

Speedy Breedy: A portable microbial respirometer for rapid and reliable detection of brewing contaminants



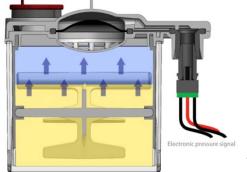
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The Speedy Breedy is a Sensitive, Precision **Respirometer and Detector of Microbial Activity**

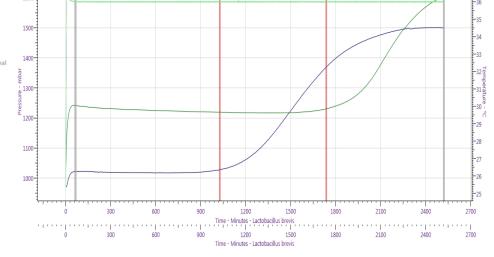




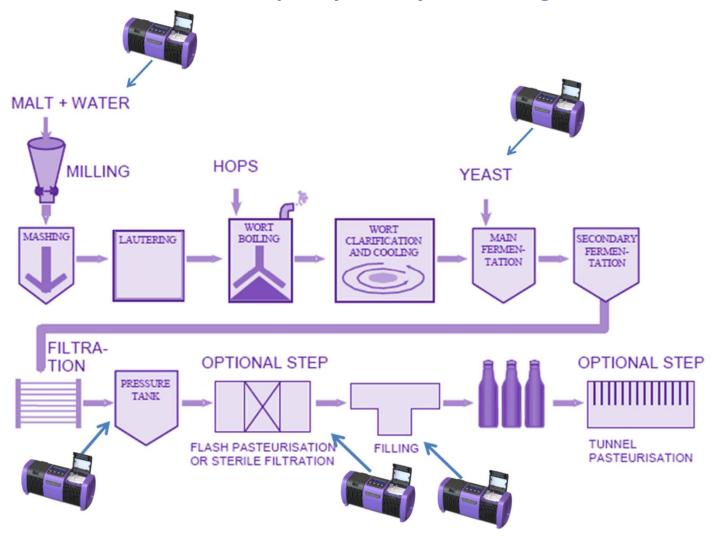
Individually sealed y-irradiated culture vessels



The **Speedy Breedy** culture vessel is used to cultivate micro-organisms, where mixing technology improves gas exchange to a pressure sensing system as micro-organisms metabolise nutrient media in the vessel. Data is then exported and graphed in software for analysis.



The Benefits of Speedy Breedy in Brewing



.A user-friendly design, with portability, simplicity and user safety as key features allows for rapid microbiology analysis without the need of additional equipment (such as incubators) or experience as a microbiologist.

Speedy Breedy can be incorporated into a HACCP system to monitor and detect contamination at key stages in the brewing process. A full electronic audit trail is maintained during testing to provide detailed records of testing activity and results.

References



Speedy Breedy Can Detect Multiple Microorganisms Encountered in the Brewing Industry

		Speedy Breedy Detection	Traditional Culture
Organism	Inoculum (CFU)	Time	Incubation Time
Lactobacillus brevis	2330	27 Hours (1.13 Days)	5 Days
	1370	37 Hours (1.54 Days)	5 Days
	20	42 Hours (1.75 Days)	5 Days
	3	48 Hours (2.00 Days)	5 Days
Pediococcus damnosus	1810	38 Hours (1.58 Days)	5 Days
	323	41 Hours (1.71 Days)	5 Days
	27	53 Hours (2.21 Days)	5 Days
	5	62 Hours (2.58 Days)	5 Days

Organism	Inoculum (CFU)	Speedy Breedy Detection Time	Traditional Culture Incubation Time
Geotrichium sp. S122	2950	11.63 Hours (0.49 Days)	3 Days
Pichia anomala	6050	14.79 Hours (0.61 Days)	3 Days
Pichia farinosa	9210	13.57 Hours (0.57 Days)	3 Days
Pichia kudriavzevii	7100	40.86 Hours (1.70 Days)	3 Days
Pichia membranifaciens	2850	48.45 Hours (2.02 Days)	3 Days
Saccharomyces diastaticus	24200	15.45 Hours (0.64 Days)	3 Days

Independent studies have shown **Speedy Breedy** to be technically effective and rapid, offering benefits over traditional approaches to microbiology in the brewing industry, saving time and money.

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