the 7" touchscreen display.

The microprocessor will take care of regulating the motorblower to keep the airflows at the calibrated setpoints, based on the feedback data received from the vane anemometer installed in the exhaust path of the cabinet.

Access control is provided with a key for ON/OFF switching for users and a numeric password to access calibration and service menus.

The following parameters are monitored:

- Laminar vertical flow speed;
- Front barrier inflow speed;
- Audible/visual alarms for insufficient airflows, blower malfunction, front window position;
- UV exposure remaining time;
- Hour counters for: cabinet, HEPA filters, UV lamp.

The following controls are available:

- Ventilation ON/OFF;
- White light ON/OFF and intensity regulation;

- Internal sockets ON/OFF;
- Combustible gas solenoid safety valve OPEN/CLOSE;
- UV light timer setting.
- ECO Mode activation

The electronic board provides a volt-free connector to switch on/off an external blower or for alarms remotization.

STANDARD UTILITIES

Utilities are located on the back wall of the working area. Connectors for the utilities are located on the top of the cabinet towards the back.

Vacuum tap provisioning. On the back wall, right side.
Gas tap provisioning. On the back wall, right side.
Electrical sockets. On the back wall.
DOP sampling port. Below the work surface, left side.
UV lamp on the back wall. Programmable activation time and exposure duration (up to 60min)

OPTIONALS ACCESSORIES

Description	Part No.
Adjustable Stand for Safemate cabinets 1.2 with levelling feet	AS1L410
Adjustable Stand for Safemate cabinets 1.5 with levelling feet	AS1L510
Adjustable Stand for Safemate cabinets 1.2 with castors	AS1N410
Adjustable Stand for Safemate cabinets 1.5 with castors	AS1N510

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

DESCRIPTION		SIZE 1.2	SIZE 1.5
1.1 POWER SUPPLY			
Mains supply voltage (V~):		220-240	
Mains supply frequency (Hz):		50/60	
Required power line [720 W service socket included]	(W):	1175	1250
Absorbed power [fan and light on only]:	(W):	325	400
Current:	(A):	5,3	5.6
Main fuses rating:		steatite, 5x20, F10A H, 250 V, I ² t: 121	
1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS			
SAFETY:		IEC 61010-1:2010+A1:2016 / EN 61010-1:2010+A1:2019	
Electrical insulating protection class [IEC 61140]:		I	
ELECTROMAGNETIC COMPATIBILITY (EMC):		IEC 61326-1:2012 / EN 61326-1:2013	
MICROBIOLOGICAL SAFETY:		EN 12469:2000	
Microbiological class protection [EN 12469]:		II	
IP protection degree [IEC 60529]:		Ordinary equipment (IP xxB)	
1.3 DECLARATIONS AND APPROVALS			
Mark of conformity:		CE	
1.4 USE ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS			
Electromagnetic operating area:		industrial	
Use:		indoor	
Altitude (m):		up to 2000	
Temperature (°C):		from 10 to 35	
Maximum relative humidity (%):		80 for temperatures up to 31 °C, decreasing linearly to 55 at 35 °C	
Max MAINS supply voltage fluctuations (%):		up to ±10	
TRANSIENT OVERVOLTAGE CATEGORY:		II	
POLLUTION DEGREE:		2	
1.5 TRANSPORT AND STORAGE CONDITIONS			
Ambient temperature (°C):		from -5 to 45	
Relative humidity (%):		up to 90	
Atmospheric pressure (mbar):		from 800 to 1060	

1.6 WEIGHT AND DIMENSIONS			
Weight [without floor stand]	(kg):	245	275
Overall dimensions L x D x H (mm): (without floor stand – depth without backpanel for installation only 795mm)		1380 x 846 (795) x 1450	1685 x 846 (795) x 1450
Free space needed around the cabinet (mm): [left/right/top/front]		500/500/300/650	
Height of the work surface from the cabinet bottom (mm):		100	
Front aperture dimensions L x H (mm): (safe - operating height)		1165 x 195	1470 x 195
Front aperture maximum height H (mm): (unsafe - for cleaning and loading only)		400	
Front aperture in ECO MODE H (mm):		50 ±5	
Working space dimensions L x D x H (mm):		1230 x 580 x 700	1535 x 580 x 700
Safe working area dimensions L x D (mm):		1030 x 350	1335 x 350
1.7 PERFORMANCES			
Intended life of the equipment (years):		10	
Laminar Air Flow mean velocity [EN 12469](m/s):		0,38 ± 0,02	
Inflow Air Barrier mean velocity [EN 12469](m/s):		0,58 ±10%	
Exhaust Air flow rate (m ³ /h):		480 ±10%	600 ±10%
Exhaust Air flow ratio (%):		30 ±10%	
Aperture Protection Factor (Apf) [EN 12469]: (Retention efficiency at front aperture)		≥1,0 x 10 ⁵	
Working space air cleanliness class [EN 14644-1]:		ISO 3	
Illuminance [EN 12469] (lux):		>750	
Sound level [EN ISO 3744] (dB[A]):		<52	<56
Vibration [EN 12469] (mm RMS):		<0,005	
Max increase inside cabinet in temperature from the ambient [EN 12469] (°C):		<5	
Leaktightness index of the cabinet housing [EN 12469]:		LI-C	
Cleanability index [EN 12469]:		CI-B	
Sterilizability index [EN 12469]:		SI-B	

1.8 MATERIALS		
1.8.1 METAL PARTS		
Main structure:	cold rolled steel, epoxy powder coated	
Walls inner surface of the working area:	stainless steel AISI 304 - SB finishing	
Working surface:	stainless steel AISI 304 - SB finishing	
Maximum load possible on working surface (kg): [uniformly distributed]	15	
1.8.2 GLASS PARTS		
Type:	2 layers laminated safety glass	
Front window thickness (mm):	3+3	
Side windows thickness (mm):	3+3	
UV-C radiations minimum retention (%):	98	
Impact maximum energy sustainable (J): [EN 61010-1, clause 8.2.2]	4	
1.8.3 FILTERS		
LAF filters dimensions L x D x H (mm):	1219 x 610 x 68	1525 x 610 x 68
Other features of LAF filter:	fabric equalizer downstream	
EXH filter dimensions L x D x H	610 x 457 x 68	762 x 457 x 90
Filters efficiency class [EN 1822-1]:	H14	
Filters global MPPS efficiency [EN 1822-1](%):	99,995	
MPPS diameter [EN1822-1](µm):	0,1 ÷ 0,3	
Expected average life (h):	6000 ⁽¹⁾	
1.8.4 UV-C LAMP		
Type of lamp:	UV-C, tubular T8	tubular T10
UV-C lamp power (W):	1x 30	1x 30
UV-C spectral peak (nm):	253,7	
UV-C lamp average life (h):	8000	
UV-C radiation (W):	11,6	11,6
1.9 OUTLET		
1.9.1 SERVICE SOCKETS		
Supply voltage (V):	mains	
Maximum load (A): [distributed on all used sockets]	3	

Minimum IP protection degree: [with cover closed]	54	
1.9.2 CONNECTOR VFC		
Output type:	contact NO – voltage free	
Maximum applicable voltage (V):	24 SELV-PELV	
Maximum load (A):	1	
1.10 OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES FEATURES		
1.10.1 FLOOR STAND		
Material:	steel tube, epoxy painted	
Non-adjustable floor stand height (mm):	730	
Adjustable floor stand height [min – max] (mm):	690 – 810 ⁽¹⁾	
Non-adjustable floor stand weight (kg):	19,5	20,5
Adjustable floor stand weight (kg):	26	27
1.10.2 INERT FLUIDS UTILITY		
Valve type:	fine regulation head-valve with PTFE seal tap	
Use:	Inert gases, vacuum, compressed air	
Knob material:	polypropylene	
Max operating pressure (kPa):	300	
Inlet port thread [internal / external]:	G1/4" / G3/8"	
1.10.3 FLAMMABLE GAS UTILITY		
Valve type:	ceramic head-valve tap with safety lock	
Usable categories of gases [EN 437]:	1 – 2 - 3	
Knob material:	polypropylene	
Max operating pressure (kPa):	2	
Inlet port thread [internal / external]:	G1/4" / G3/8"	
Solenoid valve inlet thread [female]:	G1/4"	
1.10.4 LED LIGHTING		
Type of LED:	SMD 3014	
Lamp power (W):	44	54
Minimum CRI:	90	
Lamp colour temperature (K):	4000	