

# SCSRs & SCBAs









# Company Profile

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MineARC Systems is the global leader in the manufacture and supply of emergency safe refuge solutions for the mining, tunnelling, chemical processing and disaster relief industries.

With over 20 years' experience, our dedication to ongoing research and development is driven by our key focus to continually offer the best and most advanced safety solutions on the market.

Our team of qualified engineers, electrical designers and technical experts form a global network across several international locations including:

- Perth, Western Australia
- Johannesburg, South Africa
- Dallas, Texas
- · Santiago, Chile
- León, Mexico
- Beijing, China
- · Reading, UK

This allows MineARC to provide 24 hour service and engineering support to our expanding list of clients in over 60 countries across the globe.

All MineARC Refuge Chambers and Safe Havens comply with the highest international regulations and recognised 'world's best practice' industry guidelines. Our key focus on quality control and product advancement has meant that MineARC Refuge Chambers have successfully saved lives in multiple real life industrial emergencies around the globe.

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DEZEGA is one of the world's largest developers and suppliers of mine rescue equipment.

They specialise in the design and manufacture of closed circuit breathing equipment, engineered for use by;

- mine rescue teams
- escape of miners and workers from irrespirable atmospheres that pose an Immediate Danger to Life and Health (IDLH)
- escape of civilians in the case of fire and smoke

DEZEGA products are utilised in more than 50 countries across the globe, with over 500,000 self-rescuers standing by, ready to protect miners worldwide.

DEZEGA consists of:

- Management company
- · Production facilities, located in Europe and Asia
- Modern Research and Development Center (R&D Center)
- Representative offices in 5 regions worldwide

They design, produce, distribute and service their products with the sole purpose of protecting users in situations when nothing else can help them survive.

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# **SCSRs**

DEZEGA's range of portable waist-worn self-rescuers are designed for escape from irrespirable atmospheres over long, medium and short-haul routes. DEZEGA SCSRs contain a cartridge with chemically bound oxygen (KO2). As oxygen is

released, the active cartridge substance simultaneously absorbs carbon dioxide, and thus the self-rescuer completely isolates the user's respiratory organs from the irrespirable atmosphere.

#### CARBO 30

- ✓ 30 minute minimum duration
- ✓ EN and AS/NZS certified
- ✓ Automatic starter device begins when self-rescuer lock lever is opened
- ✓ 10-year shelf life



#### CARBO 60

- ✓ 60 minute minimum duration
- ✓ EN and AS/NZS certified
- Automatic starter device begins when self-rescuer lock lever is opened
- 10-year shelf life



### **Dimensions & Specifications**

CARBO 30 Dimensions & specifications (without waist and/or shoulder straps or bag)	
Width	215 mm
Height	191 mm
Depth	106 mm
Weight carried (standard configuration*)	2.4 + 0.5 kg
Weight without straps, bag or belt loops	2.3+0.05 kg

CARBO 60 Dimensions & specifications (without waist and/or shoulder straps or bag)	
Width	215 mm
Height	227 mm
Depth	106 mm
Weight carried (standard configuration*)	2.9 + 0.1 kg
Weight without straps, bag or belt loops	2.8 + 0.1kg



# **CARBO 30**

The DEZEGA CARBO 30 is the latest addition to the DEZEGA SCSR range and is designed as an alternative model to the trusted Ci-30KS.

Much like the CARBO 60, the CARBO 30 is an ergonomic, closed-circuit breathing apparatus designed for everyday carry, but is ideally designed for short evacuations. The self-rescuer can be worn on the waist with or without a pouch or with shoulder belts; boasting a shelf-life of up to 10 years.

The CARBO 30 provides a minimum of 30 minutes of breathable air in critical times of need, and is the lightest 30 minute self-rescuer in the DEZEGA range.

The hip-shaped ergonomic design allows for maximum comfort while wearing the device for extended periods of time.





Rated duration in accordance with EN 13794:2002 and AS/NZS 1716:2012 at lung ventilation, not less: - 10 l/min (waiting for rescue) - 35 l/min (normal walking)	90 min 30 min
Temperature of inhaled gas	50°C
Maximum breathing resistance	1,0 kPa
Average CO2 content	3%
Weight carried	2.4 + 0.5 kg
Shelf life	10 years

### **Fully Automatic Self-Starter**

The activation procedure is identical to the well-established CARBO -60. The starting device activates immediately once the lid has been removed, allowing the user to start breathing within a matter of seconds.

Oxygen fills the built-in breathing bag and allows the user to start breathing thanks to the pendulum breathing circuit.

Exhaled gas passes through the mouthpiece, heat and moisture exchanger and breathing tube into the regenerative cartridge. In the regenerative cartridge the exhaled gas is purified from carbon dioxide and enriched with oxygen and then moves into the breathing bag. Once the breathing bag is completely filled, any extra gas is removed fro breathing bag through the relief valve.

This 30-minute waist or shoulder-worn self-rescuer is made for markets that accept the EN 13794:2002 and AS/ NZS 1716:2012 standards.



## **CARBO 60**

Quickly proving itself as the best self-rescuer on the market, this certified unit has been designed with user working conditions in mind.

The DEZEGA CARBO 60 is a closed-circuit breathing apparatus, designed for everyday carry or in storage at changeover stations along escape routes. The self-rescuer can be worn on the waist with or without a pouch or with shoulder belts. In case of an emergency, the total donning time for the CARBO 60 is 15 seconds.

Most importantly, the CARBO 60 provides a minimum of 60 minutes of breathable air in critical times of need.

Great attention has been paid to ergonomic factors, with the device able to be worn on the shoulder, on the waist or in a pouch.





Rated duration in accordance with EN 13794:2002 and AS/NZS 1716:2012 at lung ventilation, not less: - 10 l/min (waiting for rescue) - 35 l/min (normal walking)	180 min 60 min
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Temperature of inhaled gas	50°C
Maximum breathing resistance	0.75 kPa
Average CO2 content	1.5%
Weight carried	2.8 + 0.1 kg
Shelf life	10 years

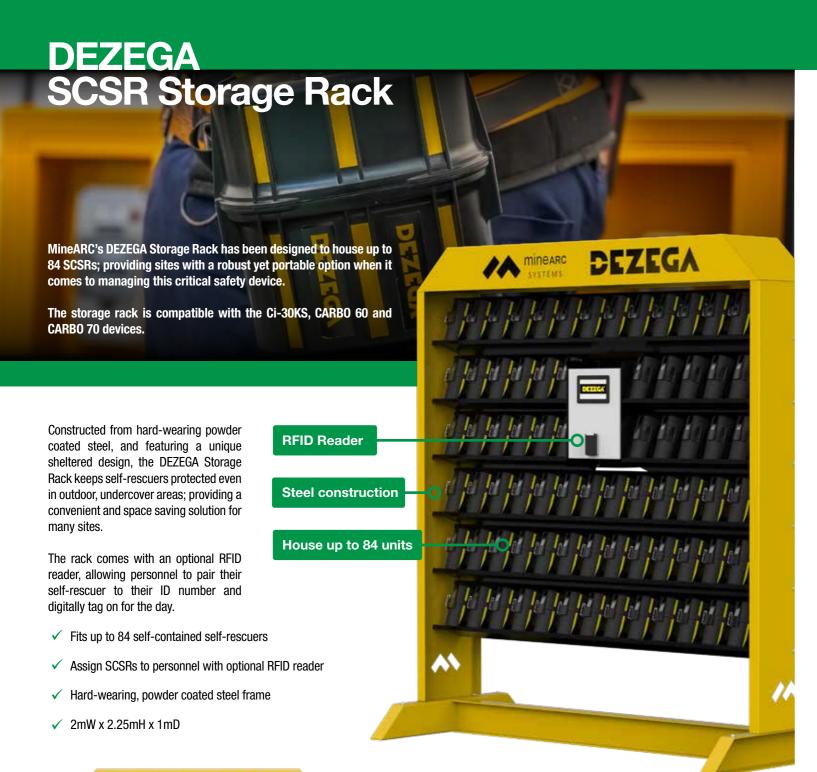
### **Fully Automatic Self-Starter**

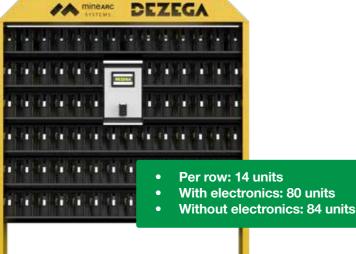
The starter activates automatically once the self-rescuer lock lever is opened. Oxygen fills the breathing bag and allows user to start breathing in the first seconds after activation. The CARBO 60 selfrescuer uses pendulum breathing circuit.

Exhaled gas passes through the mouthpiece, heat and moisture exchanger and breathing tube into the regenerative cartridge. In the regenerative cartridge the exhaled gas is purified from carbon dioxide and enriched with oxygen and then moves into the breathing bag. Once the breathing bag is completely filled, any extra gas is removed fro breathing bag through the relief valve.

This 60 minute waist or shoulder-worn self-rescuer is made for markets that accept the EN 13794:2002 and AS/NZS 1716:2012 standards.











**CARBO 30 SCSR** 

**CARBO 60 SCSR** 

# **SCSR Training Equipment**

### **DEZEGA Training Kit**

The DEZEGA Training Kit allows personnel to practice the donning procedure and experience breathing conditions until the process becomes second nature. This greatly reduces the risk of failure to don an SCSR and efficiently escaping from irrespirable environments.

The Training Kit is to be used in conjunction with the DEZEGA Trainer C or CARBO T, as shown below

Exactly replicates the particularities of donning and breathing in any DEZEGA SCSR:

- humidity
- temperature
- breathing resistance
- CO2 and O2 concentration

Operating time with disposable kit	15 minutes
Self-rescuer service life	5 years
Length	198 mm
Width	112 mm
Height	200 mm
Weight	2.5kg



The DEZEGA Training Kit has been tested in accordance with the Technical Reference Guide 'Escape Breathing Apparatus for Underground Mining Applications'.

### **DEZEGA CARBO-T**

DEZEGA CARBO-T can train personnel with breathing in specific working conditions as well as in the donning and using of the CARBO 30 and CARBO 60 SCSRs.

- Imitator cartridge is included with DEZEGA CARBO-T
- Reusable case can hold three different types of cartridges
- Replaceable breathing hoses and mouthpieces are available, allowing multiple personnel to train on the same unit

### **Testing and Maintenance**

Chemical oxygen is moisture-sensitive. Although all DEZEGA SCSR cases are leak-proof, improper storage and wear might cause undetectable leaks. A moisture indicator will react to the slightest degree of leakage.



The SCSR testing device can be utilised to ensure that the case has no critical damage and the unit is in working condition. This device should be used for regular inspections, as well as in the case of a moisture indicator turning white or pink.

Sites can purchase their own SCSR testing device, or units can be tested and serviced by MineARC Systems team of technical experts.

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# **DEZEGA P-70**

# **Compressed Oxygen SCBA**



Rated working duration	240 min (4 hrs)
Weight of fully charged BA including mask and ice	14kg
Soda lime cartridge capacity	2.3kg
Oxygen volume	500L
Constant oxygen flow	1.8 ±0.1 L/min
Dimensions	582x403x175mm
Operation temperature	-20 +60°C
Inhaled gas temperature	≤36°C
Pressure in breathing circuit	Positive
Breathing resistance	0 +7 mbar
Certifications	IS 10245 EN certification coming soon



### **SCBAs**

### **SCBA Spare Parts**

#### **D-VISION Face Mask**

Professional full-face mask, specifically designed to ensure optimum breathing conditions in any DEZEGA compressed oxygen SCBA. This mask provides maximum comfort and minimises user fatigue during wear.

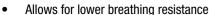
Also fits other closed-circuit SCBAs with central bush with a thread 5/16" (standard connection)

- Rubber or silicone construction
- Shock and scratch-proof shield with wipe
- Easily adjustable harness
- Large diaphragm to enhance speech articulation
- Six size combinations available for the best seal possible
- Optional hydration system integration

#### **D-SORB Soda Lime Absorber**

During use, a mixture of gases including carbon dioxide is exhaled back into the SCBA.In a closed circuit apparatus this gas cannot be released into the atmosphere, and instead must be neutralised with a specific chemical agent, usually called an absorber or scrubber.

D-SORB granules are ideally shaped and fitted in a cartridge so as to absorb the maximum amount of carbon dioxide. Optimal formula and granulometrics ensure comfortable breathing.



- High absorbency
- Rubbing endurance

#### **CLEAR-VISION Anti-Fogging Solution**

CLEAR-VISION is a liquid spray, designed to clean and provide anti-fogging and antistatic effects to goggles and masks.

- Clean transparent parts of glasses, visors and full face masks
- · Prevent glass from fogging
- Coat surfaces with antistatic properties

#### **SCSR Pouch**

Protective pouch, designed specifically to house the DEZEGA Ci-30KS and CARBO SCSRs, enabling easier access during an emergency scenario.

- Velcro closure
- Robust belt loops
- · Reflective, high-vis decals







### **DEZEGA**

### **SCBAs**

### **SCBA Testing and Maintenance**

#### **DEZEGA CheckUp Breathing Aparatus Test Set**

The DEZEGA CheckUp Breathing Aparatus Test Set ensures that a closed-circuit SCBA is in workable condition, and each joint is accurately tuned. This testing set is compatible with any DEZEGA SCBA as well as closed or open circuit SCBAs by other manufacturers.

#### Checks the following elements of an assembled closed-circuit SCBA:

- Leak-tightness
- Continuous oxygen flow by positive and negative pressure
- Pressure to activate relief valve
- Pressure to activate demand valve
- Pressure when demand valve provides given oxygen flow rate
- Oxygen flow by emergency valve
- Leak-tightness of face mask

#### Checks the following closed-circuit SCBA joints:

- · Continuous oxygen supply by emergency valve and demand valve
- · Leak-tightness of regenerative cartridge and cooler
- · Pressure to activate safety valve of the reducer
- Relief valve opening pressure



Sites can purchase their own SCBS CheckUp Test Set, or equipment can be tested and serviced by MineARC Systems team of technical experts.

### Masterline Oxygen Booster

The Masterline Oxygen Booster is an electric pump that is used for pumping 100% pure oxygen. It allows the user to fill oxygen cylinders to 4,500 psi from a low-pressure supply; an example of which being a Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus.

Due to an innovative seal design and cooling method, Masterline Oxygen Boosters can fill oxygen cylinders to near ambient temperature, whilst operating at a very low 77dBA noise level. An optional vacuum pump is available as well as several other customisations.

#### Features:

- Electrically driven
- Use up to 4,500 PSI for oxygen
- Fill up to four cylinders at any one time
- Sealed bearings
- Cooling fan and finned aftercooler
- Inlet shut-off valve
- Adjustable pressure switch
- Hour meter



#### Maintenance:

Masterline boosters are completely oil-free and use only two low friction dry seals. The seals can be replaced in about 20 minutes with only a few tools. The piston guide is the only other part that requires regular maintenance. This is done by simply sliding it off the piston.

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