

## **Dri-Eaz Products ships new groundbreaking dehumidifier LGR 7000XLi removes more water than any other dehumidifier in its category.**

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**December 15, 2011 – Burlington, Wash.** Dri-Eaz Products is now shipping the LGR 7000XLi dehumidifier, the new dominant performer in the Xactimate “Extra Large” category.

The new Dri-Eaz LGR 7000 delivers extra-large dehumidifier performance in a compact, highly maneuverable unit that only weighs 107 lbs. Given its size and water removal capacity – 130 pints/61.5L per day at AHAM and 40% better low-humidity performance than competitive units – the 7000 sets a new industry record in pound-for-pound performance.

“We’re excited to get this unit in our customers’ hands and out in the field,” said John Ormsby, President of Dri-Eaz Products and ProRestore Products. “We know they’re going to be astounded by its performance, portability, timesaving features and overall quality of build. Our customers simply won’t be able to justify the purchase of any competitive unit. Why? Because there aren’t any that even come close.”



The unit’s digital controls display plain-language status messages as well as real-time temperature and RH conditions. A completely integrated and oversized pump basin prevents accidental spills when moving the unit. The rotomolded polyethylene housing is practically indestructible and is designed to be stackable for storage. To inhibit the growth of stain and odor-causing bacteria and mold inside the unit, the pump basin and the pump basin liner are both infused with Microban product protection.

The 7000 is also designed to make maintenance as simple as possible. Operators simply remove four bolts and the cover easily lifts off to fully expose the coils and the heat exchange block for cleaning. A High Airflow filter from 3M ensures maximum airflow characteristics.

The 7000 delivers its remarkable dehumidification performance in a large part due to a patent-pending heat exchange system called Advanced Crossflow Technology. This technology, coupled with the unit’s onboard sensors and control systems, allows the 7000 to automatically optimize performance in a wide range of conditions.

Advanced Crossflow Technology was developed by Rick Black, PhD., Engineering Manager at Dri-Eaz. Black, who joined Dri-Eaz in February, has over 22 years of engineering and project management experience. He has worked on a number of specialized engineering projects including aircraft propulsion and microelectromechanical sensor control systems. His patents include a cooling system for a rocket payload section, and an air data system for military aircraft.

Black appreciates the combination of technical challenges and applied engineering that occur each day at Dri-Eaz. Dri-Eaz' conducts virtually all of its product design, engineering, testing and manufacturing in its Burlington, Washington, facilities. Black is a strong proponent of testing and led the Dri-Eaz Engineering team in conducting more 3000 hours of testing prior to the release of this new dehumidifier.

Visit this link to see the 7000XLi in production at the Dri-Eaz manufacturing plant in Burlington, Wash.: [http://youtu.be/zNsb\\_Scbi2Y](http://youtu.be/zNsb_Scbi2Y).

### **About Dri-Eaz**

*Dri-Eaz Products, Inc., provides solutions for the drying and restoration of water-damaged buildings. The company manufactures dehumidifiers, airmovers, structural drying systems, and air scrubbers used by water damage restoration professionals and in industrial drying, cleaning, and maintenance work. Dri-Eaz is part of the Legend Brands family companies, which includes Sapphire Scientific and ProRestore Products. These companies provide industry-leading solutions for the restoration and maintenance of healthier indoor environments. For more information, call Legend Brands at 800-932-3030 or visit [www.LegendBrands.net](http://www.LegendBrands.net).*

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