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# Vacuum Chamber Model No. VMS 123

#### **General**

The VMS 123 is a medium size tabletop Vacuum Chamber machine. This model offers a host of standard features and many additional options if required. This is an ideal average size machine for the more demanding requirements. With 10 digital programs it allows the user to preset the machine for different products and easier user selections. This sophisticated model offers a lower price for a high specification machine.

#### **Features**

- 10 digital programs
- Vacuum pump 16m<sup>3</sup>/hr
- Soft air
- Filler plates supplied

#### **Options**

Trim seal 8mm seal Vacuum sensor Multi cycle Gas flush

Specifications of VMS 123	
Machine Size (LxWxH) mm	450 x 525 x 385
Chamber size (LxWxH) mm	350 x 420 x 150
Effective_chamber sizemm	340 x 370
Weight	67Kg approx
Seal length mm	1 x 340
Seal width mm	3.5 double seal
Vacuum Pump	16m <sup>3</sup> /h
Consumption	0.55 kW
Power requirements	240 Volt 13 amp supply



#### VACUUM CHAMBER MACHINES

## **Operation**

A vacuum chamber removes the air out of a bag by use of a vacuum pump. Once the air has been removed the bag is then sealed. The models start with a small tabletop model and progress through various sizes. The cabinet of every model is made of stainless steel, while the chamber is either constructed of stainless steel (VMS machines) or aluminium (VM machines). All models come with filler plates so that the working height inside the chamber can be adjusted for the product.

# **OPTIONS**

#### **Gas Flushing**

Adding gas to the package is a way of extending the shelf life of the product. The product, and the space around it in the chamber are vacuumised as normal. Usually after the vacuuming process the bag is sealed; but with gas flushing the pouch is injected with a gas or gas mixture. When the desired volume of gas is reached the bag is then sealed. This gives a very low residual oxygen percentage and the product is no longer under vacuum pressure.

## Soft Air

Soft-air is the ideal function to enable fragile (e.g. fish) or sharp (e.g. T-bone) products to be packed without damage. The air enters the vacuum chamber very gently after the sealing process giving the vacuum bag time to form around the fragile or sharp product. The result is that the product or the vacuum bag will not be damaged.

An additional benefit is that the product looks neater with a better formed package.

#### <u>Sensor</u>

When it is important to obtain an exact vacuum or gas level we recommend a sensor. The standard machine normally replies on a time cycle for the vacuum and gas levels, which is accurate enough for most applications. However, when dealing with products that vary in volume or density, a sensor ensures that each package is under the same level of vacuum.

#### **Multi-cycles**

Sometimes it may be necessary to have a repeated sequence of vacuuming and gassing. The multi-cycles option makes this possible with up to 8 processes in one cycle. All models (except VMS 43,53,113 and 133) can be equipped with the multi-cycle option. It is not possible to combine the multicycle with the sensor option