## **GET14**° Static Eliminators







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## **Eliminate static and dust!**

# Neutralize and clean at distances up to 20 feet!





#### What Is Static?

Material such as paper, plastic or textiles normally contain an equal number of positive and negative charges – that is, they are electrically balanced. Friction can disturb this balance, causing the material to become electrically charged.

The electrical charge (static) will exert a force on nearby charged objects or a grounded conductor. Among the problems caused by this force are:



- · Dust clinging to product
- Product clinging to itself, rollers, machine beds or frames
- Materials tearing, jamming or curling
- Sheet feeding problems
- Hazardous sparks or shocks

Charged conductors (like metals) discharge completely when grounded. Insulators (like plastics) don't conduct electricity and can't discharge when grounded. Grounded brushes or tinsel often have little effect on these surfaces.

When aiming EXAIR's Model 7905 Static Meter at a single plastic surface, it is common to measure many voltages across the same surface. The higher the voltage measures, the stronger the static charge or force at that point. It is also possible for some voltages to have opposite polarities (positive or negative) which determines if two insulators will attract or repel one another.

EXAIR's Gen4 static eliminators (also called ionizers) can eliminate static charge. These shockless ionizers are electrically powered and produce a bulk of positive and negative ions. The charged surface attracts the appropriate number of positive or negative ions from the ionizer to become neutral (discharged).

## Why Choose Static Eliminators and GET14 Static Eliminator Systems?

EXAIR offers systems for total static control. When static is a problem on moving webs, sheet stock, three dimensional parts, extrusions or packaging, EXAIR has a solution. Our Gen4 static eliminators have undergone independent laboratory tests to certify it meets the rigorous safety, health and environmental standards of the USA, European Union and Canada that are required to attain the CE and UL marks. They are also RoHS compliant. Every Gen4 static eliminator offers:

- An armored high voltage cable to protect against abrasion, cuts, splits and other damage from the environment.
- Single wire, integrated ground design which eliminates the need for a separate ground connection
- Electromagnetic shielding in all cables to protect sensitive electronics
- Selectable Voltage (115V or 230VAC) power supplies with rugged stainless steel connections and integrated fuse protection on the primary input voltage.
  Available in 2 or 4 outlet versions.



A small Model 112203 3" (76mm) Gen4 Super Ion Air Knife System eliminates contaminants from syringes prior to packaging.





## **GE714**° Static Eliminators

#### **GET14** Static Eliminators With Air

Combining our engineered airflow products with ionizers gives us the ability to eliminate a static charge quickly and from great distances. Laminar flow airstreams make it possible to blow away any contaminants and eliminate the charge that attracts them. They are ideal for:

- · Hard to reach places or obstructed surfaces
- · Product moving at high speeds
- · Surfaces with an extremely high charge

Compressed air consumption and noise are minimized while providing force that can be adjusted from a "blast" to a "breeze". Tests show these ionizers positioned two feet (610mm) away from a charged surface to be as effective as a Gen4 Ionizing Bar without air delivery positioned one-half inch (13mm) from the surface.

The **Gen4 Super Ion Air Knife** provides 34% better static elimination than previous Super Ion Air Knife models and the best performance of all EXAIR ionizers. It uses our Super Air Knife (40:1 air amplification) to deliver a uniform sheet of ionized air effective up to 20 feet (6.1m) away.

The **Gen4 Standard Ion Air Knife** performance is improved by 30% over previous Standard Ion Air Knives. It delivers a sheet of ionized air to the surface with 30:1 air amplification ratio that is less efficient than the Gen4 Super Ion Air Knife.

The **Gen4 Super Ion Air Wipe** clamps around the part and creates a ring of ionized airflow. It neutralizes and cleans continuous moving surfaces.

The **Gen4 Ion Air Cannon** uses our Super Air Amplifier (22:1 air amplification) to provide a focused, conical airstream that is capable of removing the charge up to 15 feet (4.6m) away.

The **Gen4 Ion Air Gun** uses our High Velocity Air Jet (5:1 air amplification) to provide a narrow beam of ionized airflow. This hand-held static eliminator is rugged for industrial use and has incredibly fast static decay rates.

The **Gen4 Ion Air Jet** uses our High Velocity Air Jet (5:1 air amplification), and is an effective spot cleaner. Available for permanent mount or with flexible Stay Set Hose, this ionizer is the ideal way to focus an ionized airflow at confined areas.

## **GE714** Static Eliminators Without Air

In some situations, even the smallest amount of airflow can disturb the product. This is especially true for lightweight materials. EXAIR manufactures two styles of ionizers for these critical applications.

**Gen4 Ionizing Bars** perform 25% better than previous Ionizing Bars and are ideal for relatively flat materials, where the bar can be mounted within 4" of the product surface.

The **Gen4 Ionizing Point** is effective for spot neutralization. The compact size makes it ideal for winding or slitting operations. It can also be mounted through a duct to neutralize static charges due to moving air or materials.

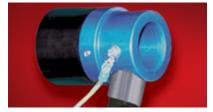
#### **Special Static Eliminators**

EXAIR manufactures static eliminators suited to specific application requirements. This special ionizer (*shown bottom right*) was developed for the automotive industry. This air amplifier and ionizer combination is used to dry water based paints on car bodies while eliminating the possibility of a static charge that might attract dust or other contaminants.

If you have special requirements, please contact an Application Engineer to discuss the application.



A Model 8006 6" (152mm) Gen4 Ionizing Bar eliminates the static charge causing packing peanuts to cling.



This special ionizer dries water based paint on car bodies and eliminates any static problems.















## **VARISTAT** Benchtop Ionizer COMPRESSION



*VARISTAT* Benchtop Ionizer™

Mountable hands-free blower for static elimination at assembly stations and benchtop applications

## What is the **VARISTAT**?

The EXAIR Varistat Benchtop Ionizer is a blower style static eliminator designed to neutralize static charges on surfaces in demanding industrial settings where static can become troublesome. With the help of ionizing technology, the Varistat supplies a constant stream of ion-balancing airflow to keep products static-free and particulate-free with hands-free operation and without the need of compressed air. Manually adjustable, the Varistat provides full coverage static elimination for workbenches, part assembly, web cleaning and more.

## Why the **VARISTAT**?

The Varistat can be easily mounted on equipment or placed on workbenches to assist with consistent static neutralization. Capable of reducing 1000 volts to 100 volts in 0.8 seconds, the Varistat Ionizer removes surface static at a distance with incredible efficiency. The Varistat is engineered to fit various industrial applications and unique processes by offering customizable options such as an adjustable stand for mounting, selectable voltage, variable fan speed and adjustable polarity.

This static eliminator features ion producing emitter points and two 30 PPI replaceable foam filters to ensure optimal performance over extended periods of use. Also offering a built-in LED display that indicates proper function, the Varistat is designed with important safety features such as its current limiting circuit to protect against electrical hazards, and operating quietly and well below OSHA standards for noise exposure. The Varistat static eliminator is a reliable and effective solution for reducing static charges on sensitive products and protecting against static, dust, debris and other pesky particulate.

### **Applications**

- Web cleaning
- Electronics assembly
- · Molding machinery
- Slitting, sheeting and winding
- Cleaning parts

- Shrink wrappers
- Package cleaning
- Printing equipment
- Benchtop assembly

#### **Advantages**

- Mountable, hands-free operation
- · Rapid static decay
- Low voltage operation
- OSHA safe air outlet and noise level
- LED indicators for proper and improper functionality





## **VA₽ISTAT** Benchtop lonizer

## How the **VARISTAT** Benchtop Ionizer works



After connecting the 115V or 230V power cable, plug into outlet 1) and check to make sure voltage selector switch 2) is set correctly; then activate power switch to activate static eliminating ions and airflow 3). A green light will indicate that power is turned on, improper functionality is indicated by a flashing red LED 4). Adjust fan speed with dial 5), and polarity with "+" and "-" buttons located on top 6). Adjust angle and height with knobs located on the side 7). Mounting bracket included for hands-free operation 8).

## **VARISTAT** Benchtop Ionizer Specifications



**Certifications:** The Varistat Ionizer is UL Listed,

and RoHS and CE compliant

**Input Voltage:** 120-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz - Selectable

Input Current: .6A/.4A Emitter Voltage: 5-7 kV

**Balance:**  $\pm 100$ V, manually adjustable to <10V

**Dimensions:** 13 1/2 in. x 10 1/2 in. x 10 in.

Weight: 9.1 lbs

Air Output:  $10" \times 1.5"$  - covers up to  $16" \times 10'$  area Filter: Two replaceable foam filters, 30 ppi Static Discharge: 0.8 seconds to discharge 1000-100 V -

measured 12" from charged area with fans

at high speed

**Sound Level:** 67 dBA measured 3' in front of unit with

fans at high speed

**Indicator LEDs:** Middle green LED indicates unit is on

Blue LEDs indicate balance adjustment

positive and negative

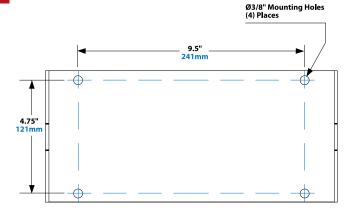
Red LED (above green LED):

2 flashes - Electrical Failure

3 flashes - Control Board Malfunction

4 flashes - Fan Malfunction

## **VARISTAT** Mounting Hole Locations:



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Model #	Description
8600	Varistat Benchtop Ionizer with (2) Model 902329 Filter Kits, Model 902350 115V Power Cable and Model 901681 230V Power Cable

Accessories and Components – Replacement Parts	
Model #	Description
902425	Replacement Filter (30 PPI)
902358	Fan Speed Knob
7564	Stand Knob
7657	Stand Grommet

## **VARISTAT** Benchtop Ionizer Dimensions

