



INSTRUCTION MANUAL TESTER SERIES 1-5

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DATA SHEET

	pH 1	COND 1	pH 5 / pH 5 Food	ORP 5	COND 5	PC 5	
pH Range	014	-	-216	-	-	-216	
Resolution / Accuracy	0.1 / +0.1		0.01 / <u>+</u> 00.1	-	-	0.01 / <u>+</u> 0.1	
MultiPoint Calibration	12	-	13	-	-	13	
Buffer Value	3 buffers USA	-	5 buffers USA	-	-	5 buffers USA	
mV Range	-	-	<u>+</u> 1000		-	<u>+</u> 1000	
Resolution	-	-	0.1 / 1		-	0.1 / 1	
COND Range	-	02000μS / 020mS	-	-		0200μS / 02000μS / 020mS	
Resolution / Accuracy	-	Automatic scale / ±1% f.s.	-	-	Automatic scale / ±1% f.s.		
MultiPoint Calibration	-	12	-	-	13		
Temperature compensation	-	1.9 %/°C	-	-	0.004.00%/°C		
Reference temperature	-	25 °C	-	-	20/25 °C		
TDS Range	-	0.1ppm10pp t	pp 0.1ppm10pp		10ppt		
TDS factor	- 0.401.00		-	-	0.401.00		
Salinity Range	-	-	-	-	0.0110 g/L		
Temperature Range	050°C (n.v)		050°C	050° C (n.v)	05	60°C	
Resolution / Accuracy	-	-	0.1 / <u>+</u> 0.2°C	-	0.1 / <u>+</u> 0.2°C		
Temperature unit	-	-	°C/°F	-	°C/°F		
Device Indication buffers used for calibration		Yes		-	Yes		
Auto power-off	8 min						
Display	LCD			LCD bac	klight 3 colors		
IP Protection	IP 67						
Power Supply	4X1.5V battery AAA						



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INTRODUCTION

Congratulation for buying one of the most innovative and easy to use Pocket Tester.

Pocket testers series 1 and 5 are very handy for the routine measurements in all applications where fast indication of measurement is required.

These Testers are specially designed for applications like: Agriculture, water and waste water treatment, Hydroponics, Aquaculture, Environmental monitoring, Food and beverage manufacturing, Cooling towers, Printing, Education etc.

Tester series 1 is basic one with fixed sensor and only two keys for all functions.

Tester series 5 is advanced version with replaceable sensor, multicolour backlight display and 3 key for all functions.

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

- A Read this instruction manual carefully before using your new tester.
- ⚠ The membrane of pH electrode is made of glass and can be danger in case it breaks.

To avoid damage check the electrode tip after each measurements.

- A Replace all batteries together with same type.
- 1 The manufacturer of these instruments can't be held responsible for any improper use.
- ⚠ Verification of the measuring results is the responsibility of the operator and the manufacturer doesn't respond to any direct or indirect damage occurred while using this instrument.



PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

KEYPAD

pH5 / Cond5 / PC5





Keypad Functions for Tester pH5 / Cond5 / PC5

Button	Function	Action		
ds	<u></u>	Press to switch on/off the meter.		
ESC .	ESC	Press to escape from setup menu or calibration procedure.		
230	*	During measurement: Press to turn on/off the back light.		
	MODE	During measurement: Press to switch between		
MODE	MODE	pH -> mV -> Cond -> TDS -> SAL		
		During Setup: Press to scroll in the menu or increase the value of the		
		selected parameter.		
CAL CAL		During measurement: press to start the calibration of the selected		
CAL	CAL	parameter.		
-	-	Press to confirm the calibration and setup value.		

Keypad Functions for Tester pH1 and Cond1

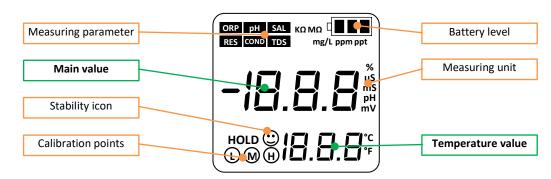
Button	Function	Action
	<u></u>	Press to switch on/off the meter.
	_	During Setup: Press to scroll in the menu or increase the value of the selected parameter.
CAL	CAL	During measurement: press to start the calibration of the selected parameter.
	-	Press to confirm the calibration and setup value.

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DISPLAY

The device is endowed with LCD display for Series 1 and 3 colors backlight LCD for Series 5

• GREEN: Setup or measurement mode • BLUE: Calibration mode • RED: Error/Alarm



CALIBRATION POINTS INDICATOR

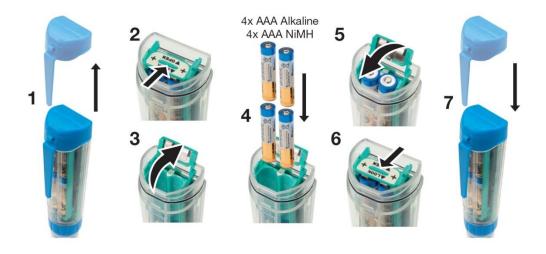
When a calibration is performed these icons indicate the points calibrated and

Icon	Working range	pH mode	Conductivity mode
Ū.	Low	4.01 pH	84 uS
M	Medium	7.00 pH*	1413 uS
H	High	10.01 pH	12.88 mS

^{*} First point for pH calibration is always 7.00 pH

POWER SUPPLY

This tester series works with 4 x AAA Alkaline or NiMH rechargeable batteries.



Make sure the batteries have correct polarity with positive pole upside.

Dispose of discharge batteries correctly according to the applicable legislation.

A Replace all batteries together with same type.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR pH1 / Cond1

POWER ON

Press by key once, the meter will switch On and the display will show all the segments active for 2 sec. and then it will display the following:



All segments ON -> model name + software release -> measurement

POWER OFF

To turn off the meter press by key for 3 seconds, the meter will switch off.

SETUP MENU for pH1 / Cond1

- 1. With meter switched off, press and hold CAL key and press by key once.
- 2. The meter will switch on with all the segments active, release **CAL** key, the meter will go into the Setup Menu.
- 3. The display will show SLT on primary display with COND flashing (only for Cond1).
- 4. Press ▲ to select the parameter between COND or TDS to be used for measurements and press ← to confirm (Only for Cond1).
 - Only if the TDS is selected then the display will show TDS Fct flashing, press ▲ to change this factor and then press ← to confirm (Only for Cond1).
- 5. The display will show rSt (RESET): nO flashing.
- 6. Press ▲ and select YES if a reset of the meter is required and then press ← to confirm.
- 7. At this point the meter finishes SETUP menu and switches off.

NOTE: To skip the changing of the value simply confirm the flashing value with \leftarrow key, the meter will go to the next Parameter.







MEASUREMENT

Rinse the electrode with distilled water or sample prior to start measurement.

Fill the measuring cap with sample, switch on the meter with $\ensuremath{\psi}$, immerse the Tester in sample and wait for stability, when stability icon $\ensuremath{\odot}$ appears on display take the reading.

During measurement make sure that pH electrode membrane is free from air bubbles, and that there isn't any air bubble around or between conductivity sensor.

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CALIBRATION PROCEDURE FOR CONDUCTIVITY (Cond1)

- 1. Power ON the meter by pressing the **b** Key.
- 2. Rinse the probe with distilled water.
- 3. Immerse the probe in the calibration solution (1413µS or 12.88 mS), wait for stability ©.
- 4. Press CAL key.
- 5. The meter will start calibration procedure and will recognise automatically the standard used.
- 6. When stable press ← to confirm and complete the calibration.
- 7. The standard value will flash for 3 times and then the meter will go into the measurement mode.
- 8. If the 2^{nd} point calibration is required then rinse the probe with distilled water and immerse in the second standard solution (1413 μ S or 12.88 mS), wait for stability \odot .
- 9. Repeat the points 4 to 7.
- 10. The calibration process is completed and the meter is ready to use.

Note: Anytime press by key to abort and exit from calibration procedure.



- ← Reading based on theoretical cell value C=1
- ← Standard solution





CALIBRATION PROCEDURE FOR TDS (Cond1)

When the meter is set to read **TDS** then the calibration is done on TDS with 1 or 2 points.

The calibration procedure for TDS is same as for Conductivity.

CALIBRATION PROCEDURE FOR pH (pH1)

- 1. Power ON the meter by pressing the **b** Key.
- 2. Rinse the electrode with distilled water.
- 3. Immerse the electrode in the 1st buffer solution pH7.0 and wait for stability ©.
- 4. Press CAL key.
- 5. The meter will start calibration procedure and will recognise automatically the standard used.
- 6. When stable press to confirm and complete the calibration.
- 7. The standard value will flash for 3 times and then the meter will ask for next point for calibration. If only 1 point calibration is required then press \bigcirc to finish and exit.
- 8. If the 2nd point calibration is required then rinse the electrode with distilled water and immerse in pH4.0 or pH10.0, wait for stability ©.
- 9. Repeat the points 4 to 7.
- 10. The calibration process is completed and the meter is ready to use.

Note: Anytime press by key to abort and exit from calibration procedure.

Note2: when the first point calibration is confirmed (point 7) if the sensor is not removed from the buffer solution, the instrument may give wrong buffer error.











INSTRUCTIONS FOR pH5 / Cond5 / PC5

POWER ON

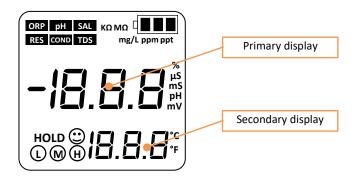
Press below key once, the meter will switch On and performs a test of 3 colors backlight display and then show all the segments active for 2 sec.

Then it will display the following:



SETUP MENU for pH5 / Cond5 / PC5

- 1. With meter switched off, press and hold CAL key and press be key once.
- 2. The meter will switch on with all the segments active, release **CAL** key, the meter will go into the Setup Menu (green backlight during setup).
- 3. Press ▲ key to select the parameter to be changed between:



Function	Primary display	Secondary display	Default value
Temperature unit (°C/°F)	t.U	-	°C
Reference temperature for conductivity	trE	20 - 25 °C	25°C
Coefficient for temperature	04 %/°C	tCC	1.9
compensation			
TDS factor	0.40 - 1.00	Fct	0.71
Reset to factory default	nO - YES	rSt	nO

- 5. The value of selected parameter will start flashing.
- 6. Press ▲ to change the value and then press ← to confirm.
- 7. The value stops flashing.
- 8. Press ▲ to select other parameters or press ESC to exit the setup menu.

NOTE: Any time press ESC key to exit from SETUP menu.

MEASUREMENT

Rinse the electrode with distilled water or sample prior to start measurement.

Fill the measuring cap with sample, switch on the meter with $\overset{\bullet}{\cup}$ and press MODE key to select desired parameter to be measured (green backlight during measurement).

Immerse the Tester in sample and wait for stability, when stability icon © appears on display take the reading.

During measurement make sure that pH electrode is free from air bubbles, and that there isn't any air bubble around or between conductivity sensor.

CALIBRATION PROCEDURE FOR CONDUCTIVITY (Cond5/PC5)

- 1. Power ON the meter by pressing the **U** Key.
- 2. Rinse the probe with distilled water.
- 3. Immerse the probe in the calibration solution (84 μ S or 1413 μ S or 12.88mS), wait for stability \odot .
- 4. Press CAL key, (blue backlight during calibration).
- 5. The meter will start calibration procedure and will recognise automatically the standard used
- 6. When stable press to confirm and complete the calibration.
- 7. The standard value will flash for 3 times and then the meter will go into the measurement mode.
- 8. If the 2^{nd} point calibration is required then rinse the electrode with distilled water and immerse in the 2^{nd} Standard, wait for stability ©.
- 9. Repeat the points 4 to 7.
- 10. If the 3rd point calibration is required then rinse the electrode with distilled water and immerse in the 3rd Standard, wait for stability ☺.
- 11. Repeat the points 4 to 7.
- 12. The calibration process is completed and the meter is ready to use.

Note: Anytime press **ESC** key to abort and exit from calibration procedure.

Note: In case multipoint calibration is performed it is better to start from the lower value standard first and then go increasing.

CALIBRATION PROCEDURE FOR pH (pH5/PC5)

- 1. Power ON the meter by pressing the **b** Key.
- 2. Rinse the electrode with distilled water.
- 3. Immerse the electrode in the 1st buffer solution pH7.00 and wait for stability.
- 4. Press CAL key (blue backlight during calibration).
- 5. The meter will start calibration procedure and will recognise automatically the standard used.
- 6. When stable ⊕ press ← to confirm and complete the calibration.
- 7. The standard value will flash for 3 times and then the meter will ask for next point for calibration. If only 1 point calibration is required then press $^{\mbox{$\sc 0$}}$ to finish and exist.
- 8. If the 2nd point calibration is required then rinse the electrode with distilled water and immerse in pH4.01 or pH10.01, wait for stability ⁽²⁾, otherwise press **ESC** to finish and exit.
- 9. Repeat the points 4 to 7.
- 10. If the 3rd point calibration is required then rinse the electrode with distilled water and immerse in the last buffer, wait for stability ©, otherwise press **ESC** to finish and exit.
- 11. Repeat the points 4 to 7.
- 12. The calibration process is completed and the meter is ready to use.

Note: Anytime press **ESC** key to abort and exit from calibration procedure.

POWER OFF

To turn off the meter press $\overset{\bullet}{\cup}$ key for 3 seconds, the meter will switch off. The instrument can not be switched off during calibration



















REPLACEMENT OF SENSOR

Tester 5 series has replacement sensors which can be replaced in case it expires of damages.

- 1) To replace the sensor unscrew the dial in anti-clock wise.
- 2) Pull out sensor from unit body.
- 3) Put a new sensor by matching correctly the sign of dent.
- 4) Be sure that all the gaskets are good and in correct position.
- 5) Screw the dial tightly.



! SENSOR MAINTENANCE

Before first time use or after long time dry storage, leave the probe in tap water or storage solution for at least 30 minutes to activate the sensor.

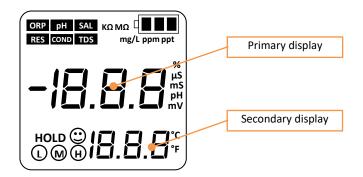
Cond1 - Cond5:

- Rinse the probe with distiller water or sample before use.
- For short time storage use distiller water. For long time store dry.

pH1 – pH5 – pH5 Food – ORP5 – PC5:

- Rinse the probe with distiller water or sample before use.
- Store the probe in storage solution for regular use. For long time store dry.
- Never store pH sensor in distilled water
 - Never touch conductivity probe with paper, for cleaning purpose only rinse with distilled water. If touched the probe may damage.

SETUP MENU FUNCTIONS for all Testers



Function	pH1	Cond1	pH5 / ORP5 / pH5 Food	Cond5	PC5	RESET
COND / TDS		-1				
selection		~				-
TDS factor		0.40 - 1.00		0.40 - 1.00	0.40 - 1.00	0.71
°C / °F			\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	°C
T ref for COND		25 °C		20 / 25 °C	20 / 25 °C	25 °C
T Coefficient				0 4% / °C	0 4% / °C	1.9
RESET	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	

ERROR DESCRIPTION

Error	Contents	Checking	
Er I	Wrong pH buffer solution or the recognition of calibration solution out of range	 Check whether buffer solution is correct. Check whether the meter connects the electrode well. Check whether the electrode is damaged. 	
Er2	Press key when measuring value is not stable during calibration.	Press key when icon appears	
Er∃	During calibration, the measuring value is not stable for ≥3min.	1.Check whether there are bubbles in glass bulb.2.Replace with new electrode.	
Er4	Electrode zero electric potential out of range (<-60mV or >60mV)	1.Check whether there are bubbles in glass bulb.	
Er5	Electrode slope out of range (<85%or >110%)	2.Check whether pH buffer solution is correct.3.Replace with new pH electrode.	
Er5	pH measuring range out of range (<0.00 pH or >14.00pH) 1 Series (<-2.00 pH or >16.00pH) 5 Series	1.Check whether the electrode is suspended2.Check whether the meter connects the electrode well.3.Check whether the electrode is damaged	

DISPOSAL OF ELECTRONIC DEVICES



The electrical and electronic equipment marked with this symbol cannot be disposed of in public landfills.

According to the UE Directive 2002/96/EC, the European users of electrical and electronic equipment can return it to the dealer or manufacturer upon purchase of a new one.

The illegal disposal of electrical and electronic equipment is punished with an administrative fine.

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