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# **Thinky ARE-310 Mixer**

# Thinky Mixer Tool Type: PDMS

**Location:** Elings 3430

**Description:** PDMS mixing tool **Manufacturer:** Thinky

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### **About**

The Thinky Mixer is one of the PDMS tools in the Microfluidics Station in 3430. This machine is used for mixing and de-aerating the elastomers that are used in fabrication of microfluidic devices. The mixing time and revolution speed of the device can be programmed using the machine's controller interface.

## **Safety Concerns**

Goggles, gloves, a lab coat, long pants, and close-toed shoes should be worn while operating this machine. Long hair should be tied back. Review Sylgard 184 resin SOP before handling.

## **Training Documentation**

thinky\_are-310\_mixer\_programming\_handout.pdf

# **Detailed Specifications**

• 310g capacity

- Centrifugal force of over 400G
- Cold-insulated, heat-resistant adapter enables support of various material characteristics
- Memory and step-operation functions for controlling and executing operating condition
- 2 modes of mixing and deaeration achieve dispersion and deaeration of high-viscosity materials in a small amount of time

### **Reference Documentation**

thinky are-310 mixer manual.pdf

Using the Thinky Mixer (video)

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