



# HBO<sub>2</sub>

## Raddec Hyperbaric Oxidiser

#### Efficient and rapid extraction of tritium and <sup>14</sup>C

Complete and clean oxidation of organic-rich materials (foodstuffs, marine and freshwater fish, meat, vegetation, wood, oils, plastics, and soft wastes) using high pressure oxygen to promote efficient combustion.

Application areas: Nuclear decommissioning, waste characterization, environmental monitoring, C14 extraction



110 kg total system weight



240V 10A



Working footprint with Cyro-cooler: 1400mm, 600mm,1000mm (w,h,d)





#### Key features

- Efficient and rapid extraction of <sup>3</sup>H and <sup>14</sup>C from combustible materials, organic-rich matierials, soft wastes and explosives.
- Rapid and effective combustion of samples (up to 20g).
- Incorporates a novel door locking mechanism with three safety interlocks.
- Complete combustion in approximately one minute
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### Specifications & system requirements

Hardware	5 Litre stainless steel pressure vessel
	Rotary (mutli-lug) door locking
	Pressure relief valve lc: s (Safety evaluated for routine 100 Bar operation)
	Resistance wire (Nichrome) sample ignition system
	Combustion chamber viewing window
	Gas transfer/analyte recovery system
	Dashboard with (incorporating) 5 digital displays and 5 gas flow controls  • Dual pressure transducers with digital displays (high and low pressure systems/circuits)  • Dual thermocouples with digital displays  • Mass flow controller with digital display
	National Instruments data Logger
Safety systems	Ignition interlocks (closure and remote ignition key)
Gas transfer system	User-controlled valves
	Single stage Regulator
	2-stage vacuum pump
	Mass Flow Controller (computer controlled)
Cryo-trapping system	-110°C cryo-electrical (refrigerated) condenser
	Graf-Blok condenser/thermal interface – high efficiency graphite block heat exchanger
	Vacuum tight glass condenser tubes (dual stage/high efficiency)
Monitoring and visualisation software	Labview operating system
	HBO <sub>2</sub> +: bespoke data visualization and control package

System requirements	Power: 240V 32A (others possible)
	Compressed gas bottle: 300 bar (Oxygen)
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	Local vapour extraction
	Sample pelletisation press
	PC computer for data visualisation

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