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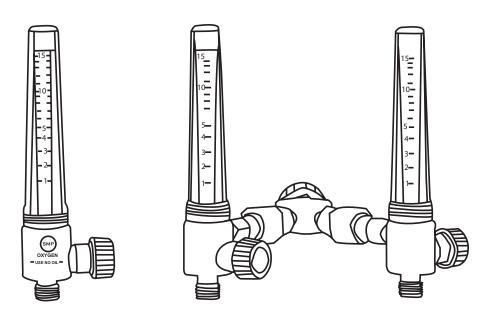
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# **MEDICAL FLOWMETER**

"FM SERIES"



**USER & MAINTENANCE MANUAL** 



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#### **Operating and Maintenance Instructions**

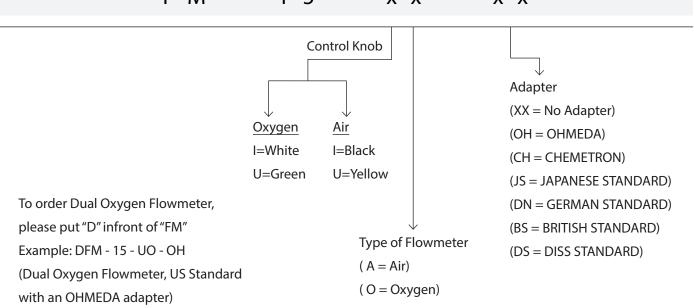






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#### **IMPORTANT: SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

This manual provides you with important information about the Flowmeter and should be read carefully to ensure the safe and proper use of this product. Read and understand all the safety and operating instructions contained in this booklet before using this product. If you do not understand these instructions, or have any questions, contact your supervisor, dealer or the SMP Canada before attempting to use the device.

**WARNING:** Indicates a potentially hazardous situation, which if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.

**ATTENTION:** Indicates a potentially hazardous situation, which if not avoided, could result in minor or moderate injury.

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation, which if not

**CAUTION:** avoided, could result in property damage.



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Consult operating manual



Use no oil

#### **RECEIVING INSPECTION**

Remove the product from the package and inspect for damage. Verify that the model received is in working condition. If the product is damaged or incorrect, do not use. Contact your dealer, equipment provider or SMP Canada right away.

#### **ATTENTION:**

It is crucial to allow the product to remain in the original packaging for 24 hours to adjust to room temperature before use.

#### **ATTENTION:**

Store the product in a sealed package to avoid environmental damage. The operating and storage temperature for the flowmeter should reflect typical environmental conditions of a medical facility environment.

#### **RESPONSIBILITY OF USER**

#### **△** WARNING:

Service of this device should only be performed by properly trained individuals.

This product performs as explained in this manual. This holds true as long as the assembly, use, repair and maintenance are properly followed according to our instructions. Periodic review of this device is recommended. If any damage or defects are present, the product should not be used. This includes parts that are worn or missing. If any of the above are noted, immediate repair/replacement is required. If this device is subject to improper maintenance, repair, use and / or abuse leading to malfunction of the device, replacement is the sole responsibility of the user.



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#### To Eliminate The Risk Of Explosion Or Fire:

- Never attempt to attach a flowmeter directly to a cylinder.
- Never use grease, oil, organic lubricants or flammable materials on or near the flowmeter.
- Never smoke in an area where oxygen is being used.
- Never use any type of flame, flammable or explosive material near the flowmeter.
- Always follow CGA and ANSI standards for flowmeters and Medical Gas Products (E-7) and Oxygen Handling (G-4)

#### **ATTENTION:**

Keep the Flowmeter in a clean area when not being used.

#### **ATTENTION:**

Ensure that all connections are tightened and leak-free before using the product. Only use an oxygen-safe leak detector when testing for leaks.

#### **INTENDED USE**

The SMP flowmeter is used to dispense an adjustable flow of gas accurately under the direction of a healthcare professional. The gas to which the flowmeter is calibrated depends on the model. Each flowmeter can be used with only one type of gas. The flowmeters are available with a wide number of gas specific adapters.

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

#### **Inlet**

1/8-27 NPT female thread

#### Outlet

CGA DISS 1240, 9/16-18 UNF-2A



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#### **Accuracy**

0-15 lpm Models

From 1 to 5 lpm: ± 0.25 lpm From > 6 to 15 lpm: ± 0.50 lpm

#### **Operational Temperature Limits**

Maximum 120°F (49°C) and Minimum 0°F (-18°C).

#### **Transportation / Storage Temperature**

Maximum 140°F (60°C) and Minimum -40°F (-40°C).

#### **Calibrated Inlet Pressure**

Flowmeters are calibrated at 50 psi inlet pressure.

#### **NOTE:**

Some flowmeter models may be supplied with an open 1/8-27 NPT female inlet port for connection to customer's piping. Always use thread sealants compatible with the gases involved. Use 15 to 20 foot-pounds torque for assembly. Always test for leaks on the connections before putting into service.

#### WARNING: USE NO OIL!

Oxygen in itself is a non-flammable gas; it will however,

substantially increase the rate at which materials burn. Oil, grease and other hydrocarbons, when combined with oxygen, will

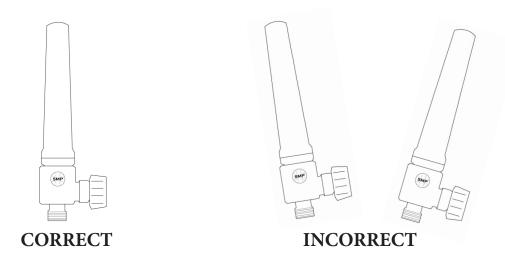
become highly combustible and should never be used on any part of an oxygen flowmeter or other equipment used with oxygen.

Smoking is **HIGHLY PROHIBITED** in any area where oxygen is in use or stored.



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#### **OPERATION**



- 1. Attach flowmeter to a 345 kPa (50 psi) gas source. Ensure flowmeter is in a vertical position (see above figures)
- 2. Turn control knob counterclockwise to start/increase flow.
- 3. Adjust to desired flow setting. Take reading at centre of ball.



Always verify flow at patient's end of tubing before applying. Ensure that the tubing is never folded, kinked, or crushed.

4. Turn control knob clockwise to decrease/stop flow. Do not over tighten control knob.

#### **CAUTION:**

For medicinal use only. Federal law restricts this device to be used by or on order of a physician.



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**DO NOT** permit untrained personnel to install, operate or maintain this device. DO NOT attempt to install or operate this device until you have read and fully understand these instructions. If you do not fully understand these instructions, Contact your dealer, equipment provider or SMP Canada for more information.

#### MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR

#### **Cleaning Instructions:**

Use a clean damp cloth with a mild cleaning solution to wipe the outside of the flowmeter. **DO NOT** gas sterilize with ETO gas. **DO NOT** clean with pungent hydrocarbons.

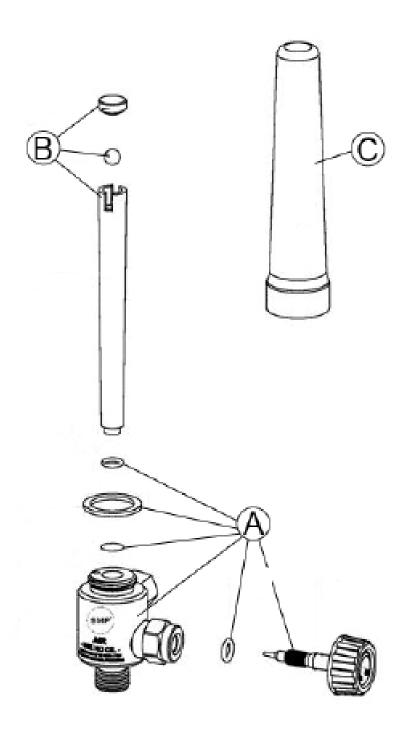
#### Maintenance

This device should be periodically checked and repaired if necessary, or when a malfunction is suspected or occurs.



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#### **Parts Description**





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Item	Part No.	Part No. Description	
			1
	Included with each option below	PL-Washer Filter net O-Ring-P6 Meter base - O2 Meter base - Air	1
			1
			1
			1
A	Option 1: FM-BOI	Control Knob Oxy - White (ISO)	1
	Option 2: FM-BAI	Control Knob Air - Black (ISO)	1
	Option 3: FM-BOU	Control Knob Oxy - Green (US)	1
	Option 4: FM-BAU	Control Knob Air - Yellow (US)	1
		Tube Top	1
В	FM-FWT	Metal Ball	1
		Inner Tube	
		O-Ring 1.5 x 6	1
С	FM-OUT	Outer Tube	1



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#### **Troubleshooting**

Problem	Probable Cause	Suggested Solution		
Flow will not shut off	<ol> <li>Leakage</li> <li>Defective Valve</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Replace seal or replace         housing</li> <li>Replace body         assembly</li> </ol>		
Sticking indicating ball	1. Debris in flow tube	Clean flow tube & float     ball with dry cloth and     swab		
Knob will not turn	1. Valve seized	1. Replace body assembly		

#### Repairs

Contact your dealer or the technical support department at SMP Canada for assistance if this device malfunctions.



#### **⚠** WARNING:

When changing connectors on the flowmeter for service or replacement, never re-attach connectors of a different gas. Doing so may result in patient injury or damage to the product.

#### **CAUTION:**

Disconnect the device from gas supply before servicing.



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#### **REUSABLE HUMIDIFIER** (Optional)



#### **Purpose**

The **SMP** reusable humidifier utilizes diffuser type humidification provide stable process to moisture content for maximum patient comfort during the administering of oxygen.

#### **Specification**

135ml max. line 2psi release

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#### **WARNING & CAUTIONS FOR OPERATION**

- 1. Remove product from package and inspect for damage. If there is any damage, do not use.
- 2. Only personnel instructed and trained in its intended use should operate this product.
- 3. Be sure all connections are tight and leak free.



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- 4. Do not use oil, grease, organic lubricant or any combustible materials on or near this product.
- 5. Never use in a place near any type of flame or flammable/explosive substances, vapors or atmosphere.
- 6. Always confirm prescribed flow before administering to the patient and monitor flow on a frequent basis.
- 7. Be sure all connects are tight and leak free.
- 8. Only use oxygen safe leak detector to test for leaks.

#### **Operation Instructions**

- 1. Inspect product for visible damage. Do not use if any damage is found.
- 2. Add water into the bottle below the maximum line.
- 3. Connect the inlet of humidifier to a flowmeter, along with attaching a suitable oxygen connecting tube to its outlet port.
- 4. Adjust the flowmeter and observe the generation of bubbles to assure it functions.
- 5. Alarm shall sound if oxygen tube is blocked.



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#### Maintenance

- 1. Only qualified personnel should repair this product. Unauthorized disassembly or attempt to repair it will cause damage to the product and void warranty.
- 2. The product can be sterilized with E.O Gas.
- 3. The bottle assemblies can be autoclavable at high pressure and temperature of 121°C for 10 mins.
- 4. Do not clean with aromatic hydrocarbons.
- 5. Do not immerse product in any kind of liquid.
- 6. Clean exterior portion of the product by a cloth dampened with soft detergent.
- 7. Store the product in a clean area when not in use.
- 8. Use suitable gas indexed fittings to connect product to corresponding medical gas source.

#### **Expiration**

8 years from date of manufacture, 5 years warranty.



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# WARRANTY

performed by those other than SMP Canada. warranty. This warranty will be voided for any unit that has been subjected to misuse, negligence, accident or repairs defective parts of faulty workmanship, as determined during evaluation by SMP Canada, will be repaired under purchase for 5 years. Other components are covered by their manufacturer's warranties. Any failure resulting from Components of this system are warranted under use against any and all manufacturing defects from the date of

# **WARRANTY CARD**

To validate your 5 year warranty, please fill out and mail this card to SMP Canada

within 10 days from the purchase date

DATE RECEIVED	PURCHASED FROM	ZIP / POSTAL CODE	CITY	ADDRESS	COMPANY NAME	YOUR NAME	MODEL
		PHONE.	STATE / PROVINCE				LOT NO
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