

Installation and Operations Manual

Models

BD Style Cabinets DIP Style Cabinets BDC (push cart) Style Carts

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NOTE:

- We strongly recommend all preventive maintenance and servicing be performed by qualified HVAC Technicians.
- Unplug unit before Servicing.
- If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by a special cord or assembly available from the manufacturer, or its service agent.
- Component parts shall be replaced with OEM parts only.
- Freezer must be <u>plugged into its own individual electric circuit</u>, which has an amp rating that matches the data tag on the cabinet.
- DO NOT, under any circumstances, cut or remove the ground prong from the power cord. For personal safety, this appliance must be properly grounded. Do not plug into two prong outlets.
- DO NOT, under any circumstances, use adaptor plugs or extension cords.

Installation and Operating Instructions:

- Use this freezer for its intended purpose as described in this manual.
- NSF standards require cabinet to be installed with casters, 6" legs, or sealed to the floor with an NSF approved silicone sealant.
- Before using the equipment, inspect for freight damage. Refuse delivery if there is any damage.
- Remove the outer packaging CAREFULLY, (cardboard and bubble wrap or Styrofoam corners and clear plastic). Inspect for concealed damage. Again, immediately file a claim with the freight carrier if there is damage.
- Remove the unit carefully from crate.
- The cabinet is intended for indoor use with a store temperature of 75 degrees (F) and 55% relative humidity. Locate the cabinet to avoid direct sunlight, drafts from vents, air conditioning or open doors that will affect the freezers performance.
- The cabinet must be located 3 6 inches away from the back wall and the louvers (front and rear) must be clear of any obstructions to ensure proper air flow to the condensing unit.
- If installing paneling in front of freezer- Please take air flow under consideration. Trapped hot
 discharge air will cause poor performance. It is important to have full opening on the paneling where
 the louver exists.
 - NOTE: Blocking the louvers on the customer or operator side of the cabinet will cause the compressor to overheat and cause poor performance.
- Before your new unit is connected to a power supply, check that the incoming voltage at the outlet is the same as the data tag on the cabinet.
- Plug in the unit, turn the toggle switch "ON". Allow the freezer to run for at least 24 hours to ensure
 that it reaches the temperature set point and ensure that the freezer has reached its operating
 temperature before reloading the cabinet with product.
 - NOTE: This is a pre-startup check to ensure the unit is working properly. Remember, our factory warranty does not cover product loss!
- Unit is equipped with a digital temperature controller. The controller is preset for the proper freezer temperature your operation requires.
- If temperature adjustment is desired, the controller may be located behind the louver grill. Unplug the unit before removing the louver. Increase or decrease the temperature in small increments and allow the unit to stabilize. Repeat as needed to achieve desired temperature.
 - o **NOTE:** A Wiring Diagram is located inside the condensing unit area.

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Controls are factory programmed to provide the freezer temperature your operation requires. Allow several hours after initial startup to observe its operation.

Setting may be adjusted if desired.

Note: The "dot" near the upper left corner indicates that the control is providing power for the compressor to run. The initial temperature shown at startup is room temperature in degrees Fahrenheit.

To Change the Temperature Setting:

- Press the SET key and hold until the temperature setting displays and begins to flash (2-Sec) THEN RELEASE.
- Use the up & down arrows to select the new temperature desired.
- Press and release the SET key: The display will return to show the temperature of the freezer.

To set desired temperature, pay attention to decimal points. For example, to set controller at 5 degrees, set to 5.0, NOT .5

OPERATION & CARE OF THE CABINET:

Do not operate the freezer unless the louver grills are properly secured in place.

Simply plug the freezer into an outlet following the guidelines above. The compressor will run until the freezer shuts off when it reaches the thermometer set point.

Your new C. Nelson Mfg. low temperature cabinet represents the finest in engineering design, quality of material and craftsmanship effort. It will give you many years of trouble-free service with a minimum of attention.

The easy-to-clean exterior surfaces should be wiped off regularly with a lukewarm, mild detergent solution. Do not use any solvent-type cleaners, that could attack the plastic and vinyl parts of the cabinet. Never use abrasive cleansers or scoring pads as these will mar the surface. Never clean the lids or cabinet with steam or extremely hot water. DO NOT WASH LIDS IN A DISHWASHER.

From a sanitation standpoint, it is important that the interior of the cabinet also be cleaned periodically. Before cleaning the interior, the unit must be defrosted. See defrost instructions before proceeding. A damp cloth using the same type of lukewarm detergent solution used for the exterior can be used on the interior. After cleaning, wipe the interior of the cabinet dry, replace the lids and plug in the freezer. Wait several hours to ensure that the freezer has reached its operating temperature before reloading the cabinet with product. No oiling of the equipment is required.

DEFROSING & PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE OF THE CABINET:

Defrosting: There is not an automatic defrost built into these freezers. The freezer should be defrosted every 2-4 weeks or as needed to avoid excessive frost build-up. Excessive frost build-up significantly degrades the freezers performance and reduces operating efficiency.

To defrost the unit, remove the lids and the product. Unplug the unit or turn the temperature control to the "OFF" position. When the cabinet has warmed up, any remaining frost accumulation may be scraped off the walls **CAREFULLY** with a plastic or wood scraper. Never use a sharp or pointed metal scraper since it could damage the finish or possibly pierce the walls or refrigerant tubing.

Wipe the interior of the cabinet dry. This would be a good time to clean the interior of the cabinet per the instructions provided in OPERATION & CARE OF THE CABINET.

After the interior of the cabinet is dry, replace the lids and plug in the unit and/or turn the temperature control to the "ON" position. Wait several hours to ensure that freezer has reached its operating temperature before reloading the cabinet with product.

Cleaning Condenser: The freezer's condenser should be cleaned every 6-months by a qualified HVAC technician. To clean the condenser, unplug the unit before removing any louvers. Once the louvers are removed, vacuum dust and debris from the coils and louvers using a soft brush attachment. Never use a sharp or pointed tool to clean condenser coils to avoid risk of puncturing tubing. Vacuum the condenser tunnel. Replace the louvers. Plug in the unit and ensure that the temperature control is in the "ON" position.

GENERAL TROUBLE SHOOTING GUIDE FOR CERTIFIED TECHNICIANS

The following guide deals with common performance issues related to the entire line of cabinets, such as electrical problems of the unit, plugged cap tubes, moisture, etc.

Problem	Pr	obable Cause	Re	medy
Condensing unit will not start	1.	Power cord is disconnected or no	1.	Verify power cord is OK and check
and fan will not start		voltage at source ¹		voltage at outlet with a voltmeter.
				Voltage must be +/- 10% of name plate
				voltage ¹
	2.	Blown fuse or tripped circuit breaker ¹	2.	
				Check power at outlet with voltmeter. If
				circuit is overloaded, reduce load or
				use another circuit ¹
	3.	Control stuck in "On" position		Replace
	4.	Loose wire on temperature control		Check/tighten all connections
Compressor Unit will not start,	1.	Loose wire on compressor connections	1.	·
but fan motor starts			_	connections
	2.	Low voltage ¹	2.	Measure voltage at compressor with a
				voltmeter. Voltage must be +/- 10% of
				name plate voltage ¹
	3.	Start Capacitor bad	3.	•
	4.	Relay bad	4.	•
	5.	Defective compressor		Replace
Condensing Unit starts but	1.	Overload defective	1.	•
short cycles	2.	Defective thermostat	2.	Replace
	3.	Check capillary tube	3.	Replace capillary tube and filter drier
	4.	Low voltage	4.	
	5.	Defect in compressor winding	5.	Replace Compressor
	6.	Loose connections on control or	6.	Check and tighten all electrical
		compressor housing		connections
	7.	Low refrigerant level	7.	Check pressure/leak and, as
		3		necessary, charge with the proper
				amount of refrigerant as shown on
				name plate ²
Compressor operates	1.	Low refrigerant level	1.	Check for leaks and, as necessary,
continuously, too warm				charge with the proper amount of
				refrigerant as shown on name plate ²
	2.	Poor ventilation	2.	Ensure 3 – 6" clearance from walls for
				air flow
	3.	Room temperature is too warm	3.	Adjust room temperature to achieve 75
				degrees (F) and 55% RH
	4.	Excessive frost build-up		Defrost and clean cabinet
	5.	Plugged condenser		Clean Condenser
		Fan motor not running or too noisy		Replace fan motor
	7.	Fan blade unbalanced or loose	7.	
	8.	•	8.	
	9.	Weak compressor	9.	
	10	. Check Capillary Tube	10.	Replace Capillary Tube and Filter Drier

Compressor operates	Thermostat controller set incorrectly	Follow Temperature Adjustment
continuously, too cold		guidelines
•	2. Thermostat stuck in closed position	2. Check pressure and, as necessary,
	·	charge with the proper amount of
		refrigerant as shown on name plate ²
	3. A short in the wire harness or	3. Replace
	compressor cord	
	Thermostat improperly located	4. Call C. Nelson
Wide temperature variations	1. Improper refrigerant level ²	Check pressure and, as necessary,
		charge with the proper amount of
		refrigerant as shown on name plate ²
	2. Defective Thermostat	2. Replace
	Plugged Capillary Tube	3. Replace Capillary Tube and Filter Drier
Frosted Suction Valve	1. Too much refrigerant ²	Adjust charge and pressure to the
		proper amount of refrigerant as shown
		on name plate ²
Noisy Unit	Fasteners loose	Repair as required
	2. Fan Noise	2. Replace fan motor if bearings show
		signs of wear or replace fan blade if
		unbalanced or mounting hole is worn
	1. Lights not On	 Check connector to Led Light strip,
Led Lights		Check Led Lights on/off Switch
	2. Lights are dim or not lighting up	Check incoming voltage at connector
		end, must be 12 volts.
		Check Transformer
		Check the light strip

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- C. Nelson warrants for a period of (5) years from original shipment from its factory, prorated insulation integrity, leaks in any internal tubing, and leaks or failures of cold plates installed by the factory. C. Nelson will repair or replace, at its option, based on the depreciated value of the equipment over a 5-year period.

This warranty shall not apply to any of our products, repaired or altered outside of our factory in any way so as, in our judgment, to affect its reliability, nor to any product which has been subject to misuse, negligence, or accident, nor shall this warranty apply to any product installed or connected otherwise than in accordance with instructions furnished. This warranty does not cover refrigerant expense or labor incidental to the replacement of parts under this warranty.

This warranty does not cover consequential damages, including but not limited to loss of product, loss of use or any other consequential damages resulting from any warranty claims against C. Nelson Mfg. Co.

The return of parts or complete product for any reason must be made with our prior consent, and the return of such parts must be made with transportation charges prepaid.

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Arbitration: Any claim by buyer for breach of warranty or otherwise relating to the delivery of defective goods hereunder will be submitted to an independent mediator knowledgeable in the area in which the dispute arose, prior to the filing of any complaint by Buyer. If the parties are unable to resolve the dispute through mediation, then the dispute will be settled by arbitration in Cleveland, Ohio under the Commercial Rules of the American Arbitration Association in effect at the time of such claim. The award of the arbitrators will be final, binding and non-appealable. The cost of any arbitration, including the fees and expenses of the arbitrators, will be paid by the losing party.

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