CONGRATULATIONS!

Thank you for purchasing a new CellarPro cooling system.

Please take a minute to read through this Owner’s Manual before you unpack, install and turn on your Cooling Unit.

If you have any questions about your new cooling unit, it is likely that you will find the answers in this Owner’s Manual. We also have more information on our website, including the latest version of the Owner’s Manual, at www.cellarpro.com/customer-service.

If you still have questions, please don’t hesitate to contact your dealer or CellarPro directly. We can be reached during normal business hours at 1.877.726.8496. You also may contact us anytime via email at info@cellarpro.com.

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Website: www.CellarProCoolingSystems.com

Serial Number*: ____________________

*We recommend that you take a minute to fill-in your CellarPro serial number above. The serial number has seven-digits and can be found on the printed label on the left side of your cooling unit.

Don’t forget to register your cooling unit warranty at www.cellarpro.com/register
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I. Prior to Installation

- Test the unit before installing it.
  1. Remove the unit from the box. SAVE THE BOX AND PACKING MATERIALS.
  2. Remove any materials that have been packed inside the exhaust cavity
  3. Plug in the power cord and let the unit run on a hard, flat surface
  4. Check to make sure that both fans (one at the top and one at the bottom of the cooling unit) are spinning.
  5. Check that the cooling unit is discharging cold air from the bottom (it should be approximately 10°F colder than the temperature on the digital display)

- Make sure that the exhaust panel is installed in the correct position – it should cover either the TOP or the REAR exhaust vent:
  - **TOP VENT CONFIGURATION:**
    If the hot air will be discharged through the TOP of the cellar, install the exhaust panel on the BACK of the cooling unit (as shown in the Picture A). In this configuration, the cavity on TOP of the cooling unit is OPEN.

  ![Picture A](image)
  Picture A
  Top Vent Configuration

  - **REAR VENT CONFIGURATION:**
    If the hot air will be discharged through the REAR of the cellar, use the exhaust panel to seal the TOP of the cooling unit (as shown in the Picture B). In this configuration, the cavity at the REAR of the CellarPro is OPEN.

  ![Picture B](image)
  Picture B
  Rear Vent Configuration

- Wait 24 hours before operating your CellarPro cooling unit.
II. Overview

- **CellarPro Cooling Capacity***

Estimated thermal loads for various size cellars, with various insulations, various ambient temperatures and various cellar temperatures, are shown in the table below. To figure out whether a CellarPro unit will work in your space, make sure that the cooling unit’s BTUH for a given cellar temperature (at the top of the table) is equal or greater than the thermal load shown in the body of the table. The non-bold, unshaded numbers are within the capacity of all units. The unbold, lightly shaded numbers are within all units except the 1800QTL. The bold numbers are beyond the capacity of the 1800QTL and 1800QT. The italicized numbers are appropriate only for the 1800XTS / XTSx. “X” indicates conditions beyond the capacity of all units.

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*Please note: Glass panels, windows and doors have much lower insulation (at most R-3) and therefore heat loads will increase dramatically when glass is used in cellars.
• Specifications

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• Ambient Environment

CellarPro cooling units are designed to operate in ambient temperatures between 45°F and 95°F. Except for the 1800XTSX cooling unit, they are designed for internal use only, and are not designed for exposure to the exterior.

CellarPro cooling units do not have heating elements, so if temperatures inside the or outside the cellar drop below proper wine storage temperatures, the cooling unit cannot create heat inside the cellar.

Proper temperatures are maintained by transferring heat from inside wine cellars and exhausting heat through the top (top-vent) or rear (rear-vent) of the cooling units.

• Insulation

CellarPro cooling units are designed to be installed inside wine cellars that have proper insulation, moisture barriers and an airtight seal from the environment outside the cellar.

Interior walls and floor should have a minimum of R-11 insulation, and a vapor barrier on the warm side of the insulation. The ceiling should have a minimum of R-19 insulation and a vapor barrier on the warm side of the insulation. Doors also should be insulated and tightly sealed with weather stripping around the perimeter of the door. Surface-mounted fixtures are recommended over recessed lighting, which can allow air to leak into the
cellar. **Please note:** The R-values above are the MINIMUM recommended amounts of insulation. It is advisable to use as much insulation as possible inside your walls, ceiling and floor.

It is critical that all walls, joints, doors and windows, electrical outlets and/or switches, pipes, vents and light fixtures be sealed to prevent air and moisture from entering the cellar. If there is a leak in the cellar, the cooling unit will build up excess condensation that eventually may damage the internal components and shorten the life of the cooling unit, and may cause water to leak from the cooling unit.

We offer a **Wine Cellar Modification** for cooling units that will be installed in wine cellars (as opposed to wine cabinets.) The Wine Cellar Modification provides a fitting and condensate tube at the back of the cooling unit to relieve excess moisture that may condense inside the cooling unit. For installations in warm environments and/or cellars without airtight seals, we strongly recommend this modification. However, the modification does not replace the requirement for a cellar to have proper insulation, moisture barriers and airtight seals from the environment outside the cellar.

If your cooling unit has the wine cellar modification, please make sure that the tube has a condensate trap that is slightly filled with water, as follows:

![Condensate Trap Diagram](image)

As shown above, the drain line should drop, then rise (but stay below the height of the fitting), and then drop again into a drain or bucket. Then, fill the trap with water. The condensate trap will allow any excess moisture inside the cooling unit to
overcome the static pressure and flow out of the drain line. **Please note:** If you do not use a trap, you will see little – if any – condensation, for the same reason that water stays inside a straw when one end is sealed.

CellarPro cooling units are designed to be installed **THROUGH THE WALL.** A hole should be cut 1/4 inch larger than the dimensions (W x H) of the cooling unit. Horizontal 2 x 4 inch braces should be installed between the studs below and above the cooling unit. If the studs in the wall must be cut to accommodate the width of the cooling unit, vertical braces also should be installed on either side of the cooling unit.

CellarPro cooling units must always be mounted in the upright position and located as close to the ceiling as possible inside the cellar. As warm air rises to the top of the cellar, the cooling unit pulls the warm air through the evaporator coils and removes the heat from the warm air. Once cooled, the cold air is discharged from the bottom of the cooling unit and circulates downward through the cellar.

The rear of the cooling unit should be **slightly lower** than the front of the cooling unit (i.e., the cooling unit should be tilted backwards slightly), so that excess condensation won’t drip through the evaporator fan cavity. The rear of the cooling unit should be supported by the wall through which it is installed, and should be flush with the wall. Assuming 4 1/2 inch interior wall thickness, the front 12 inches will be inside the cellar. The front of the cooling unit can be mounted using optional mounting clips (available for purchase from CellarPro), as follows:
Alternatively, the front of the cooling unit can be supported by a shelf and a diagonal brace. The shelf can be up to 13.25” inches wide, and should be positioned on the right side of the cooling unit so that it doesn’t restrict the exhaust vent below the cooling unit, as follows:
Once the cooling unit is installed, all cracks and gaps between the cooling unit and the cellar should be sealed. We provide butyl tape (shipped in the cavity of the exhaust vent) for sealing these gaps. The butyl tape becomes pliable by rolling it in your hands. Pay particular attention to the seams on the back of the cellar (top and rear vent configurations) and the seams at the top of the cellar (top-vent configuration).

- Ventilation

**WITHOUT DUCTING**

Proper ventilation is critically important for the proper operation of your CellarPro cooling unit. The CellarPro cooling unit blows a significant amount of hot air through the top or the rear of the cooling unit, and the hot air must be exhausted into a space that is at least as large as the wine cellar in order for the heat to properly dissipate. If the space is too small or constrained, the heat will not dissipate and the cooling unit will recirculate its own hot air, which will impair the cooling unit’s ability to create cold air inside the cellar.
1. **Condenser Air Intake (Rear).** The condenser coils are located at the rear of the cooling unit. These coils require access to cool air in order for the cooling unit to produce cool air. In general, the cooling unit will be able to produce cold air that is 30°F below the temperature of the condenser air intake. The cooling unit must be installed so that, after its installation, there is access to the condenser coils at the rear of the cooling unit for periodic cleaning of the coils.

2. **Condenser Air Exhaust (Rear or Top).** Condenser air can be exhausted either through the top or the rear of the cooling unit. CellarPro units have interchangeable vent panels that can be swapped between the top and the rear of the cooling unit to match the configuration of your cellar and exhaust space.

   - **Rear vent configuration (most common):** in this configuration, the panel is attached to the top of the cooling unit and hot air is freely exhausted from the rear of the cooling unit into the exhaust space, which should have the same space capacity as the wine cellar. (e.g., if the cellar is 300 cubic feet, the exhaust space also should be 300 cubic feet). In addition, this configuration should have 4-6” of unobstructed clearance directly behind the cellar.

   - **Top-vent configuration (less common):** in this configuration, the panel is attached to the rear of the cooling unit and hot air is freely exhausted from the top of the cooling unit into the exhaust space. If the exhaust space is shared with the rear of the cooling unit, it should have the same space capacity as the wine cellar (e.g., if the cellar is 300 cubic feet, the exhaust space also should be 300 cubic feet.).

**WITH DUCTING**

We offer a duct kit that is designed to work with all CellarPro 1800 cooling units. The kit includes:

- A duct hood that fits over the rear of the cooling unit and is designed to connect to two 6” ducts (one for intake and one for exhaust), with a removable slot for changing air filters;

- A 6” inline fan, plus wiring from the cooling unit that provides switched power to the fan (*the cooling unit cannot be ducted without an inline fan*). When connecting the fan to our switched power line, please follow local building codes, which may require the use of conduit for the wiring and junction boxes for any wire connections. The fan can be installed anywhere in the ducting – either on the intake side or the exhaust side, and either at the beginning or the end of the ducting.

- 50’ (2 x 25’) of insulated 6” ducting.
With our duct kit, CellarPro 1800 cooling units can be ducted up to 50 equivalent feet per duct. When calculating equivalent feet, each 90 degree turn in the ducting approximately equals 8’ of ducting. **Be sure to use gradual turns to avoid restricting airflow inside the ducting.** Consult your HVAC professional for further information.

**INSIDE THE CELLAR**

CellarPro cooling units are designed to turn on when the temperature near the ceiling inside the cellar exceeds the **Minimum Set Point** plus the **Temperature Differential**, and turn off when the temperature inside the cellar drops below the Minimum Set Point. The Minimum Set Point and Temperature Differential can be set according to instructions in the following Chapter. For example, if the Minimum Set Point is 58°F and the Temperature Differential is 4°F, the cooling unit will turn on when the temperature inside the cellar rises above 62°F, and turn off when the temperature falls below 58°F. In this example, the cellar temperature will average 60°F.

1. **Evaporator Air Intake.** The evaporator coils are located on the face of the cooling unit behind the grill. CellarPro cooling units are designed to be mounted at the highest point inside wine cellars, so that warm air – which rises – will be the first to pass over the evaporator coils, which will remove the heat from the air. To ensure proper airflow, a minimum of 3” clearance is required in front of the cooling unit.

2. **Evaporator Air Exhaust.** Cold air is exhausted through the bottom of the cooling unit. Because CellarPro cooling units are located at the highest point inside wine cellars, the cold air will fall to the bottom of the cellar. To ensure proper airflow and reduce temperature stratification inside the cellar, the space below the cold air discharge should be clear of any obstructions, including wine bottles, wine racks, etc.

- **Power Requirement**

CellarPro cooling systems should be plugged into an outlet connected to a 15-amp circuit. The cooling unit uses approximately 3 amps during its “on” cycle. The cooling unit also offers a grounded 115V AC outlet, which is rated for 3 amps.

A number of variables, including the minimum set point, the temperature in the ambient environment, the insulation of the cellar, and the thermal mass inside the cellar, will affect the cooling unit’s runtime. It is normal for the cooling unit to run up to 75 percent of the time in order to maintain proper conditions inside the cellar.
Summary

Keep in mind the following guidelines before purchasing a wine cooling unit from CellarPro:

- If the cellar is too large for the cooling unit, and/or if the cellar does not have adequate insulation, the cooling unit will be unable to maintain proper temperatures throughout the cellar.

- Without a moisture barrier and an airtight environment inside the cellar, the cooling unit effectively will become a de-humidifier and may produce buckets of water.

- The cooling unit needs to have access to fresh, cool air at the rear of the cooling unit. Without fresh, cool air, either because of improper ventilation or environments that are too hot, the cooling unit will be unable to maintain proper temperatures inside the cellar and the HA2 alarm will be triggered.

Under these conditions, the unit's internal components may become damaged, the expected useful life of the wine cooling unit may be adversely affected, and the product's warranty may become null and void.
A. Replacement Instructions – Top Vent Units

TOOLS NEEDED:
Phillips screwdriver
7/16" open end wrench or socket
Needlenose pliers

REQUIRED PARTS
Replacement Cooling Unit
Butyl Sealant Tape

REMOVAL OF OLD COOLING UNIT:

1. Unplug the cooling unit from the wall.

FROM THE TOP OF THE CELLAR

2. If your cellar comes with a grill(s), remove and discard the grill(s) on top of the cellar. You do not need a grill with the CellarPro cooling unit.
3. Pull the power cord through the back of the cellar.

FROM THE FRONT OF THE CELLAR

4. Open cabinet door and remove all bottles from the top of the rack.
5. Place a heavy towel or blanket on top of the wine rack for protection.
6. IF YOU HAVE A LE CACHE MODEL 2400 WITH A CENTER POST: Remove the center post by unscrewing the screws (two at the top and two at the bottom) that attach the post to the wine cabinet.
7. Unplug the light from the cooling unit inside the cellar, and also unplug the cord from the light fixture.
8. Remove the light fixture as follows:
   - Slide the light left or right, and then unscrew and remove one of the two mounting brackets that attach the light fixture to the ceiling of the cellar.
   - Slide the light fixture off the second mounting bracket.
9. With 7/16 socket wrench, remove the two hex head bolts that attach the cooling unit to the ceiling of the cellar. **Save these bolts!** Leave mounting brackets attached to the cooling unit so that the proper location can be duplicated with the replacement cooling unit.

**PLEASE NOTE:** If the nut in the ceiling becomes loose, you will need to use pliers from the top of the cabinet to hold the nut and keep it from spinning with the bolt.

10. The cooling unit is now free to remove. Drop front end down, and move side to side to free from cabinet opening.

**CAUTION:** Two people may be required to remove the cooling unit, which weighs 48 pounds. Do not let the cooling unit drop on unprotected bottle racks.

**TO INSTALL NEW COOLING UNIT**

1. Wait 24 hours before plugging in and operating your CellarPro cooling unit.

2. Carefully remove the new cooling unit from the packaging. You may reuse this packaging for shipping or storing the old cooling unit.

3. **Remove any materials that have been packed inside the exhaust cavity.**

4. Before installing the cooling unit, make sure it works by plugging it in and letting it run on a hard, flat surface. Check that cold air is being produced by the unit.

5. **NEVER** turn the cooling unit on its side or upside down.

6. The cooling unit should be plugged into an outlet with a 15-amp circuit.

7. Before installing the cooling unit, make sure that the exhaust panel is installed in the correct position. For top-vented cellars, the exhaust panel MUST cover the REAR exhaust vent (see picture at right). In this configuration, the cavity on **TOP** of the cooling unit is **OPEN.**

![Top Vent Configuration](image_url)

Panel should be installed on the REAR
8. Attach the mounting clips to the FRONT of the cooling unit so that the short side slides under the sheet metal fold near the top of the cooling unit. You may need to remove the front grill (attached with two screws on each side of the cooling unit) in order to slide the mounting clips under the sheet metal, then replace the front grill after the clips are in place.

9. Some cellars have three pieces of foam located on the bottom and on each side of the bracket that supports the back of the cooling unit. These foam pieces should be placed in their original locations.

10. Follow the removal instructions described above in reverse.

11. After installing the cooling unit, it is not necessary to replace the grill.

12. A complete and proper seal must be made between the cellar and the cooling unit to ensure that outside air does not enter the cellar. Use the butyl tape to seal the perimeter where the cooling unit touches the cellar by rolling the tape with your fingers into a thin (pencil diameter) "rope", then press the tape into the cracks where the cooling unit touches the cellar.

13. Check the seal by having a helper stand in front of the cabinet while you shine a flashlight around the cooling unit edges to discover any gaps in sealant.

RETURNING THE ORIGINAL COOLING UNIT:

If the original cooling unit is under warranty and you are returning it, please follow the instructions below:

1. Use the original packaging to repack the cooling unit.

2. Make sure that the cooling unit is upright in the box.

3. The exterior of the box should be prominently marked with “This Side Up” and “Fragile” for the freight carrier.
B. Replacement Instructions – Rear Vent Units

TOOLS NEEDED:
Phillips screwdriver
7/16” open end wrench or socket
Needlenose pliers

REQUIRED PARTS
Replacement Cooling Unit
Butyl Sealant Tape

REMOVAL OF OLD COOLING UNIT:

1. Unplug the cooling unit from the wall.

FROM THE REAR OF THE CELLAR

2. If your cellar comes with a grill(s), remove and discard the grill(s) behind the cellar. **You do not need a grill with the CellarPro cooling unit.**

3. Roll up cord and place in fan cavity at rear of cooling unit. If your cellar came with a hard-wired light, separate the lamp cord from black and white leads at the back of the cooling unit.

FROM THE FRONT OF THE CELLAR

4. Open cellar door and remove all bottles from the top of the rack.

5. Place a heavy towel or blanket on top of the wine rack for protection.

6. Remove the light fixture as follows:
   - Slide the light left or right, and then unscrew and remove one of the two mounting brackets that attach the light fixture to the ceiling of the cellar.
   - Slide the light fixture off the second mounting bracket.

7. With 7/16 socket wrench, remove the two hex head bolts that attach the cooling unit to the ceiling of the cellar. **Save these bolts!** Leave mounting brackets attached to the cooling unit so that the proper location can be duplicated with the replacement cooling unit.

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3. **Remove any materials that have been packed inside the exhaust cavity.**

4. Before installing the cooling unit, make sure it works by plugging it in and letting it run on a hard, flat surface. Check that cold air is being produced by the unit.

5. NEVER turn the cooling unit on its side or upside down

6. The cooling unit should be plugged into an outlet with a 15-amp circuit

7. Before installing the cooling unit, make sure that the exhaust panel is installed in the correct position. For rear-vented cellars, the exhaust panel MUST cover the TOP exhaust vent (see picture at right). In this configuration, the cavity at the REAR of the cooling unit is OPEN.

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Overview

Please follow the instructions in Chapter I prior to turning on your CellarPro cooling unit.

CellarPro cooling units are designed to maintain optimal conditions for wine storage and aging. These conditions include steady, cool temperatures, high humidity, minimal vibration and light, and clean air.

The settings on your CellarPro cooling unit have been preset and optimized by the factory. Before changing any settings below, we recommend waiting 14 days to allow the cooling unit to “break in.”

The cooling unit is designed to cool the cellar gently without stripping moisture out of the cellar environment. Therefore, it is not uncommon for the cooling unit to run nonstop for up to a week initially, depending on the temperature inside the cellar, the size of the cellar, and the temperature of the ambient environment. Once the cellar has reached equilibrium, it is normal for the cooling unit to run as much as 75 percent of the time.

CellarPro cooling units are designed to maintain optimal temperatures for **storing and aging** fine wine. CellarPro cooling units are not designed to maintain temperatures for **serving** wine, which tend to be much colder than storage temperatures, especially serving temperatures for white and sparkling wines.

**CellarPro cooling units must be used, stored, moved and/or shipped in the upright position.** Be careful when turning the unit on its side. The unit NEVER should be turned upside down.
Basic Operation

The temperature inside the cellar can be increased or decreased by changing the Minimum Set Point as described later in this chapter. If the cooling unit runs too much, you can raise the Minimum Set Point to reduce the cycle “on” time. Most wine collectors store their wine in the range of 55 - 60°F.

CellarPro cooling units are designed to maintain appropriate levels of humidity, ranging from 50 to 70 percent, inside wine cellars. In order to increase or decrease humidity inside the cellar, the Fan setting can be changed as described in the “Advanced Operation” section later in this chapter.

Digital Display

The temperature displayed on the control indicates the real-time air temperature as measured by Probe 1 (P1) located behind the front grill of the cooling unit.
**Power On/Off Button**

Press “Power On/Off” to turn the unit on and off

When the “Compressor On” indicator light is on, the Compressor is running. When the “Fan On” indicator light is on, the Fan is running.

**Up and Down Buttons**

To view the “High Temp” recorded by the cooling unit, press the “Up” button once.

To view the “Low Temp” recorded by the cooling unit, press the “Down” button once.

To reset the “High Temp” or “Low Temp”, press the “Set” button for three seconds while “Hi” or “Lo” is displayed. “RST” will blink three times to indicate confirmation.

**Set Button**

The cooling unit is factory preset with a Minimum Set Point of 58°F and a Temperature Differential of 4°F. This means that the cooling unit will turn on when the display rises above 62°F (58°F + 4°F), and turn off when the display falls below 58°F. In this example, the average temperature inside the cellar will be 60°F.

To view the Minimum Set Point, press the “Set” button for one second.

To change the Minimum Set Point,

1. Press the “Set” button for three seconds until “°F” blinks
2. Press the “Up” or “Down” button
3. Press the “Set” button to confirm

The “Set” temperature will blink three times to indicate confirmation.

The recommended Minimum Set Point range is 53 - 60°F.

To change the Temperature Differential, see “Advanced Operation” later in this chapter.
**Energy Saver Button**

To activate and deactivate the “Energy Saver” mode, press the “Energy Saver” button.

The “Energy Saver” indicator light will turn on when the cooling unit is in “Energy Saver” mode.

In “Energy Saver” mode, the Minimum Set Point increases 4°F and the Temperature Differential is unchanged.

![Energy Saver Button](image)

**Quick Chill Button**

To activate the “Quick Chill” mode, press the “Up” / “Quick Chill” button for three seconds.

To deactivate “Quick Chill”, press “Quick Chill” button for three seconds again.

The “Quick Chill” indicator light will turn on when the cooling unit is in “Quick Chill” mode.

In the “Quick Chill” mode, the cooling unit will run continuously for 6 hours (or until the intake temperature registers 50°F). This mode is useful after loading “warm” bottles in a cellar.

![Quick Chill Button](image)

**AIR FILTER**

We offer an optional air filter that magnetically attaches to the rear of the cooling unit. To replace the filter, remove the filter frame from the cooling unit (see the image at right), and replace the filter when it becomes dirty (anywhere from 3 to 9 months depending on the conditions in your location.

*When replacing the filter, the blue fibers should face the cooling unit, and the white fibers should face away from the cooling unit.*

Replacement filters may be purchased at [www.cellarpro.com](http://www.cellarpro.com).
Advanced Operation

CellarPro cooling systems can be programmed with advanced settings to achieve more control over conditions inside the cellar. Conditions like humidity, the Temperature Differential, and alarm settings all can be modified for custom applications. To access the advanced settings, do the following:

- Press the “Set” button and the “Down” button together at the same time, and hold for three seconds. Then, use the “Up” or “Down” button to scroll to the following screen:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Setting</th>
<th>Details</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>HUMIDITY</strong></td>
<td>The factory preset for this setting is “3”. If the humidity inside the cellar is too low, press the “Set” button, then use the “Up” button until the desired setting is reached. The recommended range for this setting is 0-6.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>TEMPERATURE DIFFERENTIAL</strong></td>
<td>The factory preset for this setting is “4”. This setting determines the Temperature Differential and therefore the temperature at which the cooling unit will cycle on. The recommended range for this setting is 4 or 5.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>HIGH TEMPERATURE ALARM</strong></td>
<td>The factory preset for this setting is “70”. This setting designates the High temperature inside the cellar at which the alarm is triggered. We recommend leaving this setting at the factory preset.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>LOW TEMPERATURE ALARM</strong></td>
<td>The factory preset for this setting is “45”. This setting designates the Low temperature inside the cellar at which the alarm is triggered. We recommend leaving this setting at the factory preset.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>ENERGY SAVINGS MODE DIFFERENTIAL</strong></td>
<td>The factory preset for this setting is “4”. This setting increases or decreases the Temperature Differential for the Energy Savings Mode. The recommended range for this setting is 2-4.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Standard Protection Mechanisms

The cooling unit is programmed to shut down certain components to protect those components, as well as the wine inside the cellar, under the following circumstances:

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<tr>
<th>Scenario</th>
<th>What it means</th>
<th>What happens</th>
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<tr>
<td>P1 Alarm</td>
<td>Probe 1, which senses the temperature inside the cellar and controls the on/off cycles of the cooling unit, has failed</td>
<td>The cooling unit enters a timed auto-cycle mode until Probe 1 is repaired or replaced. In this mode, the cooling unit will turn for 12 minutes and off for 8 minutes.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Optional Protection Mechanisms

CellarPro cooling systems can be programmed to turn off the compressor and condenser fan in the event of an HA2 alarm, as described below. If you’d like to turn on this protection mechanism, please call us toll-free at 877.726.8496

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<td>P3 &gt; 140°F for more than 2 hours</td>
<td>The condenser probe is measuring temperatures that are too hot</td>
<td>The compressor and condenser fan will turn off until the condenser temperature falls below 140°F</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Maintenance

The condenser coils at the back of the cooling unit will collect dust, dirt and lint over time. It is critically important to clean the coils periodically. If the condenser coils become clogged, the cooling unit will not have proper airflow and its performance and longevity will be compromised.

To clean the coils, simply vacuum or brush the coils until all dust and lint have been removed. Do not use compressed air to clean the coils because it may force dirt particles into the cooling system and cause serious damage to its internal components.
The cooling unit has both an audible notification and a visual alarm indicator (shown in “red” on the control panel) that are activated when an alarm is triggered. **Please note:** the temperature alarms (HA, HA2, LA and LA2) are disabled during the first 23 hours of operation after the cooling unit is plugged in and/or turned on.

The control panel also will flash a code for each alarm, as follows:

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<tr>
<td>P1, P3</td>
<td>Probe Failure</td>
<td>Call CellarPro at 877.726.8496</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>HA</td>
<td>The temperature inside the cellar is too warm (above 70°F for more than 1 hour)</td>
<td>Check seals; Check if door was left open; Lower the ambient temperatures</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>HA2</td>
<td>The condenser temperature is too high (above 140°F for 2 hours)</td>
<td>Check for appropriate installation, ventilation, ambient conditions and cooling capacity (Chapter II); Clean the condenser coils (see “Maintenance” in Chapter IV); Check for obstructions to the intake and/or exhaust vents; Check that the condenser fan is operating</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>LA</td>
<td>The temperature inside the cellar is too cold (below 45°F)</td>
<td>Raise the ambient temperature; Raise the “Minimum Set Point”</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>LA2</td>
<td>The temperature at the condenser coils (outside the cabinet) has dropped below the alarm temperature setting</td>
<td>Lower the alarm temperature setting as follows: 1. Depress the “Set” and “Down” button for three seconds until the display reads “HY” 2. Depress the “Set” and “Down” button for seven seconds until “PR2” flashes on the display 3. Using the “Down” button, scroll until the display reads “AL2” 4. Depress the “Set” button and lower the alarm temperature setting to your desired setting</td>
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VI. Troubleshooting

- The Cooling Unit Runs Constantly

The cooling capacity of the cooling unit depends on the thermal load on the wine cellar, and the resulting BTU that is required to cool and maintain the cellar at the desired temperature. The cooling capacities of both units are shown on page 2. If the thermal load exceeds the capacity of the cooling unit, you will need to add insulation and/or raise the setpoint on the cooling unit.

The cooling unit is designed to turn on when the air temperature in the cellar rises above the Minimum Set Point + Temperature Differential, and turn off when the air temperature falls below the Minimum Set Point. For example, if the Minimum Set Point is 58°F and the Temperature Differential is 4°F, the cooling unit will turn on above 62°F and turn off below 58°F. In this example, the average temperature inside the cellar will be 60°F.

When bottles are first loaded in the cellar, the cooling unit will run continuously (even up to a week) until the temperature inside the cellar falls below the Set Point. After the temperatures inside the wine cellar reach equilibrium, the cooling unit will run anywhere from 30 to 50 minutes in a given hour, depending on the thermal load and the setpoint.

Hot weather conditions, insufficient insulation, inadequate ventilation, missized cellar capacity and/or dirty condenser coils can all cause the cooling unit to run continuously.

If your CellarPro wine cooling unit runs constantly, try the following:

- Make sure that both fans are spinning
- Clean the condenser coils
- Make sure that the cooling unit is NOT in Energy-Saver Mode
- Check that the thermal load in Chapter II isn’t overwhelming the cooling unit
- Increase the supply of cool air to the space outside the condenser coils, using a fan, ducting or an exhaust system to remove heat from the space.
- Raise the Minimum Set Point on the cooling unit

If you continue to have problems, please complete our Cooling Unit Troubleshooting Inquiry Form ((found online) and we'll respond by the next business day.
• **The Cooling Unit Is Dripping**

The cooling unit is designed to remove excess moisture from inside the cellar, which collects in the drip pan of the cooling unit.

Excess moisture can occur when the cooling unit runs constantly, when the Minimum Set Point is too low and/or when the cellar doesn’t have a good seal from the outside environment. To eliminate overflow in the drip pan, do the following:

1. Raise the Minimum Set Point of the cooling unit to 58 degrees or above.
2. Make sure the cellar has good seals, especially at the door(s), and repair any leaks immediately.
3. If your wine cooling unit came with a condensate fitting and drain line, make sure you properly setup the condensate trap (Chapter II).

If the cooling unit continues to drip, contact us at 1.877.726.8496 for further assistance.

• **The HA2 Alarm has been triggered**

The cooling unit is designed to measure the temperature of the condenser coils and, if the temperature exceeds 140°F for more than 2 hours, the HA2 alarm will display on the control panel.

If this alarm happens when you first receive and start operating your CellarPro cooling unit, check for appropriate installation and ventilation (Chapter II). Also, make sure that there aren’t any obstructions to the intake and/or exhaust vents. If your wine cabinet has a grill, remove the grill and/or any other obstructions above (top vent) or behind (back vent) the cellar.

If the alarm happens in conjunction with hot ambient conditions, we recommend doing the following:

1. Raise the Minimum Set Point to 60°F until temperatures cool down
2. Increase the Fon setting

If the cooling has been operating for several months without any problems and the alarm happens “out of the blue”, check the condenser coils and clean if necessary.

If the HA2 alarm continues to be triggered, contact us at 1.877.726.8496 for further assistance.
• **The LA2 Alarm has been triggered**

As noted above, the cooling unit is designed to measure the temperature of the condenser coils and, if the temperature drops below a certain point, the LA2 alarm will display on the control panel. To reduce the alarm temperature setting, do the following:

1. Depress the “Set” and “Down” button for three seconds until the display reads “HY”
2. Depress the “Set” and “Down” button (again) for seven seconds until “PR2” flashes on the display
3. Using the “Down” button, scroll until the display reads “AL2”
4. Depress the “Set” button and lower the alarm temperature setting to your desired temperature
VII. Limited Warranty

1800 QTL / QT / XT / XTS: For five years from the date of original delivery, your CellarPro warranty covers all parts and labor to repair or replace any components that prove to be defective in materials or workmanship in the cooling unit.

1800XTSx: For five years from the date of original delivery, your CellarPro warranty covers the internal compressor if it proves to be defective in materials or workmanship. In addition, for two years from the date of purchase, your CellarPro warranty covers all parts and labor to repair or replace any components that prove to be defective in materials or workmanship in the cooling unit.

Under the terms of this warranty, CellarPro will repair or replace the original cooling unit with a new or refurbished cooling unit and, once replaced, the original cooling unit must be returned to CellarPro.

All service provided by CellarPro under the above warranty must be performed by a designated repair center, unless otherwise specified by CellarPro. Purchaser is responsible for shipping the cooling unit to and from CellarPro or to and from a designated repair facility, and for removing and reinstalling the cooling unit from the wine cellar.

The limited warranty applies only to cooling units purchased from the factory or an authorized dealer. Damage caused by others or by any cause beyond the control of CellarPro, shall not be considered defects in material or workmanship and is not covered by the warranty. The limited warranty does not cover any parts or labor to correct any defect caused by negligence, commercial use, accident, or improper use, maintenance, installation, service or repair.

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