

Model EQU/00-EAS-PB

# **Pass Boxes and Transfer Hatches**

The Leading Solution for Controlled Environment Protection







Controlling the ingress of particulate contamination into cleanrooms and other controlled environments is paramount in order to maintain the integrity of products and processess. Personnel traffic is the most important factor which must be controlled. Esco Pass Boxes and Transfer Hatches are an effective solution as they allow materials to be transferred into the controlled environment without actual personnel movement. They may also be used to protect the external environment from egress of contamination, for example, in biological safety laboratory applications.

Available Models							
Model	Internal Dimensions	Construction	Interlock	Air Shower			
EPB-A504050	500 x 400 x 500 mm (19.7" x 15.7" x 19.7")	Powder coated steel, non coved corners (optional: stainless steel)	Mechanical	-			
EPB-A606060	600 x 600 x 600 mm (23.6" x 23.6" x 23.6")	Powder coated steel, non coved corners (optional: stainless steel)	Mechanical	-			
EPB-S616161	610 x 610 x 610 mm (24" x 24" x 24")	2 mm stainless steel, all coved corners	Mechanical	-			
EPB-S454645	450 x 460 x 450 mm (17.7" x 18.1" x 17.7")	2 mm stainless steel, all coved corners	Mechanical	-			
EQU/00-EAS-PB	800 x 500 x 600 mm (31.5" x 19.7" x 23.6")	Powder coated steel, non coved corners (optional: stainless steel)	Electrical	✓			

#### **Esco Pass Box**

## **Main Features**

- Mechanical interlock is reliable, maintenance-free, fail safe and maintains cleanroom integrity by preventing both doors from being opened at the same time.
- All Esco products are manufactured for the most demanding controlled environment applications.
- All components are designed for maximum chemical resistance and enhanced durability for a long service life.
- The main body of the pass box is constructed of industrial-grade electrogalvanized steel.

- The pass box base surface is constructed of stainless steel, making the work zone easy to clean
- Acrylic doors provide a clear view of the internal chamber.
- Standard 1 year warranty.

# Esco Pass Box Technical Specifications



- Acrylic panel
   Interlock mechanism
- 3. Handle 4. Door

#### General Specifications, Esco Pass Box

Model	EPB-A504050	EPB-A606060			
External Dimensions (W x D x H)	660 x 450 x 560 mm / 26.0" x 17.7" x 22.0"	760 x 650 x 660 / 30.0" x 25.6" x 26.0"			
Internal Work Area, Dimensions (W x D x H)	500 x 400 x 500 mm / 19.7" x 15.7" x 19.7"	600 x 600 x 600 mm / 23.6" x 23.6" x 23.6"			
Net Weight	42.5 kg / 93.7 lbs	55.8 kg / 123 lbs			
Shipping Weight	61.6 kg / 136 lbs	80.4 kg / 177 lbs			
Shipping Dimensions, Maximum (W x D x H)	850 x 740 x 800 mm / 33.5" x 29.1" x 31.5"	830 x 820 x 870 mm / 32.7" x 32.3" x 34.3"			
Shipping Volume, Maximum	0.5 m³ (17.6 cu.ft.)	0.59 m³ (20.8 cu.ft.)			





## **Esco Cleanroom Transfer Hatch**

## **Main Features**

- Mechanical interlock is reliable, maintenance-free, fail safe and maintains cleanroom integrity by preventing both doors from being opened at the same time. The interlock design has been life-tested to 10,000 cycles to guarantee long service life.
- All Esco products are manufactured for the most demanding controlled environment applications.
- All components are designed for maximum chemical resistance and enhanced durability for a long service life.
- The main body of the pass box is constructed of pharmaceutical-grade stainless steel.

- The internal side walls of the pass box are constructed from a single piece of stainless steel, with coved corners for easy cleaning.
- Transparent 10 mm (0.3") tempered glass doors provide visibility into the interior. Frameless construction is easy to clean with no joints for contaminants to accumulate.
- Durable feather edge rubber gasketed door seals maintain cleanroom integrity and are easy to clean.
- Pass box hardware has been custom designed for reliable service, featuring large, durable hinges, and ergonomic handles.

- One stainless steel mounting flange is included.
- Extended 3 year warranty.

500 mm / 650 mm



## **Esco Cleanroom Transfer Hatch Technical Specifications**

700 mm / 850 mm

General Specifications, Esco Cleanroom Transfer Hatch				
Model	EPB-S616161	EPB-S454645		
External Dimensions (W x D x H)	750 x 650 x 750 mm (29.5" x 25.6" x 29.5")	600 x 500 x 600 mm (23.6" x 19.7" x 23.6" )		
Internal Work Area, Dimensions (W x D x H)	610 x 610 x 610 mm (24" x 24" x 24")	450 x 460 x 450 mm (17.7" x 18.1" x 17.7")		
Net Weight	54.2 kg (119 lbs)	33 kg (72 lbs)		
Shipping Weight	80.4 kg / 177 lbs	61.6 kg / 136 lbs		
Shipping Dimensions, Maximum (W x D x H)	830 x 820 x 870 mm / 32.7" x 32.3" x 34.3"	850 x 740 x 800 mm / 33.5" x 29.1" x 31.5"		
Shipping Volume, Maximum	0.59 m³ (20.8 cu.ft.)	0.5 m³ (17.6 cu.ft.)		

# Esco Air Shower Pass Box

## **Main Features**

- Built-in air shower significantly reduces surface contamination on materials entering or exiting the controlled environment. Materials entering or exiting the controlled environment are "scrubbed" by high velocity ULPAfiltered air jets with velocities of 25 m/s (4921 fpm). Contaminated air is then drawn through the base within the unit, filtered and recirculated.
- An array of stainless steel nozzles direct high-velocity jets within the chamber.
- Air shower duration is adjustable. Standard factory pre-set is 12 seconds in both directions.

# **Air Shower Pass Box Construction**

- Robust construction qualifies the air shower pass box for the most demanding controlled environment applications. The unit is fully assembled and ready to install and operate when shipped. All components are designed for maximum chemical resistance and enhanced durability for a long service life.
- Electrical interlock maintains cleanroom integrity by preventing both doors from being opened at the same time.
- The air shower is constructed of electrogalvanised steel sheets with an abrasion resistant oven-baked powder coated finish.

- The pass box base surface is constructed of perforated stainless steel, making the work zone easy to clean.
- Acrylic doors provide a clear view of the internal chamber.

## **Blower and Filtration Systems**

- Esco Air Shower Pass Boxes use German made ebm-papst<sub>®</sub> permanently lubricated, centrifugal motor/blowers with external rotor designs. Selected for energy efficiency, compact design, and flat profile, the completely integrated blower assembly optimizes motor cooling, with unified rotating parts and overall component balance for smooth, quiet, vibration-free operation. Weight is equally distributed to all bearings to extend bearing life.
- ULPA filter(s) provide >99.999% typical efficiency for particle sizes at 0.3 microns. Esco Air Shower filters meet the

IEST-RP-CC001.3 recommended practice for HEPA performance (USA), and EN 1822 for H13 performance (EU).

• A disposable pre-filter with 85% arrestance extends the life of the main filter.

## Warranty

 All Esco Air Shower Pass Boxes are covered by 1 year warranty. Contact your local Sales Representative for warranty details.



#### **Esco ULPA Filter Efficiency**

Esco cabinets use ULPA filters (per IEST-RP-CC001.3) instead of conventional HEPA filters commonly found in cleanroom product. While HEPA filters offer >99.99% typical efficiency at 0.3 micron level, ULPA filters provide >99.999% typical efficiency for particle sizes of 0.1 to 0.3 micron level.







## **Esco Air Shower Pass Box Technical Specifications**



9 Pre-filter

- *4. Perforated stainless steel base*
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General Specifications, Esco Air Shower Pass Box			
Model		EQU/00-EAS-PB	
External Dimensions (W x D x H)		1120 x 540 x 1500 mm (44.1" x 21.3" x 59.0")	
Internal Work Area, Dimensions (W x D x H)		800 x 500 x 600 mm (31.5" x 19.7" x 23.6")	
Air Change		1360 / hr	
Air Velocity (m/s)		25 m/s (4921 fpm)	
Number of Nozzles		4	
Air Shower Duration (seconds)		Factory set at 12 seconds (adjustable)	
Pre-Filter		Washable non-woven polyester fibers with 85% arrestance and 20% efficiency	
ULPA Filter Typical Efficiency		>99.999% at particle size 0.3 µm	
Main Body		1.5 mm electrogalvanised steel / White oven-baked epoxy powder-coated finish	
Electrical *	Voltage	220 - 240 V, AC, 50 Hz, 1ø	
	Cabinet Full Load Amps (FLA)	1.75 A	
	Cabinet Nominal Power	250 W	
	Cabinet BTU	853	
Net Weight		130 kg (286 lbs)	
Shippping Weight		164.3 kg (362 lbs)	
Shipping Dimensions, Maximum (W x D x H)		1120 x 570 x 1650 mm (44.1" x 22.4" x 65.0")	
Shipping Volume, Maximum		1.05 m³ (37 cu.ft.)	

\* Additional voltages may be available; contact Esco for ordering information.



# Esco Centrifugal Fan with External Rotor Motor (left) vs. Conventional Fan with Standard Motor (right)

- Esco cabinets use German made ebm-papst<sup>®</sup> permanently lubricated, centrifugal motor/blowers with external rotor designs.
- Integrated blades narrow the profile and eliminate need for a motor shaft.
- Motors are selected for energy efficiency, compact design, and flat profile. The completely
  integrated assembly optimizes motor cooling.
- All rotating parts are unitized and balanced for smooth, quiet, vibration-free operation.





