



MODEL **MP15**  
**CONTROL & POWER PACK**

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# User's Guide

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# SAFETY WARNINGS

## Safety Warnings

**CAUTION:** Use caution when working with compressed air or gas. **HIGH CONCENTRATIONS OF CARBON DIOXIDE CAN CAUSE DROWSINESS, INJURY OR DEATH BY ASPHYXIATION. STORE AND USE CYLINDERS IN A WELL-VENTILATED AREA.** Compressed gas cylinders are under extreme pressure and can discharge violently and be propelled by this discharge if not properly restrained. **DO NOT OPEN THE VALVE ON ANY COMPRESSED GAS CYLINDER UNLESS IT HAS FIRST BEEN PROPERLY ATTACHED TO THE CORRECT SYSTEM FITTINGS IN GOOD CONDITION, WITH THE SEALING WASHER IN PLACE (SEE FIGURE x). COMPRESSED CARBON DIOXIDE CAN CREATE EXTREME AND DAMAGING CHILLING OF HUMAN SKIN SURFACE AND OTHER OBJECTS IF THEY ARE SUBJECT TO DIRECT DISCHARGE OF THE CYLINDER CONTENTS. DO NOT TRANSPORT OR STORE A COMPRESSED CO2 CYLINDER, OR OPERATE THE MP15 CONTROLLER IN THE PASSENGER SPACE OF A VEHICLE, IN A CONFINED ROOM, OR IN ANY CONFINED SPACE OR PIT. ALWAYS KEEP THE CO2 CYLINDER VALVE CLOSED WHEN THE MP15 IS NOT BEING OPERATED.**

Do not over pressurize your controller. Failure to operate the controller within the pressure limits could result in failure. Read all operating instructions before operating the MP15 controller.

**Warning.** Do not disassemble the pneumatic pump while it is connected to a compressed gas source. Dangerous pressures could cause injury.

## CO2 Cylinder Safety and Handling

The MP15 MicroPurge basics Control & Power Pack includes an on-board power source, a CO2 (carbon dioxide) cylinder, to operate bladder-type sampling pumps. The 5 lb. capacity cylinder makes the MP15 very versatile and portable. **HOWEVER, AS WITH ANY COMPRESSED**

### **GAS CYLINDER, IT MUST BE TREATED WITH CARE TO AVOID INJURY OR DEATH.**

- The CO<sub>2</sub> (carbon dioxide) cylinder is highly pressurized, and damage to the outlet valve could result in sudden discharge of the highly pressurized contents, potentially propelling the cylinder with sufficient force to cause injury or damage.
- Carbon dioxide gas can cause drowsiness or asphyxiation in high concentrations and confined spaces.
- Sudden discharge of large amounts of carbon dioxide can create extremely low temperatures on any surfaces it is discharged onto, **INCLUDING HUMAN SKIN, WHICH COULD BE FROZEN OR DAMAGED AS A RESULT!**

Make sure the CO<sub>2</sub> cylinder is always handled with care, protected from impact during transport and handling, and has the valve closed at all times except when properly connected to the MP15 and in use. Keep the cylinder valve closed at all other times. Make sure that the MP15 is never operated in a confined space (such as the passenger compartment of a vehicle), building, or a pit or well in which the heavier-than-air carbon dioxide can collect. Under some conditions of usage, condensation or frost may develop on the exterior of the cylinder due to the cooling effect of gas expansion.

The MP15 should always be used in an upright, vertical position, so that gaseous CO<sub>2</sub> exits from the top of the cylinder for use in the MP15, rather than the liquid CO<sub>2</sub> present in the bottom of the cylinder. Discharge of liquid CO<sub>2</sub> from a non-vertical cylinder will cause excess usage of CO<sub>2</sub> and may cause malfunction of the MP15

## CYLINDER FILLING

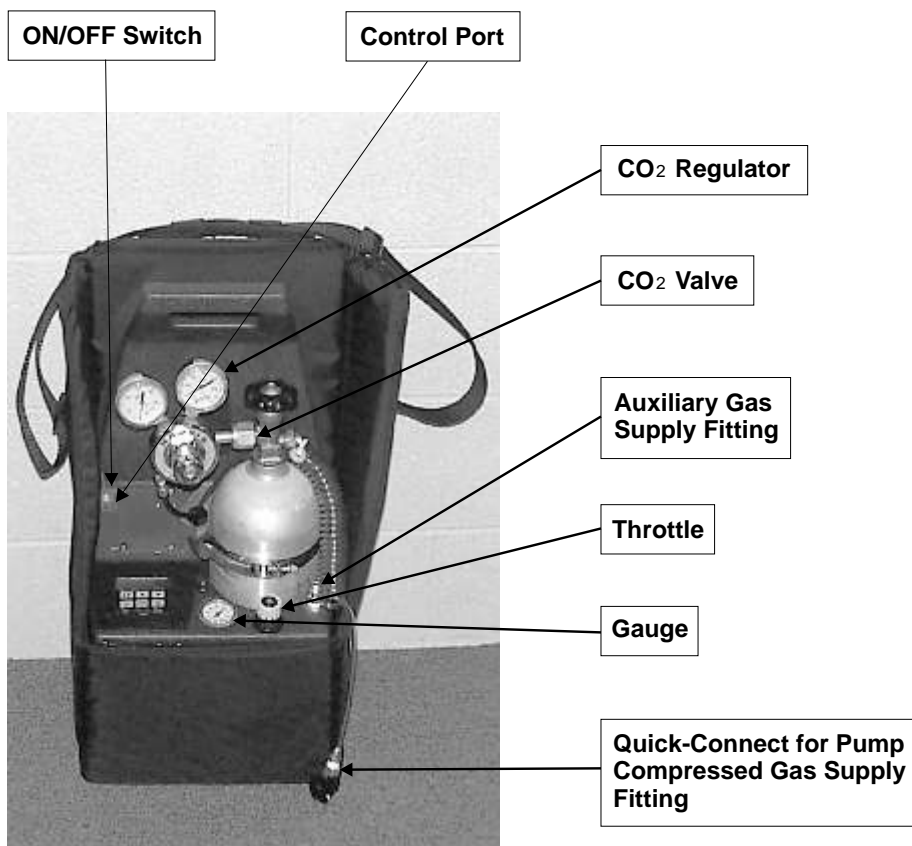
### CO2 CYLINDER FILLING

The aluminum CO2 cylinder supplied with the MP15 can be refilled at many different facilities, and can be supplemented with steel, pre-filled standard 5 lb. CO2 cylinders which are also widely available. The original cylinder provided with the MP15 is aluminum for lighter weight, but the heavier, more common steel cylinders have the same dimensions and will function identically in the MP15.

Facilities which can typically refill the CO2 cylinder for the MP15 include the following: fire extinguisher service businesses, beverage system supply firms, welding supply shops, and industrial gas supply outlets. It is recommended that a phone call be made first to verify availability and whether that facility can refill your own cylinder while you wait. Some firms can only exchange pre-filled cylinders for empty ones, which will commonly mean that you will receive a heavier, steel cylinder in place of the original aluminum. Fire extinguisher service and beverage system supply shops are often better prepared to fill cylinders on demand. When the aluminum cylinder cannot be refilled, it is recommended that a standard steel cylinder or cylinders be rented from the facility then returned for credit after use. **Use care during transport of all cylinders to avoid damage to the valve or fittings. Follow all safety instructions noted on the cylinder.**

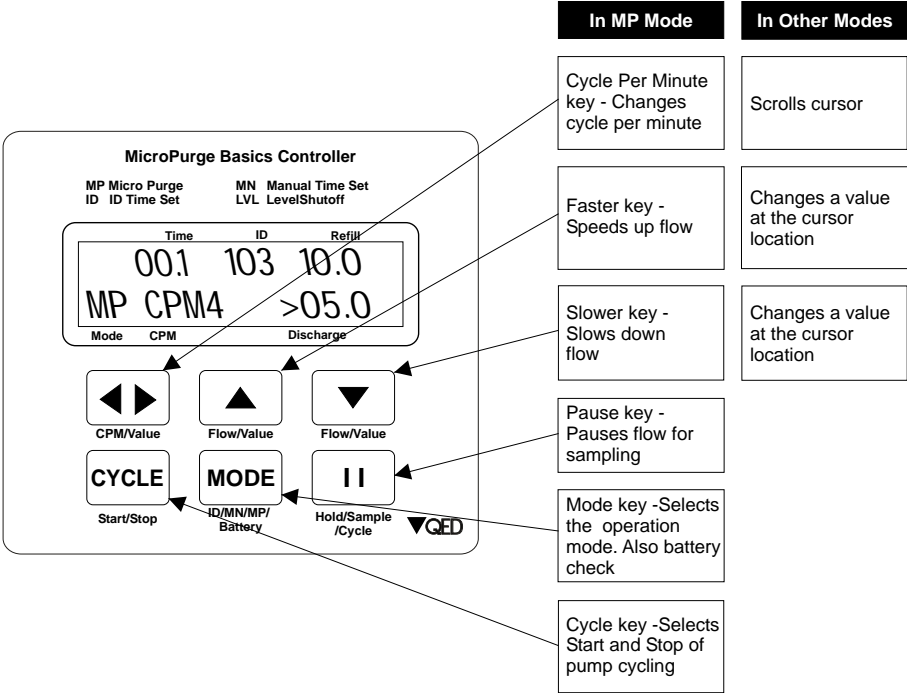
## Diagrams and Conventions used in the Text

### MP15 Overview Diagram



DIAGRAMS / CONVENTIONS

MP15 Control Keys:



CPM Button (also scroll for item selects)



UP Button, faster pumping (also increase item)



DOWN Button, slower pumping (also decrease item)



CYCLE Button



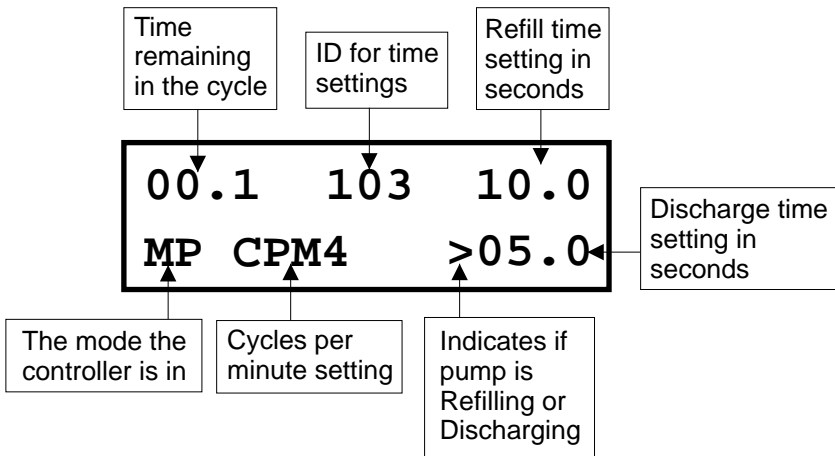
MODE Button (also battery check)



PAUSE Button (also manual sample)



## MP15 Display:



## Abbreviations:

<b>CPM</b>	Cycles per minute
<b>MP</b>	MicroPurge mode
<b>ID</b>	ID time set mode
<b>HELD</b>	Held in a cycle
<b>MN</b>	Manual time set mode
<b>BAT</b>	Battery
<b>LVL</b>	Level pause
<b>&gt;</b>	Indicates Refill or Discharge cycle

# INTRODUCTION/QUICK START

## Introduction / Quick start

**Introduction:** The MP15 Micro Purge Basics Controller is used to operate QED Well Wizard bladder sampling pumps to purge and sample ground water. The MP15, with its self-contained CO2 cylinder (or another compressed gas source connected to the bypass supply fitting) is taken portably from well to well. The MP15 has specific design features to make MicroPurge™ sampling easier. These features include:

- **MicroPurge Mode Operation** Simple Increase / Decrease keys allow you to easily set the flow rate you need for each well.
- **ID Time Set Mode Operation** Quickly recalls pre-determined settings for each well by specifying a 3-digit ID.
- **Level Delay Interface** The controller plugs into the optional MP30 MicroPurge Drawdown / Water Level Meter to provide direct feedback of well drawdown and to pause pump operation until the level recovers.


The optional MP30 MicroPurge Drawdown / Water Level Meter plugs into the MP15 to provide water level feedback. The MP30 uses a standard conductivity probe to detect the ground water surface and a marked tape allowing the user to measure the depth. When the meter is set in MicroPurge mode, the probe is lowered a specific distance below the static water level and fixed in this position. During well sampling if the water level drops below the user-set probe position, the MP15 is paused which prevents further drawdown by the pump. Once the level recovers the MP15 begins pump operation again, starting in the pump refill cycle. Use of the MP15 with the MP30 is detailed later in this manual.

**Insert Batteries:** Remove the battery cover on the top of the MP15. Insert 3, AA alkaline batteries into the battery holder and carefully replace the holder in the carrier. Replace the battery cover and tighten the 4 screws. Batteries should last for about 6-8 weeks of typical full-time field use. If the MP15 will be stored longer than 3 months, the alkaline batteries should be removed to prevent leakage.

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**Quick Start:** Open the CO<sub>2</sub> valve and supply up to 125 psi compressed air or gas to the controller. Turn the controller throttle until the gauge reads the approximate depth of the sample pump. Follow instructions on the battery panel:



Move Red ON/OFF toggle switch up to turn power ON.


Select desired Cycles Per Minute (CPM) with  (default value is 4 CPM, lower CPM for deeper wells, higher CPM possible with shallow wells).

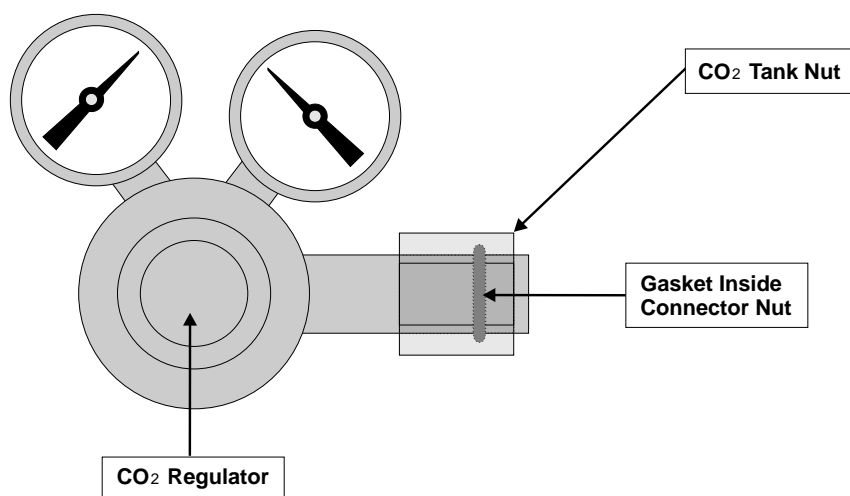
Turn throttle to set depth on gauge to 10-20 feet deeper than the pump location in the well.

Press  to START pumping.

When water discharge begins, adjust throttle until a slow, steady flow-stream is achieved.

Press   keys to set the desired purge flow rate.

To collect samples, continue purge flow, or use  key to directly control sample flow and pause.

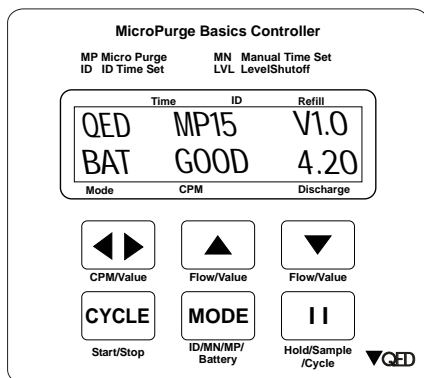


## Operation

**Turning the MP15 Display On** - The MP15 is powered on by moving the Red ON/OFF toggle switch (located above the control port) up to the ON position. When the Red power toggle switch is moved upward the MP15 displays an opening screen for 5 seconds, after which it displays the default MicroPurge screen. At this point the MP15 is in MicroPurge mode (MP) but not cycling the pump. This initial state allows the user to adjust time and throttle settings before the pump starts to operate. Pressing the Cycle key begins pump cycling. Times and modes may be adjusted while the pump is cycling or before. Pressing the Cycle key a second time will stop pump cycling. *Note: All user-entered time settings are lost when the MP15 is turned off. Also, the MP15 does not automatically power down so make sure the Red power toggle is turned Off (down position) during storage.*

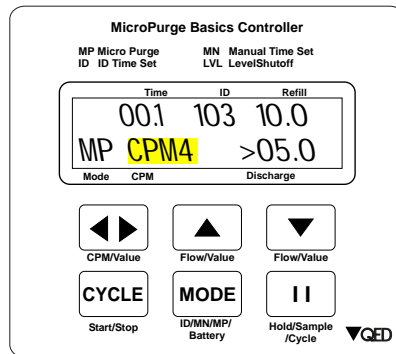
**Opening Display** - The opening display is shown for 5 seconds and displays the controller name, the version number and the battery voltage, as shown in Figure 1. Figure 1 shows that the battery is GOOD, that the battery voltage is 4.20 volts and that the software version in the controller is 1.0. Battery voltage must be greater than 3.6 volts for the unit to operate. If the unit fails to cycle replace the 3-AA batteries with fresh cells. The opening screen is displayed for 5 seconds, if you wish to by pass the opening screen, hitting any key, such as the CPM key will bring you to the default MP display.

**Figure 1 Opening Screen**



**MicroPurge Mode** Most MP15 users will leave the controller in the default MicroPurge (MP) mode. See Figure 2 for an example of the MP15 in MP mode. MP mode lets you to use the UP and DOWN keys to directly increase and decrease pump flow rates. The MP15 has a broad range of other CPM settings to ensure the availability of a time setting that will match your specific conditions. ( MP mode also displays an ID, with a value of 1 to 165 that matches the flow settings (CPM ) and refill and discharge times you have set). This ID should be noted alongside the well identification (QED provides custom weather-proof ID badges for purchasers of our MP series of well caps) for quick setting of the optimal controller settings on the next visit by using the MP15 in ID mode.

**Figure 2 MP15 MicroPurge Mode**



**Using CPM** The MP15 introduces a revolutionary, simpler way to control bladder pump flow rate and achieve the low-flow method used by experts. Up/down arrow keys are used to adjust pump flow even at very low rates, with excellent control and repeatability.

With previous bladder pump controllers, a leading low-flow technique called for selecting the number of pump cycles per minute, then adjusting the bladder pump discharge and refill times to achieve the desired volume per cycle. These adjustments were inter-related, complex, and varied by operator. The new MicroPurge Mode (MP) of the MP15 builds in a "cycles per minute", or CPM, method of flow control.

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With this method, the number of complete pump cycles per minute is fixed, within a range of 1 to 6; 4 CPM is the default value which appears at startup. Each time the up/down arrow keys are pressed, the pump refill and discharge times are both automatically adjusted to maintain the selected CPM value. Each adjustment increases or decreases the volume pumped per cycle, and the per-minute flow rate is the volume per cycle X the CPM value.

For example, with a 4 CPM setting, 60 ml volume per cycle equates to  $4 \times 60 = 240$  ml/min flow rate. A single press of the Flow up-arrow key could change the volume per cycle to 80 ml, for example, resulting in a new, increased flow rate of  $4 \times 80 = 320$  ml/min. And the MP15 assigns a unique identification value to each setting, the ID value, which can be directly set during later sampling events.


"MP" displayed in the lower left corner of the display indicates Micro-Purge mode. The default CPM setting of 4 cycles per minute is a good starting point for wells with depths from 25-100ft. MicroPurge mode starts at a time setting of 10 seconds refill and 5 seconds discharge, close to optimal for many wells. This startup settings corresponds to a 4 cycles per minute setting (CPM4) and an ID setting of 103.

Using the CPM key will change the CPM setting on the controller. The range of CPM settings is CPM1 through CPM6. CPM changes like this each time you hit the CPM key: 4 5 6 1 2 3 4 5, etc. The UP and DOWN keys change the flow rate directly, by altering the refill and discharge times *within* a CPM setting. *Note: changes in settings that are entered while the controller is cycling are reflected on the next cycle change (so a long refill time of 15 seconds will time out before a new refill time becomes valid).*

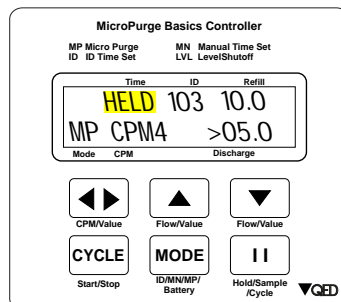
Here is an example of the use of the UP (faster) key:

Key Press	Refill (sec)	Discharge (sec)	ID
---	10.0	5.0	103
1	9.5	5.5	104
2	9.0	6.0	105
3	8.5	6.5	106

Each of the 165 possible ID settings corresponds to a unique ID that is associated with CPM, refill and discharge time values. For typical usage, only the UP/DOWN arrow keys are required to set flow, and the ID number is provided for easy, direct return to past settings. Appendix 1 lists all possible ID settings and the default refill and discharge time settings for each CPM. Appendix 1 also shows how the refill and discharge time will change within a CPM setting as you press the UP or DOWN keys.

**Sample Collection** The PAUSE key (  ) is used to freeze the controller action to allow the user time to collect a sample or carry out other steps that might be difficult if the controller continued to automatically cycle and cause the pump to produce water. While the controller is cycling, pressing the PAUSE key causes the controller to immediately enter the Hold state. Drive air is vented from the pump (this is the pump refill cycle) and the pump fills and waits. Pressing the PAUSE key a second time causes the controller to immediately enter the Sample state. Drive air is directed to the pump causing the pump to discharge its volume of liquid. Bladder pumps typically hold 400-500ml of liquid, so use of the Hold and Sample states allow the full volume of the pump to be discharged into a sample container. Pressing PAUSE once again returns the MP15 to its normal Automatic Cycling state. During Hold and Sample a HELD is displayed to remind you that the controller is in a paused state. Figure 3 shows an example of the MP15 in MP mode, but HELD in the Sample state. *Note: Pressing the Cycle key also freezes controller cycling. However, using the Cycle key rather than the Pause key causes the startup screen to be displayed upon restart. Use of the Pause key is recommended for typical operation.*

**Figure 3 MP15 Held State (MP mode)**



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*Warning: in the HELD SAMPLE state the pump, tubing and hoses are all under pressure. DO NOT attempt to disconnect or disassemble any part of the system when it is under pressure. The system is under pressure if the pressure gauge shows a value greater than 0 and the RED Discharge Cycle Indicator is showing.*

**Flow Throttle Use** The flow throttle is used during sampling to regulate the pressure applied to the pump. Turning the throttle clockwise increases the pressure and counterclockwise decreases the pressure. The pressure gauge shows the approximate pressure applied to the pump and reads in units of Feet-H<sub>2</sub>O. This allows easy adjustment of the throttle giving pressures that will produce gentle, non-turbulent flow (normally 10-20 Feet- H<sub>2</sub>O deeper than pump depth). For traditional, high volume purging pressure may be increased with the throttle to maximize pump flow during well purging.

**Use with the MP30 Automatic Drawdown Control** The MP15 may optionally be used with the MP30 MicroPurge Drawdown / Water Level Meter. See Figure 4 for an example of the MP15 in MP mode with the controller in a level paused state enacted by an MP30 meter.

**Figure 4 MP15 Level Paused State (MP mode)**

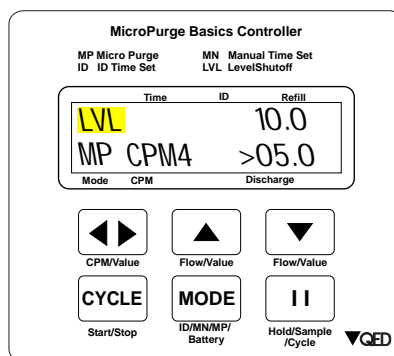




Figure 5 MP15 MP30 Use

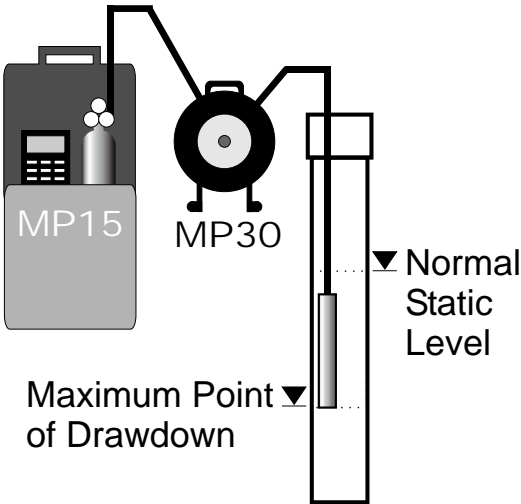
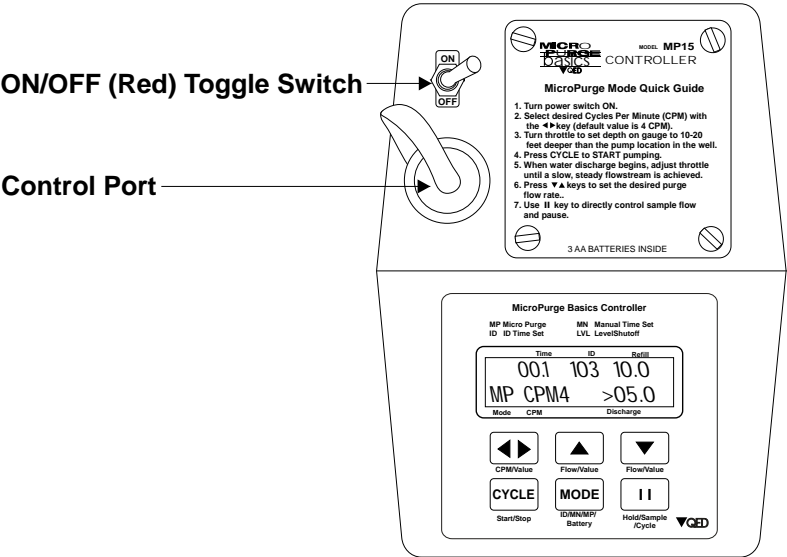


Figure 6 MP15 MP30 Use



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The MP15 and MP30 are connected with a cable (see Figures 5 and 6). The MP30 is switched into "DRAWDOWN CONTROL" mode and the water level probe is lowered to the desired maximum drawdown level. Limiting the maximum drawdown depth limits the differential head driving flow into the well and the velocity of the water flowing into the well from the surrounding formation important in MicroPurge sampling. The MP15 and MP30 work together to automatically adjust the pump operation so as to maintain drawdown at the set level. When the water level drops below the probe, the MP30 sends a signal to the MP15 to pause pumping. Both the MP15 and the MP30 give visual signals (and the MP30 emits an audio signal) that pump operation has stopped because of too much drawdown. Once the level recovers, the MP30 signals the MP15 to resume pump operation. The MP15 resumes by starting in the refill leg of the pump cycle.

The normal operating mode for using the MP30 with the MP15 is:

1. Use the MP30 in standard WLM mode to determine the static water level in the well
2. Decide what the maximum drawdown for that well is during sampling
3. Lower the probe to the maximum drawdown level
4. Switch the MP30 into Drawdown Control mode
5. Begin pumping with the MP15
6. Observe the interactions between the two devices, if the MP30 is frequently pausing the MP15, it may be appropriate to slow the flow down (using the DOWN key in MP mode) to better match pump flow to well recharge.

When switched into "DRAWDOWN CONTROL" mode, the MP30 has a flashing red light and an optional (can be switched off by the user) audio alarm to indicate when the probe is in the dry state. A submerged probe in all modes is indicated by a solid green light. When the MP15 is paused by the MP30 the MP15 display indicates this as shown in Figure 4.

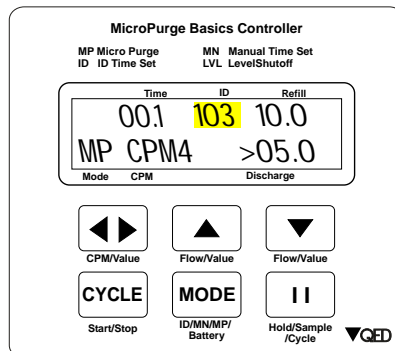
If the MP30 is signaling the MP15 too frequently, the operator can slow down the pump flow rate by using the DOWN key (effectively increasing the pump refill time period). MP30 probe position may also be varied to provide a buffer zone for your draw-down limit and gauge rate of pumping effect on water level in the well.

If the selected maximum drawdown level is being reached even with the lowest desirable pump flow rate more drawdown may be required to attain equilibration, or a passive sampling approach may be required. In passive sampling, used where well recovery is extremely slow, samples are taken after just a few pump strokes sufficient to purge the pump and tubing volumes.

Additional information on the MP30 is given in the MP30 O&M manual

**ID Mode** Figure 6 shows an example of the MP15 in ID time set mode. Once you use the MP10 in MP mode and found proper settings for your wells, subsequent sampling events are speeded along by using the controller in ID mode. Once the controller is turned on, a single press of the MODE key places the controller in ID time set mode (the default initial mode is MP mode). This mode allows the user to enter a 3-digit ID, which then is translated into the correct flow settings (CPM and refill / discharge time settings) for that well.

**Figure 7 MP15 ID Set Mode**



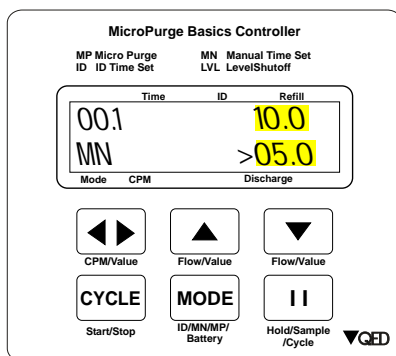
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In this mode the CPM and UP, DOWN keys function differently. The CPM key becomes a key used to scroll between the one's and the ten's digits of the ID. The UP and DOWN keys are used to change the ID number (the MP15 has IDs that range from 1-165) up or down in value. Sampling in ID mode is the same as explained, above, for MP mode.

Appendix 1 lists all possible ID settings and the default refill and discharge time settings for each CPM. Appendix 1 also shows how the refill and discharge time will change within a CPM setting as you press the UP or DOWN keys. As you change IDs you will see the CPM change and the refill and discharge time setting change. *Note: changes in time settings that are entered while the controller is cycling are reflected on the next cycle change (so a long refill time of 15 seconds will time out before a new refill time becomes valid).*

**User Set Mode** A final controller mode, User Set mode (MN on the display), is useful for manually setting refill and discharge times on the controller as in traditional controllers (like previous model QED pump controllers). An example of the MP15 in User Set mode is shown in Figure 7. User set mode is also used when the wells being sampled are at extreme depths or there are other conditions where one of the 165 possible preset times of ID and MP modes will not match your needs. MN mode is entered when the MODE key is pressed twice from the default MP mode. As shown in Figure 7, the display indicates MN mode in the lower left corner and CPM and ID are not displayed.

**Figure 8 MP15 User Set Mode (MN mode)**



In User Set mode the CPM and UP, DOWN keys function differently than MP mode. The CPM key becomes a key used to select the digits of the refill and discharge time settings found at the rightmost positions on the display. The UP and DOWN keys are used to adjust the digit value up or down. By selecting and adjusting digits up and down a user can quickly set any time from 00.1 seconds to 99.9 seconds. Sampling in User Set mode is the same as explained, above, for MP mode.

The MP15 does not attempt to translate a user set time into a corresponding ID or CPM. Also, any settings you have entered in MP or ID modes are lost once you press the MODE key to enter MN mode. *Note: changes in time settings that are entered while the controller is cycling are reflected on the next cycle change (so a long refill time of 15 seconds will time out before a new refill time becomes valid).*

**MP15 Battery** - The MP15 features sophisticated power-supply circuitry that optimizes battery life. A fresh set of AA batteries will provide more than 100 hours of controller operation at normal operating temperatures. As ambient temperatures drop below 15-20F (-9C to -6C), the ability of the alkaline batteries to deliver energy is affected. Continuous operation may be difficult in extremely cold conditions. Once the batteries and MP15 warm, additional cycle capacity will be regained from a set of batteries. drop below 15-20F (-9C to -6C), the ability of the alkaline batteries to deliver energy is affected. Continuous operation may be difficult in extremely cold conditions. Once the batteries and MP15 warm, additional cycle capacity will be regained from a set of batteries.

Replace alkaline batteries by removing the 4 thumbscrews located on the battery cover and inserting 3 fresh cells. The MP15 battery holder includes space for **3 spare AA cells** so you should never be without power in the field. Properly dispose of the spent alkaline cells.

*Note: If you are storing the MP15 for more than 3 months, remove the AA batteries to prevent leakage. The MP15 power supply is automatically shut off by closing the lid. Make sure the lid is closed during storage*

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***MP15 CO2 Cylinder Capacity-*** The CO2 cylinder on the MP15 Control & Power Pack is intended to provide a versatile combination of portability and operating capacity. The chart below shows the continuous operating times that can be expected for the conditions shown, which are influenced most by pump depth and secondarily by liquid flow rate. The actual number of wells which can be purged and sampled with a single charge of the CO2 cylinder will depend on the purge and sample procedures followed at each well. Actual initial charge level, ambient temperature and the volume of the air hose and tubing will also affect CO2 consumption and capacity, (see **Appendix 2 / Page 25**).

## Troubleshooting

Use the following troubleshooting table to assist in troubleshooting the MP15:

Symptom	Possible Cause	Action / Fix
Display not showing	Low or dead batteries Batteries installed wrong	Check battery voltage on opening display (>3.6 volts required) Replace batteries Check battery connection
Controller not cycling	Low or dead batteries	See, above
	Lid not open	Open lid
	Temperature below 10F	Warm controller
	MP15 not STARTED with CYCLE key MP15 in HELD mode	Operate CYCLE and/or PAUSE key to return MP15 to cycling state
	MP15 in LEVEL hold	Make sure MP30 probe is submerged when in MP mode
Air not cycling through controller	Throttle turned too low	Turn throttle clock-wise to produce pressure
	Air source not delivering air	Verify air source
Pump not pumping	Throttle turned too low	Turn throttle clock-wise to produce pressure
	Time settings not correct	Try different CPM settings (lower CPM for deeper wells) and/or different refill and discharge time settings
	Air source pressure too low	Verify air source pressure
Battery life too short	Controller left on while stored	Turn MP15 off before storing and remove batteries when storing more than 1 month
	Temperature below 10F	Warm controller

## SPECIFICATIONS

### MP15 Specifications

<b>Temperature Range:</b>	Operating range of -20F to 150F
<b>Humidity:</b>	Circuitry sealed to provide operation to 100%
<b>Protection:</b>	humidity Circuitry protected against transient surges introduced from improper battery installation or switch connections.
<b>Display:</b>	LCD display, 32-character (2 lines, 16 characters, each)
<b>Window:</b>	Non-glare, double hardened optical acrylic
<b>Battery type:</b>	Sealed NiCd battery pack and 3, user replaceable, AA alkaline cells
<b>Expected NiCd life:</b>	Worst case > 6 years, unit still operational with AA cells
<b>NiCd capacity:</b>	3.6Vdc @600 mA-hr
<b>Drain:</b>	<b>Unit off:</b> 2mA <b>Unit on:</b> 4mA <b>Valve Cycle:</b> 6mA
<b>Reserve:</b>	100 hours operating time (1sec/1sec cycles) with fresh AA alkaline cells At 65F (approx.)
<b>Emergency battery:</b>	3 AA cells stored within battery compartment and optional connection cabling.

### For additional assistance contact QED Service at:

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## QED Monitoring System WARRANTY

QED ENVIRONMENTAL SYSTEMS, INC. ("QED") warrants to the original purchaser of its products that, subject to the limitations and conditions provided below, the products, materials and/or workmanship shall reasonably conform to descriptions of the products and shall be free of defects in materials and workmanship. Any failure of the products to conform to this warranty will be remedied by QED in the manner provided herein.

This warranty shall be limited to the duration and the conditions set forth below. Warranty duration is calculated from the original date of purchase.

1. **Dedicated-Use System Products** 10-year warranty on dedicated bladder pumps equipped with QED inlet screens, and purge pumps used in periodic, non-continuous groundwater sampling (up to 52 samples events per year.) All other components, equipment and accessories are warranted for one year.
2. **Portable-Use Systems - Controllers and Water Level Meters** are warranted for one year. Hose reels, pumps and caps are warranted for ninety (90) days. Tubing and Purge Mizers are covered by a ninety-(90) day material and workmanship warranty. There will be no warranty for application on tubing and Purge Mizers when used as part of a Portable System.
3. **Separately Sold Parts and Spare Parts Kit** - Separately sold parts and spare parts are warranted for ninety (90) days. Repairs performed by QED are warranted for ninety (90) days from date of repair or for the full term of the original warranty, whichever is longer.

Buyers' exclusive remedy for breach of said warranty shall be as follows: if, and only if, QED is notified in writing within the applicable warranty period of the existence of any such defect in the said products, and QED upon examination of any such defects, shall find the same to be within the term of and covered by the warranty running from QED to Buyer, QED will, at its option, as soon as reasonably possible, replace or repair any such product, without charge to Buyer. If QED for any reason, cannot repair a product covered hereby within four (4) weeks after receipt of the original Purchaser's/Buyer's notification of a warranty claim, then QED's sole responsibility shall be, at its option, either to replace the defective product with a comparable new unit at no charge to the Buyer, or to refund the full purchase price. In no event shall such allegedly defective products be returned to QED without its consent, and QED's obligations of repair, replacement or refund are conditioned upon the Buyer's return of the defective product to QED.

**IN NO EVENT SHALL QED ENVIRONMENTAL SYSTEMS, INC. BE LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL OR INCIDENTAL DAMAGES FOR BREACH OF SAID WARRANTY.**

The foregoing warranty does not apply to major sub-assemblies and other equipment, accessories, and parts manufactured by others, and such other parts, accessories, and equipment are subject only to the warranties, if any, supplied by the respective manufacturers. QED makes no warranty concerning products or accessories not manufactured by QED. In the event of failure of any such product accessory, QED will give reasonable assistance to Buyer in obtaining from the respective manufacturer whatever adjustments are reasonable in light of the manufacturer's own warranty.

**THE FOREGOING WARRANTY IS IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESSED, IMPLIED OR STATUTORY (INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE). WHICH OTHER WARRANTIES ARE EXPRESSLY EXCLUDED HEREBY, and of any other obligations or liabilities on the part of QED, and QED neither assumes nor authorizes any person to assume for it any other obligation or liability in connection with the said products, materials and/or workmanship.**

It is understood and agreed that QED shall in no event be liable for incidental or consequential damages resulting from its breach of any of the terms of this agreement, not for special damages, nor for improper selection of any product described or referred to for a particular application.

This warranty will be void in the event of unauthorized disassembly of component assemblies. Defects in any equipment that result from abuse, operation in any manner outside the recommended procedures, use and applications other than for intended use, or exposure to chemical or physical environmental beyond the designated limits of materials and construction will also void this warranty. QED shall be released from all obligations under all warranties if any product covered hereby is repaired or modified by persons other than QED's service personnel unless such repair by others is made with the written consent of QED.

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If any product covered hereby is actually defective within the terms of this warranty, Purchaser must contact QED for determination of warranty coverage. If the return of a component is determined to be necessary, QED will authorize the return of the component, at owner's expense. If the product proves not be defective within the terms of this warranty, then all costs and expenses in connection with the processing of the Purchaser's \ claim and all costs for repair, parts and labor as authorized by owner hereunder shall be borne by the Purchaser.

## RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PURCHASER

The original Purchaser's sole responsibility in the instance of a warranty claim shall be to notify QED of the defect, malfunction, or other manner in which the terms of this warranty are believed to be violated. You may secure performance of obligations hereunder by contacting the Customer Service Department of QED and:

1. Identifying the product involved (by model or serial number or other sufficient description that will allow QED to determine which product is defective).
2. Specifying where, when, and from whom the product was purchased.
3. Describing the nature of the defect or malfunction covered by this warranty.
4. Sending the malfunction component, after authorization by QED to:

### **QED Environmental Systems Inc.**

**6155 Jackson Road  
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## Appendix 1 ID Data Table

NOTE: Bold Shaded values are default for that CPM

CYCLES / min (CPM)																	
1 / min			2 / min			3 / min			4 / min			5 / min			6 / min		
ID	Disch (sec)	Refill (sec)	ID	Disch (sec)	Refill (sec)	ID	Disch (sec)	Refill (sec)	ID	Disch (sec)	Refill (sec)	ID	Disch (sec)	Refill (sec)	ID	Disch (sec)	Refill (sec)
1	1	59	41	1	29	66	1	19	95	1	14	114	1	11	145	1	9
2	2	58	42	2	28	67	1.5	18.5	96	1.5	13.5	115	1.2	10.8	146	1.2	8.8
3	3	57	43	3	27	68	2	18	97	2	13	116	1.4	10.6	147	1.4	8.6
4	4	56	44	4	26	69	2.5	17.5	98	2.5	12.5	117	1.6	10.4	148	1.6	8.4
5	5	55	45	5	25	70	3	17	99	3	12	118	1.8	10.2	149	1.8	8.2
6	6	54	46	6	24	71	3.5	16.5	100	3.5	11.5	119	2	10	150	2	8
7	7	53	47	7	23	72	4	16	101	4	11	120	2.2	9.8	151	2.2	7.8
8	8	52	48	8	22	73	4.5	15.5	102	4.5	10.5	121	2.4	9.6	152	2.4	7.6
9	9	52	49	9	21	74	5	15	103	5	10	122	2.6	9.4	153	2.6	7.4
10	10	50	50	10	20	75	5.5	14.5	104	5.5	9.5	123	2.8	9.2	154	2.8	7.2
11	11	49	51	11	19	76	6	14	105	6	9	124	3	9	155	3	7
12	12	48	52	12	18	77	6.5	13.5	106	6.5	8.5	125	3.2	8.8	156	3.2	6.8
13	13	47	53	13	17	78	7	13	107	7	8	126	3.4	8.6	157	3.4	6.6
14	14	46	54	14	16	79	7.5	12.5	108	7.5	7.5	127	3.6	8.4	158	3.6	6.4
15	15	45	55	15	15	80	8	12	109	8	7	128	3.8	8.2	159	3.8	6.2
16	16	44	56	16	14	81	8.5	11.5	110	8.5	6.5	129	4	8	160	4	6
17	17	43	57	17	13	82	9	11	111	9	6	130	4.2	7.8	161	4.2	5.8
18	18	42	58	18	12	83	9.5	10.5	112	9.5	5.5	131	4.4	7.6	162	4.4	5.6
19	19	41	59	19	11	84	10	10	113	10	5	132	4.6	7.4	163	4.6	5.4
20	20	40	60	20	10	85	10.5	9.5		133	4.8	7.2	164	4.8	5.2		
21	21	39	61	21	9	86	11	9		134	5	7	165	5	5		
22	22	38	62	22	8	87	11.5	8.5		135	5.2	6.8					
23	23	37	63	23	7	88	12	8		136	5.4	6.6					
24	24	36	64	24	6	89	12.5	7.5		137	5.6	6.4					
25	25	35	65	25	5	90	13	7		138	5.8	6.2					
26	26	34				91	13.5	6.5		139	6	6					
27	27	33				92	14	6		140	6.2	5.8					
28	28	32				93	14.5	5.5		141	6.4	5.6					
29	29	31				94	15	5		142	6.6	5.4					
30	30	30								143	6.8	5.2					
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# APPENDIX 2

## MP15 Purge Capacity\*

<u>Pump Depth (ft.)</u>	<u>Purge Time (min.)</u>
50	400
100	120
150	90
200	50

\*Purge times based on 200 ml/min flow rate, full 5 LB. CO2 cylinder: consult QED for more detail.

