



Recommended Preventative Maintenance Schedule

What is preventative maintenance?

Depending on your requested protocols and factory recommendation, preventative maintenance (PM) is scheduled on an annual or semi-annual basis. It typically involves inspection of equipment and detection and correction of potential problems to ensure continued uptime. Preventative maintenance includes routine servicing by an OEM trained technician and regular maintenance performed by you as outlined in our Operator Manuals.

Why do my instruments need preventative maintenance?

Regular equipment maintenance helps identify and correct issues before they jeopardize performance. Scheduled preventative maintenance is one of the best ways to ensure ideal functionality and performance, improve uptime and extend instrument lifespan. Completing preventative maintenance also helps you meet manufacturer warranty and compliance requirements.

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Initial Preventative Maintenance service is recommended after the instrument's first year in service. It can also be arranged earlier based on your labs specified protocols and workflow. Please refer to chart below for manufacturer recommended PM frequency by instrument.

Epredia Instrument	Manufacturer Recommended PM
•	Frequency
Autostainer AS360	Annual
Autostainer AS480	Annual
Autostainer AS720	Annual
Clearvue Coverslipper	Annual
NX50/NX70 Cryostat	Annual
CTM-6 Coverslipper	Annual
Cytospin 4 Cytocentrifuge	Annual
Pannoramic Desk Digital Slide Scanner	Annual
Pannoramic 1000 Digital Slide Scanner	Annual
Pannoramic 480 Digital Slide Scanner	Annual
Pannoramic 250 Digital Slide Scanner	Annual
Pannoramic MIDI Digital Slide Scanner	Annual
Pannoramic SCAN Digital Slide Scanner	Annual
GTMA Tissue microarray	Annual
TMA Tissue microarray	Annual

Excelsior AS Tissue Processor	Annual
Gemini AS Stainer	Annual
Histostar Embedding System	Annual
HM325 Microtome	Annual
HM340E Rotary	Annual
HM355S-3 Microtome	Annual
HM 3XX Microtomes STS	Annual
HM430/ HM450 Microtome	Annual
HM525NX Cryostat	Annual
Linistat Stainer	Annual
Printmate AS Printer	Annual
PT Module	Annual
Revos Tissue Processor	Annual
STP120 Tissue Processor	Annual
Slidemate AS Printer	Weekly user maintenance
Slidemate PRO Printer	Weekly user maintenance
Tissuewave 2	Annual
Fa Tech Vega/Nova Laser Printer	Annual
SlideMate Laser	Bi-Annual

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