PDR-OPS-038 THERMAL TESTING CHAMBER OPERATIONS MANUAL

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1. PURPOSE AND SCOPE

- 1. This Operations Manual ("Manual") establishes mandatory procedu
- 2. This Manual applies to all PDR employees, contractors, and author

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- 1. "Authorized Operator" means any PDR employee who has complet
- 2. "Chamber" means any of PDR's thermal testing environments capa
- 3. "Test Subject" refers to any PDR robotic system, component, or pro-

3. SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

1. Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Insulated protective suits rated for -40 C

Cryogenic gloves meeting ANSI/ISEA 105-2016 standards

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Safety goggles with anti-fog coating
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Emergency breathing apparatus within 10 meters of Chamber entrand
2. Chamber Access Controls
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Biometric authentication required for Chamber access
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Minimum two (2) Authorized Operators present during testing
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Emergency override codes updated monthly
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Maintenance of visitor log with signed liability waivers

4. OPERATING PROCEDURES

- 1. Pre-Test Protocol
- a) Complete safety checklist (Form PDR-SAF-103)
- b) Verify Chamber environmental controls calibration
- c) Install test monitoring equipment
- d) Document initial Test Subject condition
- e) Activate emergency shutdown systems test
- 2. Test Execution
- a) Program thermal cycle parameters
- b) Initialize BlueCore(TM) diagnostic systems
- c) Maintain continuous monitoring of:

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Chambar_temperature

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Humidity levels

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Test Subject performance metrics

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Power consumption data

- d) Record deviations per PDR-QA-207 protocol
- 3. Post-Test Procedures
- a) Return Chamber to ambient temperature
- b) Complete performance validation checklist
- c) Archive test data in secure database
- d) Inspect Chamber seals and sensors

e)	Subnait test	report to	Quality	Assurance

5. EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

1. Emergency Shutdown

Activate red emergency stop button

Engage backup power systems

Evacuate Chamber following posted route

Contact Facility Safety Officer

2. System Failures

6. MAINTENANCE AND CALIBRATION
Implement recovery procedures per Section 7.3
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Document failure mode
-
Engage manual override protocols
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Initialize redundant cooling systems
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1. Scheduled Maintenance

Daily system checks

Weekly sensor calibration

Monthly seal inspection

Quarterly full system audit

2. Documentation Requirements

Maintain maintenance logs

Record calibration certificates

Update Chamber certification

Archive inspection reports

7. COMPLIANCE AND TRAINING

1. Required Certifications
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OSHA Safety Certification
-
PDR Chamber Operation Certificate
-
Cryogenic Safety Training
-
Emergency Response Qualification

2. Documentation

All testing activities must be documented using approved forms and s PDR's secure document management system for a minimum of sever

8. LIABILITY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

- 1. This Manual contains confidential and proprietary information of PD
- 2. Compliance with this Manual is mandatory. Violation may result in

9. REVISION HISTORY

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