PRODUCT DATA SHEET



POLYCOLD® MAXCOOL 2500L CRYOCHILLER

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The Polycold® MaxCool 2500L Cryochiller is a closed loop cryogenic refrigeration system that provides up to 2,500 watts of cooling. It can be used to capture water vapour and other condensable substances by freezing them onto a cold surface

such as a cryocoil or chevron baffle. The MaxCool 2500L Cryochiller is also used to cool and heat objects such as electrostatic chucks used in semiconductor wafer processing.

Water vapour pumping

The Polycold® MaxCool 2500L Cryochiller effectively captures water vapour, which comprises 65% to 95% of the residual gas in high vacuum systems. Water vapour is typically the most reactive contaminant present. With our MaxCool Cryochiller you can expect an increase in product throughput in your existing system of 20% to 100% an improvement in the quality of deposition.

The MaxCool advantage

- High-vacuum pumpdown time cut by up to 75%
- High-speed pumping of water vapour in the workspace: typically up to 209,000 l/sec
 Increased product throughput of 20% to 100%
- Lower water vapour partial pressure during processing for higher film quality, better
- adhesion and more reproducible depositionSuperior in cost/performance to liquid nitrogen cooled Meissners
- Minimise cost of ownership with power management
- High capacity cooling and heating for a wide variety of processes

When added to your vacuum system, the MaxCool Cryochiller can dramatically reduce pumpdown times and increase product throughput. The MaxCool will pump water vapour within minutes from start and can defrost in less than four minutes, giving true fast-cycle capability. It also has an option called Rapid Cool to Cool, which eliminates the waiting period after defrost, enabling your system to perform more production cycles per shift.

Using patented Polycold[®] refrigerant mixtures, the MaxCool works on the principle of Meissner trapping. Water vapour is captured by condensation on a cryogenically cooled surface, called a Meissner coil. The Meissner cryocoil is mounted directly in the vacuum chamber so conductance is not limited by ports, manifolds, valves and baffles. The cryocoil is easy to install and can be adapted to fit any system. It does not need a high vacuum valve.

MaxCool Cryochillers are the most cost-effective upgrade that you can add to any diffusionpumped, turbo-pumped, or helium-cryopumped system.



The Polycold® MaxCool 2500L Cryochiller is compliant with European Application Refrigerants (EC 1005/2009), the Montreal Protocol and the US EPA SNAP

Features and Benefits

- -120° to -145°C (153 to 128K)
- Heat Removal to 2,500 watts
- Cryocondenses water vapour in vacuum systems with speeds to 209,000 l/sec vacuum levels to 8 x 10⁻¹⁰ torr (1 x 10⁻⁹ mbar)
- Theoretical maximum pumping speed 208,600 l/s
- Option for power management to minimise cost of ownership
- Patented Green refrigerant charge is globally compliant, non-toxic and non-flammable
- Based on Polycold®'s proven, innovative, dependable mixed gas refrigeration
- Certified by third party to EU PED, MD, and RoHS
- TUV Rheinland Listed to NRTL/CANADA Safety Standards
- ISO 9001:2015 certified manufacturer
- USB and Ethernet connectivity standard
- Optional choice of PROFIBUS, PROFINET, DeviceNet, EtherCAT, or Analog interfaces

MaxCool 2500L Specifications

Typical Performance ^a Maximum Load Average Temperature at Maximum Load Coldest Temperature at No Load Typical Water Vanor Pumping Speed	2500 W -120°C -145°C
(from Typical Cryocoil Surface Area) Maximum Pump Start Pressure ^b	208,600 l/s 1 atm
Ultimate Operating Pressure ^c	8E-10 torr 1E-9 mbar 1E-7 Pa
Time To Defrost ^d	4 minutes
Cryocoils and Refrigerant Lines Typical Cryocoil Surface Area Conservative Maximum Cryocoil Surface Area ^e	1.4 m² (15.1 ft²) 2.0 m² (21.5 ft²)
Typical Refrigerant Line Length Typical Single Circuit Cryocoil Tube OD Typical Single Circuit Cryocoil Tube Length Typical Dual Circuit Cryocoil Tube OD Typical Dual Circuit Cryocoil Tube Length	2.4 m (8 ft) 16 mm (5/8 in) 27.9 m (92.1 ft) 12 mm (1/2 in) 18.6 m (57.6 ft)
Utilities Cooling water flow for 13 °C (55 °F) Cooling water flow for 18 °C (65 °F) Cooling water flow for 24 °C (75 °F) Cooling water flow for 29 °C (85 °F)	15.1 l/min 18.2 l/min 27.3 l/min 54.1 l/min
Power Input (Standby Mode) Power Input (Cool Mode, Low Load) Power Input (Cool Mode, Maximum Load)	11.4 kW 13.9 kW 19.2 kW
Nominal Power Requirements ^f	200-3-50 208-3-60 230-3-60 380-3-50 400-3-50 460-3-60 480-3-60
Safety and Compliance Certified by an Independent Third Party for European PED-Compliance Nontoxic Refrigerant Blends Nonflammable Refrigerant Blends	Yes Yes Yes
Minimum Room Volume per EN 378 ^g Minimum Room Volume per ASHRAE-15 ^g	39 m ³ (1377 ft ³) 40 m ³ (1400 ft ³)
Maximum Operating Sound Level h	78 dB(A)

Footnotes: a) Under standard test conditions with a single-circuit model, 25°- 28°C cooling water, a 2.4m refrigerant line, a typical cryocoil surface area, 25°C temperature in the line of sight with the cryocoil, and 60Hz operation. b) Recommended cryopump start pressure is near normal "crossover." Mechanical roughing pumps and blowers are generally more effective for moisture removal above 1torr. c) Typical cryocoil at twenty five percent (25%) of maximum pumping speed. d) Many applications use smaller cryocoils and achieve significantly shorter defrost times. e) Larger cryocoils give greater pumping speeds, and can be used in some applications. Contact Edwards Vacuum for application details. f) For nominal power requirements not in the table, please contact Edwards Vacuum. Please refer to the manual for allowable voltage ranges. For 480 volt operation the maximum voltage is 506V. g) To comply with EN-378 or ASHRAE-15, the cryochiller should be located in a room no smaller than listed. h) Units were tested in a manufacturing environment while under maximum load in the COOL mode.

Helpful Information for Sizing Systems

- Radiation Heat Load on Cryocoil At 25°C
- At 25°C Ambient Conditions: 376.6 watts/m² (35 watts/ft²)
- Refrigerant Line Heat Load: 26.3 watts/m (8 watts/ft)
- Vacuum Jacketed Line Heat Load: 1.0 watts/m (0.3 watts/ft)
- Water Vapour Pumping Speed: 149,000 l/s/m² (13,842 l/s/ft²)
- Liquid Nitrogen Cooling: approximately 45 watts/litre/hour

MaxCool 2500L Performance



Single-circuit models; 25-28°C cooling water; temperature shown is average of inlet and outlet temperature using typical cryocoil size; temperature difference between inlet and outlet at maximum load is typically 20°C; end point of each curve is maximum load for that model; performance at SOHz can be 3-5°C warmer than 60Hz performance shown.



Single-circuit models; 25- 28°C cooling water; 2.4m refrigerant line; advertised cryocoil surface areas only; larger cryocoils will give greater pumping speeds and can be used in some applications; 25°C temperature in line of sight with cryocoil; 60Hz.

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