

## DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY

**MODEL: Liquid Nitrogen Transfer System 021**

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**ISO-9001 CERTIFIED**

This document certifies that the model identified above conforms to the European Union Council EMC Directive 89/336/EEC.

### Applicable Standards

EN 55011	Electromagnetic conducted and radiated limits.
EN 50082-1	Immunity to conducted and radiated interference.
EN 61010-1	Safety requirements for laboratory equipment.

**Other Tests**                      FCC Part 15A                      Radiated emissions limits.

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## **1.0 Introduction and Summary**

### **1.1 Introduction**

This report and the data included in it will serve as the necessary documentation needed to verify that the Liquid Nitrogen Transfer System 021 is in compliance with the CE directives that apply to it. The CE directives require that the instrument be inspected in four areas. These include 1) *Mains Terminal Disturbance (MTD)*, 2) *Electromagnetic Radiation (EMR)*, 3) *Electromagnetic Immunity (EMI)*, and 4) *General Safety*. The components used to construct the Liquid Nitrogen Transfer System 021 are certified by their manufacturers to be acceptable for use within the CE directives.

### **1.2 Summary**

The inspection conducted on the Liquid Nitrogen Transfer System 021 concluded that this instrument is in compliance with the applicable CE directives when installed and operated in accordance with the specifications that have been set forth by Micromeritics.

## **2.0 Certification by Inspection**

### **2.1 Mains Terminal Disturbance Testing (MTD)**

The Liquid Nitrogen Transfer System 021 uses components that have been certified by their manufacturers to be acceptable for use within the CE directives.

### **2.2 Electromagnetic Radiation Testing**

The Liquid Nitrogen Transfer System 021 uses components that have been certified by their manufacturers to be acceptable for use within the CE directives.

### **2.3 Electromagnetic Immunity Testing**

The Liquid Nitrogen Transfer System 021 uses components that have been certified by their manufacturers to be acceptable for use within the CE directives.

## **3.0 Safety Requirements**

### **3.1 Clause 1: Scope and Object**

The Liquid Nitrogen Transfer System 021 constitutes electrical equipment intended for professional, industrial use for measurement and test, and therefore must satisfy the safety requirement as set forth by the European Union in directive EN 61010-1:1993.

### **3.2 Clause 2: Normative Reference**

None considered applicable beyond the scope of EN 61010-1:1993.

### **3.3 Clause 3: Definitions**

None applicable.

### **3.4 Clause 4: Tests**

Section 4.1 allows "*that a test may be omitted where examination of the equipment demonstrates conclusively that the equipment would pass the test*". This is the case for most of the standard. There are also sections that do not apply. Those that do apply are addressed in the following sections.

### **3.5 Clause 5: Marking and Documentation**

5.1.2 Identification is provided on the serial number label.

5.1.3 Mains supply information is provided on the serial number label.

5.4 Documentation is provided in the product operating instructions.

### **3.6 Clause 6: Protection Against Electric Shock**

There are no “*accessible*” or “*hazardous live*” parts. There are no places that can be reached with test fingers or test pins. Protection is provided by the metal cabinet, which is connected to a “*protective conductor terminal*”.

6.5 The power supply and fuses provide protection for electrical faults.

6.5.1 Protective earthing connections are provided to all the metallic parts of the instrument cabinet. The connections are via the fasteners used for assembly.

6.7 Clearances and creepage are maintained by the UL, CSA, and/or VDE approved components and by the selection of appropriate interconnections and assembly methods.

6.10.1 Micromeritics offers suitable mains supply cords, which are harmonized to ensure protection. The cords are manufactured to the standards appropriate for the destination of the instrument.

6.12 Interrupting power to the instrument is by removing the power cord from the power inlet.

### **3.7 Clause 7: Protection Against Mechanical Hazards**

7.2 “*Moving parts shall not be able to crush, cut, or pierce parts of the body...*”.

There are no exposed moving parts in the Liquid Nitrogen Transfer System 021.

7.4 Provisions for lifting and carrying. The Liquid Nitrogen Transfer System 021 weighs approximately 8 Kg and is lifted and carried by two hands, placed underneath the base of the unit. These instructions are included in the product operating instructions.

### **3.8 Clause 8: Mechanical Resistance to Shock, Vibration, and Impact**

The construction of the Liquid Nitrogen Transfer System 021 is believed to be strong enough to withstand all of the applicable tests as outlined in the applicable directive.

### **3.9 Clause 9: Equipment Temperature Limits**

There are no hazards likely to occur during *normal operation or single fault condition* which allows heat to build up, beyond normal operating temperatures of the electronic systems. All temperatures are significantly lower than the limits indicated in Table 3 of the standard.

9.6 The certified fuses and power supply protect the equipment against excessive energy being drawn from the mains.

### **3.10 Clause 10: Resistance to Heat**

All parts covered in this section are approved by UL, CSA, TUV, and/or VDE. The approved parts are connected using UL/CSA/VDE terminals with UL/CSA wiring. (600 V, -40°C to 105 °C, PVC insulated 18 GA).

### **3.11 Clause 11: Resistance to Moisture and Liquids**

The Liquid Nitrogen Transfer System 021 is designed with a top cover; therefore, a

spill during normal operation is very unlikely to pose any hazard to the operator.

**3.12 Clause 12: Protection Against Radiation**

The Liquid Nitrogen Transfer System 021 produces no radiation.

**3.13 Clause 13: Protection Against Liberated Gases**

There are no harmful gases used or generated. There are no batteries used in this instrument. There are no high vacuum devices.

**3.14 Clause 14: Components**

Components associated with the safety requirements are VDE and/or TUV certified.

**3.15 Clause 15: Interlocks**

There are no interlocks on this instrument.