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DISCOVER THE WIDEST RANGE OF CONVENTIONAL HOUSING SOLUTIONS PROMOTING ANIMAL WELFARE AND MEETING RESEARCH REQUIREMENTS

TECNIPLAST IS THE IDEAL PARTNER AT YOUR SIDE FOR YOUR HOUSING NEEDS.

WE PROVIDE SOLUTIONS FOR ANY CONVENTIONAL HOUSING REQUIREMENT:

- STAINLESS STEEL RACKS WITH PLASTIC "T-PROFILE" SUSPENSION RUNNERS DESIGNED FOR HUSBANDRY TO MEET HYGIENE NEEDS, OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY REQUIREMENTS, WITH GREAT CONSIDERATION FOR ERGONOMIC ASPECTS;
- LEAK-PROOF BOTTLES WITH SILICON RINGS FEATURE POLISHED AISI 316 STAINLESS STEEL BOTTLE CAPS WITH CONE SHAPED DESIGN THAT MAXIMIZE WATER AVAILABILITY FOR ANIMALS;
- AUTOCLAVABLE CARD HOLDERS MADE IN PLASTIC ARE SUITABLE FOR LABELS OF ANY STANDARD SIZE, REDUCING NOISE THAT ARISE FROM THE USUAL STAINLESS STEEL CARD HOLDERS;
- FILTER TOPS WITH A FILTRATION AREA LARGER THAN THE CAGE FLOOR AREA MAXIMIZE AIR CIRCULATION AND GASES EXCHANGE;
- THE WIDEST SELECTION OF ACCESSORIES, OPTIONS AND HOUSING COMBINATION SATISFIES ANY RESEARCH AND HUSBANDRY NEED.

EVERYTHING UNDERGOES THE TOP QUALITY CHECK TO DELIVER THE RELIABILITY YOU EXPECT FROM US FOR A LONG-LASTING PRODUCT.







SMALL RODENTS

BECAUSE CAGING EQUIPMENT IS ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT ELEMENTS IN THE PHYSICAL AND SOCIAL ENVIRONMENT OF THE ANIMALS USED IN EXPERIMENTAL PROCEDURES, TECNIPLAST HAS DEVELOPED, WITH CUSTOMERS' VALUED HELP, THE LARGEST RANGE OF CAGES

Let us help you choosing the right cage for your housing needs

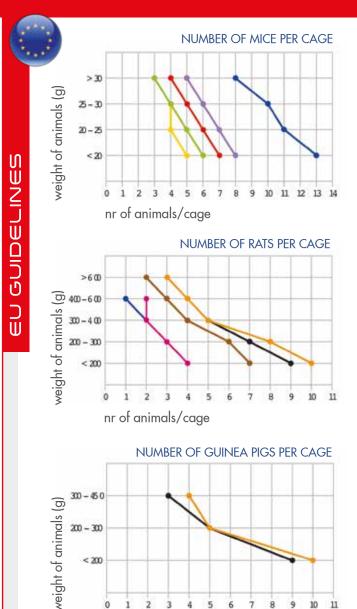
TECNIPLAST CAGE RANGE MEETS AND EXCEEDS CURRENT INTERNATIONAL RULES AND GUIDELINES. TAKE A LOOK AT THE TABLES TO FIND THE RIGHT CAGE MEETING YOUR SPECIFIC NEEDS.

LEGEND

FOR EU, USA AND UK GUIDELINES

 1144B
 1145T
 1264C
 1284L
 1290D preferred choice for mice
 1291H preferred choice for rats
 2150E
 2154F
 1500U
 1354G
 2000P

- EU: Requirements for Establishments and for the Care of Accomodation of Animals, Annex III of the Directive 2010/63/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the protection of animals used for scientific purposes, 22 September 2010
- USA: Guide for the Care and Use of Laboratory Animals, Institute of Laboratory Animal Research - eighth edition, Division on Earth and Life Studies, National Research Council, National Academy Press, Washington D.C. 201
- UK: Home Office Animals (Scientific Procedures) Act 1986 Amendment Regulations 2012



nr of animals/cage

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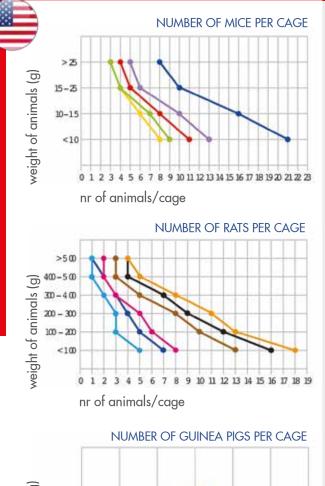
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MIN FLOOR AREA AND HEIGHT

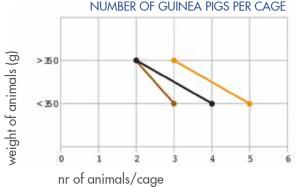
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Species	Body Weight (g)	Min Enclosure Size (cm²)	Floor Area/Animal (cm²)	Min Enclosure Height (cm)
Mice	< 20 20 - 25 25 - 30 > 30	330 330 330 330 330	60 70 80 100	12 12 12 12
Rats	< 200 200 - 300 300 - 400 400 - 600 > 600	800 800 800 800 1500	200 250 350 450 600	18 18 18 18 18 18
Hamsters	< 60 60 - 100 > 100	800 800 800	150 200 250	14 14 14
Guinea Pigs	< 200 200 - 300 300 - 450 450 - 700 > 700	1800 1800 1800 2500 2500	200 350 500 700 900	23 23 23 23 23 23

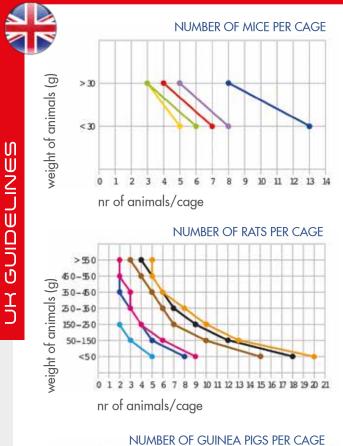


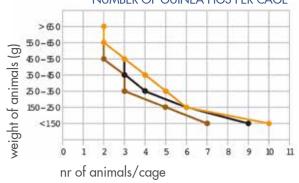
USA GUIDELINES



MIN FLOOR AREA AND HEIGHT

Species	Body Weight (g)	Floor Area/Animal (cm²/in²)	Min Height (cm/inch)
Mice	< 10	38.7 / 6	12.7/5
	10 - 15	51.6 / 8	12.7/5
	15 - 25	77.4 / 12	12.7/5
	> 25	≥ 96.7 / ≥ 15	12.7/5
Rats	< 100 100 - 200 200 - 300 300 - 400 400 - 500 > 500	109.6 / 17 148.35 / 23 187.05 / 29 258 / 40 387 / 60 ≥ 451.5 / ≥ 70	17.8/7 17.8/7 17.8/7 17.8/7 17.8/7 17.8/7 17.8/7
Hamsters	< 60	64.5 / 10	15.2/6
	60 - 80	83.8 / 13	15.2/6
	80 - 100	103.2 / 16	15.2/6
	> 100	≥ 122.5 / ≥ 19	15.2/6
Guinea Pigs	< 350	387 / 60	17.8/7
	> 350	≥ 651.5 / ≥ 101	17.8/7





MIN FLOOR AREA AND HEIGHT

Species	Body Weight (g)	Min Floor Area/Animal when housed in groups (cm ²)	Min Floor Area/Animal when housed singly (cm²)	Min Height (cm)
Mice	< 30 > 30	60 100	200 200	12 12
Rats	< 50 50 - 150 150 - 250 250 - 350 350 - 450 450 - 550 > 550	100 150 200 250 300 350 400	500 500 500 700 700 700 800	18 18 20 20 20 20 20
Hamsters	< 60 60 - 90 90 - 120 > 120	80 100 120 165	300 300 300 300 300	15 15 15 15
Guinea Pigs	< 150 150 - 250 250 - 350 350 - 450 450 - 550 550 - 650 > 650	200 300 400 500 600 700 750	700 700 900 900 900 1000 1250	20 20 23 23 23 23 23

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TECNIPLAST CAGE BODIES ARE DESIGNED TO FACILITATE ANIMAL WELFARE, MEET RESEARCH **REQUIREMENTS AND MINIMIZE** EXPERIMENTAL VARIABLES. THE FOLLOWING CAGE BODY SELECTION IS GROUPED BY SPECIES. PLEASE NOTE THAT THE DIMENSIONS ARE IN THE FOLLOWING ORDER: L x W x H (LENGTH x WIDTH x HEIGHT).



POLYCARBONATE - PC Transparent plastic with exceptional impact strength and heat resistance. It can be autoclaved at 121°C/250°F.



331 x 159 x 132 mm 13.03 x 6.26 x 5.19 in floor area: 335 cm²/51.92 in²



369 x 165 x 132 mm 14.53 x 6.49 x 5.19 in floor area: $435 \text{ cm}^2/67.42 \text{ in}^2$

Choose your animal... Find your cage!

MICE

RATS/HAMSTERS R/H

GUINEA PIGS



1291H EUROSTANDARD TYPE III H 425 x 266 x 185 mm 16.73 x 10.47 x 7.28 in floor area: $800 \text{ cm}^2/124 \text{ in}^2$



1500U EUROSTANDARD TYPE IV S 480 x 375 x 210 mm 18.89 x 14.76 x 8.27 in floor area: 1500 cm²/232.5 in²





H-TEMP POLYSULFONE - PSU

Highly resistant plastic which can be autoclaved at 134°C/273°F. Considering an average of one autoclaving cycle/week, the threeyear warranty corresponds to 150 cycles at least.

* Please refer to Tecniplast warranty documents



268 x 215 x 141 mm 10.55 x 8.46 x 5.55 in floor area: 370 cm²/57.35 in²



1284L EUROSTANDARD TYPE II L 365 x 207 x 140 mm 14.37 x 8.15 x 5.51 in floor area: 530 cm²/82.15 in²

PLASTIC SELECTION

Cage Body	Polycarbonate	H-Temp
1144B	- 001	- 00SU
1145T	- 001	- 00SU
1264C	- 001	- 00SU
1284L	- 001	- 00SU
1290D	- 001	- 00SU
1291H	- 001	- 00SU
2150E	- 001	- 00SU
2154F	- 001	- 00SU
1500U	- 001	- 00SU
1354G	- 001	-
2000P	- 001	- 00SU

For automatic watering option, please contact your Tecniplast representative



² 1290D EUROSTANDARD TYPE III 425 x 276 x 153 mm 16.73 x 10.87 x 6.02 in floor area: 820 cm²/127.1 in²



 I354G EUROSTANDARD TYPE IV

 S98 x 380 x 200 mm 23.54 x 14.96 x 7.87 in floor area: 1820 cm²/282.1 in²

 2000P
 612 x 435 x 216 mm
 24.09 x 17.12 x 8.5 in floor greg: 2065 cm²/320.07 in²

SMALL RODENTS • LIDS

INNER FITTING LID



SERIES -016/-116/-015/115

Standard lid with built-in u-shaped feed hopper and hinged divider which collapses to allow nesting of lids. Features solid sheet sides, swing-clip lock and bottle protection washer, designed to prevent chewing of nonmetal tops. Series -015/-016 is without hinged divider and can be equipped with removable divider.

SERIES -014/-114

Same features like as series -116. The difference is the spring-clip closure. Series -014 is without hinged divider and can be equipped with removable divider.



REMOVABLE DIVIDER

Most of the wire lids or raised wire lids, without hinged divider, can be equipped with removable dividers which separate the lid built-in food hopper and the bottle holder.

OUTER FITTING LID

NOT COMPATIBLE WITH FILTER TOPS

SERIES -012

With built-in u-shaped feed hopper, solid sheet sides, swing-clip lock and push-pull action for quick access to cage occupants. The series can be equipped with removable divider.



Flat lid without feed hopper. Designed for use with post-surgery animals or infusion work.

Cage body	Inner fitting lid with hinged divider	Inner fitting lid without hinged divider	Outer fitting lid without hinged divider	Removable divider	Flat lid	Species
1144B	- 116	- 016	-	1264C812	-	Mice
1145T	- 116	- 016	-	-	-	Mice
1264C	- 116	- 016	- 012	1264C812	- 025	Mice
1284L	- 116	- 016	-	1264C812	-	Mice
1290D 1291H*	- 116°	- 016"	- 012"	1290D812"	- 025"	Mice Rats Hamsters
2150E	- 114	- 014	-	1290D812	-	Rats Hamsters
2154F	- 114	- 014	-	1290D812	- 025	Rats Hamsters
1500U**	- 116""	- 016""	-	1400U812	-	Rats Hamsters
1354G	- 115	- 015	- 012"	1354G812	-	Mice Rats Hamsters Guinea Pigs
2000P	- 214** - 242***	- 014	-	-	-	Rats Hamsters Guinea Pigs

¹ 1291H to be ordered as 1290D -116/-016/-012/-812/-025

1500U to be ordered as 1400U -116/-016

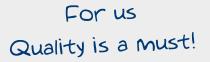
^a 2000P -242 to be ordered with Drop-In Hopper -962 or -950 Can be used with mice

Two dividers

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1290D to be ordered with Raised Wire Lid for Housing Rats

WIRE LID SELECTION AND REMOVALE DIVIDER



WE USE ONLY FIRST CHOICE CERTIFIED AISI 304 STAINLESS STEEL TO GUARANTEE UNIFORM QUALITY WITH MINIMAL DIRT TRAPS AND EXCELLENT STACKABILITY FOR EASE OF HANDLING AND STORAGE. OUR LIDS ARE DESIGNED TO ENSURE PERFECT FIT AND POSITIVE LOCKING THROUGOUT THE COMPLETE PRODUCT RANGE

RAISED WIRE LID

DESIGNED FOR HOUSING RATS AND GUINEA PIGS NOT COMPATIBLE WITH FILTER TOPS (EXCEPT FOR 2000P-224)

RAISED WIRE LID WITH BUILT-IN U-SHAPED FEED HOPPER

SERIES -123

Standard lid with hinged divider which collapses to allow nesting. Features solid sheet sides and front spring-clip closure.

RAISED WIRE LID WITH DROP-IN HOPPER Drop-in hopper to be ordered separately

SERIES -119/-224

SERIES -117/-120

Lid with hinged divider which collapses to allow nesting of lids. Features solid sheet sides and swing-clip lock. External fitting, with push-pull action for easy access to cage occupants.





Features swing-clip lock, dual bottle depressions, allows push-pull action, plus top opening hatch for quick access to cage occupants

Cage body	Lid with divider	Lid without divider	Removable divider	Raised height (mm/in)	Top hatch access (mm/in)	Drop-in hopper for guinea pigs	Drop-in hopper for rats	Species
1290D 1291H	- 123°	- 023 ⁻	- 812"	60 / 2.36	-	-	-	Rats
1500U **	- 224"""	-	-	40 / 1.57	165 x 220 / 6.49 x 8.66	- 965"""	-952"""	Rats Guinea Pigs
1354G	- 117 - 120 - 119	- 017 - 020 -	- 812 - 812 -	25 / 0.98 70 / 2.75 70 / 2.75	- 220x225 / 8.66 x 8.86	- - 965	- - 952	Rats Guinea Pigs
2000P	- 224	-	-	40 / 1.57	220 x 225 / 8.66 x 8.86	-962	- 950	Rats Guinea Pigs

- ^a 1291H to be ordered as 1290D -123/-023/-812
- ^{••} 1500U to be ordered as 1400U -224
- To be ordered as 1354G -965/-952
- Two dividers

SMALL RODENTS • BOTTLES, CAPS & LABEL HOLDERS

BOTTLE SELECTION

Tecniplast bottles have a long lasting silicone ring enabling easy placing and removal of caps; the ring doesn't have to be removed for cleaning when bottles are autoclaved and features three protruding lips which prevent water from leaking.

Bottles are made of clear-glass Polycarbonate (PC), compliant with Title 21 FDA requirements and Autoclavable at 121°C /250°F for 20 minutes. The most popular sizes/styles are optionally available in H-Temp (PSU) and X-Temp (PPSU).

Our bottles feature:

- Consistent thicknes
- Rigid walls, cannot be squeezed when handling
- Wide mouth (Ø 44.5 mm) to aid filling and emptying, whilst also ensuring effective washing
- Embossed, moulded graduations as aid to volume measurement













Graduated up to: 400 ml Total volume: 450 ml 72 x 72 x 122 mm 2.83 x 2.83 x 4.8 in Available: (PC) ACBT0402 (PSU) ACBT0402SU



Graduated up to: 500 ml Total volume: 600 ml Ø 74 x 174 mm 2.91 x 6.85 in Available: (PC) ACBT0502



Graduated up to: 600 ml Total volume: 720 ml 72 x 72 x 180 mm 2.83 x 2.83 x 7.09 in Available: (PC) ACBT0702 (PSU) ACBT0702SU





Graduated up to: 1000 ml Total volume: 1100 ml 83 x 83 x 226 mm 3.27 x 3.27 x 8.89 in Available: (PC) ACBT1000 WITHOUT SILICONE RING

Cage Body	Bottle
1144B	A
1145T	С
1264C	B/D
1284L	C/D
1290D	E
1291H	E/F
2150E	C/D
2154F	F
1500U	F
1354G	F/G/H
2000P"	G/H

^a Please contact us for compatibility with racks

TAKE A LOOK AT IWT WASHING **BROCHURE TO FIND OUT OUR** SOLUTIONS FOR BOTTLE WASHING



CAP SELECTION

Tecniplast metal bottle caps are totally made of polished AISI 316 Stainless Steel, to be corrosion resistant. The caps are chew-proof and have a one-piece sipper tube design. A perfect long-lasting product is guaranteed by our special production processes, constant quality standards and attention to detail. The cone shaped cap design, with the slope of the bottle, maximize water availability for animals.

SS cap for bottles	Nylon cap for bottles	Hole (mm/in)	External diameter (mm/in)	Length (mm/in)
ACCP2521	ACCP2522	Ø 1.8 / 0.07	6.5/0.25	25 / 0.98
ACCP2511	-	Ø 1.0 / 0.04	6.5/0.25	25 / 0.98
ACCPS50	-	with balls	8/0.31	50 / 1.97
ACCP6521	-	Ø 2.2 / 0.09	8/0.31	65 / 2.56
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ACCP2521 Standard bottle cap in S/S



ACCPLC01 Cap Remover



ACCP2511 For special applications, where the control of water consumption is essential



ACCPS50 For special experiments, where easy accessibility and high water flow rate of water is needed



Specially designed for small, weak

or post-surgery

animals



ACCP2522 Same design as series ACCP2521, but made of plastic (shorter lifespan)

LABEL HOLDER SELECTION

Vertical or horizontal, Tecniplast label holders are available with two different attachments:



Allows label holder to swivel and enables writing without removing the card. Please note, that the spring desing is only suitable for Tecniplast cages, with predrilled lugs for label holder attachments





Label holder	L x H (mm/in)	Style	Suits cards Lx (H) (mm/in)
ACPC0050	75 x 105 2.95 x 4.13	S/S,vertical, hook	70 x (50÷100) 2.75 x(1.97÷3.94)
ACPC0055	105 x 75 4.13 x 2.95	S/S, horizontal, spring	100 x (50÷90) 3.94 x(1.97÷3.54)
ACPC0060	75 x 105 2.95 x 4.13	S/S, vertical, spring	70 x (50÷100) 2.75 x(1.97÷3.94)
ACPC0056	130 x 77 5.12 x 3.03	S/S, horizontal, spring	125 x (50÷90) 4.92 x(1.97÷3.54)
ACPC0046°	80 x 60 3.15 x 2.36	S/S, horizontal, spring	75 x (50÷80) 2.95 x(1.97÷3.15)
ACPC0045PL	105 x 75 4.13 x 2.95	plastic, horizontal, hook	100 x (50÷90) 3.94 x(1.97÷3.54)
ACPC0055PL	105 x 75 4.13 x 2.95	plastic, horizontal, spring	100 x (50÷90) 3.94 x(1.97÷3.54)
ACPC0056PL	130 x 77 5.12 x 3.03	plastic, horizontal, spring	125 x (50÷90) 4.92 x(1.97÷3.54)
ACPC0065PL	130 x 77 5.12 x 3.03	plastic, horizontal, hook	125 x (50÷90) 4.92 x(1.97÷3.54)

^a Wide format specific for cage 2000P

SMALL RODENTS • ACCESSORIES

FILTER TOP

Tecniplast Filter Tops consist of three parts:

- Polysulfone (PSU) H-Temp Frame
- Polyester Filter Sheet with an atmospheric dust efficiency of 92% on 8-10µm particles
- Stainless Steel Retainer.

The patented Filter Top Cage System creates a protective barrier at cage level with major advantages for the protection of both animals and staff. Filter Top Cages can be autoclaved as complete units. The Filter Top can optionally be supplied with Nylon Lock Latches to prevent accidental dislodgement from the cage body. Due to their large filtration area, the filter tops maintain an efficient gaseous interchange with the external environment, resulting in lower levels of intra-cage NH₃ and CO₂, compared with competitor systems.

Protection is our profession!

Animal Protection

- Proven microbial protection; protection against pathogenic containments
- Better microenvironment inside the cage, due to reduced fluctuations in temperature and humidity, plus the elimination of draughts
- Enhanced animal health, reduced infant mortality and respiratory problems

Staff Protection

- Reduced air-borne contaminations in the working environment
- Significant lowering of respiratory associated allergenic reactions among animal care staff.

POWDER FEEDER

Made of AISI 304 S/S, Tecniplast powder feeders are located inside the cages and hang at the cage body wall. Provided with one or more partitions, they can be accessed simultaneously by two or more animals. These feeders are designed with small compartments to prevent animals from entering and nesting and to reduce waste and spillage.



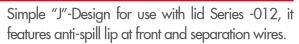




SERIES -927/-922/-923

Unique two-part design consisting of lower tray/hopper to be filled with powder feed, whilst the upper lid/divider section slides down directly onto the food. A series of S/S cross-wires on the bottom of the top section provides many small slots through which the animals feed, encouraging the consumption of fine particles (ensuring ingestion of test medium). Ideal for powder feed studies.

SERIES -929



Cage body	Powder feeder	Number of compartments	Species
1264C	- 929	2	Mice
1290D	- 929 - 927	3 7	Rats Mice
1291H	- 922 - 923	2 3	Rats Rats
2150E	- 922	2	Rats
2154F	- 922 - 923	2 3	Rats Rats
1354G	- 929	4	Rats

POLYESTER FILTER SHEET

available as spare part



NYLON LOCK LATCH

	Cage body	Autoclavable filter top	Autoclavable filter top with nylon lock latches	Replacement filter sheet
[1144B	- 400SU	- 400SUC	- 420R
	1145T	- 400SU	- 400SUC	- 420R
	1264C	- 400SU	- 400SUC	- 420R
	1284L	- 400SU	- 400SUC	- 420R
	1290D/1291H "	- 400SU "	- 400SUC "	- 420R "
	2150E	- 400SU	-	- 420R
	2154F	- 400SU	-	- 420R
	2000P	- 400SU	-	- 420R

^a 1291H to be ordered as 1290D -400SU/-400SUC/-420R

RAISED BOTTOM GRID

<u>-150</u> Made of AISI 304 S/S wire mesh, it can be dropped into solid bottom cages to separate animals from their waste. It features 30mm elevation for mice and for rats/guinea pigs; easy to insert and remove.

Cage Body	Raised bottom grid
1144B	- 150
1145T	- 150
1264C	- 150
1284L	- 150
1290D	- 150
1291H	- 150
2150E	- 150
2154F	- 150
1500U	- 150
1354G	- 150

PLASTIC BAG

Ideal for autoclaving cages when protective covering is needed, plastic bags feature breathable sides to prevent cage deformation.



ACBAG001SR

It provides a complex three-dimensional environment within standard laboratory caging. The Mouse House incorporates entrances, a shelf and a large nesting area. Its design maximises the use of floor area and encourages mice to zone their cage space.



RUNNER STYLE RACK

Tecniplast AISI 304 Stainless Steel racks are unparalleled with respect to husbandry and hygiene considerations, occupational health and safety requirements, ergonomics, reduced noise levels and aesthetic appeal.

The design permits an excellent view into all cages and their occupants. Having pioneered tubular S/S construction of racks, Tecniplast today utilizes a 3D-CAD-system design, automated cutting, punching and TIG welding construction processes.

Attention to detail, such as uniform polishing and finishing conclude the work. This is your guarantee for a long-lasting product that offers an exceptional Return on Investment.

Tecniplast unique "T-profile" suspension runners are specifically designed to minimize dirt traps, whilst permitting safe, simple and silent positioning of cages without risk of damage. They are far superior to metal runners or channels of other racks.

Other features are:

- S/S solid top sheet to reduce the exposure to draught and excessive light of the top rows
- Tubular base corners are all rounded for improved safety and to avoid damage of wall covering; four retrofitting plastic bumpers can also be provided on request.

MESH BOTTOM CAGE

Mesh bottom cages are recommended whenever rodents need to be temporary housed on mesh flooring: excrements are collected in a separate PC waste tray. Rats and guinea pigs are housed on 11x11mm mesh, whilst mice require a 7x7mm grid spacing. Mesh bottom cages can be either used with Double Runner Style Racks or Individual S/S Support Frame.

Cage body		Rack config	uration		Rack	model	Dimensions without bumpers L x W x H
5,	Nr of cages	Design	Rows	Columns	Without bumpers	with bumpers	(mm/in)
1144B	64	Single-sided	8	8	2B64B1000	2B64B1000BW	1494 x 480 x 1874 / 58.82 x 18.90 x 73.78
1145T	42 48 64 128	Single-sided Single-sided Single-sided Double-sided	7 8 8 8	6 6 8 8	2T42B1000 2T48B1000 2T64B1000 2T128B1000	2T42B1000BW 2T48B1000BW 2T64B1000BW 2T128B1000BW	1128 x 500 x 1648 / 44.41 x 19.68 x 64.88 1128 x 500 x 1861 / 44.41 x 19.68 x 73.27 1494 x 500 x 1861 / 58.82 x 19.68 x 73.27 1494 x 865 x 1861 / 58.82 x 34.06 x 73.27
1264C 1284L	30 36 48 60 70	Single-sided Single-sided Single-sided Double-sided Double-sided	6 6 8 6 7	5 6 5 5	2CL30B1000 2CL36B1000 2CL48B1000 2CL60B1000 2CL70B1000	2CL30B1000BW 2CL36B1000BW 2CL48B1000BW 2CL60B1000BW 2CL70B1000BW	1240 x 480 x 1871 / 48.82 x 18.90 x 73.6 1482 x 480 x 1871 / 58.35 x 18.90 x 73.6 1482 x 480 x 1996 / 58.35 x 18.90 x 78.5 1240 x 880 x 1871 / 48.82 x 34.65 x 73.6 1240 x 880 x 1871 / 48.82 x 34.65 x 73.6
1290D	24	Single-sided	6	4	2D24B1000	2D24B1000BW	1214 x 515 x 1877 / 47.80 x 20.28 x 73.9
1290D 1291H	20 20 24 30	Single-sided Single-sided Single-sided Single-sided	5 5 6 6	4 4 4 5	2H20B1000 ^{••} 2H20B1000H [•] 2H24B1000 ^{••} 2H30B1000	2H20B1000BW ^{••} 2H20B1000HBW [•] 2H24B1000BW ^{••} 2H30B1000BW	1214 x 515 x 1655 / 47.80 x 20.28 x 65.1 1214 x 515 x 1877 / 47.80 x 20.28 x 73.9 1214 x 515 x 1947 / 47.80 x 20.28 x 76.6 1510 x 480 x 1947 / 59.45 x 18.90 x 76.6
2150E	25 30	Single-sided Single-sided	5 6	5 5	2E25B1000 2E30B1000	2E25B1000BW 2E30B1000BW	1300 x 535 x 1874 / 51.18 x 21.06 x 73.7 1300 x 535 x 1874 / 51.18 x 21.06 x 73.7
2154F	20 25	Single-sided Single-sided	5 5	4 5	2F20B1000 2F25B1000	2F20B1000BW 2F25B1000BW	1178 x 580 x 1877 / 46.38 x 22.83 x 73.9 1465 x 580 x 1877 / 57.68 x 22.83 x 73.9
1500U	15 20	Single-sided Single-sided	5 5	3 4	2U15B1000 2U20B1000	2U15B1000BW 2U20B1000BW	1239 x 600 x 1791 / 48.78 x 23.62 x 70.5 1642 x 600 x 1791 / 64.65 x 23.62 x 70.5
1354G	18 20 20 24	Single-sided Single-sided Single-sided Single-sided	6 5 5 6	3 4 4 4	2G18B1000 * 2G20B1000 2G20B1000H ° 2G24B1000 *	- 2G20B1000BW 2G20B1000HBW ^{°°} 2G24B1000BW ^{°°}	1239 x 690 x 1877 / 48.78 x 27.17 x 73.5 1642 x 690 x 1760 / 64.65 x 27.17 x 69.2 1642 x 690 x 1877 / 64.65 x 27.17 x 73.5 1642 x 690 x 1877 / 64.65 x 27.17 x 73.5
2000P	15 18	Single-sided	5 6	3	2P15B1000 2P18B1000LW **	2P15B1000BW 2P18B1000LWBW	1395 x 725 x 1877 / 54.92 x 28.54 x 73.9 1395 x 725 x 1980 / 54.92 x 28.54 x 77.9

° can be used with raised lid

 $^{\circ\circ}$ close distance between cages when filter tops are used

• to be used with bottle type F

cannot be used with filter tops



Cage body		R	ack configure	ation		el with double nners	Dimensions without bumpers L x W x H	PC body with	S/S mesh floor grid	Tray	Individual S/S
		Nr of cages	Design	Rows/ columms	Without bumpers	with bumpers	(mm/in)	cut-away base	7x7/11x11 mm	(PC)	support frame
ĺ	1264C/1284L	30	single-sided	6/5	2CL30B2000	2CL30B2000BW	1238 x 480 x 1871 / 48.76 x 18.90 x 73.66	- 051	- 524 / -	- 382	- 905
	1290D	24	single-sided	6/4	2D24B2000	2D24B200BW	1214 x 515 x 1877 / 47.80 x 20.28 x 73.90	- 051	- 524 / - 525	- 382	- 905
	1291H	20	single-sided	5/4	2H20B2000	2H20B2000BW	1214 x 515 x 1877 / 47.80 x 20.28 x 73.90	- 051	- 524 / - 525	- 382 "	- 905 "
	1354G	20	single-sided	5/4	2G20B2000	2G20B2000BW	1642 x 690 x 1877 / 64.65 x 27.17 x 73.90	- 051	- 524 / - 525	- 382	- 905

^a 1291H to be ordered as 1290D - 382 / -905

SMALL RODENTS • RACKS

Whatever your needs are, we have the right answer for you!

TECNIPLAST STANDARD CASTORS ARE COATED WITH POLYURETHANE AND WITHSTAND AUTOCLAVE CYCLES AT 121°C/250°F WHEN RACKS ARE NOT LOADED WITH CAGES. ALTERNATIVELY, IN CASE OF FREQUENT AUTOCLAVING, HIGHER HOLDING TEMPERATURES, OR WHEN RACKS ARE AUTOCLAVED FULLY LOADED, SELECT CASTORS WITH GLASS-FIBRE-REINFORCED NYLON WHEELS. ADUUSTABLE SHELF STYLE RACH



Equipped with brackets at each corner for a quick change of shelf height by screws, the design of this rack allows the selection of the desired number of shelves. Their later addition or removal, moreover, offers a high density capacity as well as great flexibility to accommodate changed cage sizes during the years. They can be used as single or double-sided racks (with cage series 1264C).

Rack Configuration:

- Shelves (available in different lengths).
- Set of four uprights (available in two sizes).
- Set of four castors (two unbraked and two braked).

Adjustable shelf style rack configuration				Number of cages per shelf			
Cat. No.	Description	Dimensions L x W (mm/in)		Shelf length (mm/in) Cage body		ín)	
2UNR0060	shelf	1524 x 585 / 60.00 x 23.03			1524/60.00	1651/65.00	1780/70.08
2UNR0065	shelf	1651 x 585 / 65.00 x 23.03		1144B - 1145T	8	9	10
2UNR0070	shelf	1780 x 585 / 70.08 x 23.03		1264C	12	14	14
2UNRPT1676	set of 4 uprights	H 1676° / 65.98°		1284L	6	7	8
2UNRPT1834	set of 4 uprights	H 1834°/ 72.20°		1290D - 1291H	5	5	6
ACROTLIB125CX ^{°°}	Polyrethane coated unbraked castor	Ø 125 / 4.92		2150E	5	6	7
ACROTFRE125CX ^{**}	Polyrethane coated braked castor	Ø 125/4.92		2154F 1500U	5	5 4	6 4

does not include the castor height (= 155 mm)

to be ordered twice



WELDED SHELF STYLE RACH

Completely demountable with shelves, easily removable without tools.

Solid sheet shelves have side- and back-lips for added security of cage position.

Normally used as single-sided racks only.

Available in two different sizes.

Cage body	Nr of cages per shelf	Dimensions L x W x H (mm/in)	Nr of shelves	Cat. No.
1144B	7			
1145T	6	1210 x 390° x 1843	6	2UN1D500
1264C 1284L 2150E	5	47.64 x 15.35° x 72.56		
1290D 1291H	6	1773 x 572 x 1868		
1500U 1354G	4	69.80 x 22.50 x 73.54	5	2UN2D500

• overall width including wheels = 480 mm / 18.90 in



Fully welded for maximum strength and rigidity.

Simple design for easier cleaning and significant comparative low cost.

Only one size available.

Cage body	Nr of cages per shelf	Dimensions L x W x H (mm/in)	Nr of shelves	Cat. No.	
1144B	7			2UN5B106	
1145T	6		5 (6 °)		
1264C 1284L	5	1307 x 547 x 1712 51.46 x 21.54 x 67.40			
1290D	4				

• the roof can be used as extra shelf

SMALL RODENTS • DRAWER STYLE CAGING

- DESIGNED FOR TOXICOLOGY AND PHARMACOLOGY STUDIES, OPTIMAL FOR APPLICATIONS WHERE FREQUENT ANIMAL HANDLING IS REQUIRED
- DRAWER-STYLE CAGE BODY EXTRACTION FOR A QUICK AND EASY ACCESS TO THE CAGE OCCUPANTS
- MAXIMIZED ERGONOMICS FOR EASY DAILY OPERATIONS AND WORKFLOWS. NO NEED TO REMOVE THE CAGE FROM THE RACK FOR MOST OF THE OPERATIONS:
 - REDUCTION OF THE RISK OF STAFF INJURIES AND MUSCULO-SKELETAL DISEASES - QUICKER AND SAFER PROCEDURES



OPTIMAL VISIBILITY FOR A QUICKER DAILY CHECK



- Two cage sizes available to adapt to any housing requirement:
 - 1500U: 1500 cm² floor area
 - 2000P: 2065 cm² floor area
- External feeder and water bottle for quicker and easier refilling: ergonomic and time-saver
- AISI 316 S/S wire bar lids integrated to the rack frame that can be detached with no need for any tool: compatible with common washing equipment
- Plastic card holder with flip-up-stay-up feature and plastic runners to reduce noise- and vibration-induced animal stress





W	Cage type	Floor area (cm²/sq in)	Overall dimensions L x W x H (mm/in)	Feeder capacity I/fl oz (US)/fl oz (UK)	Water bottle ml/fl oz (US)/fl oz (UK)
U U U	1500U	1500 232.50	480 x 375 x 210 18.90 x 14.77 x 8.27	1.8 / 60.87 / 63.36	2 x (700 / 23.67 / 24.64)
Ű	2000P	2065 320.07	612 x 435 x 216 24.09 x 17.13 x 8.50	2.4 / 81.15 / 84.47	2 x (700 / 23.67 / 24.64)

	Cage type Configuration		Overall dimensions L x W x H (mm/in)
r	1500U	15 cages (3W x 5H) single sided	1239 x 620 x 1688.5 / 48.78 x 24.41 x 66.48
τ	1500U	20 cages (4W x 5H) single sided	1642 x 620 x 1688.5 / 64.45 x 24.41 x 66.48
Č	2000P	15 cages (3W x 5H) single sided	1395 x 725.5 x 1645 / 54.92 x 28.56 x 64.76
Ľ	2000P	20 cages (4W x 5H) single sided	1850 x 725.5 x 1645 / 72.83 x 28.56 x 64.76





EASY BOTTLE REPLACEMENT

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RABBITS, GUINEA PIGS & FERRETS



IT FEATURES A THREE-DIMENSIONAL ENRICHED ENVIRONMENT WITH LARGE AND COMFORTABLE SPACES WHERE CAGE INHABITANTS CAN SOCIALIZE, PLAY AND REST.

EVERYTHING WITH A FUNCTIONAL DESIGN IN MIND TO ACHIEVE THE BEST LEVEL OF ANIMAL WELFARE, ERGONOMICS FOR THE OPERATORS, VISIBILITY FOR AN EASY HEALTH CHECK AND THE LOWEST RUNNING COSTS.









R-SUITE

GP-SUITE

RABBITS • R-SUITE

TECNIPLAST OFFERS A WIDE RANGE OF DIFFERENT CAGE SIZES, COMPLYING WITH THE MAIN INTERNATIONAL GUIDELINES:

- X-TYPE CAGE FLOOR AREA 4264 CM²
- R-TYPE CAGE FLOOR AREA 4670 CM²
- P-TYPE CAGE FLOOR AREA 5456 CM²

	Final body weight	Minimum floor area	Minimum height
	(kg)	(cm²/ft²)	(cm/in)
EUROPE ¹	< 3	3500	45
	3 - 5	4200	45
	> 5	5400	60
USA ²	< 2	1400 / 1.5	40.5 / 16
	2 - 4	2800 / 3.0	40.5 / 16
	4 - 5.4	3700 / 4.0	40.5 / 16
	> 5.4	≥ 4600 / ≥ 5.0	40.5 / 16
UK ³	< 2	2000	40
	2 - 4	4000	45
	4 - 6	5400	45
	> 6	6000	45

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2 Guide for the Care and Use of Laboratory Animals, Institute of Laboratory Animal Research - eighth edition, Division on Earth and Life Studies, National Research Council, National Academy Press, Washington D.C. 2011

3 Home Office - Animals (Scientific Procedures) Act 1986 Amendment Regulations 2012



INJECTION MOULDED NORYL CAGE

Animal Welfare

- The injection moulded perforated Noryl floor assures:
 - No sharp edges to enhance animal comfort
 - Fast draining and drying design to maintain a clean environment
 - A warm and comfortable environment for rabbits
- The raised shelf and nesting box, together with the internal height, creates an ideal three-dimensional enriched environment
- The rack interlinking system (standard for all racks) increases floor space and allows communication between cages for social housing
- The stainless-steel rack with noise-free Polycarbonate side panels helps to avoid animal stress

Visibility

Transparent removable side panels allow optimal visibility of the entire cage volume: quick and easy daily check.



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RABBITS • R-SUITE





3D ENVIRONMENT - OPTIONAL NESTING BOX



Ergonomics and Quality

- Injection moulded Noryl cage means:
 - Smooth edges that eliminate dirty traps, ensuring perfect cleaning
 - Stacking lugs for proper stacking, rather than"stucking"
 - Thickness uniformity for a lighter and more resistant cage
 - Stress and tension free plastic offering greater thermal and mechanical resistance for a long lasting product that withstands repetitive washing and autoclaving cycles.
- A push-and-close system allows the gate to be closed easily even while holding animals; the gate features also a safety lock system to avoid animals escaping from the cage
- A fast-dry roof design results in quicker and easier washing procedures
- Rounded corners and lighter rack ensure easy and safe transportation
- The most compact housing solution in the market for a high density

Low running costs

The absence of dirty traps, the quick drying properties and the consequent quicker washing procedures, together with the optimal ergonomics and the longer lifetime due to the enhanced mechanical resistance result in dramatically lower running costs.



		Х	R	Р				
[Floor area (cm ² / ft ²)	4264 / 4.59	4670 / 5.03	5456 / 5.87				
	Overall dimensions W x D x H (mm / in)	713 x 716 x 115 28.06 x 28.19 x 4.53	743 x 716 x 114 29.27 x 28.19 x 4.49	870 x 740 x 131 34.25 x 29.13 x 5.16				
	Internal height (mm / in)	476 / 18.74	471 / 18.55	604 / 23.76				
	Plastic type		Noryl - 2-year warranty					
w	Cage body		Autoclavable, high stackability	,				
ں ש	Waste tray	Autoclavable, high stackability, simmetric (no back, no front) Autoclavable, high stackab						
Ē	Feeder capacity	2.2 I / 74.39 oz (US) / 77.43 oz (UK)						
U	Bottle capacity [□]	7	750 ml / 25.36 oz (US) / 26.40 oz (UK)					

can accomodate multiple water bottles

	Cage type	Rack configuration	Overall rack dimensions L x W x H (mm/in)
~	Х	3 cages (1W x 3H)	784 (817°) x 820 (869°°) x 1830 30.87 (32.17°) x 32.28 (34.20°°) x 72.05
Ŭ	R	3 cages (1W x 3H)	810 (843°) x 820 (870°°) x 1830 31.89 (33.19°) x 32.28 (34.26°°) x 72.05
ц	Р	2 cages (1W x 2H)	937 (970°) x 845 (895°°) x 1718 36.89 (38.19°) x 33.27 (35.25°°) x 67.64

with interlinking device

with feeder and water bottle

OPTIONS

- Auto watering system
- S/S feeder with anti-dust cover
- S/S hay feeder
- Enlongated waste tray for "X" type cage

ACCESSORIES

- Noryl nesting box
- Additional water bottle

Note: 3 levels "P" type racks are available upon request



GUINEA PIGS • GP-SUITE

 Requirements for Establishments and for the Care of Accomodation of Animals, Annex III of the Directive 2010/63/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the protection of animals used for scientific purposes, 22 September 2010 Guide for the Care and Use of Laboratory Animals, Institute of Laboratory Animal Research - eighth edition, Division on Earth 		Final body weight (g)	Minimum floor area (cm²)	Floor area per animal - groups (cm ^{2/} in ²)	Minimum height (cm/in)
and Life Studies, National Research Council, National Academy Press, Washington D.C. 2011		< 200 200 - 300	1800 1800	200 350	23 23
3 Home Office - Animals (Scientific Procedures) Act 1986 Amendment	EUROPE ¹	300 - 450	1800	500	23
Regulations 2012		450 - 700	2500	700	23
		> 700	2500	900	23
	USA ²	< 350		387 / 60	17.8 / 7
		> 350	-	≥ 651.5 / ≥ 101	17.8 / 7
and the second s		< 150	700	200	20
		150 - 250	700	300	20
The second se		250 - 350	900	400	20
	UK ³	350 - 450	900	500	23
And the second s		450 - 550	900	600	23
		550 - 650	1000	700	23
		> 650	1250	750	23
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Animal Welfare

- Injection moulded perforated Noryl floor:
 - No sharp edges to enhance animal comfort
 - Extra holes on the corners to speed up the draining and drying processes and maintain a clean environment
 - Warm and comfortable cage
- A raised shelf with ramps creates a three-dimensional enriched environment

Ergonomics and cost-effective

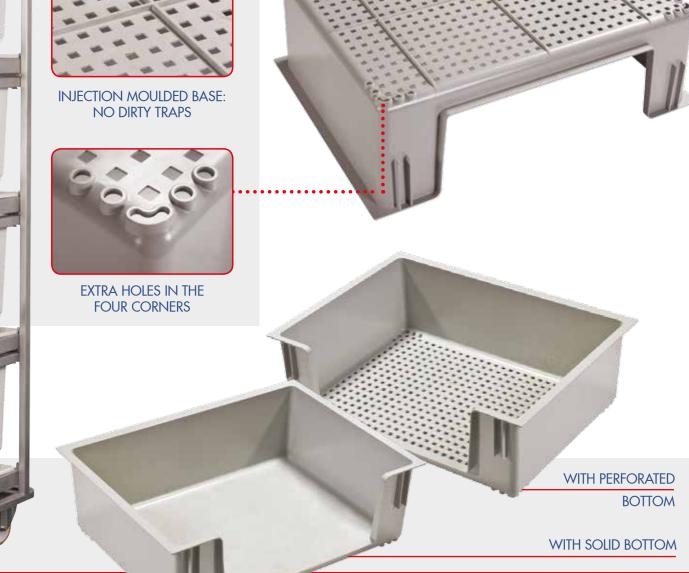
- Injection moulded Noryl cage means:
 - Smooth edges that eliminate dirty traps, ensuring perfect cleaning
 - Stacking lugs for proper stacking, rather than "stucking."
 - Thickness uniformity for a lighter and more resistant cage
 - Stress- and tension- free plastic offering greater thermal and mechanical resistance for a long lasting product that withstands repetitive washing and autoclave cycles
- Rounded corners and lighter rack ensure easy and safe transportation
- Compact housing solution for an higher density

Flexibility

Available either with solid or perforated bottom to accommodate any research need.



je bottom type	Rack configuration	Overall rack dimensions L x W x H (mm/in)	Cage specifications and dimensions	
Solid	5 cages (1 W x 5 H)	860 x 780 (846°) x 1656 33.86 x 30.71 (33.31°) x 65.20	 "W" type solid/perforated cage base Size (L x W x H): 814 x 610 x 256 mr 32.95 x 24.02 x 10.08 in Floor area: 4000 cm² / 4.3 ft² Internal height: 281 mm / 11.08 in 	
Solid	10 cages (2 W x 5 H)	1700 x 780 (846°) x 1656 66.93 x 30.71 (33.31°) x 65.20		
Perforated ""	4 cages (1 W x 4 H)	860 x 780 (846°) x 1656 33.86 x 30.71 (33.31°) x 65.20	" with feeders and water bottles	
Perforated ""	8 cages (2 W x 4 H)	1700 x 780 (846°) x 1656 66.93 x 30.71 (33.31°) x 65.20	 the rack with perforated cages comes complete with waste trays 	



FERRETS • F-SUITE

	Final body weight (g)	Minimum floor area (cm²)	Floor area per animal (groups)	Minimum height (cm)
EUROPE ¹	< 600	4500	1500	50
	> 600	4500	3000	50
	adult males	6000	6000	50
	jill and litter	5400	5400	50
UK ²	< 800	2250	1500	50
	> 800	4500	3000	50

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Cage specifications and dimensions

"P" TYPE SOLID CAGE BASE

- Size (L x W x H): 870 x 740 x 130 mm 34.25 x 29.13 x 5.118 in
- Floor area: 5456 cm² / 5.87 ft²
- Internal Height: 600 mm / 23.62 in

Rack specifications and dimensions

- N. of Cages: 2 (1W x 2H)
- Overall Rack Dimensions (L x W x H): 940 x 845 (+160) x 1700 mm 37.01 x 33.27 (+6.299) x 66.93 in



ENVIRONMENTAL ENRICHMENT: RAISED SHELF



ENVIRONMENTAL ENRICHMENT: INTERLINKING TUBE



Animal Welfare

- The rack interlinking increases floor space and allows communication between cages for social housing
- The interlinking tube connects two cages to enhance social behaviour
- The raised shelf and nesting box, together with the internal height, create an ideal three-dimensional enriched environment
- The newly designed stainless-steel rack with noise-free Polycarbonate panels helps to avoid animal stress
- Transparent polycarbonate gate avoids air drafts on the animal

Ergonomics, Functionality and Cost-effectiveness

- A push-and-close system allows to easily close the gate even while holding animals; the gate features also a safe locking system to avoid animals escaping from the cage
- A fast-dry roof design results in quicker and easier washing procedures
- Rounded corners and lighter rack ensure easy and safe transportation.

Visibility: easy daily check

Transparent removable side panels allow optimal visibility of the entire cage volume: quick and easy daily check





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