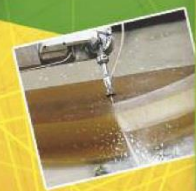




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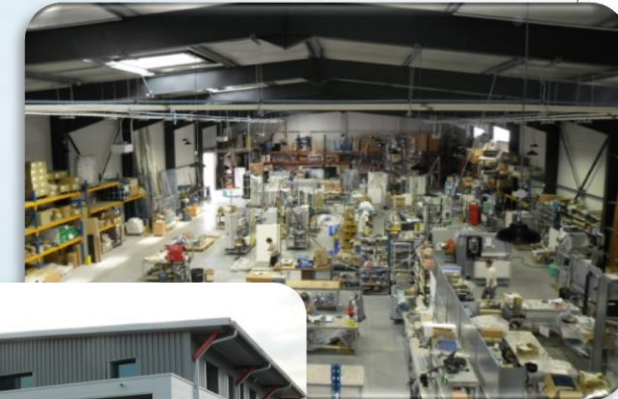
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# Thermal engineering & Renewable energy

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**Air/Water heat pump - Instrumented**  
6kW reversible heat pump



**Positive / Negative cold rooms**



**Commercial/Industrial refrigeration unit** – Multi-compressor system  
supplying several refrigeration units



**CTA Flex - Air handling system**



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Instrumented domestic solar water heater



**Gas boiler and fuel oil burner simulators**



## Air/Water heat pump - Instrumented 6kW reversible heat pump

### Features

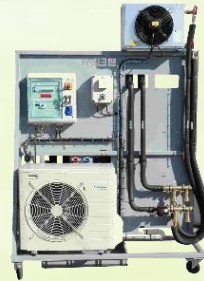
- ◆ Thermodynamic equipment
- ◆ Thermal control
- ◆ Fluid system (circulation unit, expansion tank, buffer tank...)
- ◆ Measurements (thermal and electrical meters, temperature, HP and LP manometer)

### Training activities:

- ◆ Hydraulic and electrical wiring and connecting
- ◆ Commissioning, configuration and maintenance
- ◆ Overall and subsystem thermal balance
- ◆ Techno-economic and environmental analyses
- ◆ Dimensioning the installation

### Key points:

- ◆ Real heat pump
- ◆ Software for datalogging (with option PC21 or PC22)



➤ **References:** **PC60:** Instrumented 6kW Air/Water heat pump (with hydraulic unit) – **PC61:** 3-way valve for Domestic Hot Water production (tank with exchanger not included) – **PC21:** Data logging and teleprocessing station – **PC22:** 4-channel temperature recorder and data logger with 8 thermocouple probes – **PC23:** Tube-in-shell exchanger (Optional) – **PC25:** 15kW hot water air heater

## Water/Water heat pump - Instrumented 5kW reversible heat pump

### Features

- ◆ Thermodynamic equipment
- ◆ Thermal control
- ◆ Plate heat exchanger
- ◆ Fluid system (circulation unit, expansion tank, buffer tank...)
- ◆ Measurements (thermal and electrical meters, temperature, HP and LP manometer)

### Training activities:

- ◆ Hydraulic and electrical wiring and connecting
- ◆ Commissioning, configuration and maintenance
- ◆ Overall and subsystem thermal balance
- ◆ Techno-economic and environmental analyses
- ◆ Dimensioning the installation

### Key points:

- ◆ Real heat pump
- ◆ 50L buffer tank to avoid short-cycle
- ◆ Software for datalogging (with option PC21 or PC22)

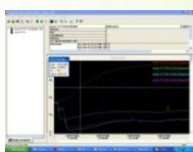
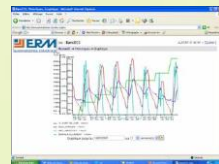


➤ **References:** **PC55:** Instrumented 5kW Water/Water heat pump with external exchanger – **PC51:** 3-way valve for Domestic Hot Water production (tank with exchanger not included) – **PC52:** Drilling pump and 1000L tank – **PC21:** Data logging and teleprocessing station – **PC22:** 4-channel temperature recorder and data logger with thermocouple probes – **PC23:** Tube-in-shell exchanger (Optional) – **PC25:** 15kW hot water air heater

## Temperature recorder and data logger (PC22)

## Data logging & teleprocessing (PC21)

➔ With 8 thermocouple probes and acquisition software



## Air/Water heat pump with inverter & fan coil unit – Studying a reversible air/water heat pump with a high performance fan coil unit

- ➔ Studying a real Air/Water heat pump with inverter and fan coil unit
- ➔ Thermal and electrical measurements (voltage, current, 12 temperatures, refrigeration and hydraulic pressure, water and air flow, electronic control signals)
- ➔ User-friendly data acquisition with Labview
- ➔ Configuration and control (water logic...)

➔ References: **PC40-PC42:** Air/water heat pump & fan coil unit (with HP/BP manometers and power consumption analyzer) – **GD12:** KNX home automated controller and supervision – **MO21:** Data logger and monitoring via Ethernet – **AQ10:** USB data logger – **AQ11:** Differential voltage probe for USB data logger – **AQ12:** AC current clamp for USB data logger



## Water chiller – Study and implementation of a reversible inverter water chiller

### Features:

- ◆ Thermodynamic residential equipment
- ◆ Thermal control
- ◆ Fluid system (circulation, expansion tank, buffer tank...)
- ◆ Measurements (thermal and electrical meters, temperature, HP and LP manometer)

### Training activities:

- ◆ Hydraulic and electrical wiring and connecting
- ◆ Commissioning, configuration and maintenance

- ◆ Dimensioning the installation, Overall and subsystem thermal balance
- ◆ Techno-economic and environmental analyses
- ◆ Benefits of an inverter (speed drive on the compressor)
- ◆ Study of the thermodynamic cycle

### Key points:

- ◆ Essential equipment for a training center, to be connected to distribution benches, heat emission benches, air handling systems...
- ◆ 25L buffer tank 25L, integrated to avoid short-cycle

➤ **References:** **PC30:** Air/Water reversible inverter 10kW chiller – **PC31:** Faulty components for diagnostic activities – **PC32:** Air/Water reversible inverter 6kW chiller – **PC33:** Air/Water reversible inverter 15kW chiller



## Wood-pellet heater - Instrumented 10kW automatic heater



### Features

- ◆ Combustion appliances
- ◆ Thermal insulation materials (**instrumented chimney**)
- ◆ Pellet storage (300kg Silo)
- ◆ **Thermal control**
- ◆ Fluid system (circulation unit, expansion tank, buffer tank...)
- ◆ Measurements (energy meter, temperature, manometer)

### Training activities:

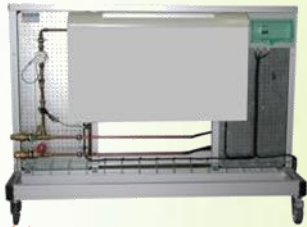
- ◆ **Hydraulic and electrical** wiring and connecting
- ◆ **Commissioning, configuration** and maintenance
- ◆ **Overall and subsystem thermal balance**
- ◆ Detection of pressure losses and chimney draught...
- ◆ Techno-economic and environmental analyses
- ◆ **Dimensioning the installation**

### Key points:

- ◆ Installation within the workshops by a professional team

- **References:** **GB20:** 10kW Wood-pellet heater – **GB30:** 24kW Wood-pellets and plates heater with mini-silo, 700L buffer tank – **PC21:** Data logging and teleprocessing station – **PC22:** 4-channel temperature recorder and data logger with 8 thermocouple probes

## Fan coil bench - Bench for studying, connecting and operating fan coils



### Features

- ◆ Heat emission (**2 fan coils on frame**)
- ◆ Measurements (flow, energy, temperature)

### Training activities:

- ◆ **Operation, configuration** and maintenance
- ◆ Connection to a heat generator

### Key points:

- ◆ Bench for studying the problems related to heating and refrigerating by blowing air
- ◆ **Quick connection** to ERM heat generation platforms

- **References:** **VC10:** Fan coil bench – **VC11:** Energy meters (Optional) – **VC12:** Balancing valves (Optional) – **ME10:** Balancing tool

## Heater unit – Hot water air heater

### Features:

- ◆ Heat emission (hot water air heater)
- ◆ Measurements (flow, energy, temperature)

### Training activities:

- ◆ Commissioning, configuration and maintenance
- ◆ Connection to a heat generator



### Key points:

- ◆ Bench for studying the problems related to heating and refrigerating by supply air
- ◆ **Quick connection** to ERM heat generation platforms.

- **References:** **PC25:** 15kW Heater unit – **PC26:** 15kW Heater unit with rack

## Radiator balancing bench - Bench for balancing and commissioning radiator columns



### Features:

- ◆ Heat emission (6 radiators on frame)
- ◆ Thermal control (thermostatic taps)
- ◆ Balancing (balancing valves)
- ◆ Measurements (flow, energy, temperature)

### Training activities:

- ◆ Studying pressure losses with the multi-turn valves
- ◆ Balancing of heating systems
- ◆ Commissioning, configuration and maintenance
- ◆ Connection to a heat generator

### Key points:

- ◆ Bench for studying problems related to collective heating systems
- ◆ **Quick connection** to ERM heat generation platforms.

- **References:** **RA10:** Balancing bench with low-temperature radiators – **RA11:** Energy meters (Optional) – **RA12:** Balancing valves (Optional) – **ME10:** Balancing tool

## Floor heating bench – Assembly kit for floor heating systems



### Features:

- ◆ Heat emission (10m<sup>2</sup> floor heating mat)
- ◆ Thermal control (3-way valve and aquastat)
- ◆ Balancing (balancing valves)
- ◆ Measurements (flow, energy, temperature)

### Training activities:

- ◆ Assembly of floor heating systems and connection to a heat generator
- ◆ Commissioning, adjustments and maintenance
- ◆ Measuring temperature changes and interpretation
- ◆ Analysis of system performance in heating and cooling modes

### Key points:

- ◆ Study and use of floor heating technology
- ◆ Bench may be assembled and disassembled for training activities

- **References:** **PV20:** Floor heating bench – **PV21:** Connection for floor heating (circulator, 3-way valve, regulator) – **PV11:** Thermal measurements (Optional)

## Water exchanger – Water air heater



### Features:

- ◆ Heat exchanger (plate heat exchanger)
- ◆ Measurements (flow, energy, temperature)

### Training activities:

- ◆ Study of exchangers (performance, flow impact...)
- ◆ Flow adjustment to optimize performance

### Key point:

- ◆ **Quick connection** to the other ERM benches

- **Reference:** **PC27:** Water exchanger



## Primary/Secondary hydraulic distribution bench – Primary/secondary hydraulic distribution with buffer tank, hydraulic separator and 4-circuit collector



### Features:

- ◆ Buffer tank and hydraulic separator
- ◆ Low-energy circulator
- ◆ Motorized 3-way mixing valve
- ◆ Thermal measurement (temperature, flow)

### Training activities:

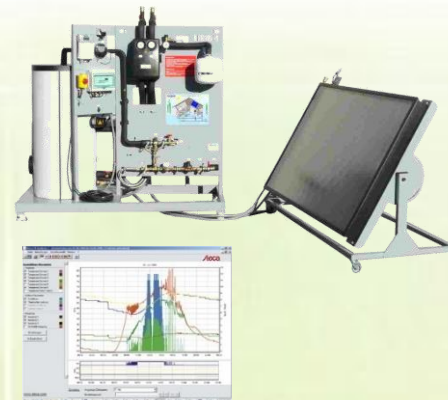
- ◆ Study of **heating network balancing**
- ◆ Adjustment of the low-energy circulator
- ◆ Connecting to a heat generator (primary) and to emitters (secondary)

### Key points:

- ◆ **Time-saving technology for connection** to the other benches of the Climaflex thermal platform
- ◆ **The bench can also be used with any type of heat generator that is already in the workshop**

References: **HP10:** Primary/secondary hydraulic distribution bench with buffer tank, hydraulic separator and 4-circuit collector (without circulator) – **HS11:** Variable-flow circulator module for direct secondary distribution to emitters, with thermometers, flowmeter and TA balancing valve - **HS12:** Variable-flow circulator module and motorized 3-way mixing valve for secondary distribution to emitters, with thermometers, flowmeter, 3-way valve controller and TA balancing valve

## Solar water heater: Basic Solerm - Instrumented domestic solar water heater



### Features:

- ◆ Heat production (2.5m<sup>2</sup> flat plate collectors)
- ◆ **Thermal storage** (200L tank, double-exchanger with immersion heater)
- ◆ Thermal control (**differential controller and data logging software**)
- ◆ Fluid system (circulation group, expansion tank...)
- ◆ Measurements (energy meters, temperature, manometer)

### Training activities:

- ◆ **Hydraulic and electrical wiring** and connecting
- ◆ Overall and subsystem **thermal balance**
- ◆ **Preventive maintenance** of the installation
- ◆ Techno-economic and environmental analyses
- ◆ Eco-design of thermal solar collectors
- ◆ **Dimensioning** the installation...

### Key points:

- ◆ **Easy data logging for a small budget**
- ◆ **Mobile solar collector** can be placed outdoors during tutorial work

References: **AB35:** Solar water heater: Basic Solerm – **so//PRKO:** Maintenance tool case – **AB36:** Filling station



Tilt adjustment of the collector

### Filling station (AB36)



### Maintenance tool case (so//PRKO)



- Refractometer
- Clinometer and compass
- pH measurement
- Manometer for monitoring the pressure of the expansion tank
- Voltage tester

## Solar water heater: CESI Solerm - Instrumented and communication-capable domestic solar water heater



### Features:

- ◆ Heat production (4m<sup>2</sup> flat plate collectors)
- ◆ **Thermal storage** (300L tank simple or double heat exchanger with immersion heating resistance)
- ◆ Thermal control (**differential control**)
- ◆ Fluid system (circulation group, expansion tank...)
- ◆ Measurements (energy meter, insolation, temperature, manometer)
- ◆ Communication and supervision (**communication-capable data logger**)

### Training activities:

- ◆ **Hydraulic and electrical wiring** and connection
- ◆ Overall and subsystem **thermal balance**
- ◆ Supervision adjustments and control
- ◆ **Preventive maintenance** of the installation
- ◆ Techno-economic and environmental analyses
- ◆ Eco-design of thermal solar collectors
- ◆ **Dimensioning** the installation...

### Key points

- ◆ Simulation of standard water consumption using a programmed solenoid valve

References: **AB70:** Solar water heater CESI Solerm: basic equipment (frame, pipes and fittings, electrical cabinet, sensors, data logging and supervision) – **AB71:** Solar water heater kit (300L tank, 2 sensors) for inclined roof – **AB72:** Solar water heater Kit (300L tank, 2 sensors) for flat roof – **AB73:** Solar water heater Kit (300L tank, 2 sensors) for sun-breaker installation – **so//PRKO:** Maintenance tool case – **AB36:** Filling station

## Thermodynamic water heater - Thermodynamic instrumented water heater (DHW production by Air/Water heat pump)



### Features:

- ◆ Thermodynamic equipment (Air/Water heat pump)
- ◆ DHW Domestic Hot Water storage (300L tank, anode, safety group...)
- ◆ Measurements (thermal and electric energy meters, temperature, HP and LP manometers)

### Training activities:

- ◆ **Hydraulic and electrical wiring** and connecting
- ◆ **Study of refrigerating and electric circuits**
- ◆ Operation, adjustments and control
- ◆ **Preventive maintenance** of the installation
- ◆ Energy balance and coefficient of performance

### Key points:

- ◆ Studying a new residential application of a heat pump

References: **TH10:** Thermodynamic water heater – **TH11:** Data logger for thermodynamic water heater - **PC22:** 4-channel temperature recorder and data logger



## SimMurale – Wall-mounted gas boiler simulator with electronic control board



### ➤ Technical specifications of the simulator:

- ◆ **Modulating residential gas boiler producing Domestic Hot Water**
- ◆ **Mimic board for viewing** the operating cycle and for **identifying** the components in a diagram
- ◆ **Boiler electronic control unit with electrical/electronic measuring points**
- ◆ Switch console that **generates failures**
- ◆ **Compressor-controller unit for gas supply simulation**

### ➤ Training activities:

- ◆ Study of the boiler and understanding the manufacturer's electric diagrams
- ◆ **Electrical connecting and measurements**
- ◆ **Configuration of the electronic control unit**
- ◆ **Gas adjustments** (valve, pressure controller, pressure switches) with **pressure and flow control** (gas supply simulation)
- ◆ Observing the **operating cycle** and **analyzing parameters**
- ◆ **Failure diagnostics** and troubleshooting procedure

### ➤ Key points:

- ◆ **Water flow and temperature simulation** (for boilers producing instantaneous DHW) on a mimic board that displays the **operating conditions** and a representation of the boiler
- ◆ Completely safe due to **fuel-free operation**, as gas is replaced by compressed air
- ◆ The system works without water, exchanger or flue: **low installation and maintenance costs**

➤ Reference: **SF40:** SimMurale, wall-mounted gas boiler simulator

## SimFuel50 – 50kW single stage fuel oil burner simulator



### ➤ Technical specifications of the simulator:

- ◆ **50kW single stage fuel oil burner**
- ◆ **Burner control unit** with measuring and test points
- ◆ Boiler control panel with switch, thermostat and connection points
- ◆ Switch console that **generates failures**
- ◆ Boiler-simulating unit with a **10L tank of fluid oil** (replacing the fuel oil)

### ➤ Training activities:

- ◆ Study of the boiler and understanding the manufacturer's electric diagrams
- ◆ **Electrical connecting of the burner and measurement**
- ◆ **Mechanical and burner adjustments with pressure and flow control**
- ◆ Observing the **operating cycle** and **analyzing parameters**
- ◆ **Failure diagnostics** and troubleshooting procedure

### ➤ Key points:

- ◆ Completely safe due to **fuel-free operation**, as fuel oil is replaced by fluid oil
- ◆ The system works without water, exchanger or flue: **low installation and maintenance costs**

➤ Reference: **SF10:** SimFuel50, 50kW single stage fuel oil burner simulator

## SimGaz50 – 50kW single stage gas burner simulator



### ➤ Technical specifications of the simulator:

- ◆ **50kW single stage gas burner**
- ◆ **Gas flowmeter**
- ◆ U-shaped tube to **measure the pressure** to be adjusted beyond the valve
- ◆ **Burner control unit** with measuring and test points
- ◆ Boiler control panel with switch, thermostat and connection points
- ◆ 10-switch console that **generates failures**
- ◆ **Compressor-controller unit for gas supply simulation**

### ➤ Training activities:

- ◆ Study of the boiler and understanding the manufacturer's electric diagrams
- ◆ **Electrical connecting and measurements**
- ◆ **Mechanical adjustments**
- ◆ **Gas adjustments** (valve, pressure controller, pressure switches) with **pressure and flow control** (gas supply simulation)
- ◆ Observing the **operating cycle** and **analyzing parameters**
- ◆ **Failure diagnostics** and troubleshooting procedure

### ➤ Key points:

- ◆ Completely safe due to **fuel-free operation**, as gas is replaced by compressed air
- ◆ The system works without water, exchanger or flue: **low installation and maintenance costs**

➤ Reference: **SF20:** SimGaz50, 50kW single stage gas burner simulator

## Simelec, Simregul & 3-way valve – Trainers for studying the control accessories of a water-based heating system



### ➤ Features:

- ◆ Control and safety **thermostats**
- ◆ **Switches and relays** (hot water priority, etc.)
- ◆ **Boiler controller, and heating and Domestic Hot Water circuit**
- ◆ **3-way valve** (mixing and recirculating)

### ➤ Training activities:

- ◆ Study of several components of heating circuits
- ◆ **Electrical wiring of boilers and heating circuit components**
- ◆ Failure **diagnostics** and troubleshooting
- ◆ **Configuration** of the boiler controller and heating circuit
- ◆ Study of the **operating modes of motorized 3-way valves** (mixing, recirculating, etc.)

### ➤ Key points:

- ◆ **Failure consoles** for diagnostics activities
- ◆ The trainers may be **used with SimGaz50 and SiFuel50** for boiler control scenarios

➤ References: **SF00:** Simelec, Simregul and protections – **SF01:** 3-way valve (Optional)



### Refrigeration assembly trainer - Assembly, wiring and testing of cooling units and refrigeration control devices



#### > Features:

- ◆ Commercial refrigeration (R134A refrigeration unit...)
- ◆ Command and Control (temperature controller)
- ◆ Sensors (pressure, temperature)
- ◆ Low voltage switchgears

#### > Training activities:

- ◆ HP and LP piping, adding a valve
- ◆ Diagrams and electrical wiring
- ◆ Pressurization and leak detection
- ◆ Set up (adjustments, gas recharging)
- ◆ Thermodynamic measurements
- ◆ Set up of a controller with a draining evaporator
- ◆ Fluid recovery
- ◆ Electrical and refrigeration certification

View of the evaporator



#### > Product strengths:

- ◆ Compact size for economical use (few consumables)
- ◆ Training course covering all operations of refrigeration units

> References: FM10: Refrigeration assembly trainer – FM11: Tool kit for refrigeration certification – FP19: Basic refrigeration tools – FM12: Spare parts kit for refrigeration assembly trainer – FM13: Removable box with electrical components

### Positive cold room - Food preservation at positive temperatures



#### > Features:

- ◆ Commercial refrigeration (R134A refrigerated unit)
- ◆ Thermal insulation (65mm-thick cold room)
- ◆ Control (temperature controller)
- ◆ Sensors (pressure, temperature)
- ◆ Communication and supervision
- ◆ Fluid system, electrical circuits and their equipment

#### > Training activities:

- ◆ Commissioning & configuration
- ◆ Electrical and refrigeration maintenance
- ◆ Electrical and refrigeration circuits
- ◆ Enthalpy diagram, Energy balance and performance ratios
- ◆ Forecasting operation modes
- ◆ Electrical certification...

#### > Key points:

- ◆ Possibility to order the equipment as an assembly kit (detailed assembly instructions)
- ◆ Real-life situation and real sizing (restaurant cold room)
- ◆ Studying a low-cost industrial cold room
- ◆ Resistance for simulation of temperature variation in the cold room

> References: FP15+FP16-k: Positive cold room assembly kit - FP15+FP16: Positive cold room (assembled) – FP17: 500W heater into the cold room (Optional) – FP18: Flowmeter for refrigerant (Optional) – FP12: Communication-capable controller (Optional)

> References for instrumentation: FP11: Data logging and teleprocessing unit for cold rooms – PC22: 4-channel temperature recorder and data logger (with 8 thermocouples probes and data-acquisition software for PC)



#### > Features:

- ◆ Commercial refrigeration (R404A)
- ◆ Thermal insulation (100mm-thick cold room)
- ◆ Control (temperature controller)
- ◆ Sensors (pressure, temperature)
- ◆ Communication and supervision
- ◆ Fluid system, electrical circuits and their equipment

#### > Training activities:

- ◆ Commissioning & configuration
- ◆ Electrical and refrigeration maintenance
- ◆ Electrical and refrigeration circuits
- ◆ Enthalpy diagram, Energy balance and performance ratios
- ◆ Forecasting operation modes
- ◆ Electrical certification...

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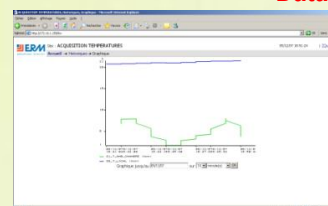
#### > Key points:

- ◆ Possibility to order the equipment as an assembly kit
- ◆ Real-life situation and real sizing (restaurant cold room)
- ◆ Studying a low-cost industrial cold room
- ◆ Resistance for simulation of temperature variation in the cold room
- ◆ Detailed assembly instructions

> References: FN15+FP16-k: Negative cold room assembly kit – FN15+FP16 Negative cold room (assembled) – FP17: 500W heater into the cold room (Optional) – FN18: Flowmeter for refrigerant (Optional) – FN12: Communication-capable controller (Optional)

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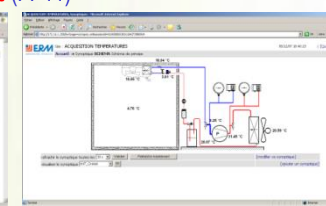
### Data logging and teleprocessing unit (FP11)



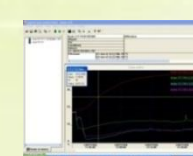
Graphical measurement record



Schematic layout: real-time data (evaporator's temperature, cold room, expansion valve entry, evaporator exit...)



### 4-channel thermometer with datalogger (PC22)



→ With 8 thermocouple probes and acquisition software



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## Commercial/Industrial refrigeration unit – Multi-compressor system supplying several refrigeration units



### Features:

- ◆ **Refrigeration unit** (dual-compressor refrigerating group using R404A, suction accumulator, oil separator, fluid reservoir, filter dryer, etc.)
- ◆ Condenser (air-cooled) and evaporator (air-cooled)
- ◆ Refrigeration applications (cold room, display case, ambient air volume)
- ◆ Expansion valves (thermostatic, electronic) and evaporation pressure control valves
- ◆ Control (**PLC for the refrigeration unit, controllers for display cases, cold rooms and room temperature**)
- ◆ Sensors (pressure, temperature)
- ◆ **Communication** and supervision
- ◆ Fluidic and electrical circuits and their equipment
- ◆ **Hydraulic circuit** components (hot water production by **heat recovery**)



### Training activities:

- ◆ Introduction to **refrigeration units**
- ◆ Electrotechnical measurements
- ◆ Hands-on training with refrigeration components
- ◆ **Refrigeration measurements and enthalpy chart design**
- ◆ **Refrigeration and electrical troubleshooting and maintenance**
- ◆ **Commissioning & configuration**
- ◆ **Energy balance** and computation of performance ratios

### Key points:

- ◆ **Real-life situations and actual sizing** (e.g., Mini-market refrigeration unit with cold room, refrigerated display case and ambient cooling)
- ◆ Resistance for **simulation of temperature variations** in the cold room
- ◆ **More display cases, cold rooms and "free" evaporators may be added**
- ◆ Hot water production by **energy recovery** (option)

- References: **CF10**: Dual-compressor Inverter refrigeration unit with remote air-cooled condenser and helical fan – **CF12**: Display case with thermostatic expansion valve – **CF13**: Negative cold room with thermostatic and electronic expansion valves, and ambient evaporator with thermostatic expansion valve – **CF15**: Heat recovery unit producing hot water – **PC22**: 4-channel thermometer with PC acquisition and display (delivered with 8 thermocouple probes and PC acquisition software)



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Measurement console

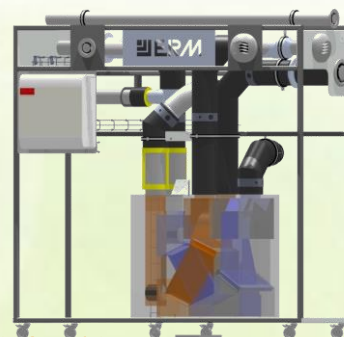
## Monosplit reversible air-conditioner with inverter – Training system to study a monosplit reversible air-conditioner DC inverter using R410



- Studying a monosplit reversible inverter air conditioner in real conditions
- Measurements (voltage, amperage, temperature, hygrometry, HP and LP manometers)
- User-friendly data-acquisition of operating parameters on Labview
- References: **MO20** Monosplit reversible air conditioner with inverter – **MO21** Data logger and tele-monitoring via Ethernet (embedded web server) – **AQ10** USB data logger – **AQ11** Differential voltage probe for USB data logger – **AQ12** AC current clamp for USB data logger

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## Residential CMV – Study and implementation of residential ventilation solutions



### Features:

- ◆ Single-flow humidity-sensitive CMV, consumption level B (with humidity-sensitive air inlets)
- ◆ High-performance double-flow CMV
- ◆ Thermal, aerulic and electrical measurements

### Training activities:

- ◆ Study of **residential ventilation solutions**
- ◆ Installation, commissioning & configuration (airflow balancing, etc.)
- ◆ **Electrical and thermal** diagnostics and **maintenance**
- ◆ Aerulic, thermal, hygrometric and electrical measurements

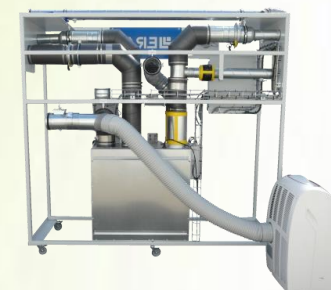
### Key points:

- ◆ **Real-life training scenarios** based on a villa
- ◆ **Commissioning on a frame under realistic conditions**
- ◆ Professional components for an **optimally cover professional skills, types of ducts, etc.**
- ◆ **Double-flow CMV unit prepared by ERM for measurements with portable devices**

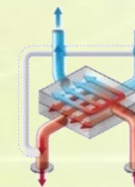
- References: **VM10**: Single-flow humidity-sensitive CMV, consumption level B, and its electrical cabinet – **VM11**: Double-flow CMV and its electrical cabinet – **VM12**: Commissioning frame for the single- and double-flow CMV – **VM15**: CMV measuring instruments (Kimo HDA thermo-hygrometer, Kimo VTA thermo-anemometer and Kimo K35 airflow cone, Kimo MPA manometer, Kimo SDA sound level meter, Chauvin Arnoux clampmeter)



Montage Hot and cool air  
generator for indoor use  
(VM24)



## Double flow Controlled Mechanical Ventilation system & Thermal regulations – Studying a Controlled Mechanical Ventilation system for low energy consumption buildings



- Studying a real ventilation system
- Measurements: temperature, pressure, air flow, hygrometry, rotation, speed, power and consumption

- References: **VM30**: Double flow CMV & Thermal regulations with the following sensors: pressure (x2), flow (x1), hygrometry (x1), temperature (x4) to be connected to a data logger – **VM21**: Portable instrument for operational, thermal and air flow data logging – **VM24**: Hot and cool air generator for indoor use (without external air inlet) – Other references on page H9

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## CTA Flex - Air handling system with heating, cooling, humidifying, recirculation and industrial supervision



### Features

- ◆ **Blowing and extraction**
- ◆ **Mixing** (mixing case, 2 or 3 way)
- ◆ **Filtration** (medium, high or very high efficiency)
- ◆ **Heating** (hot water coil or electric coil)
- ◆ **Cooling** (cold water coil)
- ◆ **Heat recovery** (plate heat exchanger)
- ◆ **Sound attenuation** (sound trap)
- ◆ **Steam humidification**
- ◆ **Sensors** (temperature, pressure, hygrometry...)
- ◆ **Centralized Energy Management system (CEM)**



### Training activities:

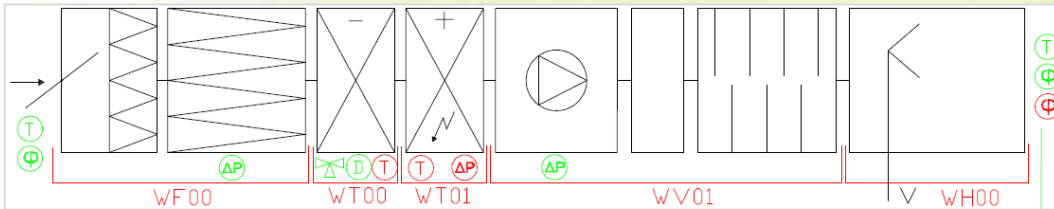
- ◆ **Commissioning & Configuration**
- ◆ Climatic and electrical **maintenance**
- ◆ Analysis of the refrigeration, electrical and air flow circuits
- ◆ Energy balance and calculation of the performance ratios
- ◆ Forecasting the operating conditions

### Key points:

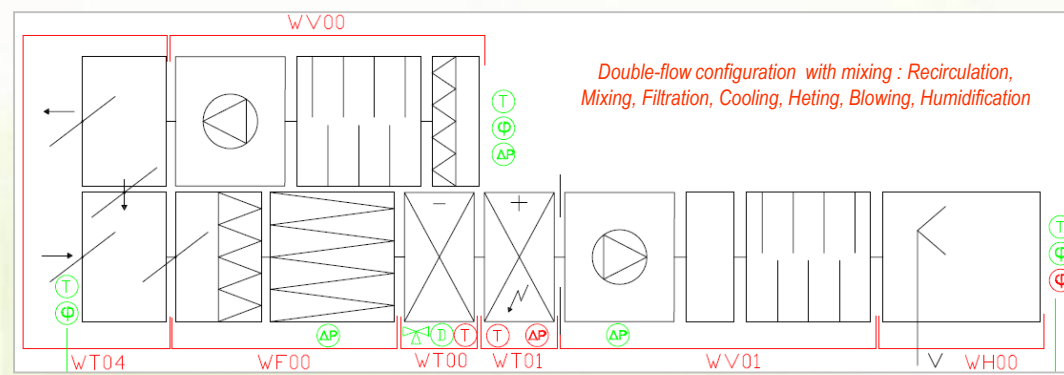
- ◆ Analyzing the functions of a CEM system for the 3 types of configuration (single flow, double flow with mixing, double flow with heat recovery)
- ◆ **Professional equipment** used in collective buildings

### References:

**WA10:** Control box with Centralized Energy Management (CEM) – **WV01:** Blowing case (blower + sound trap) – **WV00:** Recovery ventilation case (Recovery ventilation unit + sound trap) – **WF00:** Pre-filtration and filtration case – **WT00:** Cold water coil case – **WT01:** Electric coil case – **WT02:** Hot water coil case – **WT03:** Heat recovery case – **WT04:** 3-way mixing case (Recirculation/Emission/Blowing) – **WH00:** Steam humidification case – **WT05:** Heat pump for hot or cold coil – **WM00:** Measurements case with temperature, flow and pressure sensors – **WM01:** Measuring instruments for pressure, flow, temperature, hygrometry (Kimo HDA Thermo-Hygrometer, Kimo VDA Thermo-anemometer hot-wire, Kimo MPA Micro-manometer) – **WM02:** Measuring and datalogging instruments for pressure, flow, temperature, hygrometry (with software for data transfer to PC: Kimo DIAM-Log)



Single flow configuration: Filtration, Cooling, Heating, Blowing, Humidification



Double-flow configuration with mixing : Recirculation, Mixing, Filtration, Cooling, Heating, Blowing, Humidification

## CTA Compact – Air handling system with energy recovery, recycling, heating, cooling, humidifying and industrial supervision



### Features:

- ◆ **Blowing and extraction**
- ◆ **Mixing and heat recovery** (plate heat exchanger)
- ◆ **Filtration** (medium, high efficiency)
- ◆ **Heating** (hot water or electric coil)
- ◆ **Cooling** (cold water coil)
- ◆ **Heat recovery** (plate heat exchanger)
- ◆ **Steam humidification**
- ◆ **Sensors** (temperature, pressure, hygrometry...)
- ◆ **Centralized Energy Management system (CEM)**



Control and configuration box

### Training activities:

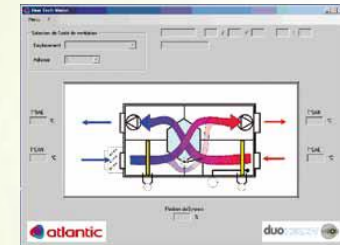
- ◆ Analyzing the functions of an air-handling system
- ◆ Study of **PLC and communication network** in a building (CEM)
- ◆ **Commissioning & Configuration**
- ◆ Climatic and electrical **maintenance**
- ◆ Analysis of the **refrigeration, electrical and air flow circuits**
- ◆ Energy balance and calculation of the **performance ratios**
- ◆ Forecasting the operating conditions

### Key points:

- ◆ **Professional equipment** used in collective buildings
- ◆ **Customized measurements**
- ◆ Easy-to-use and friendly supervision software
- ◆ Open system to main communication protocols (**Ethernet, LonWorks, BACNet, Modbus, KNX**)

### References:

**CC00** High-performance Double-flow air-handling system with: Exchanger 90%, CC motors with low-consumption electronic commutation (Flow up to 1000m<sup>3</sup>/h), Filtration G4+F7 on blowing and filtration G4 on return, Bypass, Power box with communication capable PLC and temperature & pressure sensors, Control and configuration box, configuration and supervision software on Modbus local network – **CC15** Flexible connection (6 m. long, diam. 315mm), from the Air-handling unit to an external wall – **CC10** Electric coil for pre-heating 3.6kW and post-heating 6kW – **CC11** Water coil for post-heating or cooling – **CC12** Mixing case with antifreeze register and one-way motorized shutters – **PC30** Air/Water reversible inverter 10kW chiller – **CC01** CO<sub>2</sub>, hygrometry and presence sensors for advanced control – **CC02** KNX gateway (supervision application not provided) – **CC04** Modbus TCP/IP Module on PLC – **CC05** BACNET IP Module on PLC – **WM01/WM02** Measuring instruments (see CTA Flex references)



Configuration and supervision software



## Chiller and heat pump controller

→ Study and configuration of the controller (**Carel uChiller**)

→ Controlled devices:

- ◆ Compressor
- ◆ Condensation fan
- ◆ Cycle reversal valve
- ◆ Water circulating pumps for evaporator and/or condenser and blower (air-air)
- ◆ Anti-freeze resistors
- ◆ Alarm

→ Input (potentiometers) and output (indicator lights) simulation

→ Reference: **CA//SIMMCHSE**



## Stand-alone cooling unit controller

→ Study and configuration of the controller (**Carel MPXPro**)

→ Controlled devices: **Compressor, Evaporator, Defroster, Alarm, Lighting**

→ HACCP temperature traceability

→ Input (potentiometers) and output (indicator lights) simulation

→ Reference: **CA//SIMMPXPRO**



## Air handling unit controller

→ Study and configuration of the controller (**Carel pCOXS**) and speed drive (**Carel NXP**)

→ Air handling unit control with fan control via speed drive

→ Input (potentiometers) and output (indicator lights) simulation

→ Reference: **CA//SIMNXLPCO**



## Refrigeration unit controller

→ Study and configuration of the controller (**Carel pCOXS**)

→ Controlled devices: **Compressors, Condensers, Alarm, Loss of coolant**

→ Inverter management of compressors and fans

→ Input (Potentiometers) and output (Indicator lights) simulation

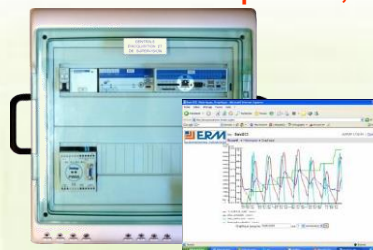
→ Reference: **CA//SIMPCOXS**



## Data-acquisition, logging and Ethernet remote monitoring unit

→ Specifications:

- ◆ Mobile cabinet for acquiring and logging all types of data used in thermal engineering
- ◆ 16 universal analog inputs (0/10V, 4/20mA with external shunt, PT1000, PT100, CTN, etc.)
- ◆ Data exporting via **USB, RS232** and Ethernet
- ◆ **Teleprocessing software included** (49 variables, Web Server, Logs, Alerts, etc.)

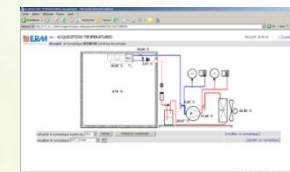


→ Training activities:

- ◆ Installing acquisition and teleprocessing systems on HVAC systems
- ◆ Study of industrial communication solutions

→ Key point: Many inputs/outputs and communication options

→ Reference: **PC21:** Data acquisition, logging and Ethernet remote monitoring unit



## Thermo-hygrometer (Kimo HRA & Kimo HRS)



## Hotwire electronic thermo-anemometer (Kimo VTA & Kimo VTS)



## Anemo-manometer (Kimo MPA)



## 1- or 2-channel thermometer (Kimo TKA, TKB, TK1 & TK2)



## 4-channel thermometer (Kimo TM200)

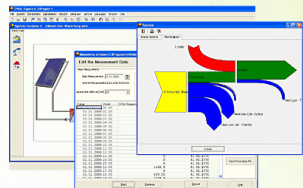


## Thermo-hygro-mano-anemometer (Kimo DIAME)



# Thermal engineering Fundamentals

## Software for calculation and dynamic simulations for solar heating, photovoltaic and heat pump systems



→ Dimensioning and efficiency of solar heating systems (domestic hot water and heating), photovoltaic systems (grid-connected) and heat pumps

→ Typical examples provided for educational use

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## Laser sighting infrared thermometer (Kimo Kiray200)



## TRMS AC, DC, AC+DC compact digital clamp multimeter (Chauvin Arnoux F205)



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