## 3636 X-Press®



## AUTOMATED, HYDRAULIC LABORATORY PRESS



The 3636 X-Press<sup>®</sup> is a 35-ton (31.8 metric ton) hydraulic laboratory pellet press that is ideal for accurate and repetitive pressing of sample pellets for XRF, IR and other analytical techniques.

#### **TYPICAL SAMPLES**

Cement, Rocks, Minerals, Soils, Ceramics, Glass and Pharmaceuticals

#### **FEATURES & BENEFITS**

- :: Compact bench top design
- : Presses samples in minutes and accepts all standard die sets.
- :: Programmable LCD touch screen interface.
- : Programmable parameters include pressure, dwell time and release time.
- Safety features include a safety interlock that holds the door of the chamber in a locked position during operation. Also features an automatic pump shut-off safety valve.



### SPEX<sup>®</sup>SamplePrep<sup>®</sup>



#### **X-PRESS ACCESSORIES**



#### PELLET DIE SETS

Evacuable pellet die sets are available from 10 to 40 mm diameter. Set includes evacuable die body, base, plunger, two polished steel pellets, O-ring vacuum seals, and knock-out ring for sample disk extraction.



#### BINDERS

Paraffin and cellulose binders are ideal for samples which crumble or ablate after pressing. They blend quickly and completely with samples at 10-20% by weight to form XRF sample disks.

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#### SPEC-CAPS®

Shallow, thin-walled aluminum cap for reinforcing XRF pellets. Commonly used in the production of pressed power sample disks for XRF but also used for OES and other analytical techniques.

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#### SLEEVE-AND-PLUNGER SET



Used with the **Evacuable Pellet Die Set** and any **PrepAid**<sup>®</sup> sample binder. Allows easy preparation of XRF disks with binder matrix supporting a layer of sample.

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- 1. Safety door and interlock with automatic pump shut-off safety valve.
- 2. Adjustment screw secures the loaded sample die placed on top of the platen.
- 3. Platen where die with sample is placed.
- 4. Touch-screen display allows user to enter maximum pressure, hold time, and release time for automated runs, start and stop press, or select manual mode.
- 5. Handle and handwheel moves the adjustment screw to secure the sample.
- 6. Access panel can be removed to fill the oil reservoir or check the oil level.
- 7. Manual pressure relief valve used to release the hydraulic system pressure in an emergency or for system maintenance.