

TEST CERTIFICATE
UNMANNED TESTING OF UNDERWATER BREATHING APPARATUS
(Tests carried out in accordance with NORSOK U-101:1999)

Name of test centre: NUI / NUI-Thelma

Date: 2012.09.20 Number of pages in this certificate: 3

Name of underwater breathing apparatus tested: Amron BIBS Mask model 450M

Maker of underwater breathing apparatus:
Amron International, Inc., 1380 Aspen Way, Vista, CA 92081-8349 USA

Tests carried out for: Amron International, Inc

Tests carried out: July 2012

Reference to report: Amron450M-report, NUI-Thelma, 2012

Units

- Unit 1:.....450A
- Unit 2:.....450D
- Unit 3:.....450E
- Unit 4:.....450F
- Unit 5:.....450G

Certified depth range based on this certificate:

With air from 10 msw to 50 msw, with heliox from 10msw to 450msw

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WORK OF BREATHING AND RELATED FACTORS

a) *Test depths* (msw) (Boldface appropriate figure(s)): 0, **10**, 20, **30**, 40, **50**, 60, 100, 150, 200, 250, 300, 350, 400

b) *Breathing mixture*: Air

c) *Supply pressure*: 0.8 – 1.2 MPa

d) *Return line negative pressure*: 0.1 – 0.35 MPa

a) *Test depths* (msw) (Boldface appropriate figure(s)): 0, **10**, 20, 30, 40, **50**, 60, **100**, 150, **200**, 250, **300**, 350, 400, **450**

b) *Breathing mixture*: Heliox 1.6-20%

c) *Supply pressure*: 0.6 – 1.25 MPa

d) *Return line negative pressure*: 0.1 – 0.35 MPa

e) *Manner of rigging the breathing apparatus and the position of the demand valve*
(Note: See Subclause 6.3.2):

In dry chamber, filled with 1% heliox
Supply from high pressure gas quads > Tescom Supply Regulator (4432-64J281) > quick connectors
Exhaust: Divex Back Pressure Regulator (RP700) > atmosphere

f) *Temperature of ambient gas in the test chamber*: 25°C

g) *Temperature and relative humidity of the inspired breathing mixture*
(Note: See Subclause 5.9, 6.2.7, 6.2.10, 6.3.10 and 6.3.11)

Measured Temperature: 25°C

Estimated Relative humidity <<1% ("dry")

h) *Does the UBA incorporate a heating device* No

i) *Does the UBA incorporate a humidifier?* No

j) *Work of Breathing*
(Air at 50 msw) (See Subclause 5.2 and 5.3)

| RMV l/min | Work of breathing (in J/l) | | | | | |
|--------------|----------------------------|----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Max <180msw | Measured value | | | | |
| | | Unit 1 | Unit 2 | Unit 3 | Unit 4 | Unit 5 |
| 7.5 | 0.8 | 0,52 | 0,56 | 0,64 | 0,56 | 0,56 |
| 15.0 | 1.1 | 0,62 | 0,58 | 0,75 | 0,62 | 0,65 |
| 22.5 | 1.4 | 0,63 | 0,62 | 0,78 | 0,67 | 0,68 |
| 40.0 | 3.0 | 0,65 | 0,63 | 0,76 | 0,75 | 0,68 |
| 62.5 | 5 | 2,97 | 1,64 | 1,12 | 2,75 | 1,48 |

Comments (Note: See Subclause 5.2)
All within requirements

k) Respiratory pressure (Ideally less than $\pm 1.5\text{kPa}$ but never greater than $\pm 2.5\text{kPa}$
 (Air at 50 msw) (See Subclause 5.3 and 5.5)

| RMV | Respiratory pressures (in kPa) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------|--------------------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | Inhaled pressures | | | | | | Exhaled pressures | | | | | |
| | | Measured | | | | | | Measured | | | | |
| l/min | Max | Unit 1 | Unit2 | Unit3 | Unit4 | Unit5 | Max | Unit1 | Unit2 | Unit3 | Unit4 | Unit5 |
| 7.5 | -2.5 | -0,31 | -0,33 | -0,45 | -0,33 | -0,33 | 2.5 | 0,35 | 0,48 | 0,37 | 0,37 | 0,38 |
| 15.0 | -2.5 | -0,41 | -0,35 | -0,53 | -0,40 | -0,41 | 2.5 | 0,40 | 0,45 | 0,43 | 0,43 | 0,42 |
| 22.5 | -2.5 | -0,42 | -0,40 | -0,55 | -0,42 | -0,46 | 2.5 | 0,44 | 0,44 | 0,44 | 0,48 | 0,43 |
| 40.0 | -2.5 | -0,43 | -0,47 | -0,63 | -0,52 | -0,53 | 2.5 | 0,51 | 0,53 | 0,49 | 0,54 | 0,49 |
| 62.5 | - | -0,63 | -0,67 | -1,03 | -0,71 | -0,82 | - | 6,03 | 3,33 | 1,16 | 5,66 | 2,80 |

Comments (Note: See Subclause 5.3)

All within requirements

j) Work of Breathing
 (Heliox at 450 msw) (See Subclause 5.2 and 5.3)

| RMV | Work of breathing (in J/l) | | | | | | |
|------|----------------------------|-------------|----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | l/min | Max >180msw | Measured value | | | | |
| | | | Unit 1 | Unit 2 | Unit 3 | Unit 4 | Unit 5 |
| 7.5 | | 0.65 | 0,64 | 0,61 | 0,64 | 0,60 | 0,64 |
| 15.0 | | 0.80 | 0,78 | 0,67 | 0,67 | 0,74 | 0,73 |
| 22.5 | | 0.95 | 0,79 | 0,66 | 0,66 | 0,86 | 0,85 |
| 40.0 | | 1.30 | 0,90 | 0,88 | 0,69 | 0,88 | 0,88 |
| 62.5 | | 5 | 3,95 | 1,67 | 2 | 2,86 | 2,63 |

Comments (Note: See Subclause 5.2)

All within requirements

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 (Heliox at 450 msw) (See Subclause 5.3 and 5.5)

| RMV | Respiratory pressures (in kPa) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------|--------------------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | Inhaled pressures | | | | | | Exhaled pressures | | | | | |
| | | Measured | | | | | | Measured | | | | |
| l/min | Max | Unit 1 | Unit2 | Unit3 | Unit4 | Unit5 | Max | Unit1 | Unit2 | Unit3 | Unit4 | Unit5 |
| 7.5 | -2.5 | -0,51 | -0,41 | -0,44 | -0,42 | -0,45 | 2.5 | 0,37 | 0,42 | 0,36 | 0,34 | 0,38 |
| 15.0 | -2.5 | -0,60 | -0,46 | -0,46 | -0,56 | -0,51 | 2.5 | 0,41 | 0,49 | 0,49 | 0,4 | 0,42 |
| 22.5 | -2.5 | -0,69 | -0,44 | -0,46 | -0,70 | -0,66 | 2.5 | 0,43 | 0,50 | 0,52 | 0,43 | 0,46 |
| 40.0 | -2.5 | -0,84 | -0,78 | -0,78 | -0,79 | -0,83 | 2.5 | 1,57 | 0,69 | 0,88 | 1,63 | 1,35 |
| 62.5 | - | -4,69 | -3,21 | -3,29 | -4,41 | -4,67 | - | 4,85 | 1,36 | 1,47 | 3,04 | 1,35 |

Comments (Note: See Subclause 5.3)

All within requirements