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Produktkategori: Med reference til kravene i WEEE-direktivets bilag I klassificeres dette produkt som et produkt til "overvågning og kontrolinstrumentering" i kategori 9.



MÂ ikke bortskaffes via husholdningsaffald!

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English

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Product Category: With reference to the equipment types in the WEEE Directive Annex I, this product is classed as category 9 "Monitoring and Control Instrumentation" product.



Do not dispose in domestic household waste!

To return unwanted products, contact the manufacturer's web site shown on the product or your local sales office or distributor.

Français

Ce produit est conforme aux normes de marquage de la directive DEEE (2002/96/CE). La présence de cette étiquette indique que cet appareil électrique/électronique ne doit pas être mis au rebut avec les déchets ménagers.

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Categoría del producto: con referencia a los tipos de equipo del anexo I de la Directiva WEEE, este producto está clasificado como categoría 9 de "Instrumentación de supervisión y control".



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Deutsch

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Produktkategorie: In Bezug auf die Gerätetypen in Anhang I der WEEE-Richtlinie ist dieses Produkt als Kategorie 9 "Überwachungs- und Kontrollinstrument" klassifiziert.



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Categoria del prodotto: con riferimento ai tipi di apparecchiature elencate nell'Allegato 1 della Direttiva RAEE, questo prodotto rientra nella categoria 9 "Strumenti di monitoraggio e di controllo".



Non gettare in un contenitore per rifiuti domestici.

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Categoria do produto: No que se refere aos tipos de equipamento listados no Anexo I da Directiva WEEE, este produto está classificado como produto da categoria 9, "Instrumentação de monitorização e controlo".



Não deite fora juntamente com o lixo doméstico!

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Nederlands

Dit product voldoet aan de merktekenvereisten van de AEEA-richtlijn (2002/96/EG). Het aangebrachte merkteken duidt erop dat dit elektrische/elektronische product niet met het huishoudelijk afval mag worden afgevoerd.

Productcategorie: Met betrekking tot de apparatuurcategorieën van bijlage I van de AEEA-richtlijn, valt dit product onder categorie 9 'meet- en controle-instrumenten'.



Niet afvoeren met huishoudelijk afval!

Om ongewenste producten te retourneren, neemt u contact op met de website van de fabrikant die op het product staat vermeld, of met uw plaatselijke verkoopkantoor of distributeur.

Svenska

Denna produkt uppfyller märkningskraven enligt WEEE Directive (2002/96/EC). Märkningsetiketten anger att du inte får kassera denna elektriska/elektroniska produkt tillsammans med vanliga hushållssopor.

Produktkategori: Med hänvisning till utrustningstyperna i WEEE Directive Annex I, är denna produkt klassad som kategori 9 "Monitoring and Control Instrumentation" (Instrument för övervakning och styrning).



Får ej kasseras tillsammans med vanliga hushållssopor!

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Produktkategori: På grunnlag av utstyrstypene i WEEE-direktivet, vedlegg I, er dette produktet klassifisert i kategori 9, "Instrumentering for overvåking og kontroll".



Må ikke kastes sammen med husholdningsavfall!

Ved behov for returforsendelse av uønskede produkter må du gå til produsentens nettside som er angitt på produktet, eller du må kontakte det lokale salgskontoret eller den lokale forhandleren.

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2 GETTING STARTED

This section will provide the user with information about the Model 2900 humidity generator, where to obtain technical support, software license agreement, specifications, uncertainty, facility requirements and installation. Following sections will provide further details on how to use and operate the Model 2900 generator using the ControLog® software.

Note - All pressures are absolute unless noted otherwise.

2.1 ABOUT

The Thunder Scientific Model 2900 Humidity Generator is capable of producing known humidity values using the fundamental, NIST proven, "two-pressure" principle. The Model 2900 uses this fundamental "two-pressure" principle to continuously supply a known relative humidity, dew point, frost point, parts per million, or other calculated value for instrument calibration and evaluation as well as precision environmental testing.

The Model 2900 humidity generator encompasses a high-performance stand-alone Data Acquisition Computer that performs all functions required for humidity generation and control and a second dedicated Human Machine Interface (HMI) computer that runs ControLog. ControLog is a software application that fully automates the operation of the Model 2900 humidity generator and allows various device connections through a number of different interfaces. Data from the generator and connected device or devices is automatically retrieved and stored for viewing in either numerical or graphical format in real time or post process. Data can be transferred off the system via a USB drive for further viewing, post processing and printing. The ControLog software also provides the primary interface to the operator via the multi-point touch LCD and keyboard.

Key features of the of the ControLog software are:

- ControLog stores data into individual data sheets (tab). Each data sheet contains a spreadsheet
 type view that consists of a date/time stamp and the measured data items corresponding to
 that date/time stamp. Data sheets consist of three similar but different types: Device Data, File
 Data and Data Summary. Each type has the same spreadsheet type view and operation, but all
 three have different data sources.
- Graphing is a powerful tool used to view previously recorded data or to monitor the current
 data in real-time. The graph works hand in hand with the data sheets. While the generator is
 in operation, data sheets store the most recent data points from the generator and or
 connected devices at the desired interval. A graph can be used to create a visual picture of this
 stored data.
- The Auto Profiling feature is very similar to the Generate mode with the main exception that profiling relies on a predefined list of setpoints referred to as a profile. The user configurable profile is used as ControLog's road map during Auto Profile operation. It defines which setpoint values to go to, at what rate to go from one setpoint to another, and how Isong to stay at a specific setpoint before moving to the next setpoint.
- ControLog supports a customizable interface that works with most devices. ControLog will
 allow the user to create a new device connection using the "Connection Wizard" or open
 previously saved connections. The wizard will open a separate dialog window containing

various steps that will guide the user in defining the communication required to receive the desired data items from the device. The user can create as many (up to 60) or as few data items as they see fit for any one device. Each data item can be uniquely named and once connected will be recorded in its own data sheet. ControLog also allows the user to save these interfaces for future use. The "Connection Wizard" allows the user to step through the connection configuration. Using the "Next" and "Back" buttons the user is allowed to progress through the connection configuration steps. At any time, the user may cancel the new connection or opening of a connection by selecting the "Cancel" button. Once the last step has been completed the "Finish" button will be available to complete the new connection.

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2.3 SAFETY INFORMATION

Important safety guidelines need to be observed when operating this equipment. Precautions are highly advisable so that no personal injury will occur during the operation and maintenance of the system. Observation of local and national regulations must be adhered to regarding safety standards.

2.3.1 Live Power Source

Warning! Make sure all power sources are turned off before making internal adjustments or replacing any components. Only authorized technicians should perform any maintenance or repairs to equipment.

2.3.2 Electrostatic Discharge

Caution! Electrostatic discharge (ESD) could possibly damage or destroy solid-stat parts when exposed to static electric discharges. Be aware because electrostatic discharges may not be seen, felt or heard at levels less than 4,000 volts.

2.3.3 Compressed Gas

Compressed gas is used on this system and if not properly vented may create an environment where the state of foreign matter may be propelled. Proper safety precautions must be fallowed when applying any pressure to the system. Before applying any pressure to the system, ensure that all pneumatic connections are properly secured and tightened. Make sure all pressure settings are set to the proper specifications before operation, testing, calibration or maintenance is performed.

2.3.4 Personal Protective Equipment

Safety glasses must be worn when preforming any maintenance, repairs or calibration when system panels have been removed. Gloves may be needed on some maintenance or repairs.

2.3.5 Safety Symbols

Symbols used in this manual for safety and other disciplines can be found in table 1-1.

Safety terminology used for identification of any safety conditions are as follows:

Warning indicates a potential hazard may exist and the user should be extremely careful.

Caution! identifies a condition or action that may cause damage to the system or the user.

Symbol	Description
CE	The equipment has this symbol displayed and indicates that the equipment meets the requirements of the European safety directives.
	This symbol is shown from the WEEE directive and indicates do not dispose of this product in any municipal waste area.
<u> </u>	This symbol means Caution should be observed or important information.
<u></u>	This symbol indicates a potential shock hazard may exist.
	This symbol means Earth Ground.

Table 1-1

2.4 TECHNICAL SUPPORT

If the user requires assistance with any aspect of the 2900 Humidity Generating System or the ControLog application, technical support can be obtained by contacting Thunder Scientific Corporation by any of the following means:

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2.9 SPECIFICATIONS

Relative Humidity Range:	
Relative Humidity Range:1	
Frost Point Temperature Range:	33.60 to 0 °C
Dew Point Temperature Range:	36.94 to 70 °C
Chamber Fluid Temperature Range: 2	-10 to 72 °C
Chamber Fluid Temperature Control Stability:	³ 0.002 °C
Chamber Temperature Uniformity: 4	<0.04 °C
Chamber Fluid Temperature Heating Rate: fro	m -10 to 72 °C 0.5 °C per Minute (average)
Chamber Fluid Temperature Cooling Rate: fro	m 72 to 0 °C 0.5 °C per Minute (average)
Chamber Fluid Temperature Cooling Rate: fro	m 0 to -10 °C 0.2 °C per Minute (average)
Temperature Specification:	0.027 °C
Gas Type:	Air or Nitrogen
Gas Pressure Rating: (MAWP)	175 psiG
Gas Flow Rate Range:	
Gas Flow Rate Specification:	5% of full scale
Saturation Pressure Range:	Ambient to 160 psiA
Saturation Pressure Specification:	
Test Chamber Pressure Range:	Ambient
Supply Pressure Range:	Ambient to 150 psiG
Supply Pressure Specification:	±1 psiG
Display Resolution:	0.001
Test Chamber Dimensions:	12" x 12" x 10" (304.8 mm x 304.8 mm x 254 mm)
Physical Dimensions:	22" H x 36" W x 23" D (558.8 mm x 432 mm x 584.2 mm)

¹ The system will limit mass flow rate to 20 L/min for %RH greater than 95.

² Only the glycol/water heat transfer fluid circulating around the chamber is controlled to setpoint via the saturation temperature probe. Chamber temperature inside the chamber may vary depending on door configuration, setup, and uniformity. Note: the 2900 can only operate for a finite amount of time at or below 0 °C ³ Temperature Control Stability is defined as the standard deviation over a 10-minute period, as measured by the saturation temperature control sensor after being at point for 60 minutes.

⁴ Chamber Temperature Uniformity is defined as the maximum temperature difference between any two locations at a single point in time. Locations are within one inch of the chamber wall and within 2.5 inches of the chamber door. Using a minimum chamber fan speed of 25% for a temperature range of approximately -10 °C to 72 ° when using fluid jacket door option and ±10 °C from ambient when not.

2.10 UNCERTAINTY 5

RH Uncertainty: 10 to 95 %RH, 0 to 70 °C, 10 to 40 L/min	0.5% of reading
RH Uncertainty: 95 to 98 %RH, 0 to 70 °C, 10 to 20 L/min	0.5% of reading
Dew/Frost Point Uncertainty: < 0.01 °C, 10 to 40 L/min	0.05 °C
Dew Point Uncertainty: 0.01 to 70 °C, 10 to 40 L/min	
Temperature Uncertainty: -10 to 72 °C	0.031 °C
Test Chamber Pressure Uncertainty: Ambient	0.007 psiA

⁵ Chamber pressure at 1 atmosphere, Uncertainty values represent an expanded uncertainty using a coverage factor, k=2, at an approximate level of confidence of 95%. Uncertainty is not specified at saturation temperatures below 0 °C or at flow rates below 10 L/min. Uncertainty is based on the worst-case value from the 2900 uncertainty analysis.

2.11 FACILITY REQUIREMENTS

2.11.1 Environment

Operating Temperature:	15 to 30 °C
Storage Temperature:	0 to 50 °C
Humidity:	5 to 95% RH Non-condensing

2.11.2 Floor Space

A bench and/or floor, capable of supporting approximately 300 pounds, with a minimum space of 27" (0.686m) deep x 43" (1.09m) wide.

Allow an additional 20" (0.508m) in width for clearance, if possible, to allow complete opening of the chamber door and access to the test ports.

Refer to drawings: 18D29901-2, 18D29910-1

2.11.3 Power

Electrical Power:	. 200-230/210-240 V~, 10 A, 1 Ø, 50/60 Hz
Gas Supply Maximum Inlet Pressure:	175 psiG @ 50 L/min

2.11.4 Air Supply

When not using the pneumatic cart, a clean, oil free instrument air supply operating at a @ 165 psiG and 50 L/m is required. The air supply should be filtered to a particle size of 0.5 microns or less, a hydrocarbon content of 1 PPM or less, with a pressure dewpoint of 15 °C or less. Regulated supply pressure other than recommended (175 psiG maximum) is acceptable but may limit the lowest humidity obtainable from the generator and will require an internal pressure regulator (REG) adjustment.

Refer to section <u>2.12.5 Setting Supply Pressure Regulator</u> for more information on adjusting the internal pressure regulator (REG).

2.11.5 Distilled Water Supply

One gallon (3.8 liters) of double distilled water per fill. The one-gallon supply can last from 8 hours to more than 500 hours of use depending upon the temperature and humidity at which the generator is operated (reference section 13.3.4). During operation near ambient temperature and 50% RH, one gallon should last for approximately 200 hours.

2.12 Installation

2.12.1 Uncrating

Before uncrating, carefully inspect the crate and skid to be certain the unit was not subjected to damage. If there is damage, proceed no further and notify your inspection department and the shipping agent.

If the crate appears satisfactory:

- 1. Remove steel strapping.
- 2. Using "Clip Removal Tool" or thin pry-bar, remove top cover clips then remove top panel.
- 3. One panel at a time, remove the panel clips then remove panel.
- 4. Remove polyethylene covering from unit.
- 5. Inspect for any visible damage.
- 6. Remove any/all accessory boxes.
- 7. Using forklift or another suitable lifting device, lift unit from skid and place on the 2900 cart or instrument bench.

CAUTION!

BEFORE APPROACHING THE EQUIPMENT WITH THE FORKLIFT, VISUALLY LOCATE ANY HARDWARE WHICH MIGHT PROJECT INTO THE PATH OF THE FORKS. PLACE FORKS AS WIDE AS POSSIBLE TO AVOID DAMAGE TO THE FRAME.

8. The unit may now be rolled to its point of installation.

2.12.2 Positioning

Position the system to have access to all sides of the console. Remove cover panels and inspect for any visible damage that might have occurred during shipment.

CAUTION!

ALWAYS USE THE FILE > TURN OFF COMMAND TO PROPERLY EXIT THE SOFTWARE AND SHUTDOWN THE COMPUTERS SO THAT THE MAIN POWER SWITCH CAN BE SWITCHED OFF.

2.12.3 Chamber Fluid

Temperature conditioning of the Model 2900 test chamber utilizes a mixture of propylene glycol and water as a heat transfer fluid. This fluid is circulated by a magnetically coupled centrifugal pump through the refrigeration and heating system and the fluid shell surrounding the test chamber.

2.12.3.1 Chamber Fluid Filling Procedure

- 1. Ensure main power switch is OFF.
- 2. Remove top console panel.
- 3. Locate fluid fill port (under insulation and labeled "Fluid Fill Port").
- 4. Remove "Red" cap and insert funnel into fluid fill port.

- 5. Add 2 gallons of 70% propylene glycol. Fill with water until level is approximately 1" (25.4 mm) below the bottom of the fill port or until level touches funnel nozzle tip.
- 6. Remove funnel and replace fluid fill port cap and insulation.
- 7. Replace top console panel.

Refer to drawings: 18D29901-4, 18D29909-1

2.12.3.2 Chamber Fluid Draining Procedure

- 1. Ensure main power switch is OFF.
- 2. Remove rear console panel.
- 3. Locate drain hose in the lower left rear corner of the generator (when looking at the back of the generator).
- 4. Extend hose, remove drain hose cap and empty the chamber fluid into a clean container with a minimum size of 4 gallons. Save the chamber fluid for refilling.
- 5. To restore hose: grasp hose and rotate counterclockwise ½ turn while pushing hose into left side storage cavity.
- 6. Replace rear console panel

Refer to drawings: <u>18D29901-3</u>, <u>18D29909-2</u>

2.12.4 Reservoir Initial Filling Procedure

The reservoir requires an initial filling prior to first use, then periodic filling thereafter.

Refer to section 5.1 Water Reservoir Level for detailed instruction on how to fill the reservoir.

2.12.5 Setting Supply Pressure Regulator

The supply pressure must be regulated to assure proper control and operation. The goal of the regulation is to remove the spikes that occur during air supply generation.

Note – It is always recommended to double regulate the air supply; once at the supply and again at the 2900.

Adjust the 2900's internal pressure regulator (REG) to 10 psiG below the supply pressure, but never above 150 psiG. For example, if the supply pressure indicates 165 psiG then adjust the internal pressure regulator to 150 psiG. If the supply pressure indicates 155 psiG then adjust the internal pressure regulator to 145 psiG (10 psiG below). For the best results operate the generator in run mode at the default flow rate to assure the regulator adjustment corrects for any pressure drop caused by the flow rate.

- 1. Open the Supply Pressure Dialog by selecting "Supply Pressure" from the Utilities Menu Tab
- 2. Using a #6 or #8 straight blade screwdriver, rotate stem clockwise to increase pressure and counterclockwise to decrease pressure while monitoring the supply pressure dialog window.

Refer to drawings: 18D29901-3, 18D29901-8

2.13 QUICK START

This section will provide the user a quick start on operating the generator. For detailed information on operating the generator please refer to section 4 Controlog Interface.

CAUTION!

DO NOT OPERATE THE GENERATOR WITHOUT CHAMBER FLUID.

2.13.1 Power-Up

To Power-Up the generator perform the following steps:

- Verify that the air supply connection has been made.
 - o If using the Series ACS2520 Air Compressor System (ACS)⁶ verify the following:
 - The On/Off valve is open (handle inline).
 - The AC power cable is connected to the ACS box.
 - The remote air compressor control cable is connected from ACS box to generator.
 - The Remote/Manual switch on the left side of the ACS box is in the Remote position.
 - Toggle the power switch located on the left side of the ACS box to ON.

Note – When the Remote/Manual switch is in the Remote position the ACS compressor will not run when first switched to ON. The compressor is remotely controlled by the 2900 and will not start until the user requests an operation that requires supply pressure.

- o If using another air source, verify the following:
 - Supply is on and properly regulated.
- Verify that AC power cable is connected to the generator.
- Toggle the power switch located at the lower right rear of generator to ON. The generator will begin to boot up.

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⁶ Refer to Thunder Scientific's website <u>www.thunderscientific.com</u> for the ACS2520 manual and more information on the ACS2520.

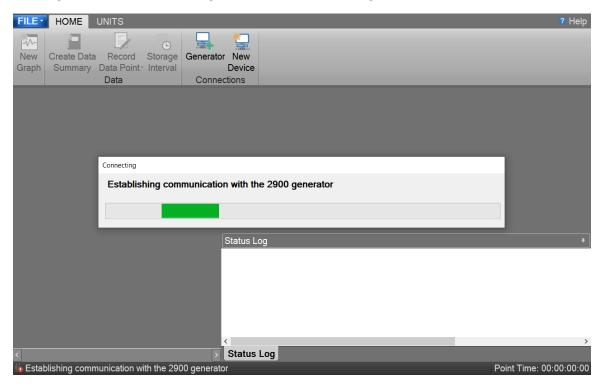
2.13.2 Loading Screen

After the system boots the generator will show a loading screen which will indicate the status of the loading process and will also show the software version of the generator.

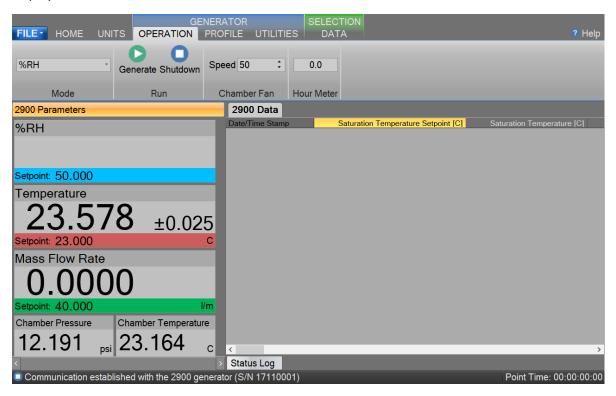


2.13.3 ControLog Screen

Upon completion of the loading process the generator will show the main ControLog page and a dialog showing the status of establishing communication with the generator.

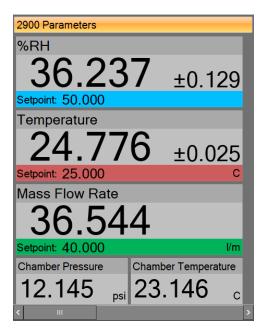


Once communication with the generator is established the generator's parameter and data tabs will be displayed.



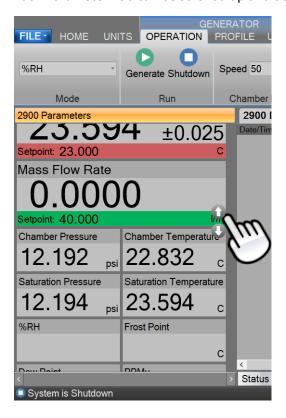
2.13.4 Control Parameters

The Parameter Tab Group is located on the left side of the application and contains a parameter tab for each connected device. The 2900 Parameters contain all the control and measurement parameters critical to the operation of the humidity generator.



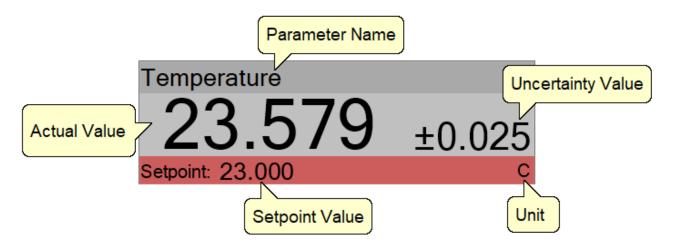
Scrolling the Parameters

Each Parameter Tab can be scrolled up and down to show additional parameters.



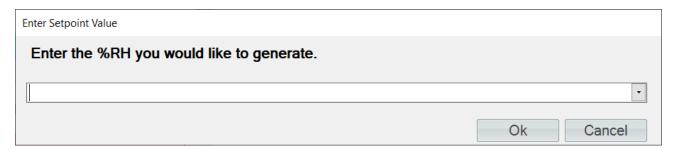
2.13.4.1 Setpoint Tile

The Setpoint Tiles allow the user to control the operation of the humidity generator by changing the desired setpoint that the generator will control to. The Tiles contain 5 key parts; a header with the Parameter Name, the Actual Value, the real-time Uncertainty Value, the Setpoint Value and the Unit the values are displayed in. Each setpoint tile has a colored bar to allow quick indication of the what the tile is displaying and in turn what the system is controlling. Blue is for the humidity that is being generated, red is for the temperature that the system is controlling to and green is for the flow rate the system is generating at.



2.13.4.1.1 Changing Setpoints

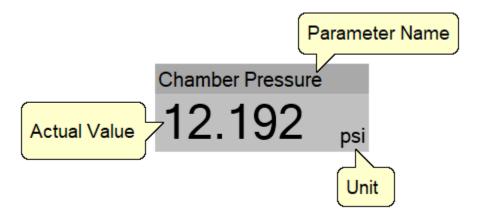
To change a setpoint, click on the setpoint tile that you would like to change. A setpoint entry box will appear. For example, to change the Percent Relative Humidity setpoint click on the %RH setpoint tile.



Enter the new value into the Setpoint Entry box and select Ok. Notice that the Percent Relative Humidity setpoint value updates to the new value and the actual values begin moving toward the new setpoint.

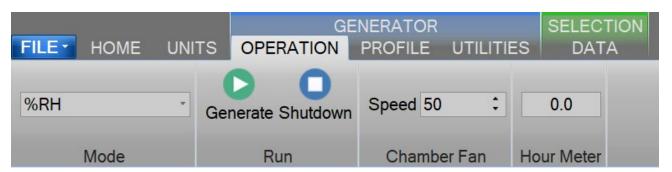
2.13.4.2 Value Tile

The Value Tiles display an actual value of a given parameter to the user. The Tiles contain 3 key parts; a header with the Parameter Name, the Actual Value and the Unit the value is displayed in.

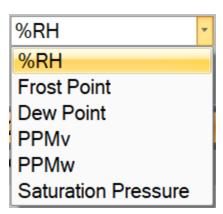


2.13.5 Control Modes

The user can change the operating mode of the 2900 by selecting from the drop-down menu within the Mode group on the Generator's Operation menu tab.

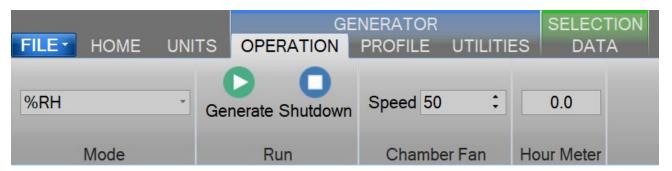


The drop-down allows the user to select between %RH, Frost Point, Dew Point, PPMv, PPMw, and Saturation Pressure.



2.13.6 Generating and Shutting down

The Run Menu allows the user to run the 2900 manually.



The user can select to Generate or Shutdown.



2.13.6.1 Generate Mode

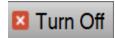
Selecting Generate from the run menu commands the 2900 into generate mode. When in the Generate mode of operation, the system will control at the currently entered setpoints. Anytime a setpoint is changed, the system immediately begins adjusting to that new value, and will control at the new point. The Generate mode also allows you to change the humidity control mode at any time. For instance, the system may be controlling %RH, then you may immediately switch to Dew Point control mode.

2.13.6.2 Shutdown

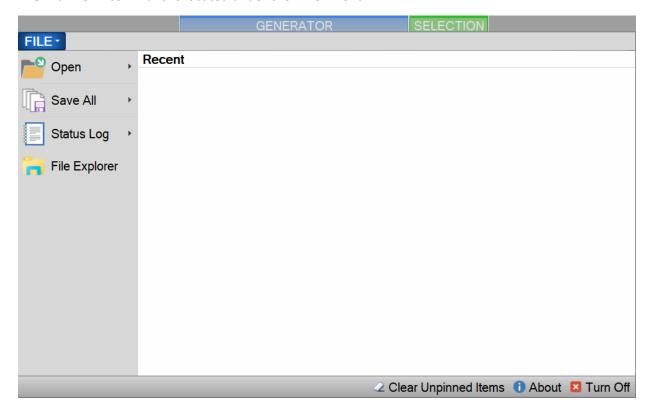
Selecting Shutdown from the run menu commands the 2900 to shutdown. The 2900 may be shutdown whenever it is generating. When stopped, all system functions shutdown, pressure is vented, and the idle Control/Display screen is shown. During this idle time, when the 2900 is stopped, gas is not flowing through the generator.

2.13.7 Power-Off

To turn the system off select the "Turn Off" command.



The "Turn Off" command is located under the "File" menu.



The Turn Off command will properly exit the software and shutdown the computers so that the main power switch can be switched off.

Note – Always perform a <u>Shutdown</u> from the Operation Menu Tab before turning off the System.

If there is current data that has yet to be saved the user will be asked to save the data before the system shuts down. Selecting this command when the generator is generating will result in the automatic shutdown of the generator.

The user is safe to switch the power switch to OFF once the PC has shut down completely (display goes blank).

CAUTION!

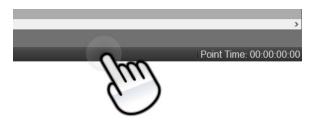
TURNING OFF POWER WITHOUT SHUTTING DOWN THE SYSTEM FIRST CAN CORRUPT THE EMBEDDED WINDOW SYSTEM DRIVE.

2.13.8 Set Date and Time

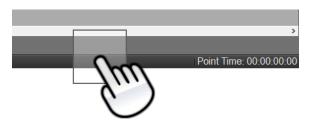
The user can change the current system date and time through the status bar context menu.

Note – To avoid time stamp confusion only change the system date and time when the generator is shutdown and not recording data.

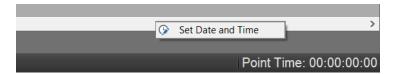
Start by long pressing or right clicking anywhere within the status bar. A long press is when you touch and hold the screen.



Long enough for a square selection box to appear.



Releasing will open the status bar context menu.



Select "Set Date and Time" from the context menu to open the system Date and Time dialog.



2.13.9 Help

The Help Menu located on the upper right side of the screen, allows the user to open the 2900 System Manual.



Note – Refer to the Thunder Scientific website (<u>www.thunderscientific.com</u>) for the latest manual edition and other information on your Model 2900 Humidity System.

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BRH	В	SOLID STATE RELAYS UPDATED & REFRIGERATION RECEIVER ADDED	09/08/2022	BB
BRH	O	ADD CALLOUT FOR HLS3,H4,H5	05/08/2024	BB

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57	V1	D16A29021	FLOW VALVE ASSEMBLY	1
56	TR5	D20A29043	2900 TIMER RELAY ASSEMBLY	1
55	T6	P528-500	0 - 500 PSI PRESSURE SENSOR	1
54	T5	P528-100	0 - 100 PSI PRESSURE SENSOR	1
53	T4	EFM5700-50L	MASS FLOW TRANSDUCER	1
52	T3	CPT6020-17	8 - 17 PSIA PRECISION TRANSDUCER	1
51	T2	CPT6020-160	0 - 160 PSIA PRECISION TRANSDUCER	1
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49	SSRB1,2	G4PB4	4 CHANNEL MOUNTING RACK	2
48	SSR-DC6	G4DC5	G4ODC5 OPTO 22 SSR (60 VDC / 3 A)	1
47	SSR-DC0-5,7	G4DC5A	G4ODC5A OPTO 22 SSR (200 VDC / 1 A)	7
46	SSR-AC2,3	EL240A10-05	5 AMP SS RELAY	2
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43	SOL3	A2231	PRESSURE VENT SOLENOID VALVE	1
42	SOL2	K2X2833	COOL SOLENOID VALVE	1
41	SOL1	A2033	AIR SUPPLY SOLENOID VALVE	1
40	RV1	S4C-150	1/4" MALE NPT ADJUSTABLE RELIEF VALVE	1
39	RTD5	S17624	CABINET TEMPERATURE PROBE	1
38	RTD4	5606-50-B	CHAMBER TEMPERATURE PROBE (2")	1
37	RTD3	5606-50-B	EXPANSION VALVE TEMPERATURE PROBE (2")	1
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35	RTD1	AM1612-3	SATURATION TEMPERATURE PROBE (3")	1
34	RESERVOIR	D16A29015	RESERVOIR ASSEMBLY	1
33	REG	F10001062T	PRESSURE REGULATOR	1
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31	NI9403	N779787	TTL DIGITAL I/O MODULE (32 CH)	1

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28	NI9209	N783729	±10V, 24-BIT ANALOG INPUT MODULE	1
27	NI9136	N784238	CDAQ-9136 4 SLOT CONTROLLER	1
26	MOXA	UPORT1650-8	USB - SERIAL HUB	1
25	MEM	SD1001	2GB FLASH MEMORY CARD	1
24	LR	BT-RECR	REFRIGERATION RECEIVER	1
23	LL2P	D18A29063	PRESAT LIQUID LEVEL PROBE	1
22	LL2	D92A00043	LIQUID LEVEL ALARM PROBE BOARD ASSY	1
21	LL1P	D94A25049	RESERVOIR LIQUID LEVEL PROBE ASSY	1
20	LL1	D94A25051	LIQUID LEVEL, RES PROBE ASSY	1
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18	HLS3	THRMST110	110° C THERMOSTAT SWITCH	1
17	HLS2	HLSW2-EPOXY	190 °F THERMOSTAT - EPOXY COATED	1
16	HLS1	HLSW1	212° THERMOSTAT SWITCH	1
15	H4,5	HK5161	22.0 OHM FOIL HEATER	2
14	H2,3	L3A94	400 WATT CARTRIDGE HEATER	2
13	H1	N8A21	1KW CARTRIDGE HEATER	1
12	G1	G6X114	200 PSIG PRESSURE GAUGE	1
11	FS1	D18A29060	PRESSURE SWITCH ASSEMBLY	1
10	FP1	D17A29059	FLUID PUMP ASSEMBLY	1
9	FD	C-032-S	REFRIGERATION FILTER / DRYER	1
8	FAN2	D17A29065	CHAMBER FAN ASSEMBLY	1
7	FAN1	FAN-6-24VDC	Ø 6.0" 24 VDC AXIAL FAN	6
6	EX1	D16A29045	EVAPORATOR WELD ASSEMBLY	1
5	DC3	SD-15A-05	5VDC POWER SUPPLY	1
4	DC2	VE-LU3-EU	24V 200W POWER SUPPLY	1
3	DC1	VE-LU1-EW	12V 100W POWER SUPPLY	1
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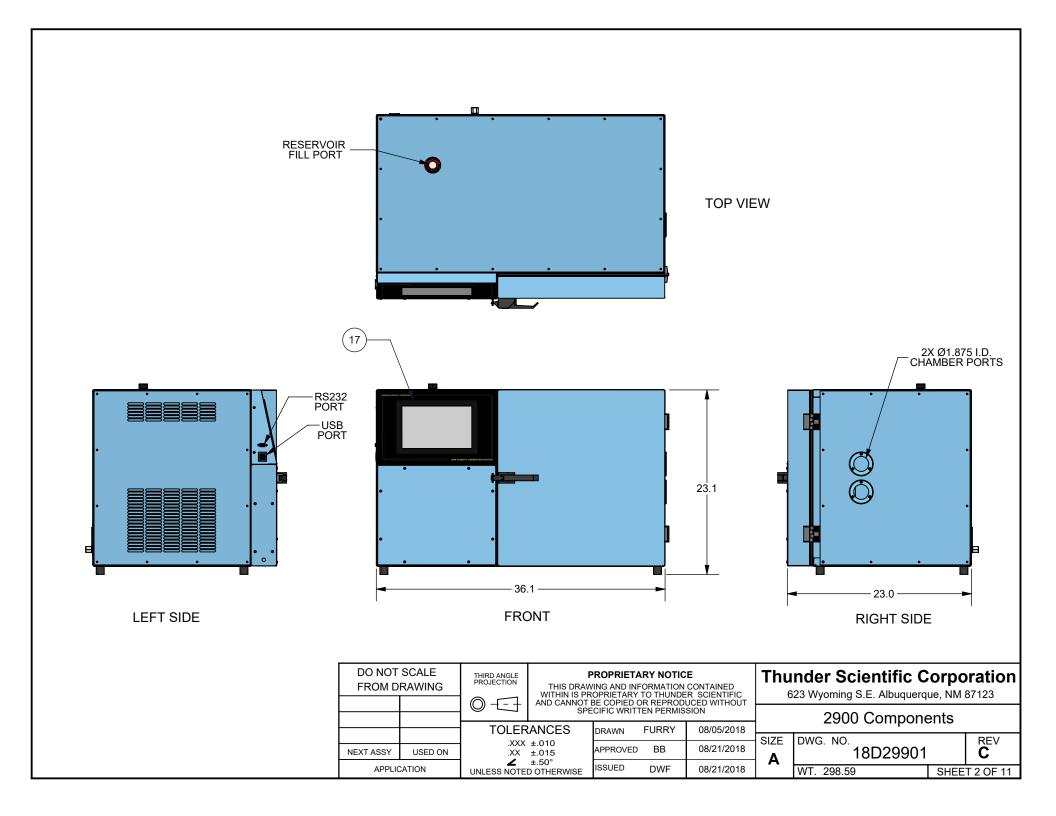
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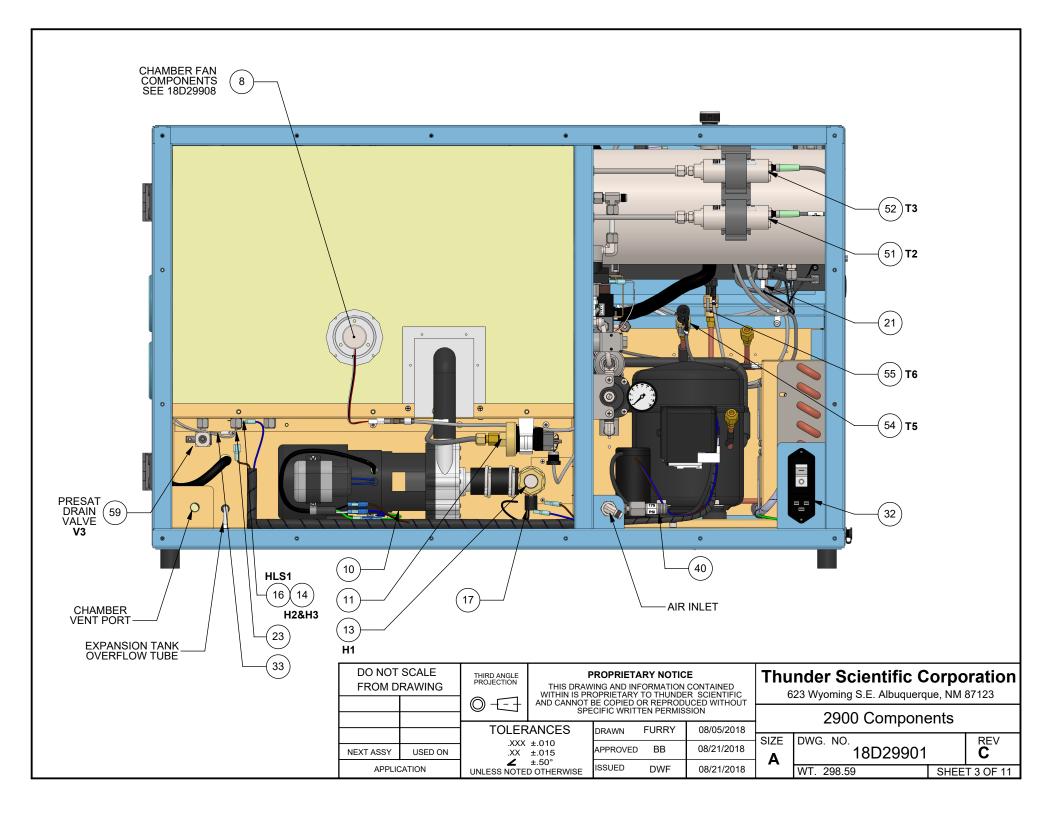
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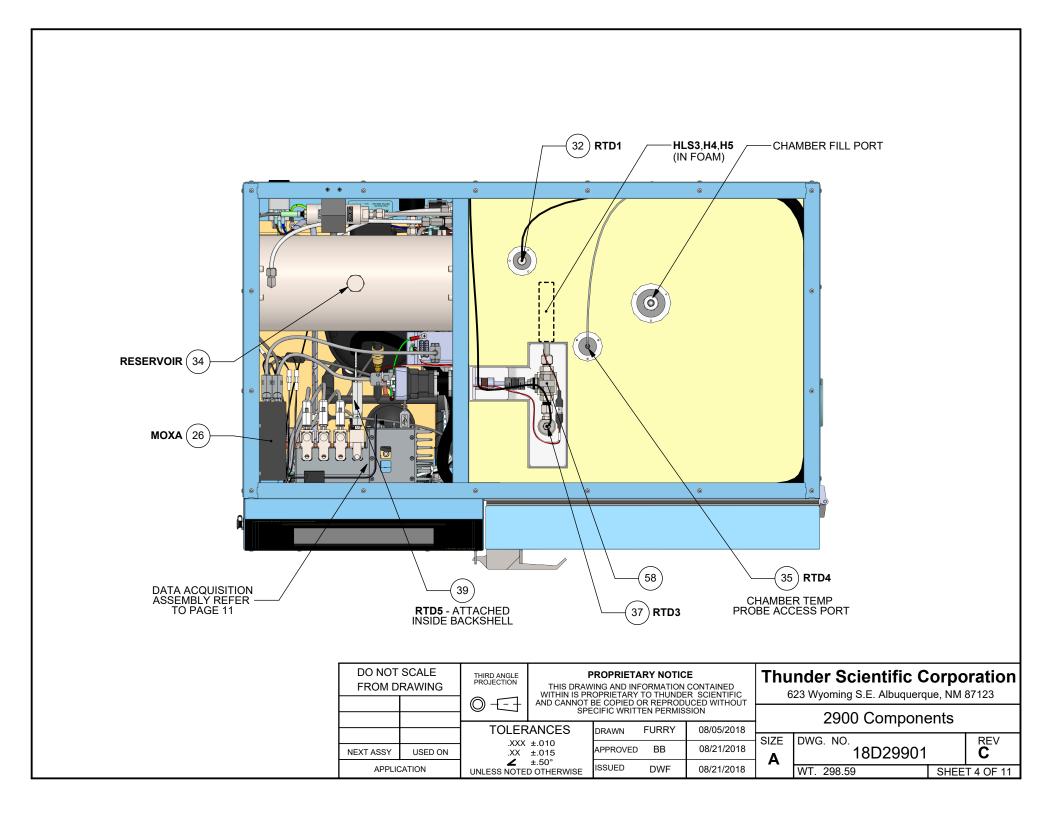
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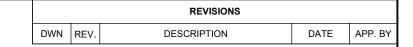
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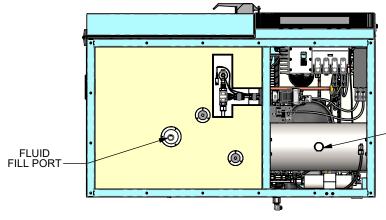
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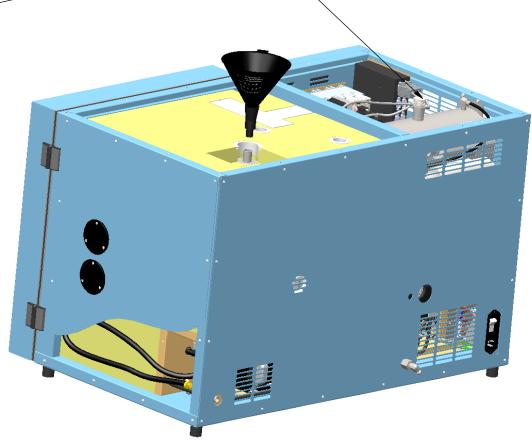
CHAMBER FLUID FILLING REQUIRES:

T10 TORX DRIVER **FUNNEL ASSEMBLY** 2 U.S. GAL. PROPYLENE GLYCOL

CHAMBER FLUID FILLING INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. REMOVE TOP CONSOLE PANEL AND INSULATION INSERT.

- REMOVE TOP CONSOLE PANEL AND INSULATION INSERT.
 LOCATE FILL PORT.
 REMOVE RED CAP AND INSERT FUNNEL INTO FILL PORT.
 ADD 2 U.S. GALLONS OF PROPYLENE GLYCOL THEN ADD WATER UNTIL LEVEL IS APPROXIMATELY 1" BELOW BOTTOM OF FILL PORT, OR TO BOTTOM OF FUNNEL NOZZLE.
 REMOVE FUNNEL AND REPLACE RED CAP.
 REPLACE INSULATION INSERT AND TOP CONSOLE PANEL.

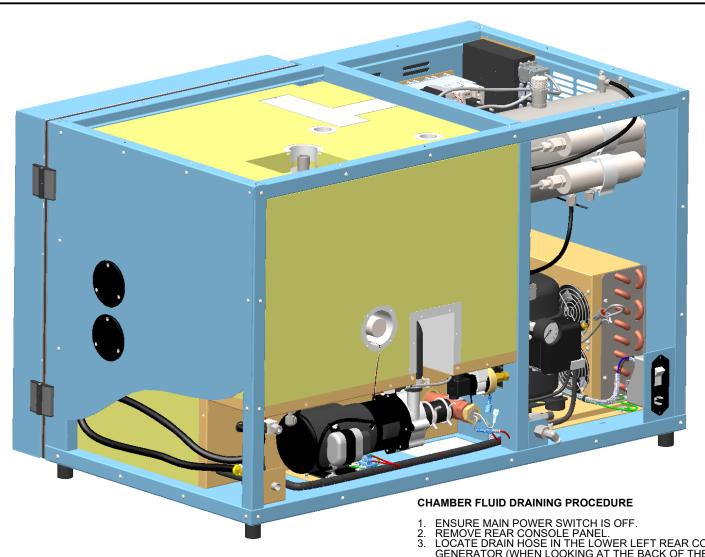


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ENSURE MAIN POWER SWITCH IS OFF.
REMOVE REAR CONSOLE PANEL.
LOCATE DRAIN HOSE IN THE LOWER LEFT REAR CORNER OF THE
GENERATOR (WHEN LOOKING AT THE BACK OF THE GENERATOR).
EXTEND AND ELEVATE HOSE, REMOVE DRAIN HOSE CAP AND EMPTY THE CAMBER FLUID
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