

**USER MANUAL** 

# µHb Micro Homogenizer

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- Keep this product away from heated surfaces.
- DO NOT attempt to modify any part of this product.
- DO NOT allow the machine to be submerged in any liquid.
- DO NOT use in any setting other than an indoor laboratory.
- DO NOT use attachments not recommended by the manufacturer.
- DO NOT operate the product if it is damaged in any way.
- DO NOT operate the product with the safety ground disconnected.
- **DO NOT** modify the plug or cord that is provided.

**WARNING:** Reduce the risk of unintentional starting; make sure the machine is OFF before plugging into a power supply.

**WARNING:** Damaged or worn power cords should be repaired or replaced immediately by a qualified electrician.

WARNING: Improper connection of the equipment can result in a risk of electric shock.

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#### **Proper Equipment Operation**

To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not remove the cover. No user serviceable parts are inside. Refer to qualified service personnel if help is required. Use this product only in the manner described in this manual. If the equipment is used in a manner not specified by the manufacturer, the protection provided by the equipment may be impaired.

#### **FCC**

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC (United States Federal Communications Commission) Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- This device may not cause harmful interference
- This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

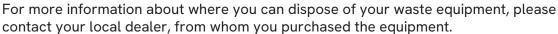
#### CE/UKCA

This device complies with all CE and UKCA rules and requirements.

Changes or modifications to this equipment not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

This equipment is marked with the crossed-out wheeled bin symbol, to indicate that this equipment may not be disposed of as unsorted municipal waste.

It's your responsibility to correctly dispose of your equipment at life-cycle end, by handing it over to an authorized facility for separate collection and recycling of waste equipment. It's also your responsibility to decontaminate your equipment in case of biological, chemical or radiological contamination, and so protect the persons involved in the disposal and recycling of the equipment from health hazards.



By doing so, you will help to preserve natural and environmental resources and you will ensure that your equipment is recycled in a manner that protects human health.



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## Table of Symbols

| Symbol   | Description   | Symbol | Description                                   |
|--|---|--------|---|
| <u></u> The state of the state</th <th>Caution. Refer to the<br/>User documentation<br/>(ISO 7000-0434B)</th> <th></th> <th>On (power).<br/>(IEC 60417-5007)</th> | Caution. Refer to the<br>User documentation<br>(ISO 7000-0434B)   |        | On (power).<br>(IEC 60417-5007)               |
|  | Hazardous voltage; risk<br>of electric shock.<br>(IEC 60417-6042) | O      | Off (power).<br>(IEC 60417-5008)              |
|  | Fuse. (IEC 60417-5016)  | i      | Consult Instructions for Use. (ISO 7000-1641) |
| AC   | Alternating current. (IEC 60417-5032)                             | CE     | CE Compliance Mark                            |
| UK   | UKCA Certification Mark   |        | WEEE symbol<br>(EN50419:2005)                 |
| RoHS   | RoHS Certification Mark   |        | KC Certification Mark                         |

## **Specifications**

| Part Number        | UHB-115 and UHB-220  |
|--------------------|--|
| Input Voltage      | UHB-115 - 100-115V, 50/60 Hz and UHB-220 - 220-230V 50/60 Hz |
| Weight             | 01.02 lbs. (466 g)   |
| Dimensions         | W: 23" (7.6 cm), H: 9" (22.9 cm)                             |
| Power              | 35 Watts   |
| Speed              | 5,000 - 30,000 rpm   |
| Standards Approval | CE and UKCA Approved   |

## **Site Requirements**

#### **Operating Environment**

4°C to 40°C / 39°F to 104°F, Humidity: 5% to 95% RH

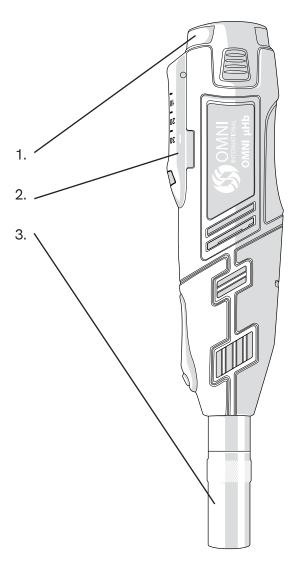
#### **Ambient Air**

The system must be located in an area where the ambient air is clean. No emission of solid particles or smoke in the air by adjacent equipment is allowed. The level of dust should be comparable to that of normal laboratory spaces.

#### **External Fire Protection**

External fire protection should be installed according to local regulations for equipment operating unattended.

## **System Overview**



- 1. Battery Pack
- 2. Variable Speed Control
- 3. B-Style Probe Adapter

## The $\mu Hb$ consists of the following:

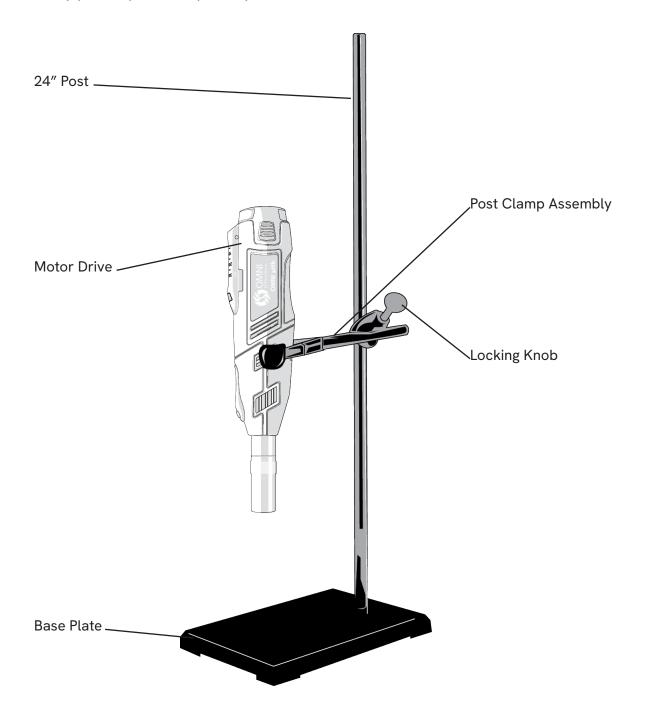
| Description        | Part Number  | Quantity |
|--------------------|--------------|----------|
| Motor Drive Unit   | F2600        | 1        |
| Battery Pack       | H1160-B      | 1        |
| Tool Kit           | T1001        | 1        |
| Charger            | 115V or 230V | 1        |
| Instruction Manual | H258-H       | 1        |

## **General Operation**

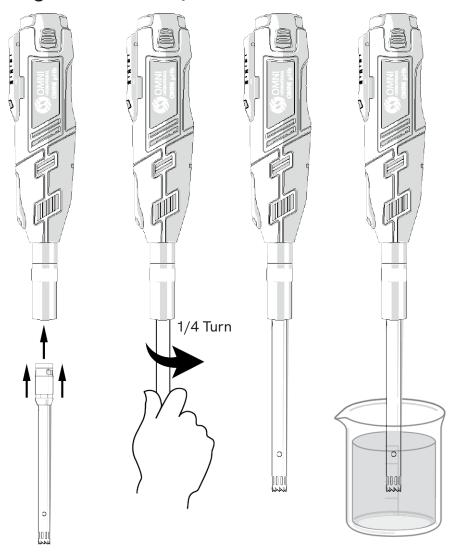
- Insert charged battery into housing.
- Move the On/Off switch on the front of the unit to the On position.
- 5,000 30,000 rpm
- Adjust speed using the variable speed control. To increase rpm, move control from back to front.
- Move the On/Off switch on the front of the unit to the Off position.

## Stand Mounting the µHb

The Stand Assembly (F22000) is sold separately.



## Inserting Probes into the µHb



- 1. Insert Generator Probe into coupling.
- 2. Quarter turn clockwise to lock.
- 3. Release.
- 4. Ready to use.
  - \*Always submerge probe in liquid before starting.

\*Never run dry

WARNING: The blue protective cap must be removed from the end of the generator probe before operating.

## Generator Probes for the µHb

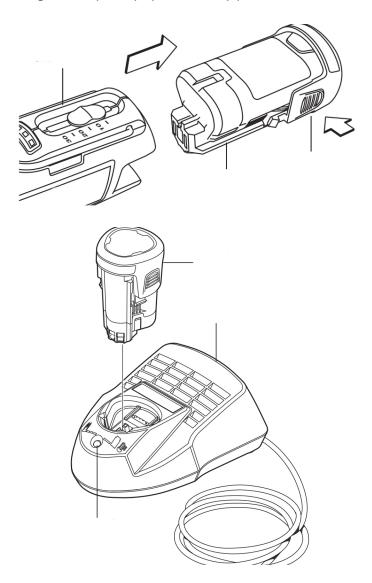
| Diameter | Length | Part Number | Processing Range | Pack Qty |
|----------|--------|-------------|------------------|----------|
| 5 mm     | 75 mm  | B5-075      | <200 μL - 5 mL   | 1        |
| 5 mm     | 75 mm  | B5-075-6    | <200 μL - 5 mL   | 6        |
| 7 mm     | 110 mm | B7-110ST    | 250 μL - 30 mL   | 1        |
| 7 mm     | 110 mm | B7-110ST-6  | 250 µL - 30 mL   | 6        |
| 10 mm    | 110 mm | B10-110ST   | 1.5 - 100 mL     | 1        |
| 10 mm    | 110 mm | B10-110ST-6 | 1.5 - 100 mL     | 6        |

## Disposable Probes for the µHb

| Diameter | Length | Part Number | Туре        | Pack Qty |
|----------|--------|-------------|-------------|----------|
| 7 mm     | 110 mm | 30750H      | Soft Tissue | 25       |
| 7 mm     | 110 mm | 32750H      | Soft Tissue | 50       |
| 7 mm     | 110 mm | 30750       | Hard Tissue | 25       |
| 7 mm     | 110 mm | 32750       | Hard Tissue | 50       |
| 12 mm    | 110 mm | 301250      | Hard Tissue | 25       |
| 12 mm    | 110 mm | 321250      | Hard Tissue | 50       |

## **Battery Pack and Charger**

Battery life will vary as a function of load, speed, number of charges, etc. A fully charged battery is generally capable of 30 minutes of power with a 7 mm generator probe at 25,000 rpm in water. It may be convenient to purchase additional battery packs (P/N H1160-B) to keep the motor unit operational while battery packs are recharging. For optimal battery life, the battery should be completely discharged before recharging. It takes approximately 6 hours to recharge a completely spent battery pack.



## **Battery Pack and Charger Safety Information**

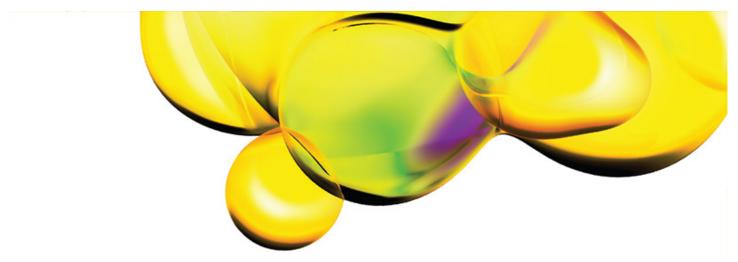
- Battery powered equipment is always in the ON position. Keep the motor unit switch in the OFF position when not in use, during recharging, or plugging in the unit.
- Keep batteries away from heat or fire, they may explode.
- Batteries may leak under extreme use or temperature conditions.
  If any liquid comes in contact with skin, wash immediately with soap and water, and consult a physician.
  If liquid comes in contact with eyes, flush them with clean water for a minimum of 10 minutes and seek immediate medical attention.
- Use only the charger supplied with your µHb.
- Before using the battery charger, read all instructions and cautionary markings on the charger and the motor unit.
- **DO NOT** use an attachment that is not recommended or sold by the battery charger manufacturer. Such use may result in fire, electric shock, or injury.
- **DO NOT** operate the charger if it is damaged in any way, such as receiving a sharp blow or being dropped. Return it to Revvity for repair or replacement.
- To reduce the risk of electric shock, unplug the charger from the outlet before attempting any maintenance or cleaning.
- **DO NOT** disassemble the charger, incorrect assembly may result in fire or electric shock. Return it to Omni International when service or repair is required.
- **DO NOT** recharge the battery pack in a damp or wet environment.
- Never recharge the unit in an environment where the temperature is less than +40°F or more than +140°F.
- Improperly charging Nickel Cadmium batteries can cause batteries to explode, causing personal injury.
- To reduce risk of damage to the electrical plug and the cord, unplug the charger or motor unit by the plug rather than by the cord.
- Make sure the charger cord is located so that it will not be stepped on, tripped over, or otherwise subjected to stress or damage.

## **Troubleshooting**

| Problem                           | Possible Solution  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| Teflon bearing wears quickly      | - Fluid level in the sample may be too low<br>- Immerse the probe further into the fluid |
| Excessive splashing in the sample | - Fluid level is too low for the tube size   |

WARNING: Any service must be performed by a qualified service technician. This can be either an Revvity Technician or an end user resource.

All parts need to be sourced from the Revvity service department.



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