

# Operation and Maintenance Manual

# Pre-vacuum B-class Steam Sterilizer T-Edge



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## **1** General Information

# **1.1** Manufacturer and European Authorized Representative Information

T-Edge Autoclave is manufactured by Tuttnauer Ltd., Located Har – Tuv B Industrial Zone, P.O. Box 170, Beit Shemesh 9910101, Israel. Tel: +972-2-9904611

The European Authorized Representative is Tuttnauer Europe b.v., Hoeksteen 11, 4815 PR Breda, P.O. Box 7191, 4800 GD Breda, Netherlands. Tel: +31/76-5423510, Fax: +31/76-5423540

### **1.2 Applicable Regulation and Quality Standards**

The life cycle of Tuttnauer's T-Edge is in compliance with the following regulation and quality standards:

- 93/42/EEC, Council Directive, concerning medical devices
- 2014/68/EU, Directive, concerning pressure equipment.
- 2006/42/EC Machinery Directive.
- 2014/35/EU, Directive, Low Voltage Directive (LVD)
- 2014/30/EU, Electromagnetic compatibility.
- 2012/19/EU WEEE and EU (2017/2102 Restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances (RoHS Directive)
- Canadian MDR (CMDR) SOR/98-282 (2018), consolidated.
- ISO 9001: 2015 Quality Management System.
- EN ISO 13485:2016 Quality Management System Medical devices.
- ISO 14001:2015 environmental management system
- EN ISO 14971:2012 Medical devices Application of risk management.
- Chinese Regulations on Safety Technology for Pressure Vessel.
- MEDDEV 2.12-1 Rev 8 Medical Devices Vigilance System
- MEDDEV 2.12/2 Rev 2 Post Market Clinical Follow Up
- MEDDEV 2.7.1 Rev 4 Clinical Evaluation
- MEDDEV 2.5.2 Rev 8 Reporting of design changes of the quality system
- ASME Code section I and section VIII. Div.I
- EN 13060:2014 Small steam sterilizer
- ANSI/AAMI ST55:2016 Tabletop steam sterilizers



- IEC 61010-1 3.1 Edition, January 2017 Safety Requirements for electrical equipment for measurement control and laboratory use.
- EN 61010-2-40: 2015 Safety requirements for sterilizers and washerdisinfectors used to treat medical materials.
- EN ISO 15223-1: 2016 Symbols for use in the labeling of medical devices.
- EN 1041: 2008 + A1:2014 Information to be supplied by the manufacturer of medical devices
- EN 60529:1992 + A2:2013 Degrees of protection provided by enclosures (IP Code)
- EN 61326-1: 2013 for EMC Requirements for Electrical Equipment.
- IEC 62304:2014 + A1: 2015 Medical Device Software Software life cycle processes.
- EN 62304:2006/AC:2008– Medical Device Software Software life cycle processes.
- IEC 62366-1: 2015 Part1: Application of Usability Engineering to Medical Devices
- EN 62366:2008 Application of Usability Engineering to Medical Devices

#### 1.2.1 And in consideration with:

• FDA QSR 21 CFR part 820 & part 11



# **1.3 Legend for Symbols appearing on the Labels and in this Manual**

	Manufacturer			
EC REP	European Authorized Representative			
$\sim$	Year of Manufacturing			
REF	Catalog Number			
SN	Serial Number			
	Consult the Operation and Maintenance Manual (User Manual) before use			
IP31	Ingress Protection			
<b>CE</b> 0344	European compliance Mark of compliance with the European Medical Device Directive (Number xxxx identifies the Notified Body that performed the examination)			
<b>CE</b> 1155	European compliance Mark of compliance with the European Pressure Equipment Directive (Number xxxx identifies the Notified Body that performed the examination)			
×	Keep away from sunlight and protect from heat.			
	For Indoor Use Only			
Ť	Keep dry			



	Disposal according to electronic scrap ordinance
<u>tt</u>	This side up (during transport and shipment)
Ţ	Fragile (during transport and shipment)
	A warning or precaution as detailed in the Operation and Maintenance Manual (User Manual)
OR	Caution! Hot Surface

Table 1 - Device labeling



#### **1.4** General Description of the Device

The autoclave is fully automatic (a computerized control unit ensures a fully automatic sterilization cycle, control and monitoring of physical parameters and a clear documentation of the sterilization cycle. Drying is performed with the door closed)

This autoclave uses steam as a sterilizing agent.

The steam is produced by warming up a controlled amount of water inserted to a pipe heating element, and then to the chamber. This technique saves energy and water consumption.

The autoclave is equipped with a Pipe heating element and with chamber heaters to maintain the steam inside the chamber.

The autoclave is equipped with a vacuum system which supports and improves:

- Removal of residual air from packs and porous load and most kinds of tubes (rubber, plastic etc.) by vacuum at the first stage of the cycle.
- Steam penetration into the load; resulting in effective sterilization.
- Temperature uniformity.
- Post sterilization drying phase

A touchscreen is used for monitoring and control purposes.

The device has a built -in USB port to enable the operation of an external optional barcode printer:

- The barcode printer can print labels with a unique cycle ID barcode, operator name, sterilization and expiry dates
- One barcode printer can be connected to the machine.
- The printer connection to the machine, by using a USB sockets, with a dedicated cable.
- Barcode printer power supply voltage can range between 100-240V.
- A barcode printer is an optional addition to the autoclave

The device features built-in memory to record up to 999 sterilization cycles. These can be exported to a USB device to be transferred to a PC.

The device has a built-in Network Port for use with optional Tuttnauer's R.P.C.R software when connected to your local network.

The autoclave has two optional configurations (available upon request):



- Basic: Demineralized water is supplied by a manually filled reservoir, demineralized water overflow outlet on the rear cover (device catalog number: AMS10-230-PED-T and AMS10-230-T)
- Automatic (optional): Demineralized water direct inlet from the water supply system, demineralized water overflow, and waste water outlet on the rear cover (device catalog number: AMS10-230-W-PED-T and AMS10-230-W-T)

#### **1.5 Intended Use**

The T-Edge Table-top autoclave is designed for sterilization of medical and surgical goods such as wrapped and unwrapped solid, hollow, and porous loads used in dental and medical clinics, first aid rooms, hospitals, and laboratories etc.

### **1.6 Intended Users**

The T-Edge tabletop autoclave is intended for use by hospital personnel and other medical personnel as well as laboratory personnel.

All autoclave users must receive training in proper usage from an experienced employee. Every new employee must undergo a training period under an experienced employee.

### **1.7** Warranty Description

This warranty does not include routine cleaning and preventive maintenance, to be performed according to instructions in chapter 8.

Tuttnauer warrantees all new autoclaves to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of one full year, covering the parts (except door gaskets and air filters – they are considered wear items).

Tuttnauer warrantees all chambers for a period of ten (10) years against defects in materials and workmanship. This chamber warranty went into effect January 1997.

This warranty does not apply to any product that has been subjected to misuse, neglect, accident or improper installation or application, nor shall it extend to autoclaves that have been repaired or altered outside the factory without prior authorization from Tuttnauer.

Tuttnauer's obligation is limited to the repair or replacement of parts for the autoclave. This warranty will be void if the unit is not purchased from an authorized Tuttnauer dealer. No other warranties or obligations are expressed or implied.



#### **1.8 Warranty Statement**

The warranty registration must be completed and returned to our service departments; within fourteen (14) days of purchase or the warranty will be void.

Our European Representative's Technical Service Department can be reached at:

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**Note:** If there is any difficulty with this autoclave, and the solution is not covered in this manual, contact our representative or us first. Do not attempt to service this autoclave yourself. Describe the difficulty as clearly as possible so we may be able to diagnose the problem and provide a prompt solution.

If replacement parts are needed, stipulate the model and serial number of the machine.

No autoclaves will be accepted for repair without proper authorization from us. All transportation charges must be paid both ways by the owner.

#### For technical information or service please contact us at:

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#### **1.9** Customer Inspection Upon Receival of the Device

Upon receiving your Tuttnauer Autoclave, carefully inspect the outside of the shipping carton for signs of damage. If any damage to the carton is found, note the location with respect to the autoclave and check that area of the autoclave carefully once it is fully unpacked. Observe packing method and retain packing materials until the unit has been inspected. Mechanical inspection involves checking for signs of physical damage such as: scratched panel surfaces, broken knobs, damaged gasket etc.

#### If any damage is found, contact your dealer as soon as possible so that they can file a claim with the shipping carrier and also notify Tuttnauer.

All Tuttnauer products are carefully inspected prior to shipment and all reasonable precautions are taken in preparing them for shipment to assure safe arrival at their destination.



Manufacturer Sterilization Performance Validation

The sterilization performance validation of all sterilization programs and test programs were performed by the manufacturer according to EN 13060.

# **1.10** Typical Pressure and Temperature versus Time Diagrams for the Operating Cycles

The diagrams are shown in Appendix A



## **1.11 Device Specifications**

#### 1.11.1 Device Overall Dimensions:



Front view



Side view

## Top View





#### 1.11.2 Device Properties

P	Property	Dimension
	Width	48cm
External size	Height	49 cm
	Depth	58 cm (supporting common install base carry a 60 cm counter top)
	Diameter	25 cm
Chamber	Depth	46 cm
	volume	23lit
	Usable chamber space	75% (~17 L)
Max. Allowable Working Pres	ssure (MAWP)	2.8 bar
Maximum load per item		0.2kg
Maximum load par tray	Unwrapped	1.2kg
Maximum load per tray	Wrapped	0.72kg
Maximum Salid load	Unwrapped	6kg
Maximum Solid Idad	Wrapped	3.5kg
Maximum textile load		1.5kg
Tray dimensions		42.1 x 18.9 x 2.05
No. of trays		5
Net weight		50kg.
Shipping weight		60kg.
Floor loading requirements		75kg.
	Max. water volume	Overflow (up to the float) 3.8lit
	Min. water volume	1lit.
Mineral-free water reservoir	the volume used by the	Recorded 800ml were required to sterilize full load of porous type using "wrapped 121".
	sterilization cycle/load having the highest steam consumption	Recorded 1400ml were required to sterilize full load of wrapped instruments/porous type using "Prion 134".
Used (waste) water reservoir Max. water volume		Max vol. – 4.0 lit., Float –3.7lit. (max allowed for start cycle)
Safety relief valve		40 PSI
Load No. counter		Counting from 0 to 999 and nullifies.

Table 2 -Device Properties



#### 1.11.3 Device Electrical Data

Property	Value
Total Power	2000W
Voltage	1Ph / 230 VAC
Amperage	10A
Protection against electrical shock	Class I (IEC 60601-1)
Mains supply fluctuation	+/- 10%
Frequency (Hz)	50Hz

Table 3 - Device Electrical Data

#### 1.11.4 Utility Requirements

Property	Value
Mineral free water	See table in Water Quality
Mineral-free water inlet	Optional - 1/2" automatic
Drain	Optional - 3/4", withstanding temp. of 80°C
Power supply	* 1 phase, /230VAC ±10%, 50Hz, 10A.
Recommended circuit breaker	16A

Table 4 - Utility Requirements

\* According to the local network.

Caution!

In order to avoid any injury by electrical hazard, it is recommended that a ground fault protection device (GFCI) be installed in the electrical panel feeding the autoclave (local codes may make this mandatory).

The electrical network must comply with local rules and regulations.

Verify that there is an easy access to the main power switch and to the current leakage safety relay (GFCI). The voltage supplied to the device must comply with the label  $\pm 10\%$ .



#### **1.12 Device Environmental Information**

- The peak sound level generated by the autoclave is 67dBa with background noise of 48 dBa during sterilization stage, and 65 dBa during drying stage.
- The total heat per hour transmitted by the autoclave is <200Wh.

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#### **1.14 Requirements with concern to Water Quality**

The distilled or mineral-free water supply to the autoclave shall be according to the table below:

Substance	Feed Water	Condensate
Evaporate residue	≤ 10 mg/l	≤ 1.0 mg/l
SiO <sub>2</sub>	≤ 1 mg/l	≤ 0.1 mg/l
Iron	≤ 0.2mg/l	≤ 0.1mg/l
Cadmium	≤ 0.005 mg/l	≤ 0.005 mg/l
Lead	≤ 0.05 mg/l	≤ 0.05 mg/l
Rest of heavy metals except iron, cadmium, lead	≤ 0.1 mg/l	≤ 0.1 mg/l
Chloride (Cl)	≤ 2 mg/l	≤ 0.1 mg/l
Phosphate	≤ 0.5 mg/l	≤ 0.1 mg/l
Conductivity (at 20°C)	≤15 µs/cm	≤ 3 µs/cm
pH value	5 to 7.5	5 to 7
Hardness	≤ 0.02 mmol/l	≤ 0.02 mmol/l
Appearance Colorless, clean, without sediments		t sediments

#### TABLE1: Suggested Maximum Limits of Contaminants in Water for Steam Sterilization per EN13060

Table 5 - Water Quality

Compliance with the above data should be tested in accordance with acknowledged analytical methods, by an authorized laboratory.



Caution:

The use of water for autoclaves that do not comply with the table above may have severe impact on the working life of the sterilizer and can invalidate the manufacturer's guarantee.

Use only deionized water, having a maximum conductivity of 15 µs/cm. Conductivity greater than 15 µs/cm may cause failures.

#### 1.14.1 Tap water supply

The range of hardness value 0.7-2.0 mmol/l (70- 200 mg/l CaCO3)

The use of soft water is strictly forbidden!

#### Please consult a water specialist!

**Note:** We recommend testing the water quality once a month. The use of water for autoclaves that does not comply with the table above may have severe impact on the working life of the sterilizer and can invalidate the manufacturer's guarantee.



# 2 Safety

## 2.1 Principle Safety Warnings and Precautions

Caution!	Always operate the autoclaves strictly as instructed in this user manual.
Caution!	Instruments should not be loaded into the autoclave to be sterilized unless Steam Sterilization is instructed in their User Manual. The instructed Steam Sterilization Program should be verified against the programs available in this autoclave.
Caution!	Never use the autoclave to sterilize corrosive products (acids, bases, or phenols) volatile compounds or solutions (ethanol, methanol or chloroform), or radioactive substances.
Warning!	Always wear heat resistant gloves before unloading and avoid touching hot load and hot surfaces.
Warning!	Don't place your hand or head, etc. above the door while opening it as hot steam is escaping the chamber.
Warning!	Do not stand near the back panel of the autoclave while the device is operating as the pressure safety valve may release steam.
Warning!	Do not touch hot surfaces, such as the top enclosure and area adjacent to the chamber opening! Hot surfaces are indicated with a label (see sec. 1.3 above)
Caution!	Only technical personnel having proper qualifications and holding technical documentation (including a technician manual) and adequate information are authorized to install and serve the apparatus
Caution!	In order to assure proper operation of the autoclave, it should not be placed in the vicinity of electrical equipment which is not certified for Electromagnetic Compatibility according to IEC/EN 61326-1.

Table 6 - Safety Warnings and Precautions



### 2.2 Safety Notes

- All new autoclave users must undergo a period of training in proper usage under an experienced employee.
- Before initial use, check the autoclave chamber to ensure that no packaging materials have been left inside.
- Before use, check inside the autoclave chamber to ensure that no items have been left from the previous cycle.
- Always verify that you have chosen the appropriate sterilization program
- After the cycle, open the door slowly to allow steam to escape and wait 20 seconds before you remove the load.
- A certified inspector must perform a periodic pressure chamber safety test according to the local regulations.
- Once a year, or more frequently, effectiveness tests must be performed, i.e., calibration and validation.
- Make sure there are no leaks, breaks, blockages, whistles or strange noises.
- Perform maintenance operations as instructed. The owner of the autoclave is responsible to perform the maintenance operations.
- Notify the person in charge immediately of any deviation from the normal functioning of the device.
- Protective equipment and clothes and other safety instructions should be implemented in accordance with local and national regulations and/or rules.

### 2.3 Safety features incorporated in the device

The pressure vessel chamber door has the following features protecting personnel from hazards:

- Two door switches indicate that the door is closed. Without this indication steam is not introduced into the chamber.
- An electrical door locking pin that blocks door opening during operation.

The following safety devices are installed in the autoclave to optimize its safe operation:

- Safety thermostat, to prevent over-heating of the chamber heating elements.
- Safety cut-off switch to prevent over-heating of the pipe heating element.



• Safety pressure valve to prevent over-pressurizing of the chamber.



Mind the Power socket. Keep it and its vicinity dry. Danger of electrocution.

## **3** Content of the Device Package

Table 7 - Device Package

Part Number	Part Description	Quantity Supplied
AMS10-230-W-PED-T	T-Edge Autoclave	1
DEV000-0663	Aluminum Tray for 10"	5
TRH511-0001	Wire Tray holder for trays or Cassettes	1
TRH511-0004	tray stoppers (to be assembled on tray holder)	8
CMT240-0002	Tray Handle	1
PIP411-0042	Tube for Reservoir Drain	2
PIP511-0029	+Tube for Auto reservoir drain Angular connector for the rear drain pipe	1
WIR040-0003 Power cable 10A, 250V, EUR	Power cable	1
THE002-0117	Blank labels roll for barcode printer	1
MAN205-0502001EN Rev.E	Operation and Maintenance Manual (Europe)	1



# 4 Depiction of System Parts

## 4.1 Front View





No.	Description	No.	Description
1	Touch screen	7	Door switches
2	On/off switch	8	Air filter
3	Chamber Door	9	USB socket
4	Door Gasket	10	Door Handle
5	Mineral-free (left) and waste water (right) reservoir drains Chamber	11	Mineral-free water reservoir opening
6	Chamber		

Table 8 - Front View



#### 4.2 Rear View



No.	Description	No.	Description
1	USB ports	6	Waste outlet
2	LAN socket	7	Mineral free inlet (available in AMS10- 230-W-T/ AMS10-230-W-PED-T only)
3	Cut-off Thermostat	8	Safety valve
4	Circuit breaker on off switch	9	Aeration Ventilation opening
5	Power socket		

Table 9 - Rear View



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## 5 Installation Instructions

## 5.1 Lifting and Carrying



Before moving the autoclave, make sure that the electric cord is disconnected from the power, and there is no pressure in the chamber. Drain the water from the reservoir (see Draining the reservoir, 8.9) Do not drop the device!

To avoid injuries, lifting and carrying should be done with at least two persons or by using a fork-lift or any other mechanical aid.

### 5.2 Device Placement and Operating Conditions

- 1. The autoclave is intended for indoor use only.
- 2. Check and verify that the counter carrying the autoclave is a rigid and leveled surface and can carry a load of 75kg.



- 3. Check and verify that the dimensions of the surface of the counter are at least 55cm x 60cm.
- 4. Keep the back and the sides of the autoclave approximately 10 cm away from the wall to allow ventilation and facilitate the device disconnection.
- 5. If placed in a cabinet, verify that the rear of the cabinet is open to allow ventilation.



- 6. It is recommended that enough space be left around the autoclave to give a technician access for servicing the machine.
- 7. Check and verify that the ambient temperature range is 5°C-40°C, it is preferable not to exceed 30°C.
- Check and verify that the ambient relative humidity does not exceed 80%



- 9. The operational altitude shall not be over 4000 meters.
- 10. Ambient pressure shall not be lower than 60.5 KPa (if the altitude and temperature are kept in the manufacturer's instructed ranges above, and no forced extreme negative pressure is applied near the autoclave, then ambient pressure of 60.5 KPa or higher is guaranteed, as it is a function of altitude and temperature).
- 11. Operate the autoclave only in the manner specified in the manual. If the equipment is used in a manner not specified by the manufacturer, the protection provided by the equipment may be impaired.

#### **5.3 Connections to Utility Supplies**

- Check and verify that the power supply is a 1 phase, 230Vac ±10%, 50Hz, 10A supply.
- 2. Check and verify that the electrical net is protected by a current leakage safety relay.

### 5.4 Storage

After the removal of the autoclave from the package, we recommend the following:

Keep the device dry.

Keep the device away from sunlight and protect it from heat.

### 5.5 Initial Operation of the Device

1. Plug the power cord into the power socket.



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2. Turn on the ON/ OFF Switch mounted on the bottom left side of the front panel (see the front view).





3. When you turn on the autoclave, it will automatically warm up.



Be careful the surfaces may be hot!

- 4. Fill the Mineral Free Water Reservoir with water meeting the quality specs (see Water Quality and Filling the Mineral-Free Water Reservoir).
- 5. Set date and time (see Set date and time).

#### Please note:

Prion program requires the demineralized water level in the reservoir to be filled to the in maximum level order to start the program, otherwise an alert will be prompted "please fill water tank to full for start".



## 6 Pre-sterilization Cleaning and Disinfection of Instruments and their Loading into the Device

Caution!	Instruments should not be loaded into the autoclave to be sterilized unless Steam Sterilization is instructed in their User Manual. The instructed Steam Sterilization Program should be verified against the programs available in this autoclave.
Caution!	Never use the autoclave to sterilize corrosive products (acids, bases, or phenols) volatile compounds or solutions (ethanol, methanol or chloroform), or radioactive substances.

The most important stage begins with removing debris by cleaning and rinsing. Effective cleaning is affected by several factors: water quality, type, concentration and quality of a cleaner, effective washing method, and adequate rinsing and drying.

Cleaning dried blood is especially difficult because it flows and dries in difficultto-clean locations. It shall be washed away. Mechanically scrubbing, high pH detergents, enzymatic solutions, and water spray at high pressure will clean this contamination.

**Note:** Consult the Medical Device manufacturer relating adequate and most effective cleaning method and cleaning agents.

Instruments which are composed of several components shall be dismantled.

**Disinfection** is the next step. It is important for safe handling. There are various methods and means for disinfection like soaking in liquid chemical disinfectants or hot water disinfection.

**Packaging.** The target in packing medical items is to assure that the contained goods are sterile and maintaining them sterile till opening the package.

There are various methods and techniques used in preparation and packaging of surgical instruments.

Check the instructions of the item manufacturer as to the proper procedure for cleaning and sterilizing each item. The item manufacturer's instructions always supersede any other instructions.

• Clean instruments immediately after use to remove any residue. It is recommended that all instruments be ultrasonically cleaned using Tuttnauer's Clean & Simple enzymatic cleaning tablets or other suitable solution.



- After cleaning, rinse instruments under tap water for 30 seconds and pat or air dry to remove residual minerals. If your tap water has a high mineral content, then rinse a second time in a bath of distilled water to remove minerals and pat dry.
- Launder textile wraps prior to sterilization, thoroughly rinse wraps laundered in chlorine bleach. Chlorine bleach can harm your stainless-steel instrument and the sterilizer.
- Follow the instrument manufacturer's instructions on the use of products for cleaning and lubricating instrument that have been ultrasonically cleaned.
- Be sure that instruments of dissimilar metal (stainless steel, carbon steel, etc.) are separated. Carbon steel instruments should be bagged or placed on autoclavable towels and not directly on stainless steel trays (mixing will result in damage to the instruments or trays from the oxidation of these materials).
- Load items within the boundaries of the tray so that they do not touch the chamber walls or fall off when the tray is moved. Items should not be allowed to touch the walls of the Chamber as the hot metal can damage the item.
- Don't overload the Sterilizer trays (see Specification). Overloading will cause inadequate sterilization & drying.
- Make sure that all instruments remain apart during the sterilization cycle. Surfaces that are hidden because items are covering other items will not be exposed to the steam and will not be sterilized.
- Disassemble or sufficiently loosen multiple-part instruments prior to packaging to permit the sterilizing agent to come into contact with all parts of the instrument.
- Verify that packaging methods are in accordance with the good practice approach and the packaging materials used are in agreement with applicable standards.
- Tilt on edge items prone to entrap air and moisture, e.g. hollowware, so that only minimal resistance to removal of air, the passage of steam and condensate will be met.
- Wrapped instruments should be placed in material which will allow steam penetration and promote drying, such as autoclave bag, autoclave paper, or muslin towels.
- When loading pouches on the tray, put them paper side up, nylon side towards the tray (see the figure below)





• Tubing should be rinsed after cleaning. When placed in the tray, make sure that both ends of the tubing are open and there are no sharp bends or twists.



- Cassettes should be placed on the tray rack in place of the trays. They should not be touching each other or the Chamber walls. There should be about 2.5cm between cassettes or packs for proper steam circulation.
- If spotting is detected on the instruments it is necessary to determine if the spot is dirt or rust. The first step would be to use an ordinary eraser to remove the spot. If there is no pitting under the spot, then the spot is only dirt. Dirt spots on an instrument may be an indication that the autoclave needs to be cleaned or that the instruments were not adequately cleaned or dried prior to sterilization. If removal of the spot reveals pitting, then the spot is most likely rust. Rust spots on an instrument are not uncommon on inexpensive instruments. It may also be an indication that the instruments were rinsed in tap water with a high mineral content. These minerals when exposed to high temperature and steam will accelerate the oxidation of the metal. One suggestion would be to final rinse the instruments in a distilled water bath and pat dry to absorb residual water and minerals.
- If the instruments exhibit a discoloration this can be due to the mixing of carbon steel and stainless steel. When these two metals come into contact with each other electrolysis occurs that breaks down the metal. The best solution is to separately wrap the carbon steel instrument to insulate it from other instruments on the tray and the tray itself.



## **7 Operating Instructions**

The following are the operation instructions.

### 7.1 Turning on the Device

Plug the power cord into the socket on the rear panel of the autoclave (see the rear view) and into the wall outlet.





## 7.2 Filling Water



In the beginning of each day, check water level in the reservoir.

**Note:** Improper Water level icon appears when the water reservoir needs to be filled. See the 'filling procedure' (7.3 below) and 'Draining the Reservoir'(8.9).

A general alarm symbol **W** will appear.

Proper Water level icon appears when the water reservoir is properly filled. See the 'filling procedure' below and 'draining procedure' (8.9).

The water level icon appears when the water level in the reservoir is full. See the 'filling procedure' (7.3 below) and 'Draining the Reservoir' (8.9).

Note: A new icon was added to the row of icons for the dirty water reservoir



The following screen shows that the Waste water tank is full



.The following screen shows that the Waste water tank is empty.



Caution! Before filling the reservoir, verify that the autoclave is idle and there is no pressure in the chamber.



### 7.3 Filling water in the reservoir

Note: Use only water having the characteristics stated in Water Quality. Using tap water will clog the system and invalidate the manufacturer's guarantee.

To fill water in the reservoir:

Lift up the water reservoir cover (see below).



Pour water into the reservoir through the water filter on top of the autoclave unit.

In case you fill too much water, it will spill on the counter.

The clean water level indicator will change from a red water droplet symbol to a blue water droplet, as shown below:







#### Please note:

Prion program requires the demineralized water level in the reservoir to be filled to the in maximum level in order to start the program, otherwise an alert will be prompted "**please fill water tank to full for start**".



## 7.4 See the requirements concerning Water Quality, in Section 1.14

### 7.5 Setting Date and Time

**Note:** The Initial log-in including setting of drying time as well as other initial parameters will be performed only by a qualified technician upon installation

On the main screen, press the menu symbol 🖾 to open the settings screen.

**Note:** The only functionality to be performed by the user (on a regular basis) is set of date and time.





### 7.6 Set Date and Time

to open the Set Date and Time

Press the Set Date and Time icon screen.

This quick option enables the operator to set the machine date and time.

Select day, month and year, as depicted:



After adjusting the date and time, the system will automatically restart.



## 8 Control Panel

The display is a graphic Touch screen LCD panel used to display the autoclave current status, any Operational or Error Messages and for operating the machine.

#### Image 1: Home screen – Program Select Screen

This screen will be presented when the autoclave is switched on:



Additional programs are accessible by paging using the side arrows (see next page)



#### Please note:

Prion program requires the demineralized water level in the reservoir to be filled to the in maximum level in order to start the program, otherwise an alert will be prompted "**please fill water tank to full for start**".



## 8.1 Home screen Description and Functions

#	lcon	Name	Description
1	<b>f</b>	Home icon	immediate use only
2	<b>A</b>	Menu	Menu selection icon
3	℅	Unwrapped 134	Exposed Unwrapped load program
4	103.8kPa	Pressure	Momentary Pressure in the chamber
5	<b>40.7</b> °C	Temperature	Momentary temperature in the chamber
6	#00000	Load no. ID	Load cycle number
7	01/01/2000, 00:05:43	Date and time	It enables the operator to set the machine date and time screen
8		Water full	The Water is full in the demineralized water reservoir
9	$\bigcirc$	Waste water	The Water is empty in the waste reservoir
10		Door condition	Door is locked
11	*	Unwrapped 134	Unwrapped 134 sterilization program
12		Side arrow right	Pagiing forward to the next program will display the next screem item 16, 17, and 18
13	X	Wrapped 121	Wrapped 121 load prgram
14		Warnings	It indicate the Alerts
15		Unwrapped 121	Unwrapped 121 program
16		Side arrow left	Paging backward to the previous programs
17		Bowie and Dick Test	periodic testing as referred to in ISO 17665-1.See the screen in the top next page
18		Vacuum Test	See the screen in the bottom previous page
19	<del>ر</del> ا	Prion	See the screen in the bottom previous page
20		Sufficient water level for all sterilization programs except "Prion"	There is sufficient water level in the demineralized water reservoir in order to run all sterilization programs except "Prion"

Table 10 - Home screen Description and Functions


## 8.2 Opening the Device Door

This machine is equipped with an electronic door lock. The door is locked when either the system is running a sterilization cycle, or there is pressure in the chamber, or the power is off.

If you need to open the door after cycle completes, press the confirm button:



In any case, if the door is not locked, it can be opened as illustrated below. Turn the handle counterclockwise and pull out to open the door.







## 8.3 Starting a Cycle

It is recommended to perform B&D test cycle at the beginning of each working day.

- 1. Before each cycle, check visually that the gasket is intact, not loose and clean.
- 2. Load the autoclave properly (see chapter 6).
- 3. Choose the appropriate sterilization program.

**Note:** The program can only be selected when the door is open.

4. The selected program will be highlighted in red, as depicted here:



#### See section 8.4 for available sterilization and test programs.

5. The next screen will prompt the selected program information.



				001 / 00001   04/3	80/2020, 12:17:19
	A	<b>104.2</b> kPa	<b>56.6</b> °C	$\widehat{}$	$\land \square$
×	Unwrapp	ed 134			
Ster. Ten Ster. Tim Dry Time	np.: 134.0°C le: 2:00min e: 1:00min				
		0	K		

- 6. Close the door by both:
- Pushing the door gently; •
- Turning the handle clockwise while pushing the door until it comes to • the closed position, then releasing the handle.

When the door is closed, the open-door symbol

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is replaced with the closed-door symbol





Start

Press the Start button

to start the cycle.

For cycle process description see Sterilization Cycle Description.

Warning!

Do not remove the top plastic cover during a running cycle. Hot water / steam may exit!

After pressing start the sterilization process starts

Image 3: screen display while "Unwrapped 134" sterilization program is in progress







Note: For the results of the cycle, see description in paragraph 8.5.



## 8.4 Available Sterilization Programs and Test Programs

8.4.1 List of available Sterilization and Test Programs (refer to sec.8.4.2 for maximal allowed weight of load)

#	lcon	Name	Temp	Sterili- zation time (min.)	Dry time (minutes)	Load type	Type of use	Cycle type
1	*	Unwrapped 134	134°C	3	1 (default) Range: 1-99	Unwrapped Instruments (Unwrapped Solid)	immediate use only	S
2	X	Wrapped 134 <sup>3,4</sup>	134°C	4	23 (default) Range: 30-99	Handpieces, Wrapped Instruments (wrapped solid), Textile (fabric packs), porous	for storage	В
3	=	Unwrapped 121	121°C	15	1 (default) Range: 1-99	Unwrapped Instruments (Unwrapped Solid)	immediate use only	S
4		Wrapped 121 <sup>3</sup>	121°C	20	35 (default) Range: 30-99	Wrapped Instruments (wrapped solid), Textile (fabric packs), porous	for storage	В
5	Ĵ	Prion <sup>1,2</sup>	134°C	18	30 (default) Range: 30-99	solid load/ porous load	for storage	В
6		Bowie and Dick	134°C	3.5	2 (default) Range: 0-99	Chemical Indicator in a product challenge device	periodic testing as referred to in ISO 17665-1	В
7		Vacuum test	NA	Vac. Stab 5min Vac. Time =10min	le Time 1 = e stable 2	Empty	Not Applicable	N/A

Table 11 - Home screen Description and Functions

#### Notes:

<sup>1</sup>Prion program requires the demineralized water level in the reservoir to be filled to the in maximum level order to start the program, otherwise an alert will be prompted "please fill water tank to full for start".

<sup>2</sup>For more information on Prion program, see sec. 8.4.6 below.



<sup>3</sup>The sterilization program can be used for sterilizing lumen device of no longer than 230mm and no smaller than 3.4mm.

<sup>4</sup>This sterilization program can be used in sterilizing up to five dental handpieces.

Load type	Maximum Load Weight	Suitable for programs
Textile, porous	1.5kg	Wrapped/Prion
Solid Unwrapped	6.0kg	Unwrapped
Solid Wrapped	3.5kg	Wrapped/ Prion
Prion 134	3.6kg	3.6kg of solid load / 1.5kg porous load

8.4.2 Maximum Load Weight per Load type

Table 12 - Maximum Load Weights

#### 8.4.3 Description of the Sterilization Cycle Stages

- **Air-removal stage:** Pre vacuum pulses are performed. For wrapped cycles, there are 3 pulses and the vacuum are deeper.
- **Heating stage:** steam is inserted into the chamber until the sterilization temperature is reached
- **Sterilization:** sterilization temperature is maintained constant during the sterilization time.
- **Fast exhaust:** steam is exhausted out of the chamber at a fast rate until pressure decreases to ambient pressure.
- **Drying:** performed with the door closed by pulling vacuum and using the accumulated heat in **the chamber and the load to** remove leftover moisture from the instruments and wraps.

#### 8.4.4 Description of the Vacuum Test Stages

Vacuum is produced in the chamber, down to P1=15 kPa. At this stage all the valves close. The autoclave remains in this stage for 5 minutes. This period enables the condition in the chamber to reach equilibrium. After the 5 minutes have elapsed, the *cycle 'history record'* records the pressure that is referred to as P2. At this point the test begins and lasts 10 minutes. At the end of the test, the *cycle 'history record'* records the results. The pressure at the end of the test is referred to as P3.

**Notes:** During the test period the autoclave is not heated. Even if the vacuum test is completed, the operator shall check the test results and consider whether the test results are acceptable or not.



#### 8.4.5 Description of Bowie-Dick Test Stages

Air-removal stage: vacuum pulses are performed.

Heating stage: steam is inserted into the chamber until the sterilization temperature and pressure are reached.

**Sterilization stage:** temperature and pressure are maintained constant at the pre-set level for sterilization time.

**Fast exhaust stage:** steam is exhausted out of the chamber at a fast rate until pressure decreases to ambient pressure.

**Drying stage:** heating of chamber followed by a vacuum break (air inlet) to remove leftover moisture from the instruments and wraps. Air inlet to reach atmospheric pressure.

#### 8.4.6 Information on Prion sterilization program

In some European countries<sup>\*</sup>, there is a national regulation, that requires to include a Prion cycle on a class B autoclave, as part of a general prion decontamination program.

Prions are abnormally altered proteins associated with the risk of infection with Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease and other encephalopathies.

For the Prion cycle, only the physical sterilization parameters were validated (i.e. sterilization holding time, sterilization temperature) as the national regulations require this validation only. There is no regulatory requirement to validate the sterilization effect on the Prion protein such as elimination or deactivation.

In accordance with the regulations, the sterilization temperature is 134°C and the sterilization holding time is 18 minutes.

\*See for example:

- French regulation: "Informations et recommandations relatives aux petits sterilisateurs a la vapeur d'eau" published 27.12.2005
- Swiss regulation: "Verordnung über die Prävention der Creutzfeldt-Jakob-Krankheit bei chirurgischen und medizinischen Eingriffen (CJKV)" published 20.11.2002.



# 8.5 Cycle Succeeded / Cycle Failed Notifications and Follow-on

#### 8.5.1 Cycle Succeeded

When the cycle has ended successfully, the following "Successful" message is displayed:



Proceed to chapter "Opening the door and Unloading".



#### 8.5.2 Cycle Failed

In the event of a failure at any stage, the exhaust valve will be opened to release pressure from the chamber, the message "Fail" and a relevant failure message will be displayed on the screen:

	× Fail	
Heating Error: Cancelled by use	Sterilization	Drying
	<b>153.10°</b> C <b>NaN</b> kPa	03/03/201 06:38:4 #00002
Sterilization Time	apped 134 34.0 °C ne: 0.5 min*	
Exhaust Exhaust Heat	Sterilization	 Dry
Cycle Effor: A	malog input error	

The load has not completed a sterilization cycle; therefore, it is not sterile. Handle it as a contaminated load.

Any failure means that the load is not sterile.



## 8.6 Aborting a cycle

• It is possible to stop the cycle while the autoclave is operating. Press the

Stop button at any stage (except exhaust) of the process to stop the operation.

<b>77.90</b> °C	105.60kPa	03/03/2019 06:38:08 #000023
℅ Unwrapped	134	
Temperature: 134.0 °C		
Sterilization Time: 0.5 min*		
RemoveAir PulseL (1/1)		
Heat	Sterilization	Dry
	Stop	
Sterilization Time: 0.5 min*	Sterilization	Dry

If the cycle is aborted, the load is not sterile. A "fail" message will be displayed

	× Fail	
Heating	Sterilization	Drying
Error: Cancelled by user		

Confirm

with an error message explaining the reason for the failure. An alternating buzzer signal will sound to notify the user.

Press the

button to confirm the displayed message.



The load has not completed the cycle; therefore, it is not sterile. Handle it as a contaminated load.



## 8.7 Opening the door and Unloading

Confirm

- 1. Push the **button** button to confirm the "Successful" or the "error" message to unlock the door.
- 2. Open the door.



Open the door a little to release the steam from the chamber. Only after the steam escaped, open the door widely.



To avoid severe injuries from hot steam and condensed hot water that may drip out when opening the door, it is strictly forbidden to lean on the autoclave. It is strictly forbidden to place your hand or any part of your body over or under the door.

- 3. Use the tray handle or wear heat-resistant gloves to remove the load from the autoclave.
- 4. After unloading, visually inspect the load to ascertain that it is dry, and that sterilization indicators have made the required color change.

Caution:

Water droplets and visible signs of moisture on sterile packaging or the tape used to secure it, may compromise sterility of processed loads or be indicative of a sterilization process failure. Visually check outside wrapper for dryness. If there are water droplets or visible moisture on the exterior of the package or on the tape used to secure it, the pack or instrument tray is considered unacceptable.

Warning!

The sterility of the instruments processed in unwrapped cycles cannot be maintained if exposed to non-sterile environment.



## 8.8 Checking Waste Water Level



When the waste water level is high, the general alarm symbol will appear. A relevant text alarm will appear in the alarms list. This situation is normal, but the operator cannot run a new cycle before draining the waste water reservoir (see 'Draining the Reservoir' 8.9).

## 8.9 Draining the Reservoirs

This procedure applies to the mineral-free water reservoir (left) and to the waste-water reservoir (on the right).



**Note:** Improper Water level icon appears when the water reservoir needs to be filled or drained.

The drain valves are located on the front right side of the autoclave after the door is opened.



To drain the reservoir:

1. See item (5) with the plastic hose (6) attached to it (supplied with the autoclave).



- 2. Put the other end of the hose into a drain bucket.
- 3. Insert part (5) into valve (3) and press it until you hear a click. The drain valve opens immediately.
- 4. When the water reservoir is empty, press part (4). Item (5) will pop out approx. 3mm and the drain valve will be closed. Remove item (6) with the plastic tube.



Never reuse waste water.

5. If the drained reservoir is the clean-water reservoir, fill reservoir with distilled water until it reaches the full level. (Approximately 6.5 liters).

The autoclave is now ready for use.



# 9 Preventive and Scheduled Maintenance to be performed by the Operator

The maintenance operations described in this chapter need to be followed as indicated to keep the device in good working condition and to keep any breakdown time to a minimum.

The instructions that follow can easily be carried out by the operating personnel and do not require a service technician.

**Note:** Technician manual describes the maintenance operations required from qualified technician, every two months and once a year.

Should the need arise, technical assistance or a service technician can be requested by either calling your dealer or Tuttnauer Europe.

### 9.1 Daily Maintenance



#### Make sure the autoclave is not hot before cleaning it.

- Turn the unit on momentarily to allow the door to be opened. Open the door, unplug the autoclave again, and proceed with cleaning.
- Clean door gasket with a mild detergent, water and a soft cloth or sponge. Check visually that the gasket is intact, not loose and clean.

## 9.2 Weekly Maintenance

## Caution!

#### Make sure the autoclave is not hot before cleaning it.

- Turn the unit on momentarily to allow the door to be opened. Open the door, unplug the autoclave again, and proceed with cleaning.
- Clean the outer parts of the autoclave with a soft cloth.



## 9.3 Monthly Maintenance

## Caution!

#### Make sure the autoclave is not hot before cleaning it.

- Turn the unit on momentarily to allow the door to be opened. Open the door, unplug the autoclave again, and proceed with cleaning.
- Clean and descale the chamber.
- If the autoclave is only used occasionally, drain the water from the mineral free water reservoir once a week, and refill with fresh mineral-free water or distilled water.
- Once a week or if a text alarm of 'full waste water reservoir' appears (whichever comes first) drain the water from the waste water reservoir.
- Clean the outer parts of the autoclave with a soft cloth.
- Clean the Drain filter of the autoclave



### 9.4 Periodic Maintenance



#### Make sure the autoclave is not hot before cleaning it

- 1. Replace the air filter, every 6 months or after 1000 cycles (whichever comes first) according to 12.3.
- 2. Every 3 months check the door gasket for any signs of physical damage and ask the technician to replace it if there is tear or leakage.

#### 9.4.1 Replacing the Air Filter

#### **Cautions!**

Before proceeding, make sure that the electric cord is disconnected and there is no pressure in the chamber.

Use scissors to open the filter bag and not sharp blades or pointed instrument.



Check that the new filter has not exceeded the maximum shelf life.

Carefully un-pack the new filter and examine it for any signs of damage.

Remove any protective packaging before inserting the filter into place.

Carefully Insert the new filter into the housing. Do not force.

The AIR filter is located under the mounted under the cover (see below).



1. Unscrew the filter (see below).



2. Disconnect the pipe.



3. Connect the new filter.



- 4. Screw in the new filter.
- 5. Ensure the new filter is all the way in and seated properly.

**Note:** make sure that the arrow on the filter body points inwards, toward the chamber. Make sure that you don't bend the filter pipe when reattaching it.

**Note:** It is recommended to replace the air filter every 6 months or after 1000 cycles (whichever is the shorter period).



#### 9.4.2 Cleaning the Drain Filter



Make sure the autoclave is not hot before cleaning it

#### Cautions!

## Before proceeding, make sure that the electric cord is disconnected and there is no pressure in the chamber.

1. Clean the drain filter, every month.

The DRAIN filter (1) is located inside the autoclave chamber at the bottom far end, to reach the filter open the autoclave chamber door, remove the tray (see below).



- 2. Open the autoclave chamber door, remove the tray (2), (see above).
- 3. Clean with a soft cloth the filter and the area around the filter.



4. Check that the autoclave function normally after the drain filter cleaning.

**Note:** If by cleaning the filter the result is not satisfactory, proceed to the replacement of the drain filter (paragraph 9.4.3 below).



#### 9.4.3 Replacing the Drain Filter

**Note:** If after successive cleaning of the filter the result is not satisfactory proceed to the replacement of the drain filter (paragraph 9.4.3 below).

#### **Cautions!**

Before proceeding, make sure that the electric cord is disconnected and there is no pressure in the chamber.



Use scissors to open the filter bag and not sharp blades or pointed instrument.

Check that the new filter has not exceeded the maximum shelf life.

Carefully un-pack the new filter and examine it for any signs of damage.

Remove any protective packaging before inserting the filter into place.

Carefully Insert the new filter into the housing. Do not force.

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#### Make sure the autoclave is not hot before cleaning it

The DRAIN filter (1) is located inside the autoclave chamber at the bottom far end, to reach the filter open the autoclave chamber door, remove the tray (see below). (See below).

- 1. Replace the old DRAIN filter, by the new DRAIN filter (P/N: CMT511-0048).
- 2. Open the autoclave chamber door, remove the tray (2), (see below).



- 3. Unscrew the old Drain filter assembly, using M14 wrench.
- 4. Remove the old Drain filter assembly.



- 5. Screw the new Drain filter assembly, (P/N: CMT511-0048) to its place in the chamber bottom, tighten it with the M14 wrench.
- 6. Ensure the new filter is all the way in and seated properly.
- 7. Place the shelf (2) back.



## 10 Full List of Informative Screen Display Symbols, Operating Messages, Error Messages and Troubleshooting

The troubleshooting section is provided in order to enable the user to solve minor malfunctions, prior to contracting our service department.

However, only technical personnel having proper qualifications and holding technical documentation (including a technician manual) and adequate information are authorized to serve the apparatus (See *TABLES 13 & 14* below).

Symbol / Message	Symbol / Message Description	Required Action (if applicable)
	This symbol is displayed when the door is open.	
	Note: The inherent safety feature of the machine enables the user to choose a cycle only when the door is open.	Informative symbol
	This symbol is displayed when the door is locked. Note: The machine has an inherent safety feature that prevents the cycle from starting if the door is not locked.	Informative symbol
	Full Water level	Informative symbol
$\widehat{\bigcirc}$	Good Water level	Informative symbol
$\widehat{}$	Low clean Water level	fill the mineral free water reservoir until this symbol change to Good level symbol.

## 10.1 Symbols



Symbol / Message	Symbol / Message Description	Required Action (if applicable)
0	Alert	Press to watch the alert description
OP 037.7. 099.9s. OP OP OP   Trigged OP OP OP OP	When cycle is selected it is highlighted in red	
Successful Heating Sterilization Drying	The "cycle succeeded" message and symbol are displayed when the cycle ends successfully.	
Fail       Heating     Sterilization     Drying       Error Cancelled by seer	The "cycle Failed" message and symbol are displayed when the cycle failed either due to intended cycle abort action by the user, or due to a run-time error.	Try Perform a new cycle in order to sterilize the load.

Table 13 - Symbols

## **10.2** Error messages & Troubleshooting

Symbol / Message	Symbol / Message Description	Required Action (if applicable)
No display		Make sure the device is turned on (use the 'on/off' switch)
	Display is designed to appear as the autoclave is turned on.	Make sure the power cord is properly connected to the machine and the power source.
		Verify electrical power supply is proper.
		. If the problem persists, call for service.
"Low Temp"	This message is displayed if the temperature drops for more than 1 second below the sterilization temperature during sterilization cycle.	Perform a new cycle. If the problem persists, call for service.



Symbol / Message	Symbol / Message Description	Required Action (if applicable)
"High Temp"	This message is displayed if the temperature raises 4°C above sterilization temperature during the sterilization stage for 2 seconds during sterilization cycle.	Perform a new cycle. If the problem persists, call for service.
"High Temp. (Ending)"	This message is displayed if the system cannot reach the required temperature, in the chamber, within 10 minutes.	Perform a new cycle. If the problem persists, call for service
"Heat Time Error"	This message is displayed if the system cannot reach the required temperature, in the chamber, within the preset time.	Verify that the autoclave is not overloaded.
"Low Pressure"	This message is displayed if Chamber Pressure drops below the sterilization pressure for 2 seconds during the sterilization stage.	Perform a new cycle. If the problem persists, call for service
"High Pressure"	This message is displayed if Chamber Pressure raises 29 kPa above sterilization pressure for 2 seconds during the sterilization stage.	Perform a new cycle. If the problem persists, call for service
"High Pressure (Ending)"	This message is displayed if the system cannot reach atmospheric pressure ± 5kPa during the ending stage.	Perform a new cycle. If the problem persists, call for service
"High Pressure (Exhaust)"	This message is displayed if the system cannot reach preset pressure within 10 minutes from the beginning of the exhaust stage.	Perform a new cycle. If the problem persists, call for service
"High Pressure (Dry)"	This message is displayed if the pressure in chamber exceeds atmospheric pressure by more than 10kPa at the beginning of the dry stage.	Perform a new cycle. If the problem persists, call for service
"Pressure Time Error"	This message is displayed if the system cannot reach the required pressure conditions in the chamber,	Verify that the autoclave is not overloaded.



Symbol / Message	Symbol / Message Description	Required Action (if applicable)
	after preset time, during the air removal stage.	
"Door is open (During the cycle)"	This message is displayed when the door is open: During the cycle.	Close the door to perform a new cycle.
"Canceled By User"	This message is displayed after the STOP button is pressed and cycle aborted.	Wait until "Fail" message is displayed. Perform a new cycle.
"Air Error"	This message is displayed at the end of the cycle if the autoclave does not reach the atmospheric pressure after 10 minutes.	Wait until the autoclave reaches the atmospheric pressure and perform a new cycle. If the problem persists, check that the air filter pipe is not kinked and blocked
"Power Down"	This message is displayed if power down has occurred during the cycle.	Turn on the autoclave and wait until the autoclave is ready (reaches the safe condition) and perform a new cycle.
"Low vacuum" (vacuum test only)	Vacuum test cycle fails to reach the required value	Clean the door and the gasket thoroughly. If the problem persists, call for service.
Vacuum time error" (vacuum test only)	Vacuum test cycle fails to reach the required value within the required time	Clean the door and the gasket thoroughly. Check visually that the gasket is intact, not loose and clean. Check if the autoclave is not overloaded. If the problem persists, call for service.

Table 14 - Error messages & Troubleshooting



## **11 TSC Printer Installation (optional)**

The following is a user's set up guide that explains describe:

- General printer information.
- Safety instructions
- How to install TSC printer and connect it to the T Edge autoclave for the first time. (Shall be performed by qualified personnel).
- How to set, operate, use and maintain the printer after the first installation.

### **11.1** General printer information

The printer(s) are optional and can be purchased/ordered from Tuttnauer by the customer, the printers can easily be installed and connected to the autoclave following the instructions below.

The options includes:

- One printer connected to the autoclave, and can be loaded with thermal paper roll, or with label roll. The user can direct the printer to switch between printing on thermal paper roll or label roll.
- Two printers connected to the autoclave, one loaded with thermal paper roll, and the second printer is loaded with label roll.

#### 11.1.1 Printer Output:

• The autoclave is equipped with a character printer, which prints a detailed history of each cycle performed. (This can be used for the record or for subsequent consideration.)

The printing is on thermal paper with a defined set of characters per line and contains important information such as some of the main following details:

- Date:, Time: , Ser. Num:, Model:, Version:,
- Cycle Num:, Cycle Name:, Ster Temp:, Ster Time:, Dry Time:,End Temperature

When the sterilization cycle begins the printer starts printing the above data.

After the preliminary printing, the autoclave starts performing the sequence of operations of the cycle. The measured values of temperature and pressure are printed at time intervals, according to the phase of the process, as shown in the table on the next page.

The data is printed from the bottom up, beginning with the date and ending with "Cycle Ended". For an aborted cycle, "Cycle Failed" and the Error message are printed (refer to "Displayed Error Messages/Symbols").

The printer can also print labels when loaded with label roll and printer1 is selected.



For an example of a typical printout, see next page.

IP: 192.168.137.1 System vers.: 31007 Cycle vers.: 421288 I/O-card vers.: 1.1 5001.2004.12.17 SW vers.: Time: 07:23:01 Date: 4/MAY/2020 POLLER ON Time: 13:05;45 Date: 17/JAN/2019 POWER OFF \_\_\_\_\_ Operator: Time: 15:08:09 Status: Test Ended 00:17:34 154.4 01.83In 00:17:03 145.8 25.22In P3=25.219 (inHg) V 00:17:02 145.8 25,22In V 00:17:02 145.8 25.22In V 00:16:02 146.5 25.19In V 00:15:02 147.4 25.16In V 00:14:02 148.1 25.16In V 00:13:02 148.8 25.16In V 00:12:02 149.4 25.19In V 00:11:02 150.1 25.16In V 00:10:02 150.4 25.07In V 00:09:02 150.6 25.16In V 00:08:02 150.8 25.16In V 00:07:02 150.4 25.13In P2=25.130 (inHg) V 00:07:02 150.4 25.13In ¥ 00:07:02 150.4 25.13In v @@:@6:@2 149.5 25.07In V 00:05:02 148.3 25.13In V 00:04:02 145.8 25.04In V 00:03:02 142.0 25.07In V 00:02:02 135.1 25.19In P1=25.130 (inHg) V 00:01:02 126.5 18.84In v 00:00:02 115.7 00.17 •F psig Tine End Temperature 230.0 °F Vac. Time2 10 min Vac. Time1 5 min Vac. Pres. 2.18 psia Vacuum Test Cycle Num: 5 5001.2004.12.17 SW vers.: Version: 0 Model: T-EDGE-10 Ser. Num: 19060106 Time: 14:50:34 Date: 3/MAY/2020 \_\_\_\_\_ -----



## **11.2** Important safety instructions

- 1. Read all the instructions and keep them for future use.
- 2. Follow all warnings and instructions on the product.
- Disconnect the power plug from the AC outlet before cleaning or if fault happened. Do not use liquids or aerosol cleaners. Using a damp cloth is suitable for cleaning.
- 4. The mains socket shall be installed near the equipment and easily accessible.
- 5. The unit must be protected against moisture.
- 6. Handle the equipment with care. Ensure the stability when installing the device, tipping or dropping could cause damage.
- 7. Make sure to follow the correct power rating and power type indicated on the marking label provided by the manufacturer.
- 8. Please refer instructions and to the user manual for maximum operation ambient temperature.



Hazardous moving parts, keep fingers and other body parts away.



(For equipment with RTC (CR2032) battery or rechargeable battery pack) Risk of explosion if battery is replaced by incorrect type. Dispose of used batteries according to the instructions as below.



The print head may be hot and could cause severe burns. Allow the print head to cool.

Please, refer to the printer manufacturer safety instructions



## **11.3** Installation for the first time

#### Unpacking the printer:

- 1. Carefully open the printer box (1) and remove the printer packing.
- 2. Place the printer (2) on the table, and remove the two tapes (3).
- 3. Remove the rest of the box content which includes USB communication cable (6), electrical power cable (7), CD (5), adapter (8), blue cable (9), and the printer instructions (4).

Note: the USB communication cable or other cables may come in another additional box.





## **11.4** Open the printer top cover

- 1. Remove the two tapes bonding the printer body to its cover (1) on each opposite sides of the printer.
- 2. Pull the two handles left and right (2) simultaneously together forward as shown by the arrows in figure 1.
- 3. The top printer cover will lift as shown in the figure indicated by 2.





## **11.5** Loading thermal printer paper roll/ Label roll

You can either load a thermal paper roll, or label roll on the printer roll compartment opening.

You can also connect two printers to the autoclave, one loaded with thermal paper roll, and the second printer loaded with label roll.

1. Slide switch (item 1) forward shown in fig 2, it will allow to move the roll holders (2)

apart as shown in fig 1 below, allowing to put the paper roll on the holders.

- 2. Adjust the roll holder (2) as shown in (item 3) in figure 3 depending if a thermal or label roll is installed.
- 3. Place the thermal paper roll or label paper roll as shown in (item 4) figure 3.or,
- 4. Place the label roll as shown in (item 5) figure 4.





5. Insert the paper under the two paper guides (item 6) in figure 3 for the paper roll, pull the paper to extend it beyond the printer. Do the same for the label roll (item 6) figure 4.



6. Push the printer cover down (fig 5) until you can hear a click indicating that the cover is connected to the printer bottom.



## **11.6** Connecting the interface cables to the printer

- 1. Connect the adapter male (1) to the RC-232 Output Port blue cable female plug connection (2), tighten and secure the 2 screws (3) to the adapter.
- Plug the adapter connected with the blue cable (8) to the printer adapter connection, Tighten the 2 screws (4). To the printer (5) using screwdriver shown below.
- 3. Connect the Power cable (6) to the printer back port.



4. Connect the power cable connector of cable (6) coming from the printer to the electrical power source on the wall.



## **11.7** Connecting power and interface cables

- 1. Connect the RC-232 Output Port blue cable (6) to the back of the autoclave (4).
- 2. Connect the power cable plug connector of cable (6) coming from the printer to the electrical power source on the wall.



3. Turn on the printer power



## **11.8** Starting the printer

1. Press on the button in the front of the printer cover, keep pressing the finger while switching on the printer power at (1) the printer back. (Step 1 and 2 shall be done simultaneously).



2. Switch on the printer power (1) at the printer back, keep pressing the finger in step 1 until the red light bulb in front start flashing.



3. Ensure that the green bulb lights.

The printer will run and feed the roll until the end of calibration process, approximately half meter for paper roll, and 3 labels for label roll.



## **11.9** Setting Printer definitions

The following are the login procedures for new user:

1. Press on the quick menu



- 2. . Press on icon.
- 3. Enter administration password Select from drop down list.
- 4. Press Login Enter administration password Select from drop down list.




7. Press on system parameters



- 8. Select for paper roll printer type 6. Select for label roll label 1, (See screen example above).
- If only the one printer is connected to the autoclave, local=0 or printer=1,.The following table gives the various printer possibilities

Printer Type	Local
Only paper roll 6	0
Only Label roll 1	1
Both paper roll and label roll are connected 6	1



## **12** Factory Codes for end user

Notice: Please, find below Factory Codes for end user.

## These codes are similar to all T-Edge machines from version 1.0.

Level 1 Factory Code 010	7N613IOJT6	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 011	4YFBH5G597	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 012	KX4D3O2IZ0	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 013	E6QS7RCBF4	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 014	UC3VUOCEGD	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 015	KQTPXJT37P	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 016	PGU318IXEZ	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 017	3F0ENI3ISP	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 018	LYBVQXMB4X	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 019	8JDZPNRA4W	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 020	GPAQKFZPCO	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 021	PKKSD0F9MD	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 022	WG2Q1UBBY9	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 023	030616YUKL	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 024	868PHX8VVZ	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 025	ISX099WTZ0	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 026	DY0CYW6OJH	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 027	BUYBFZIMJE	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 028	VQP91IFY6J	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 029	JF5THJF61U	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 030	1ULOXX3VUJ	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 031	1KKUEWI1LP	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 032	QHR976ZE46	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 033	TMUYMBFBLE	Admin - for User Manual



Level 1 Factory Code 034	OTEWS95KOU	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 035	AOUMETCLQ1	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 036	7Z1X0PZVHD	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 037	RGQHB6D4R7	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 038	APZJ5F1IT3	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 039	93VTGY2Q6C	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 040	KJCLC48NKH	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 041	QI3S1S9S2U	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 042	XRCOEYV6AM	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 043	EW7PX1MNGB	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 044	HO7MM19C2Y	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 045	ZKYMO2HXHO	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 046	IBM8C3KO49	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 047	FWLONJTZCN	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 048	YSEMX48VA4	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 049	TYG12FB9JT	Admin - for User Manual
Level 1 Factory Code 050	QVH2SC878F	Admin - for User Manual



## **13 Appendix: Typical Pressure and temperature versus Time Diagrams for the Operating Cycles**

















1	D 01:12:30 100.0 019.8 D 01:12:34 099.9 032.0 D 01:13:25 099.7 019.9 D 01:13:29 099.7 031.8 D 01:14:12 099.5 019.9 D 01:14:15 099.6 031.7 D 01:14:59 099.3 019.8 D 01:15:02 099.2 032.0 D 01:15:43 099.1 019.9 D 01:15:47 099.1 031.8
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