Operating Instructions

Photometer 5010 v5+

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SYMBOLS

The packaging material, the type plate on the instrument and the manual may contain the following symbols or abbreviations:

Manufactured by:

This product fulfills the requirements of Directive 98/79/EC on in vitro diagnostic medical devices.

In vitro diagnostic medical device

Caution (refer to accompanying documents)!
Please refer to safety-related notes in the manual accompanying this device.

Please consult instructions for use

Symbol for the marking of important information for appropriate handling of the device

Description of the technical specifications according to DIN 58 960 Teil 4

Biohazard
Samples containing material of human origin must be treated as potentially infectious. The relevant laboratory guidelines on safe use must be observed.

Symbol for the marking of electrical and electronics devices according to § 7 ElektroG

No special protection against penetrating moisture (IP = International Protection)

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Instrument Approvals

The Photometer 5010 meets the requirement stated in Directive 98/79/EC of the European Parliament and the Council of the European Union (EU) on in vitro diagnostic medical devices. Furthermore, the Photometer 5010 is manufactured according to the special safety requirements for IVD medical devices stated in DIN EN 61010, testified by TÜV Rheinland Group.

The Photometer 5010 fulfils the EMC immunity requirements for laboratory use equipment according to the EMC standard EN 61326.
SAFETY INFORMATION

Operator qualification
Only appropriately trained operators are qualified to operate the device.

Environmental conditions
The Photometer 5010 is approved for indoor use only.
For further environmental conditions see chapter 10.1.

Patient ambience
The Photometer 5010 may not be used in the patient ambience.

⚠ Electrical Safety
This device was examined and left the factory in perfect technical condition. To preserve this and protect safe and faultless operation, the operator must follow the orders and remarks of this operating manual.

Connect the device to grounded power outlets only. All peripheral devices that are connected to the Photometer 5010 must comply with safety standard EN 60950. Before connecting read the documentation of the peripheral devices.

Opening covers or removing parts of the instrument, except where this can be achieved manually without the use of any tool, may expose voltage-carrying components. Connectors can be live, too. Never try to maintain or repair an open instrument which is carrying voltage.

Repairs at the device including replacement of the Lithium battery may be carried out only by authorized specialist staff. Through improper repairs the warranty extinguishes, and the operator can be heavily jeopardized.

If suspected the device can no longer be operated safely, turn it off and take steps to ensure that no one will subsequently attempt to use it.

Electromagnetic waves
Devices that emit electromagnetic waves may affect measured data, or cause the Photometer 5010 to malfunction. Do not operate the following devices in the same room where the Photometer 5010 is installed: mobile phone, transceiver, cordless phone, and other electrical devices that generate electromagnetic waves.

⚠ Reagents
Regarding reagents follow the safety as well as the operating instructions of the manufacturers.
Pay attention to the currently valid German “Gefahrstoffverordnung” (GefStoffV)!

⚠ Biological safety
Liquid waste is potentially biologically hazardous. Always wear gloves if handling those materials. Do not touch parts of the device other than those specified. Consult the laboratory protocol for handling biohazardous materials.
Pay attention to the currently valid German “Biostoffverordnung” (BioStoffV)!

⚠ Spillings and cleaning
If a sample is spilled on the device, wipe up immediately and apply disinfectant.

⚠ Waste
Handle liquid waste properly, according to legislation on water pollution, and on the treatment of drainage and waste matter.
MANUFACTURER’S WARRANTY

ROBERT RIELE GmbH & Co KG warrants Photometer 5010 against defects in material and workmanship. For further information contact the local distributor.

WASTE MANAGEMENT NOTE

At the end of the life or utilization time the device and the accessories can be given back to the manufacturer with costs for an environmental waste disposal. The previous professional decontamination has to be proved with a certificate.

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1 INTRODUCTION TO PHOTOMETER 5010

This device is a semi-automated, programmable photometer for In Vitro Diagnostic (IVD) by qualified laboratory staff.

It is operated via touchscreen. Remote control is possible by a serial data interface (chapter 7.2.5 - Serial interface – REMOTE CONTROL).

For measuring methods several programmed methods with open parameters are available (chapter 5 - CALCULATION PROCEDURES and chapter 12 - METHOD LIST).

Besides, up to 231 methods - built up on the basic methods - can be established and stored by the operator with a method editor. A list of methods can be printed out (chapter 6 - METHOD EDITOR).

Up to 50 nonlinear calibration curves with maximum 20 sets of points can be stored (chapter 7.2.2 - Multi-standard functions).

Photometer 5010 offers a flexible cuvette concept: A special flow-through cuvette and a peristaltic pump provide for speedy operation with an optimal tempering of the measuring solution. Alternatively the measuring solution can be measured in one-way or glass cells in the provided standard cuvette adaptor.

By means of a combination of transistor and Peltierelement the solution reaches fast and accurately one of the three selectable temperatures, 25 °C, 30 °C or 37 °C.

The Photometer 5010 is standard equipped with six optical filters of the wavelengths 340, 405, 492, 546, 578 and 623 nm. If required, they can be exchanged against any wavelength within the range of 340-800 nm. Three additional filters, e.g. 670 nm, can be installed.

The device is equipped with a rugged graphics printer (8 dot matrix) with 24 characters per line using standard paper.

The measuring data can be stored and managed in the Photometer 5010 (chapter 7.2.8 - Data logging).

According to a GLP conformal documentation the names of lab and operator can be printed out as well as transferred to EDP (chapter 7.2.5 - Serial interface – EDP ON/OFF).

In Photometer 5010 up to 50 methods can be supervised with a quality control.(chapter 7.2.6 - Quality control).

Numerous utility programs permit the individual configuration of the device. Function tests support the analysis of sources of error.

Photometer 5010 is future-proof by FLASH MEMORY technology: The operating system can be updated with program novelties and/or improvements comfortably, without having to open the equipment (chapter 7.2.5 - Serial interface – DOWNLOAD).
2 INSTALLATION

2.1 DELIVERY

Check the device and contents of the enclosed box as follows on visible transport damages and completeness:

1 Operator’s Manual
1 Aspiration tube
1 Axis printer paper
1 Dust cover
2 Fuses for line power
1 Mains cable
2 Printer paper
1 Pump tube with joints
1 Ribbon band printer
1 Standard cuvette adaptor
1 Top cover small for printer
1 Waste tube

⚠ Inform the sales office immediately about transport damages. Keep the original packaging for a possible return.

2.2 PREPARATION FOR INSTALLATION

Place the device on a stable, level surface. Do not obstruct the input air at the bottom and the waste air at the back plate to guarantee the ventilation of the device.

If the device was exposed to extraordinary fluctuation in temperature and/or humidity, it must acclimatize sufficiently before operation.

⚠ Before connecting the waste tube to the pump tube remove pump tube at both ends from the metal clamps. The waste tube of the flow-through system must be led through the tunnel to the backside of the device (chapter 3.2 - BACK) and then into any drain tank.

2.3 INSTALLATION

Photometer 5010 operates at any line voltage between 90 V<sub>AC</sub> and 264 V<sub>AC</sub> at 50/60 Hz. The device plug of the mains cable must be put into the socket at the back of the device and the mains plug into a grounded mains socket.

⚠ While connecting or disconnecting an external device (PC, printer) to Photometer 5010 both devices must be switched off.

Switch on Photometer 5010 by the mains switch at the back.

Greeting screen:
After switching on copyright, website, type of device and version designation are displayed and - in the case of activated printer - printed out.
After around 15 minutes the device is heated up and ready for measurement. First the tempering is switched off. If working with tempered material is required later, switch on the tempering already now either directly by the utility program (chapter 7.2.9 - Temperature ON / OFF) or indirectly by selection of a method with programmed tempering (chapter 5.1 - GENERAL NOTES).

If errors appeared during operation, first of all they have to be confirmed with [E] before remedy (chapter 9 - ERROR MESSAGE / CORRECTION).

2.4 LOADING PRINTER PAPER

With initial operation or if the colored end of the paper roll appears, printer paper must be inserted:

- Open the printer cover and remove the rest of paper.
- Put printer paper axis into the new printer paper reel.
- Fold the beginning of paper over the corner to an angle of 90° (as shown below).
- Insert the bent paper underneath the ribbon cartridge.
- Press [LF] several times for line-feed until the paper has a length of about 5 cm.
- Insert printer paper reel into the axis guide.
- Push the printer paper through the slot in the printer cover and close the printer with the cover.
3 OPERATING ELEMENTS

3.1 FRONT

- lid
- working area
- aspiration tube
- sipping lever [P]
- printer cover
- touchscreen

3.2 BACK
3.3 TOUCHSCREEN

The touchscreen shows applications and information. It is contact-sensitive and reacts to the pressure exerted on it. In order to execute a function, the desired range on the screen must be touched.

⚠️ The surface of the touchscreen may be never touched with ball-point pen, pencil or another pointed article!

3.4 WORKING AREA

- Pump tube with joints REF 5010-050
- Outlet tube cuvette REF 5010-066
- Waste tubing REF 1704834001
- Aspiration tubing REF 5010-065
- Joint inlet tube cuvette REF 1707175001
3.5 CUVETTES AND CUVETTE ADAPTOR

3.5.1 Changing cuvette adaptor
If a flow system is installed, first the tubing system must be emptied: Go to the main menu and execute a washing process by sipping lever [P] five times. Air is aspirated and the residual liquid is pumped off through the waste tube.

Switch off the device.

If a flow system is installed, disconnect the bubble detector, remove the aspiration tube from the metal tube and disconnect the outlet tube cuvette from the joints of the pump tube.

Loosen the milled screw and remove the adaptor.

Another adaptor can easily be inserted. Before check the cleanliness of the lense and the underside of the adaptor. When inserting the adaptor electrical contacts in the device are closed. Turn milled screw only by hand!

3.5.2 Working with original flow-through system
Lead the aspiration tube with attached bubble detector without sharp bend from the working area through the metal tube. Fasten outlet tube cuvette to the metal nipple of the cuvette as well as to the joint of the pump tube.

Before connecting the tubes remove pump tube at both ends from the metal clamps. The pump tube must not be tensed during longer time out (fig. below).

Plug the bubble detector to the socket in the working area. It must sit as close as possible at the connection of the flow-through cuvette. For working without bubble detector switch off this function (chapter 7.2.4.3 - Bubble detector ON / OFF).

While working with the flow-through system the tubes must not be sharply bended. No residues should be inside. Check from time to time that the tubing and the connections are leakproof. After each replacement of tubing execute a Pump calibration (chapter 7.2.4.2).

Before as well as after all measuring it is absolutely necessary to wash the tube system repeatedly with distilled water or another appropriate rinse solution by pressing [WASH] or sipping lever [P]. This is also necessary after a method change (chapter 8.1 - CLEANING INSTRUCTION). For the procedure within a measuring series see the application regulation.

In order to aspirate solution into the measuring system put the aspiration tube deeply enough into the respective vessel.

Before setting to zero press [ZERO]. Trigger setting to zero by sipping lever [P].

Trigger a normal measuring by sipping lever [P]. Repeat a measuring of a solution which is already aspirated by [RESULT].

To work in optimized volume mode use the function Volume optimized ON / OFF (chapter 7.2.4.3.2). This function makes it possible, for example, to pump two consecutive times 500 µl from 1000 µl sample volume.
3.5.3 Working with standard cuvettes

⚠️ The path of rays is directed from the back to the front of the device. Insert single cuvette according to the drawing OPTIC CONSTRUCTION in TECHNICAL DATA.

Trigger setting to zero by [ZERO].

Trigger a normal measuring by [RESULT].

3.5.4 Working with discrete flow-through cuvette

For use of a discrete flow-through cuvette insert the standard cuvette adaptor.

⚠️ The path of rays is directed from the back to the front of the device. Insert flow-through cuvette according to the drawing OPTIC CONSTRUCTION in TECHNICAL DATA.

Pay attention to the correct connection of aspiration tube and outlet tube cuvette.

Switch on the pump by the function Pump ON / OFF (chapter 7.2.4.1).

Switch on or off bubble detector by the function Bubble detector ON / OFF (chapter 7.2.4.3).

After the installation execute a Pump calibration (chapter 7.2.4.2).
4 PROGRAM SELECTION

After switch-on the touchscreen shows the main menu. From this screen the basic methods (unalterably programmed in the system) or operator specific programmed methods can be reached. Also the adjusting programs are started from this mask. With the method editor own methods can be established and changed. The utility programs cover the configuration adjustments and check routines. The lamp protection function can directly be reached by [LAMP], line feed of printer by [LF].

After completion of a method or execution of a utility program the program always returns to the main menu.

Main menu:
Down in the status line from left to right following is shown:

- Current temperature of the cuvette adaptor in °C.
  In the case of switched off tempering the display changes between --.--°C and xx.xx°C.
  In the case of switched on tempering and instable temperature the display changes between --.--°C and e.g. 37.03°C.
  In the case of stable temperature the current temperature of e.g. 37.01°C is shown. Small fluctuations of the value are normal.
- Date in the format day.month.year
- Time

4.1 Measurement with programmed methods

A programmed method for a photometric test can be called directly by input of the method number.

The valid range for a method number lies between 20 and 250.

Scroll all existing methods by [+] or [-]. If no method is programmed, a plain text error message (chapter 9.3 - PLAINTEXT ERROR MESSAGES) is shown.

Call the selected method by [E].
Return to main menu by [ESC].

A programmed method can be established via menu METHOD NEW /CHANGE / COPY (chapter 4.3 - Method editor).
The transmission of a method collection is possible by PC with special software.

Further information:
Application sheets of reagent manufacturers
4.2 Measurement with basic methods

A photometric test can be executed by a method already permanently programmed, but open in all setting parameters. 14 different methods with different calculation procedures are available. Each of these methods can serve as prototype for a method programmed by the operator.

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Available are:
- Absorbance measurement
- Concentration measurement / end point measurement
- Fixed time kinetic / two point kinetic
- Kinetic
- Transmission

Scrolling through all methods is possible by [PAGE]. The current page is shown at the right upper screen corner. By [END] the program returns to the main menu.

A method is selected by pressing the corresponding key.

The following abbreviations are used for the distinction of the methods:
- CONC. = concentration
- KIN = kinetic
- F = factor
- STD = standard
- RB = reagent blank
- SB = sample blank

Further information:
Chapter: 5 - CALCULATION PROCEDURES

4.3 Method editor

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Each photometric test can be permanently stored with its setting parameters by the method editor.

With the functions of the method editor are possible the new installation, the change and removing a method.

By [LIST] an overview of the programmed methods can be printed and transmitted via the serial interface.

Further information:
Chapter: 6 - METHOD EDITOR
4.4 Utility programs

Utility programs are necessary for the adjustment and maintenance of Photometers 5010.

Further information:
Chapter: 7 - UTILITY PROGRAMS

4.5 Lamp protection [LAMP]

By [LAMP] in the main menu the halogen lamp can be switched off temporarily to extend the lifetime.

Activate the lamp protection by [ON].

Deactivate the lamp protection by [OFF]. After 60 s Photometer 5010 is again ready for measuring.

Leave the function by [EXIT].

A zero adjustment should be repeated by bringing in a zero solution and pressing [ZERO].

4.6 Line feed [LF]

Pressing [LF] in the main menu triggers a line feed in the case of activated printer. Several lines can be advanced by continuous pressure on [LF].
5 CALCULATION PROCEDURES

5.1 GENERAL NOTES

The device offers operator guidance in the display by a combination of plaintext and short terms.

Messages and inputs regarding the method always have to be confirmed by [OK]. By [EXIT] all methods can be broken off. For a restart see chapter 4 - PROGRAM SELECTION. Measuring is generally triggered by sipping lever [P] or [RESULT], zero measuring by [ZERO] and sipping lever [P] (chapter 3.5.2 - Working with original flow-through system and 3.5.3 - Working with standard cuvettes -).

5.1.1 Fundamental to the handling ...

- Before measuring with standard cuvettes the lid of the cuvette compartment is to be closed.

- Deviations from normal operation, caused by the device or by the operator, are notified by "ERROR". They always have to be confirmed by [E] (chapter 9 - ERROR MESSAGE / CORRECTION).

  Example 1: The reading exceeds the programmed upper limit
  Example 2: Too little liquid when sucking in a measuring solution

5.1.2 Fundamental to the tempering ...

- Tempering switched on or off is parameter of a method.

- After switching on the tempering it lasts up to 10 minutes until a constant temperature of 25 °C, 30 °C or 37 °C is reached.

- The current temperature of the flow-through cuvette or of the cuvette adaptor is shown at the lower edge of the touchscreen. For meaning of the display see chapter 4 - PROGRAM SELECTION /MAIN MENU. A temperature instable or out of tolerance during measuring is marked by an asterisk (*) at the utmost right position in the corresponding print line. To avoid deviations due to temperature influence a delay between triggering and actual measuring can be programmed in each method.

- For a quick mode of operation all temperature-sensitive samples, reagents and washing solutions should be externally tempered by Incubator T12/T16 (REF 500-002 / 500-001) or a water bath.

5.1.3 Fundamental to the inputs ...

- The input format of the factor and/or the standard with sign determines the output format of the result concerning the number of decimal places.
  Example: With factor “36.8” the calculated concentration will be shown with one decimal place.

- Each factor or standard can be minus signed, so that the result is calculated with correct sign.
  Example: The test GOT is programmed with the factor “-1746” because the measuring principle implies a decreasing absorbance.

- The reagent blank can be measured, entered or put on zero.

- For a homogeneous solution the input of a delay before a measuring is possible at all methods.

- All delay times can be cancelled by pressing the aspiration tube [P] for a long time.
5.1.4 Fundamental to the methods with standard ...

- Each measuring of a standard (calibrator) can be executed as single, double or triple determination. Following is shown:

In the white reading window the averaged absorbance of the standard is shown.

Below the white reading window the absorbance 1, 2 and 3 of a standard are shown.

By [OK] the average of all values is taken over. Values with 0 are ignored and excluded from the calculation. The resulting factor is calculated from the average of the standard.

By [CURS.] a value is selected. A flashing white square marks the current value.

By [DEL.] a value is deleted and excluded from the calculation.

By [RESULT] a measuring is triggered.

- The determined resulting factor of a standard measurement is stored together with the corresponding method number. After renewed selection of this method the last resulting factor is offered as "OLD STD".

- The principle of the multiple measurement can also be expanded to all measurements. The corresponding entry can be set invoking a basic method. The parameter is definable in preprogrammed methods (chapter 6 - METHOD EDITOR).

5.1.5 Fundamental to the methods with multi-standards ...

- Linear calibration is used in the case of two calibrators. The absorbance forms a linear diagram with the concentrations (chapter 7.2.2 - Multi-standard functions).

- Nonlinear calibration is used for samples with a nonlinear but reproducible connection between the absorbance and the concentrations. At least three (maximum 20) calibrators are required for nonlinear calibration (chapter 7.2.2 - Multi-standard functions).

5.1.6 Fundamental to bichromatic measurements ...

- The calculation procedures based on endpoint measurement (CP 1 to CP 8, CP 13 and CP 14) can be executed bichromatic. The zero measurement will be done with a wavelength defined as bichromatic. The bichromatic wavelength might be not included in the standard set of filters. The bichromatic wavelength can be set after calling a method (chapter 6 METHOD EDITOR Fig. 6.5).
5.1.7 Fundamental to the Kinetic...

In a kinetic method the sample absorbance is measured several times in pre-established time intervals. The user can define a delay time and a quantity and duration of time intervals after the delay time (Deltas or $\Delta t$). At the beginning and at the end of the delay time the absorbance values $ABS.1$ and $ABS.2$ are measured respectively. The difference $|ABS.1 - ABS.2|$ allows the differentiation between normal and abnormal activities. This is followed by a sequence of measurements in regular time intervals (Deltas or $\Delta t$). An example of a resulting curve is shown in Fig. 5.1.7.1:

![Fig. 5.1.7.1: Resulting curve of kinetic test, decreasing absorbance](image)

In each time interval (Delta or $\Delta t$) the difference between the relating absorbance values as well as the gradient of the curve are calculated.

To obtain the alteration per minute $\Delta A_{\text{Minute}}$, the gradients must be averaged. This is done by a simple linear regression calculation also giving an indicator for the linearity of the test. This indicator is called the coefficient of correlation $R$. For practical reasons, the square of the coefficient of correlation $R^2$ is taken in a Kinetic calculation. The value of $R^2$ can vary between 0 and 1. An $R^2$ value of 1 indicates perfect linearity and a value of 0 indicates absolute non-linearity. Already values < 0.9 indicate a bad linearity and therefore an incorrect test.

In practice, linear tests show values of $R^2$ near to 1. In the example for Calculation procedure 11 (KIN/F/Rb) values of $R^2 \geq 0.998$ are permitted. Results with smaller $R^2$ values could be caused by temperature instability, pollution, expired reagents, unfavorable delay time, etc.

For a better monitoring the number of deltas (deltas or $\Delta t$) should be bigger than specified for the manual procedure. The classic three-minutes-test with three deltas of 60 s can be replaced by 15 deltas of 12s.

When programming a new method, which is based on CP 11 or CP 12, it is possible to set lower and upper limits for the measurement result within the method editor (see chapter 6 - METHOD EDITOR, Fig. 6.5). This can be achieved setting the parameters MIN. VALUE and MAX. VALUE. If the measured value exceeds the MAX. VALUE a message RANGE MAX. is shown and if the measured value falls below MIN. VALUE message RANGE MIN. is shown. Also a lower limit for $R^2$ can be entered by setting MIN. $R^2$, if the obtained $R^2$ value falls below the entered value a message RANGE $R^2$ is shown.

In order to get positive results at tests with decreasing absorbance (see Fig. 5.1.7.1), a negative factor has to be entered. Only if MAX. VALUE is set and the sign of the measured value is not equal to the sign of the entered MAX. VALUE a message RANGE +/- is shown.

The parameters MIN. VALUE, MAX. VALUE and MIN. $R^2$ are deactivated entering a zero value.
5.2 ABBREVIATIONS

A, ABS .................. Absorbance
A_{RB} ................ Absorbance of reagent blank
A_{RB,0} ............... At Fixed Time: absorbance of reagent blank after incubation time T_0
A_{RB,1} ............... At Fixed Time: absorbance of reagent blank after reaction time T_1
A_{RB,0} ............... Absorbance of blank of reagent blank
A_{S} .................. Absorbance of sample
A_{S,0} ............... At Fixed Time: absorbance of sample after incubation time T_0
A_{S,1} ............... At Fixed Time: absorbance of sample after reaction time T_1
A_{SB} ................ Absorbance of sample blank
A_{ST} ................ Absorbance of standard
A_{ST,0} ................ At Fixed Time: absorbance of standard after incubation time T_0
A_{ST,1} ................ At Fixed Time: absorbance of standard after reaction time T_1
A_{STB} ............... Absorbance of standard blank
C ...................... Concentration
C_{ST} ............... Concentration of standard
CV ..................... Quality control: Coefficient of variation
dA/min .................. At Kinetic: ΔA / min
ΔA_{RB,Min} ........... At Kinetic: change of reagent blank per minute (measured in ΔA / min)
ΔA_{S,Min} ........... At Kinetic: change of sample per minute (measured in ΔA / min)
F ...................... Factor
FTK ..................... Fixed Time Kinetic
KIN .................... Kinetic
n ..................... Quality control: number of values
nm .................... Nanometer (dimension of wavelength)
m ..................... Quality control: mean of values
R ...................... Result, Sample
Rb .................... Reagent blank
Rbb ................... Blank of reagent blank
R^2 .................... At Kinetic: square of correlation coefficient shows the linearity of a test
S, ST .................. Standard
STb .................... Standard blank
Sb ..................... Sample blank
s ..................... Quality control: standard deviation
TRANSM., T .......... Transmission in %
T_0 .................... At Fixed Time: incubation time in seconds
T_1 .................... At Fixed Time: reaction time in seconds
T_1 .................... At Kinetic: time per delta in seconds
5.3 SURVEY OF THE METHODS

The calculation procedures, on which all methods are traceable from the list of methods, are mentioned in the following table. Criterion is the characteristic of the calculation procedure (see below). For detailed description of the respectively accompanying procedure of method see chapter 5.4 - DESCRIPTION OF METHOD PROCEDURES.

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<td>( C = F \times</td>
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<td>C/F DELTA</td>
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<td>Measurement with 3 Wavelengths</td>
<td>( C = 168 \times A_{415nm} - 84 \times A_{380nm} - 84 \times A_{450nm} )</td>
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Explanations:

CP-No. ................. Number of the calculation procedure (chapter 6 - METHOD EDITOR)
Characteristic ........ Name of the calculation procedure (chapter 12.1 - BASIC METHOD)
Calculation formula ..... Calculation basis of basic method
5.4 DESCRIPTION OF METHOD PROCEDURES

In the descriptions of the calculation procedures a typical print-out by the internal printer is shown on the left side. All examples were built with active pump. In case of measurements without pump the volumes for sipping the media are not printed.

All print-outs begin with the device information, laboratory data and method parameters followed by all measuring data necessary for a manual examination of the readings.

The measuring window

The arrangement of the measuring window is alike in all calculation procedures. Depending on the method, various numbers of readings or diagrams are shown.

Functions of the action keys in the measuring window:

- [EXIT] Leads to the query whether the measuring program is to be terminated.
- [MODE] Occupies the action keys with following mode functions:
  - [NUM.]  
  - [MODE]  
  - [LF]  
  - [QC]  
  - [RETURN]  
  - [PRN]  
  - [DETAIL]  
  - [LAMP]  
  - [M-STD]  
  - [RETURN]
- [WASH] With activated pump the wash volume defined to the method is pumped.
- [ZERO] Starts the zero measuring.
  With activated pump the supping lever [P] must also be pressed.
- [RESULT] Starts the measuring.
  With activated pump a solution already sipped is measured once again.
  To aspirate and measure a new sample press sipping lever [P].
5.4.1 Calculation procedure 1 (C/F)

Method at which a measured sample value $A_S$ is multiplied with a predefined factor $F$.

Calculation procedure .......................................................CP 1
Characteristic .................................................................C / F
Method ............................................................End Point with Factor
Calculation formula .................................................. $C = F \times A_S$
Factor ............................................................given / entering

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Start method selection in the main menu.
See chapter:
4.1 - Measurement with programmed methods
4.2 - Measurement with basic methods
In the case of activated printer the print-out of the method data follows.
The measuring window is shown.

Method procedure:

$\rightarrow$ Insert / measure zero solution

$\rightarrow$ Insert / measure sample

$\rightarrow$ Insert / measure sample
5.4.2 Calculation procedure 2 (C/F/Rb)

Method at which the difference of sample value $A_S$ and reagent blank $A_{RB}$ is multiplied with a given factor $F$. The reagent blank $A_{RB}$ is entered or measured once.

Calculation procedure .......................................................CP 2
Characteristic ............................................................ C / F / Rb
Method ............................................................End Point with Factor
Calculation formula .......................................$C = F \times (A_S - A_{RB})$
Factor............................................................... given / entering
Reagent blank........................................ entering or measuring

Start method selection in the main menu.
See chapter:
4.1 - Measurement with programmed methods
4.2 - Measurement with basic methods

In the case of activated printer the print-out of the method data follows.

The measuring window is shown.

Method procedure:
→ Insert / measure zero solution
→ Insert / measure reagent blank
→ Insert / measure sample
→ Insert / measure sample
→ Insert / measure sample
5.4.3 Calculation procedure 3 (C/F/Sb)

Method at which the difference of sample value $A_S$ and sample blank $A_{SB}$ regarding the amount is multiplied with a given factor $F$. The sample blank $A_{SB}$ is measured before every test.

- **Calculation procedure**: CP 3
- **Characteristic**: C / F / Sb
- **Method**: End Point with Factor
- **Calculation formula**: $C = F \times |A_S - A_{SB}|$
- **Factor**: given / entering

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Start method selection in the main menu. See chapter:

4.1 - Measurement with programmed methods
4.2 - Measurement with basic methods

In the case of activated printer the print-out of the method data follows.

The measuring window is shown.

**Method procedure:**

- Insert / measure zero solution
- Insert / measure sample blank
- Insert / measure sample
- Insert / measure sample blank
- Insert / measure sample
- Insert / measure sample blank
- Insert / measure sample
5.4.4 Calculation procedure 4 (C/F/SbRb)

Method at which the difference of reagent blank $A_{RB}$ and blank of reagent blank $A_{RBB}$ regarding the amount is subtracted of the difference of sample value $A_S$ and sample blank $A_{SB}$ regarding the amount, and this difference is multiplied with a given factor $F$.

The sample blank $A_{SB}$ is measured before every test. The reagent blank $A_{RB}$ is entered or measured once.

Calculation procedure .......................................................CP 4
Characteristic.............................................................C / F / SbRb
Method ..........................................................End Point with Factor
Calculation formula ..............$C = F \times (|A_S - A_{SB}| - |A_{RB} - A_{RBB}|)$
Factor............................................................... given / entering
Reagent blank ........................................ entering or measuring

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$Rb[A]$: 0.085
$Rbb[A]$: 0.198
$\Delta Rb$: 0.113

NO. | ABS. | RESULT |
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1 | 0.715 | 154 |
$Sb[A]$: 0.486 |
2 | 0.646 | 49 |
$Sb[A]$: 0.497 |

Start method selection in the main menu.
See chapter:
4.1 - Measurement with programmed methods
4.2 - Measurement with basic methods

In the case of activated printer the print-out of the method data follows.

The measuring window is shown.

Method procedure:

→ Insert / measure zero solution
→ Insert / measure blank of reagent blank
→ Insert / measure reagent blank (Resulting blank)

→ Insert / measure sample blank
→ Insert / measure sample
→ Insert / measure sample blank
→ Insert / measure sample
5.4.5 Calculation procedure 5 (C/S)

Method at which a measured absorbance value $A_S$ is multiplied with a factor $F$ which is determined by measuring of a standard solution with known concentration $C_{ST}$.

Calculation procedure .......................................................CP 5
Characteristic .................................................................... C / S
Method ............................................... End Point with Standard
Calculation formula .................................................. $C = F \times A_S$
Resulting factor .................................................... $F = \frac{C_{ST}}{A_{ST}}$

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Start method selection in the main menu.

See chapter:
4.1 - Measurement with programmed methods
4.2 - Measurement with basic methods

In the case of activated printer the print-out of the method data follows.

The measuring window is shown.

Method procedure:

Æ Insert / measure zero solution
Æ Insert / measure standard 1
Æ Insert / measure standard 2 (optional)
Æ Insert / measure standard 3 (optional)  

(Averaged standard)

(Resulting factor)

Æ Insert / measure sample
Æ Insert / measure sample
Æ Insert / measure sample

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5.4.6 Calculation procedure 6 (C/S/Rb)

Method at which the difference of sample value $A_S$ and reagent blank $A_{RB}$ is multiplied with a factor $F$ which is determined by measuring of a standard solution with known concentration $C_{ST}$ and under consideration of reagent blank $A_{RB}$.

The reagent blank $A_{RB}$ is entered or measured once.

Calculation procedure .......................................................CP 6
Characteristic ............................................................ C / S / Rb
Method .......................................................... End Point with Standard
Calculation formula ............................................... $C = F \times (A_S - A_{RB})$
Resulting factor .................................................... $F = \frac{C_{ST}}{(A_{ST} - A_{RB})}$
Reagent blank .................................................... entering or measuring

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$A_{RB}$: 0.108
$ST[A]$ 1: 1.112
$ST[A]$ 2: 1.132
$ST[A]$ 3: 1.118
$ST[A]$: 1.121
FACTOR: 148.2

(Averaged standard)
(Resulting factor)

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See chapter:
4.1 - Measurement with programmed methods
4.2 - Measurement with basic methods
In the case of activated printer the print-out of the method data follows.

The measuring window is shown.

Method procedure:
- Insert / measure zero solution
- Insert / measure reagent blank
- Insert / measure standard 1
- Insert / measure standard 2 (optional)
- Insert / measure standard 3 (optional)
- Insert / measure sample
- Insert / measure sample
- Insert / measure sample
5.4.7 Calculation procedure 7 (C/S/Sb)

Method at which the difference of sample value $A_S$ and sample blank $A_{SB}$ regarding the amount is multiplied with a factor $F$ which is determined by measuring of a standard solution with known concentration $C_{ST}$ and under consideration of standard blank $A_{STB}$.

The sample blank $A_{SB}$ is measured before every test.

Calculation procedure .......................................................CP 7
Characteristic ............................................................ C / S / Sb
Method ............................................... End Point with Standard
Calculation formula ....................................... $C = F \times |A_S - A_{SB}|$
Resulting factor ........................................ $F = \frac{C_{ST}}{|A_{ST} - A_{STB}|}$

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Method procedure:

- Insert / measure zero solution
- Insert / measure standard blank
- Insert / measure standard 1
- Insert / measure standard 2 (optional)
- Insert / measure standard 3 (optional)
- Averaged standard
- Standard blank
- Averaged standard minus standard blank
- Resulting factor

Start method selection in the main menu. See chapter:

4.1 - Measurement with programmed methods
4.2 - Measurement with basic methods

In the case of activated printer the print-out of the method data follows.

The measuring window is shown.
### 5.4.8 Calculation procedure 8 (C/S/SbRb)

Method at which the difference of reagent blank $A_{RB}$ and blank of reagent blank $A_{RBB}$ regarding the amount is subtracted of the difference of sample value $A_S$ and sample blank $A_{SB}$ regarding the amount and this difference is multiplied with a factor $F$ which is determined by measuring of a standard solution with known concentration $C_{ST}$ and under consideration of standard blank $A_{STB}$ and the difference of reagent blank $A_{RB}$ and blank of reagent blank $A_{RBB}$

The sample blank $A_{SB}$ is measured before every test. The reagent blank $A_{RB}$ is entered or measured once.

Calculation procedure ................................................. CP 8
Characteristic ......................................................... C / S / SbRb
Method ................................................................. End Point with Standard
Calculation formula .............. $C = F \times (|A_S - A_{SB}| - |A_{RB} - A_{RBB}|)$
Resulting factor .................. $F = \frac{C_{ST}}{(|A_{ST} - A_{STB}| - |A_{RB} - A_{RBB}|)}$
Reagent blank ..................... entering or measuring

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MEASURE BLANK

| Rb[A]: 0.150 |
| Rbb[A]: 0.046 |
| DELTA Rb: 0.104 |

ST[A] 1: 1.485
ST[A] 2: 1.521
ST[A] 3: 1.495

ST[A]: 1.501
STD[A]: 0.047
DELTA ST: 1.022
FACTOR: 8.74

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<td>Sb[A]: 0.329</td>
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Start method selection in the main menu.
See chapter:
4.1 - Measurement with programmed methods
4.2 - Measurement with basic methods
In the case of activated printer the print-out of the method data follows.

The measuring window is shown.

Method procedure:

- Insert / measure zero solution
- Insert / measure blank of reagent blank
- Insert / measure reagent blank
- Insert / measure standard blank
- Insert / measure standard 1
- Insert / measure standard 2 (optional)
- Insert / measure standard 3 (optional)
- (Averaged standard)
- (standard blank)
- (Averaged standard minus standard blank)
- (Resulting factor)
5.4.9 Calculation procedure 9 (FTK/F/Rb)

Method at which a reagent blank is measured after an incubation time (⇒ \( A_{RB,0} \)) and after a reaction time (⇒ \( A_{RB,1} \)) and also a sample after an incubation time (⇒ \( A_{S,0} \)) and after a reaction time (⇒ \( A_{S,1} \)).

The difference from the change of the test and the change of the reagent blank is multiplied by a predefined factor F. The reagent blank \( A_{RB} \) is entered or measured once.

During the procedure the dialog asks for the use of a reagent blank. The default value is OFF. To continue without reagent blank press [ENTER].

After each measurement the next sample can be measured with [NEXT]. With [RESULT] it is possible to measure the same sample again.

Calculation procedure .......................................................CP 9
Characteristic ........................................................ FTK / F / Rb
Method ................................................. Fixed Time with Factor
Calculation formula ......... \( C = F \times (|A_{S,0} - A_{S,1}| - |A_{RB,0} - A_{RB,1}|) \)
Factor............................................................... given / entering
Reagent blank........................................ entering or measuring

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PHOTOMETER 5010   #5100
V5.10a 05.07.07 D
LAB.:   RIELE GMBH+CO KG
DATE:           07.13.07
TIME:           09:47:33
METHOD  29:   CK-MB
PROGRAM:               9
FACTOR:           2751.3
WAVELENGTH:        340nm
TEMPERATURE:         37°C
MEAS. VOLUME:      900ul
WASH VOLUME:      1000ul
INCUBATION:         120s
REACTION:           180s
MAX. UNITS:          1500
UNIT:                U/l
- - - - - - - - - - - -

MEASURE BLANK
Rb[A]:    0.000

NO.   ABS.     RESULT
- - - - - - - - - - - -
1   1.005    910.7
    DELTA [A]: 0.331
2   1.029    1128.1
    DELTA [A]: 0.410
3   0.829    1381.2
    DELTA [A]: 0.502

Start method selection in the main menu.
See chapter:
4.1 - Measurement with programmed methods
4.2 - Measurement with basic methods
In the case of activated printer the print-out of the method data follows.

The measuring window is shown.

Method procedure:
⇒ insert / measure zero solution
Without reagent blank (insert / measure optionally)
⇒ insert / measure sample
⇒ insert / measure sample
⇒ insert / measure sample
5.4.10 Calculation procedure 10 (FTK/S/Rb)

Method at which a reagent blank is measured after an incubation time ($\Rightarrow A_{RB,0}$) and after a reaction time ($\Rightarrow A_{RB,1}$) and also a sample after an incubation time ($\Rightarrow A_{S,0}$) and after a reaction time ($\Rightarrow A_{S,1}$).

The difference from the change of the sample and the change of the reagent blank becomes multiplied with a factor $F$ which is determined by means of the change of standard solution $|A_{ST,0} - A_{ST,1}|$ and the change of reagent blank $|A_{RB,0} - A_{RB,1}|$ during the reaction time and given concentration of standard. The reagent blank $A_{RB}$ is entered or measured once.

During the procedure the dialog asks for the use of a reagent blank. The default value is OFF. To continue without reagent blank press [ENTER].

After each measurement the next sample can be measured with [NEXT].

With [RESULT] it is possible to measure the same sample again.

Calculation procedure .....................................................CP 10
Characteristic ........................................................ FTK / S / Rb
Method ............................................. Fixed Time with Standard
Calculation formula ......... $C = F \times (|A_{S,0} - A_{S,1}| - |A_{RB,0} - A_{RB,1}|)$
Resulting factor .............. $F = C_{ST} / (|A_{ST,0} - A_{ST,1}| - |A_{RB,0} - A_{RB,1}|)$
Reagent blank ........................................ entering or measuring

| PHOTOMETER 5010 #5100 |
| V5.10a 05.07.07 D |
| LAB. : RIELE GMBH+CO KG |
| DATE: 07.13.06 |
| TIME: 10:03:16 |
| METHOD 30: CREATININ |
| PROGRAM: 10 |
| STANDARD: 2.00 |
| WAVELENGTH: 492nm |
| TEMPERATURE: 37C |
| MEAS. VOLUME: 900ul |
| WASH VOLUME: 1000ul |
| INCUBATION: 45s |
| REACTION: 60s |
| MAX. UNITS: 25 |
| UNIT: mg/dl |

Start method selection in the main menu.
See chapter: 4.1 - Measurement with programmed methods
4.2 - Measurement with basic methods

The measuring window is shown.

Method procedure:

→ Insert / measure zero solution

Without reagent blank (insert / measure optionally)

→ Insert / measure standard 1
→ Insert / measure standard 2 (optional)
→ Insert / measure standard 3 (optional)

(Averaged standard)
(Resulting factor)

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<td>DELTA [A]: 1.310</td>
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5.4.11 Calculation procedure 11 (KIN/F/Rb)

Method at which a sample S is measured several times (depending on the number of deltas) in an equidistant time grid. From the resulting absorbance values an alteration per minute $\Delta A_{S,Minute}$ is determined by a regression calculation. The reagent blank $\Delta A_{RB,Minute}$ is measured in the same way as the sample (or entered directly in U/l) and subtracted from the sample value. This difference is multiplied by a given factor F.

During the procedure the dialog asks for the use of a reagent blank. The default value is OFF. To continue without reagent blank press [ENTER].

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<tr>
<th>Calculation procedure</th>
<th>Characteristic</th>
<th>Method</th>
<th>Calculation formula</th>
<th>Factor</th>
<th>Reagent blank</th>
<th>Number of deltas</th>
<th>Time per delta</th>
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<tr>
<td>CP 11</td>
<td>KIN / F / Rb</td>
<td>Kinetic with Factor</td>
<td>$C = F \times (\Delta A_{S,Minute} - \Delta A_{RB,Minute})$</td>
<td>given / entering</td>
<td>entering or measuring</td>
<td>entering (3 to 28)</td>
<td>entering (4 s to 255 s)</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Start method selection in the main menu.

See chapter:

4.1 - Measurement with programmed methods
4.2 - Measurement with basic methods

In the case of activated printer the print-out of the method data follows.

The measuring window is shown.

This example shows a negative factor producing a positive result at decreasing absorbance.

The absorbance value will be constantly refreshed on the display during the delay time.

At the beginning and at the end of the delay time, the absorbance values ABS.1 and ABS.2 are measured respectively.

Method procedure:

- Insert / measure zero solution

Without reagent blank (insert / measure optionally)

- Insert / measure sample

Numerator / |ABS.1 – ABS.2| / Result

- Insert / measure sample

- Insert / measure sample

(Detail print-out of deltas, ABS.1 and ABS.2)
5.4.12 Calculation procedure 12 (KIN/S/Rb)

Method at which a sample S is measured several times (depending on the number of deltas) in an equidistant time grid. From the resulting absorbance values an alteration per minute $\Delta A_{S,\text{Minute}}$ is determined by a regression calculation. The reagent blank $\Delta A_{\text{RB,Minute}}$ is measured in the same way as the sample (or entered directly in U/l) and subtracted from the sample value. This difference is multiplied by a factor F which is determined by measuring of a standard solution $\Delta A_{\text{ST,Minute}}$ with known concentration $C_{\text{ST}}$ and under consideration of the reagent blank $\Delta A_{\text{RB,Minute}}$.

During the procedure the dialog asks for the use of a reagent blank. The default value is OFF. To continue without reagent blank press [ENTER].

Calculation procedure .....................................................CP 12
Characteristic ......................................................... KIN / S / Rb
Method .................................................... Kinetic with Standard
Calculation formula ..................... $C = F \times (\Delta A_{S,\text{Minute}} - \Delta A_{\text{RB,Minute}})$
Resulting factor ....................... $F = C_{\text{ST}} / (\Delta A_{\text{ST,Minute}} - \Delta A_{\text{RB,Minute}})$
Reagent blank ........................................ entering or measuring
Number of deltas........................................... entering (3 to 28)
Time per delta ........................................ entering (4 s to 255 s)

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LAB.: RIELE GMBH+CO KG
DATE:  07.09.07
TIME:  11:10:03
METHOD  32:   UREA
PROGRAM:              12
STANDARD:           80.0
WAVELENGTH:         340nm
TEMPERATURE:         37°C
MEAS. VOLUME:       900ul
WASH VOLUME:       1000ul
DELAY:               3s
DELTAS:               5
TIME/DELTA:          5s
MIN. R^2:           0.998
UNIT:          mg/dl
- - - - - - - - - - - -
MEASURE BLANK
Rb[A]:    0.000
ST/KIN 1:  0.327
R^2:  0.9996
ST/KIN 2:  0.330
R^2:  0.9989
ST/KIN 3:  0.324
R^2:  0.9994
ST/KIN:    0.327
FACTOR:    244.3

Start method selection in the main menu.
See chapter:
4.1 - Measurement with programmed methods
4.2 - Measurement with basic methods
In the case of activated printer the print-out of the method data follows.

The measuring window is shown.

The absorbance value will be constantly refreshed on the display during the delay time.
At the beginning and at the end of the delay time, the absorbance values ABS.1 and ABS.2 are measured respectively.

Method procedure:

⇒ Insert / measure zero solution
Without reagent blank (insert / measure optionally)
⇒ Insert / measure standard 1
⇒ Insert / measure standard 2 (optional)
⇒ Insert / measure standard 3 (optional)
(Averaged standard)
(Resulting factor)
⇒ Insert / measure sample
Numerator / (ABS.1 – ABS.2) / Result
⇒ Insert / measure sample

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### 5.4.13 Calculation procedure 13 (TRANSMISSION)

Calculation procedure .......................................................... CP 13
Characteristic ................................................................. T in %

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<td>MEAS. VOLUME: 900ul</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>WASH VOLUME: 1000ul</td>
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**MEASURE 100%**

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Start method selection in the main menu.
See chapter:
4.1 - Measurement with programmed methods
4.2 - Measurement with basic methods

In the case of activated printer the print-out of the method data follows.

The measuring window is shown.

Method procedure:
- Insert / measure zero solution
- Insert / measure sample
- Insert / measure sample
- Insert / measure sample
5.4.14 Calculation procedure 14 (C/F Delta)

Method at which a difference of sample E2 – E1 is measured several times depending on the quantity of samples. In the first course the samples E1 (maximum 25) will be measured, optionally with or without sample blank. After a user defined measure time the samples E2 will be measured in a second course. Attention should be paid to the order within the series to avoid errors. The procedure corresponds to a fixed time kinetic and is normally processed using the standard cuvette adaptor.

Quality control samples can not be saved.

This calculation procedure has special parameters, that allow a time controlled measuring process. These parameters are: time/delta T1, measure time T2, delay T3, reagent time #2 and reagent time #3. By setting a time/delta (value between 10s and 255s) the other parameters for the time controlled measuring will be used. In the time controlled mode the quantity of samples is determined by the measure time and the time/delta, e.g. with a measure time of 60s and a time/delta of 10s it is possible to measure 6 samples (without sample blank). The measure time should be chosen greater than or equal to the time/delta.

At the beginning of the method the use of a sample blank is queried. After the blank is measured the time controlled measuring process will be started with [RESULT]. With a combination of acoustic signals and text messages on the display the Photometer takes control of the timing for the whole measuring. The measurement of the samples E1 can be finished at any time with [E1/E2]. In the second course will be so many samples measured as in the first course.

Before starting a new E1/E2 course a new zero measurement has to be done.

The reagent time #3 is usable only if the reagent time #2 is set. In that case the reagent mode will be entered, i.e. the photometer also takes control of the timing for dispensing the reagent before measuring the samples. The quantity of samples will be determined by the reagent time #2 and the time/delta. The reagent time #2 should be chosen less than or equal to the reagent time #3 and greater than or equal to the time/delta.

Figure 5.1 shows the time sequence of a time controlled measuring process with N samples, a delay time T3 and without reagent time.

![Diagram of time controlled measuring process](image-url)

Fig. 5.4.14.1: time controlled measuring

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**t:** Time  
**T1:** Time/Delta  
**T2:** Measure time  
**T3:** Delay, optional  
**A:** Start of time controlled measuring  
**E1:** Start of first course (E1)  
**E2:** Start of second course (E2)
Calculation procedure .................................CP 14
Characteristic ......................................... C / F / Delta
Method .............................................. Difference with Factor
Calculation formula ..................... C = F ∗ \( \Delta A_{S2-Sb2} - \Delta A_{S1-Sb1} \) 
Factor................................................ given / entering
Sample blank .................................. with / without
Time / Delta T1...........................................entering (0, 10s to 255s)
Measure time T2................................entering (0 to 1800s)
Delay T3............................................entering (0 to 1800s)
Reagent time #2.....................................entering (0 to 1800s)
Reagent time #3.....................................entering (0 to 1800s)

Start method selection in the main menu.
See chapter:
4.1 - Measurement with programmed methods
4.2 - Measurement with basic methods
In the case of activated printer the print out of the method data follows.

The measuring window is shown.

Method procedure with sample blank:

Æ Insert / measure zero solution
Æ Measure all samples E1 (maximum 25)
Æ Change to measuring E2 by [E1/E2]
Æ Measure all samples E2 (maximum 25)

Results based on the differences of the measured samples
Æ Show the results by [MODE] [MODE] [DETAIL]

Method procedure without sample blank:

Æ Measure all samples E1 (maximum 25)
Æ Change to measuring E2 by [E1/E2]
Æ Measure all samples E2 (maximum 25)

Results based on the differences of the measured samples
Æ Show the results by [MODE] [MODE] [DETAIL]
5.4.15 Calculation Procedure 15 (C/F 3 WL)

Method at which a sample is measured with three different wavelengths: 380 nm, 415 nm and 450 nm. This method is appropriated for free hemoglobin measurements. The mentioned wavelengths are not included in the standard set of filters. The factor has to be adjusted if using thinner (see chapter 5.1.3).

Calculation procedure ................................................................. CP 15
Characteristic .................................................................................. C / F 3 WL
Method ......................................................................................... Measurement with 3 wavelengths
Calculation formula ........... \[ C \text{ [mg/dl]} = F \times (168 \times A_{415\text{nm}} - 84 \times A_{380\text{nm}} - 84 \times A_{450\text{nm}}) \]
Factor ...................................................... given / entering
Conversion factor ................................................................. \( \mu\text{mol/L} \equiv 0.6206 \times \text{mg/dl} \)

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<td>WAVELENGTH: 380/415/450nm</td>
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<td>TEMPERATURE: 37\degree C</td>
<td>→ Insert / measure zero solution</td>
<td>TEMPERATURE: 37\degree C</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DELAY: 2s</td>
<td>→ The result will be displayed in two units of measurement</td>
<td>DELAY: 2s</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>UNIT: mg/dl</td>
<td>→ Insert / measure sample</td>
<td>UNIT: mg/dl</td>
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<tr>
<td>MEASURE BLANK</td>
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<td>9.45</td>
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6 METHOD EDITOR

By the method editor the daily laboratory work can be substantially facilitated. Based on the 15 calculation procedures up to 231 user-defined methods with their setting parameters can be saved. With the functions of the editor a method can be established, changed or deleted.

Fig. 6.1
METHOD NEW / CHANGE / COPY

In the main window of the method editor following options are available:

[METHOD COPY] Change to Fig. 6.2, where different copy functions can be selected.

[METH. EDIT] Change to Fig. 6.3, where the number of the method to be edited is queried. Afterwards all setting parameters of the selected method can be changed.

[METHOD NEW] Change to selection of the calculation procedure (see 5.3 SURVEY OF THE METHODS). In Fig. 6.4 all setting parameters can be edited.

[METHODE DELETE] Change to Fig. 6.3, where the number of the method to be deleted is queried. After a prompt for confirmation the selected method is deleted. (Basic and fixed methods cannot be deleted).

[List] A list of all programmed methods can be printed and transmitted via the serial interface.

(EXIT] Return to main menu

Print-out of a method list:
METHOD 20: HEMOGLOBIN
F 29.4 405nm g/dl
METHOD 21: HDL-C
F 1.000 546nm mg/dl
METHOD 30: CREATININ
S 2.0 492nm mg/dl
METHOD 31: GOT
F–1746.0 340nm U/l

Fig. 6.2

In the main window of the method editor all methods from no 20 can be copied to a new method no. First the method to be copied is queried in Fig. 6.3. Its parameters can be changed starting with Fig. 6.4.

[LAST] The method used last can be copied on a new method place. Its setting parameters can be changed starting with Fig. 6.4.

This function is very useful if a basic method with new setting parameters was successfully tested. These parameters can be saved as a new method starting from no 20.

(EXIT] Return to main menu

METHOD COPY

EXIT LAST #→#
Inquiry window of the desired method. The method used last is suggested. With [+]
or [-] the methods can be scrolled. A numeric input of the method number is possible at any
time. A known method is indicated with name and dimension.

[E]  Select shown method

[ESC]  Return to main menu

The parameter windows 1 and 2 show the general method data.
The parameter window 3 has special functions which are necessary for quality control only
(see below).

For each setting parameter a leading identification number is shown. If the identification
number is selected on the keyboard, the corresponding setting parameter becomes
configurable.

Number and kind of setting parameters depend on the calculation procedure. So identification numbers can be occupied
variedly. Characteristic numbers without parameters do not have a function.

[EXIT]  Return to main menu

[OK]  Accept setting parameters (depending on editor mode sometimes with query of target
method)

[S../3]  Change to next parameter window

Specifics in parameter window 3:
At least one control serum must be defined, before data can be entered (see chapter 7.2.6
Quality control).
If at least one control serum with its setpoint and range is entered, corresponding memory
of the quality control is reserved for this method. So it can be supervised with inte-
grated quality control.

If both ID identifications are deleted, then also all data and reserved memory of this
method in the quality control are deleted!
Query of the desired method number, under which the new method is to be stored. The next free method number is indicated. However each free method number can be selected within the range of 20 to 250.

[E] Store method with selected number. In case of multi-standard method Fig. 6.8 follows.

[ESC] Break storage and return to editor menu

For a method with multi-standard there is the editor window for the curve bases.

[P+] and [P-] Consecutive numbering of the current bases

[A/C] Switch input between A for absorbance and C for concentration

[E] Accept the edited value

Input and confirmation of a single "0" at A lead to the deletion of the current pair of points. In order to set the value to zero enter e.g. "0.0".

[ESC] End input and save curve data

For measuring in a multi-standard method at least 2 bases with A and C must be defined!
7 UTILITY PROGRAMS

7.1 SELECTION OF UTILITY PROGRAMS

Main menu:
Utility programs are necessary for the adjustment and maintenance of the photometer.

Page 1 of utility programs:
Scrolling through all utility programs is possible by [PAGE]. The current page is shown at the right upper screen corner. By [EXIT] the program returns to the main menu.

A utility program is selected by pressing the relating key.

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7.2 DESCRIPTION OF UTILITY PROGRAMS

7.2.1 Dark adjustment

The dark adjustment should be done not before the warm-up time of 15 minutes has passed, better after one hour operation.

To avoid strange light the lid has to be closed during the dark adjustment.

Start the dark adjustment by [START].

Automatically all eight sensitivity levels (V0...V7) are calibrated in succession at simultaneous display of the dark value.

The function cannot be interrupted. After completion the program returns to the utility program level.

Monthly executed the dark adjustment compensates possible deviations of the measuring accuracy due to environmental influences.
7.2.2 Multi-standard functions

Before curve data of a method with multi-standard can be processed, the method must have been established in the method editor (chapter 6 - METHOD EDITOR). A curve without corresponding method cannot be processed! The term "curve no" has the same meaning as "method no".

If using a multi-standard method later on, pay attention that all extinction values of the samples lie within the range of the curve bases. Values outside of the extinction range cannot be calculated. In this case "+" is shown and "<<< >>>" printed instead of the reading.

Fig. 7.2.2.1

Main window of multi-standard functions

For measuring in another standard method than suggested, start measuring multi-standards in each other selected standard method (before measuring the first standard) by [MODE] [MODE] [M-STD]. Curve number and standards are queried accordingly.

For measuring in a multi-standard method at least 2 bases with A and C must be defined!
[EDIT CURVE] After inquiry of the curve number all curve bases can be edited (see fig. 7.2.2.2).

[SHOW CURVE] After inquiry of the curve number the function will be shown.

[LIST] The method number and the date of preparation of all current curves are shown.

[EXIT] Return to the utilities

[P+] and [P-] Consecutive numbering of the current bases

[A/C] Switch input between A for absorbance and C for concentration

[E] Accept the edited value

Input and confirmation of a single “0” at A lead to the deletion of the current pair of points. In order to set the value to zero enter e.g. “0.0”.

[ESC] End input and save curve data. The bases are sorted in ascending order according to their A value.

7.2.3 Printer ON / OFF

The current status of the internal printer is indicated in the first line by OFF or ON.

Change setting by [SELECT]

Save setting permanently by [OK]

Save setting temporarily up to next switch-off of the device by [EXIT]
7.2.4 Pump menu

With these functions the pump and the bubble detector can be checked and adjusted. The check and adjustment is possible only with inserted flow-through cuvette adaptor.

The menu offers following functions:

- Activation and deactivation of pump
- Calibration of pump volume
- Activation and deactivation of bubble detector and of the volume optimized mode.
- Media test: check and adjustment of bubble detector.

### 7.2.4.1 Pump ON / OFF

The current status of the pump is indicated in the first line by OFF or ON.

- Change setting by [SELECT]
- Save setting permanently by [OK]
- Save setting temporarily up to next switch-off of the device by [EXIT]

### 7.2.4.2 Pump calibration

The pump calibration can be executed with or without bubble detector. So set bubble detector ON or OFF.

- Empty aspiration tube by [WASH].
- Put 1000 µl distilled water into a sample cup.
- Dip aspiration tube into the sample cup up to the base.
- The volume of 1000 µl is sucked in by [Sipping lever P].

Behavior with bubble detector:

After stoppage of the pump values for air and water are indicated which correspond to the delivered volumes.

- Save setting permanently by [OK]

If the calibration is not possible, although the pump tube is connected and 1000 µl were sucked in, execute a media test (see 7.2.4.4). Afterwards the pump calibration can be repeated.
Behavior without bubble detector:
With each operation of [Sipping lever P] the pump wheel rotates and delivers air. The turn is shown beside the entry Air on the screen. As soon as the liquid in the tube between the metal inlet tube and the screw connection of the aspiration tube can be seen, confirm the event by [OK].

During the second phase the system pumps 1000 µl distilled water by [Sipping lever P] repeatedly. The turn of the pump wheel is shown beside the entry Water. As soon as the end of the liquid in the tube between the metal inlet tube and the screw connection of the aspiration tube can be seen, confirm the event by [OK].

Save setting permanently by [OK]

7.2.4.3 Pump settings
In this menu it is possible to configure the bubble detector and the optimized volume mode.

After configuring the bubble detector the window for the configuration of the optimized volume mode will be displayed automatically.

7.2.4.3.1 Bubble detector ON / OFF
The current status of the bubble detector is indicated in the first line by OFF or ON.

Change setting by [SELECT]
Save setting permanently by [OK]
Save setting temporarily up to next switch-off of the device by [EXIT]

7.2.4.3.2 Volume optimized ON / OFF
The current status of this setting is indicated in the first line by OFF or ON.

Change setting by [SELECT]
Save setting permanently by [OK]
Save setting temporarily up to next switch-off of the device by [EXIT].

When volume optimized is on, an acoustic signal will be emitted after the required volume is pumped. At this moment the sample must be retired from the aspiration tube. After a pause of approx. 1s the rest of liquid in the tube will be completely pumped into the flow through cuvette. For example, this function makes it possible to pump two consecutive times 500 µl from a 1000 µl sample volume.
7.2.4.4 Media test

With the media test the bubble detector can be checked and adjusted.

In the second line to the left of the medium WATER the current sensitivity level of the bubble detector is shown.

Sip distilled water by [Sipping lever P]. Be sure that the aspiration tube is completely filled with water.

Enter new sensitivity level step by step by numeric key [0] up to [7], starting with 0, until the display changes from “AIR” to “WATER”. Then increase the sensitivity level by one further step.

Empty the aspiration tube by [Sipping lever P]. The display changes from “WATER” to “AIR”. The adjustment is permanently saved by [E].
7.2.5  Serial interface

A PC or an external printer can be connected to Photometer 5010 via the RS 232 serial interface at the back. A suitable data cable can be supplied (REF 501-002). The connected device must comply with safety standard EN 60950.

The menu offers following functions:

- Activation and deactivation of EDP
- Activation of remote control
- Activation or deactivation of external printer with serial interface
- Activation of download function of operating system

7.2.5.1  EDP ON / OFF

The current status of the EDP (Electronic Data Processing) interface is indicated in the first line by OFF or ON.

Change setting by [SELECT]. Following options are possible:

- EDP OFF
- EDP ON (CR-LF)
- EDP ON (STX-ETX-BCC)

Save setting permanently by [OK]
Save setting temporarily up to next switch-off of the device by [EXIT]

7.2.5.2  REMOTE CONTROL

Activate remote control by [START].

When activated, Photometer 5010 can be remote-controlled by a PC and a suitable program.

Deactivate remote control by sipping lever [P].

By [EXIT] the program returns to the superordinate menu item.

7.2.5.3  SERIAL PRINTER ON / OFF

The current status of the external serial printer is indicated in the first line by OFF or ON.

Change setting by [SELECT]

Save setting permanently by [OK]

Save setting temporarily up to next switch-off of the device by [EXIT]
7.2.5.4 DOWNLOAD
The operating system of Photometer 5010 is contained in an electronically erasable and programmable FLASH MEMORY. With the download function the operating system of the Photometer 5010 can be updated by PC. The download function is controlled by an appropriate software and terminated after actualization. A break of the function cannot be accomplished by key. Only switching the photometer off terminates the download function.

7.2.6 Quality control
In Photometer 5010 up to 50 methods can be supervised with a quality control. The device can manage up to 6 control serums. Each QC supervised method can be connected with 2 control serums. The QC data of a series of measurements are stored in a daily memory. Each reading is stored with method number, date and user identification. From the daily memory the individual QC data can become deleted or saved in the monthly memory of the corresponding method. The monthly memory of a QC method can record up to 31 readings. With the 32nd the oldest reading is deleted in the memory. For the calculation of the quality values of a method at least 20 readings in the monthly memory must be present. The average of all readings, the standard deviation and the coefficient of variation are calculated. Contents of the daily and monthly memory can be indicated and printed out.

Except the basic methods all methods can be connected with a quality control. The method-typical data of a control serum are entered via the method editor (see chapter 6 METHOD EDITOR).

The QC menu offers following functions:

[EDIT CONTROL SERUM] Up to 6 control serums can be defined. Without a defined serum the QC cannot be started!

[DAILY MEMORY] View, print and processing of the daily memory for serum 1/2

[MONTHLY MEMORY] View, print and processing of the monthly memory for serum 1/2

[QC EDP] - not implemented -

7.2.6.1 INPUT OF CONTROL SERUM
[1] Enter name max 15-digit
[3] Enter LOT no max 10-digit
[5] Enter company max 10-digit
[7] Enter expiry date max 8-digit

[NO.] Change to next control serum

[EXIT] and [OK] Accept input and return to QC menu
### 7.2.6.2 DAILY MEMORY

- **[S1]** Select daily memory for serum 1
- **[S2]** Select daily memory for serum 2
- **[EXIT]** Return to previous window

Measuring data of the corresponding daily memory are shown with method number, method name, reading and dimension.

- **[+]** Change to next reading
- **[-]** Change to previous reading
- **[DEL]** Delete shown reading in the daily memory and confirm again by [DEL]
- **[STORE]** Store shown reading in the daily memory and confirm again by [STORE]. Afterwards the reading is deleted in the daily memory.

- **[PRINT]** Print all readings
- **[EXIT]** Return to QC menu

#### Print-out of daily memory for serum 1:

```
*** DAILY MEMORY ***S1 *
PHOTOMETER 5010   #5100
V5.10a 05.07.07 D
LAB.: RIELE GMBH+CO KG

DATE: 07.10.07
TIME: 08:30:03

25 GLUCOSE   13.03
21 HDL-C    367
27 UREA COL  197.2
29 CK-MB    1128.1
31 GOT      189.9
```

### 7.2.6.3 MONTHLY MEMORY

After query of method number select serum 1 or 2 of the method.

- **[S1]** Select monthly memory for serum 1
- **[S2]** Select monthly memory for serum 2
- **[EXIT]** Return to previous window
In the overview window of the selected method all data of quality control are visible. In the line above the keys following information the current reading is indicated:

(# 1) → Numerator of the monthly memory. The oldest reading corresponds to the 1.

(01.27.06) → Date of reading

(13.30) → Reading

(-1.s) → Deviation of the reading lies within minus 1s. From +/-3s the warning level starts. With a deviation of > 3s an * is displayed. For the calculation of the quality values of a method at least 20 readings in the month memory must be present!

(1) → User identification

The keys have following functions:

[+] Change to next reading

[-] Change to previous reading

[DEL] Delete all measuring data of the monthly memory of the selected method and confirm again (e.g. at change of serum)

[MORE] Change to output dialog

[EXIT] Return to QC menu
Printout of the monthly memory of a method with serum 2:

** MONTHLY MEMORY **S2 *

- **DATE:** 07.10.07
- **PHOTOMETER:** 5010 #5100
- **V5.10a 05.07.07 D**
- **LAB.:** RIELE GMBH+CO KG
- **METHOD:** 25: GLUCOSE
- **UNIT:** mmol/l

SERUM NO. 5

ID: LT-SYS abnormal

LOT: G312

COMPANY: LABOR+TECH

DATE: MAY 06

**REQUIRED:** 14.4
**MIN. VALUE:** 12.1
**MAX. VALUE:** 16.7

**QC VALUES**

- **n:** 20
- **MEAN:** m: 13.860
- **STD.DEVIATION:** s: 1.012
- **COEFF.OF VAR CV:** 7.298

**Output dialog**

If at least 20 readings are stored in the monthly memory, these are indicated in the Levey Jennings plot. In this representation the deviations can be controlled visually and thus tendencies or systematic errors be better recognized.

The keys for the printout are located next to the curve diagram:

[PRN-N] Start the normal printout of the data of the current monthly memory. The single data of the readings are not printed thereby.

[PRN-E] Start the extended printout of the data of the current monthly memory. As shown in the example left, also the single data of the readings are printed.

[EXIT] Return to QC menu

02.15.06 13.54 -1s 1
02.14.06 14.07 +1s 1
02.13.06 14.69 +1s 1
02.12.06 13.50 -1s 3
02.11.06 14.68 +1s 3
02.10.06 15.33 +2s 1
02.09.06 15.99 +3s 1
02.08.06 15.38 +2s 2
02.07.06 14.61 +1s 1
02.06.06 13.70 -1s 1
02.05.06 12.74 -2s 1
02.04.06 12.13 -2s 1
02.03.06 12.65 -2s 2
02.02.06 13.11 -1s 1
02.01.06 13.88 +1s 3
01.31.06 13.51 -1s 3
01.30.06 13.24 -1s 3
01.29.06 12.50 -2s 1
01.28.06 12.74 -2s 2
01.27.06 13.30 -1s 1
7.2.6.4 QC EDP

7.2.7 Printout settings

By [START] the program version and the complete status of the saved settings are printed out.

*******ACTUAL*SETS******
DATE : 07.10.07
TIME: 12:59:51
PHOTOMETER 5010 # 7001
V5.10a 05.07.07 D
PCB LAYOUT c
ADC COUNTS(DARK ADJ.) E
0: 18240 1: 18244
2: 18251 3: 18261
4: 18279 5: 18312
6: 18380 7: 18494
ADC COUNTS(DARK ADJ.) D
0: 18235 1: 18236
2: 18236 3: 18237
4: 18240 5: 18246
6: 18255 7: 18271
TEMPERATURE E
25C  8322 3000
30C  9552 3000
37C  11273 3000
TEMPERATURE D
25C  8299 3000
30C  9485 3000
37C  11165 3000
FILTER
0: DDD 1: 340
2: 405 3: 492
4: 546 5: 578
6: 623 7: 999
8: 999 9: 999
PUMP
MS AIR  201
MS/50ul 66
B-DET. 5
BATTERY: OK
VDC LAMP 12.25V
ADC CORRECTION 150
BOOST nm 390
EDP OFF (STX-ETX-BCC)
LANUAGE
1: ENGLISH
2: GERMAN
KEY SIGNAL ON
PROGR. METHODS 0
7.2.8 Data logging

Up to 2970 results can be managed in the memory of Photometer 5010. They are stored together with a two digit identification number, which can be assigned e.g. to a patient or to a sample. The range of the identification number starts with 1 and ends with 99. Up to 2970 results can be assigned to one identification number or average 30 results for maximum 99 identification number stored.

Memory contents remain after switching the device off. If the memory is filled with 2970 results, no further result can be added. The memory must be emptied first by deletion of results.

The logging menu offers following options:

[LOGGING ON/OFF] Activation of data logging. If this mode is activated, the sample numerator gets a new function as ID no. Then before each measuring the numerator must be set to the required number between 1 and 99 by [MODE] and [NUM]. After each measuring the reading is asked to be stored.

[PRINT DATA OF ID-NO.] After query of the ID no the corresponding readings are printed out. Afterwards the printed data are asked to be deleted.

[DELETE DATA OF ID-NO.] After query of the ID no the corresponding readings are deleted.

[REPORT OF LOG. MEMORY] Print-out of a report of the complete logging memory with ID no and corresponding number of readings, e.g.:

5/ 3 stands for 3 stored readings for ID no 5.

[EXIT] Return to the utilities.

Print-out of readings of an ID no:

*** DATA FROM ID-NO. ***
PHOTOMETER 5010 #5100
DATE: 07.09.07
LAB.: RIELE GMBH+CO KG
ID-NO.: 35

DATE: 02.28.06
METHOD 24: GLUCOSE
13.03 mmol/l

DATE: 03.01.06
METHOD 25: CK-MB
195 U/l

DATE: 03.02.06
METHOD 24: GLUCOSE
12.17 mmol/l

Report of logging memory:

**** LOGGING REPORT ****
PHOTOMETER 5010 #5100
DATE: 02.03.06
5/ 3 11/ 2 14/ 2
35/ 3
7.2.9 Temperature ON / OFF

The current status of the tempering is indicated in the first line by OFF or ON. Besides the inserted cuvette adaptor is marked by D or E.

Change setting by [SELECT]. Following options are possible:

- OFF
- 25° C
- 30° C
- 37° C

Save setting permanently by [OK].

Save setting temporarily up to next switch-off of the device by [EXIT].

7.2.10 Temperature adjustment

The temperature control was adjusted at the factory!

Anyhow the tempering control can be calibrated provided that the tempering was switched on for at least 30 minutes:

Measure the current temperature with an independent measuring system (e.g. thermistor, REF 090-063) inside the cuvette and enter this value. According to the difference to 25.0 °C, 30.0 °C or 37.0 °C the system corrects its internal setting. The calibrating of the temperature is interrupted when the tempering is off or the temperature unstable.

Enter the password “5010”.

Enter the actual temperature in TEMP. ACTUAL four-digit in °C (e.g. 36.90) and confirm by [E].
7.2.11 Laboratory name

The name of the laboratory can be stored permanently.

In case of a stored name an additional line within the header is sent to the printer or to the EDP.

By [NEW] the entry of the laboratory name is possible.

Enter the laboratory name via the alphanumeric keyboard. Following functions are available:

- [a/1] : change to lowercase
- [1/A] : change to numeric characters
- [A/a] : change to uppercase
- [Å] : delete character
- [Æ] : blank
- [ESC] : finish input without storage
- [ENT] : finish input with storage

7.2.12 User name

The names of maximum five users can be stored permanently.

After calling a method the user is queried.

In case of a stored name an additional line within the header is sent to the printer or to the EDP.

Select user by [SELECT]. By [NEW] the entry of the user name is possible.

Enter the user name via the alphanumeric keyboard. Following functions are available:

- [a/1] : change to lowercase
- [1/A] : change to numeric characters
- [A/a] : change to uppercase
- [Å] : delete character
- [Æ] : blank
- [ESC] : finish input without storage
- [ENT] : finish input with storage
7.2.13 Error list

The last 10 serious errors are shown or printed.

The oldest error is shown first. The last error is always marked with no 1.

By [NEXT] earlier error messages are shown.

By [PRINT] the complete error list is printed or output to the serial interface.

For troubleshooting the coded error list can be consulted (chapter 9.4 - CODED ERROR MESSAGES).

7.2.14 Key signal ON / OFF

The current status of the key signal is indicated in the first line by OFF or ON.

Change setting by [SELECT].

Save setting permanently by [OK].

Save setting temporarily up to next switch-off of the device by [EXIT].

The deeper signal tone for error messages remains active in any case.

7.2.15 Touchscreen adjustment

By this function the panel can be adjusted. After call of the function a white cross is shown in the left lower corner of the screen. Touch the intersection point in the cross with a non-scratching plastic tip (touchscreen pen, pipette tip) as exactly as possible. In the first line the coordinates are shown as X- and Y-value. The input will be accepted and the coordinate display will be reseted after a time out of 10s. Then the cross is shown in the right upper corner. Touch the intersection point. After a timeout of 10s the memory inquiry follows.

Save the adjustment by [OK].

Reject the adjustment by [EXIT].
**Hint**: If the device is maladjusted, this function can directly be called during the switching on routine:

Keep the touchscreen pressed during switching on. After some seconds a deep signal tone sounds and the text message "TOUCH PANEL ADJUSTMENT" will be shown at the first line of the greeting screen. Release the touchscreen within one second. Execute the adjustment of the touchscreen as described above. You must choose your Photometer type (4040 or 5010) after the touchpanel adjustment is completed.

**Select Photometer**:  
This dialog will be only displayed when the touchscreen adjustment has been entered during switching on the Photometer.  
The Photometer type in use must be selected:  
4040 or 5010.

**7.2.16 Date / Time**

The current status of the date/time display is indicated in the first line by OFF or ON.  
Change setting by [SELECT].  
With activation of the clock date and time can be changed by [OK]. Each entry of day, month, year, minute and second must be confirmed by [E].  
If a value is to be changed, then all values are to be entered again!

**7.2.17 Language**

The current status of the language is indicated in the first line.  
The setting can be changed by [SELECT]  
Following options are possible:  
- LANGUAGE : ENGLISH  
- LANGUAGE : GERMAN  
Save setting permanently by [OK].  
The setting is temporarily saved up to next switch-off of the device by [END].
7.2.18 ADC counts (Optic)

Indicated is the current value of the optical analogue-digital converter. The value is proportional to the light-current depending on the selected amplification level and the boost setting.

To a key actuation the system reacts possibly only after three seconds.

The functions V0 to V7 set the amplification level. The function BO increases (boost ON) or reduces (boost OFF) the time slot. The functions F0 to F9 place the filter wheel into the positions 0 to 9. The position 0 corresponds to the filter wheel position at the dark level adjustment.

Stop function by [ESC].

7.2.19 Service tools

The service tools are reserved for trained specialists only and therefore protected by a password.

Stop function by [ESC].
This chapter provides necessary information concerning general maintenance by the user.

If any faults should occur which cannot be remedied, then service should be contacted. Repairs at the device may be carried out only by authorized specialist staff. Through improper repairs the warranty extinguishes, and the user can be heavily jeopardized.

### 8.1 CLEANING INSTRUCTION

Liquid waste is potentially biologically hazardous. Always wear gloves if handling those materials. Do not touch parts of the device other than those specified. Consult the laboratory protocol for handling biohazardous materials.

Take care that no liquid enters the device! There is no protection against penetrating of liquids (Code IP X0). Check from time to time that the tubing and the connections are leakproof.

The flow-through system of the Photometer 5010 has to be washed with dist. water regularly before and after measuring 2 – 3 times. Depending on sample material and reagent, and always at the end of a working day, the Photometer 5010 has to be cleaned additionally with a phosphate-free detergents, e.g. with approx. 5ml of 1 % Hitergent solution (REF 5010-024), and afterwards rinsed with 5ml distilled water.

Persistent residues are to be removed with a combined alkaline-acid treatment. The following procedure is advised step by step:

1. 5 x wash with NaOH 1 N
2. 5 x rinse with dist. water
3. 5 x wash with HCl 0.5 N
4. 5 x rinse with dist. water

If the system is contaminated severely, it may alternatively be cleaned with hypochlorite. The following procedure is advised step by step:

1. 5 x rinse with dist. water
2. 2 – 3 x wash with hypochlorite (1:20 diluted solution) or ISE Cleaning Solution, undiluted, let it possibly affect up to 20 minutes
3. 5-10 x rinse with dist. water

For device cleaning and surface decontamination purposes use commercial decontaminating solution which are usually available in clinical chemistry laboratories like Mikrozid® AF Liquid, Bacillol® plus, 3 % Kohrsolin® or similar solutions. Switch off the device and disconnect it from the mains voltage. Then clean the device with soft cloth and decontaminating solution.

Empty the drain tank at the end of daily measurement, or whenever filled.

### 8.2 CALIBRATING MEASURING SYSTEM

At doubtful measurement results a dark level adjustment has to be carried out corresponding to chapter 7.2.1.

### 8.3 ADJUSTMENT OF BUBBLE DETECTOR

See chapter 7.2.4 - Pump

### 8.4 CALIBRATION OF PERISTALTIC PUMP

See chapter 7.2.4 - Pump

### 8.5 REPLACEMENT OF RIBBON

Open printer cover. Lift used ribbon by pressing “PUSH” on the left. Take ribbon cassette out of the printer. Take new ribbon cassette out of the wrapping. Turn small wheel on the left in the direction marked by an arrow till the inked ribbon is tightened. Put in the ribbon cassette. Pay attention that the paper is to be taken through inked ribbon and cassette. Take printer paper through the crack of the printer cover and close the printer cover.
8.6 REPLACEMENT OF PAPER ROLL

See chapter 2.4 - LOADING PRINTER PAPER

8.7 REPLACEMENT OF ASPIRATION TUBE

When replacing the aspiration tube pay attention to the sequence of the assembly parts as shown below. Then put aspiration tube without bending from the cuvette area side through the metal inlet tube. Turn screw connection with fingers into the cuvette.

8.8 REPLACEMENT OF LINE FUSES

The Photometer 5010 operates at any line voltage between 90 V<sub>AC</sub> and 264 V<sub>AC</sub> at 50/60 Hz without adjustment. It has two line fuses in series with the power supply. They are located on the rear panel. To replace those fuses, unplug the mains cable and remove the fuse holder with the fuses as shown below. The instrument is delivered with two spare fuses.

**Warning:** Neither use makeshift fuses nor short-circuit the fuse holder!

**Specifications of mains fuse:**

- dimensions [mm]: 5 * 20
- standard: IEC 60127-2/V
- time-current characteristic: time lag (T)
- voltage rating: 250 V
- rated current: 1.6 A
- marking: T 1.6 A H
# 9 ERROR MESSAGE / CORRECTION

## 9.1 GENERAL NOTE

Faulty input (e.g. wrong method number or wrong factor), recognized by the user, can be corrected by filling up the respective entry field with any signs. After replenishing beyond the last position the faulty input is deleted and the entry field is free again for the renewed correct input.

Error messages by the device are carried out either exclusively via a signal tone (chapter 9.2 - ACOUSTIC ERROR MESSAGES) or as combination signal tone and display.

In the display errors are shown as plaintext (chapter 9.3 - PLAINTEXT ERROR MESSAGES)

... or coded with an error number (chapter 9.4 - CODED ERROR MESSAGES).

Each error message has always to be confirmed with [E].

## 9.2 ACOUSTIC ERROR MESSAGES

When pressing a key which is not permitted or not meaningful a deeper signal tone still sounds as error message after the higher signal tone (which is to confirm the keystroke, can be switched off according to chapter 7.2.14 - Key signal ON / OFF). In the display no corresponding error message appears parallel to this. The operation of the device can directly be continued by the correct keyboard entry.

## 9.3 PLAINTEXT ERROR MESSAGES

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<th>Description</th>
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<td>RANGE MIN.</td>
<td>The programmed low limit was under-run by the measurement.</td>
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<td>RANGE MAX.</td>
<td>The programmed upper limit was exceeded by the measurement.</td>
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<td>RANGE R^2</td>
<td>The square of the correlation coefficient R lies at the kinetic measuring below the programmed low limit.</td>
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<td>RANGE +/-</td>
<td>At the kinetic measuring the procedure of the kinetic is wrong (increasing / falling).</td>
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<td>NO METHOD</td>
<td>Dialed method is not programmed. Select other method according to method list.</td>
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<tr>
<td>HEATING OFF</td>
<td>Heating / cooling is off during temperature calibration.</td>
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<td>TEMP. UNSTABLE</td>
<td>Temperature is unstable during temperature calibration.</td>
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## 9.4 CODED ERROR MESSAGES

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<th>No.</th>
<th>(possible) Causes</th>
<th>Remedy</th>
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<td>1</td>
<td>method is write protected, method cannot be cleared</td>
<td>by special software</td>
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<td>2</td>
<td>check sum of a freely programmed method is wrong</td>
<td>program new method</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>forbidden input, wrong number format</td>
<td>repeat input in permitted area</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>method not available</td>
<td>method editor: check method no.</td>
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<td>5</td>
<td>dark value is absolutely too high (&gt; 16 bit) or higher as the measurement, ADC overflow</td>
<td>repeat dark level adjustment; check lamp / filter; check blank</td>
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<td>6</td>
<td>all multiplexer positions are too bright/too dark at setting to zero</td>
<td>repeat dark level adjustment; check filter / lamp; check blank</td>
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<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>mathematical overflow, at measurement calculation</td>
<td>check filter; check standard; check measuring solution</td>
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<td>Number</td>
<td>Error Message</td>
<td>Correction</td>
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<td>8</td>
<td>check sum error in the data record of the dark offset</td>
<td>repeat dark level adjustment</td>
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<td>9</td>
<td>check sum error in the data record of the device basic setting (status, ADC correction)</td>
<td>automatic error remedy</td>
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<td>division by a too small value (&lt; 0.001 A)</td>
<td>check filter; check standard; check measuring solution</td>
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<td>11</td>
<td>invalid calibration curve</td>
<td>Select valid number</td>
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<td>12</td>
<td>setting to zero not possible (zero value is &lt; 32768 cycle)</td>
<td>check lamp; check filter; check zero solution</td>
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<td>13</td>
<td>setting to zero not possible (zero value is &gt; 983039 cycle)</td>
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<td>14</td>
<td>invalid standard</td>
<td>measure valid standard solution</td>
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<td>15</td>
<td>no parameter memory vacant (too little memory for nonlinear methods)</td>
<td>delete a no longer actual nonlinear method</td>
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<td>16</td>
<td>method no. is occupied</td>
<td>select other method no.; delete a no longer actual nonlinear method</td>
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<td>check sum error in the parameter memory (nonlinear method)</td>
<td>program method newly</td>
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<td>18</td>
<td>at calculation overflows in nonlinear method</td>
<td>check factor; check parameter</td>
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<td>19</td>
<td>clock malfunction</td>
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<td>overflow at Kinetic</td>
<td>check measuring solution</td>
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<td>29</td>
<td>wrong input of deltas or time per delta</td>
<td>restart method</td>
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<td>30</td>
<td>battery empty</td>
<td>contact service partner</td>
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<td>31</td>
<td>communication: wrong data format</td>
<td>contact service partner</td>
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<td>32</td>
<td>communication: sent data not plausible / not interpretable</td>
<td>contact service partner</td>
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<td>33</td>
<td>communication: mentioned module does not answer in a certain time</td>
<td>check interconnecting cable; check mentioned module</td>
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<td>34</td>
<td>communication: overflow send/receive buffer</td>
<td>reduce amount of data at the communication partner</td>
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<td>35</td>
<td>remote control: wrong method number</td>
<td>external software problem</td>
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<td>36</td>
<td>remote control: unknown command</td>
<td>external software problem</td>
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<td>37</td>
<td>remote control: wrong data format</td>
<td>external software problem</td>
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<td>- not occupied -</td>
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<td>39</td>
<td>- not occupied -</td>
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<td>40</td>
<td>timeout at reception from module 2</td>
<td>switch off/on device</td>
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<td>41</td>
<td>check sum error at reception from module 2</td>
<td>switch off/on device</td>
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<td>42</td>
<td>NAK at reception from module 2</td>
<td>switch off/on device</td>
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<td>43</td>
<td>- not occupied -</td>
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<td>Error at pump calibration</td>
<td>Error at sipping solution</td>
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<tr>
<td>- pump tube not clamped;</td>
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<tr>
<td>- no liquid aspirated;</td>
<td>- no liquid aspirated;</td>
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<td>- too much liquid aspirated during calibrating;</td>
<td>- power of the pump too small;</td>
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<td>- power of the pump too small;</td>
<td>- motor does not rotate or stops;</td>
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<td>- connectors of tubes leaky;</td>
<td>- connectors of tubes leaky;</td>
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<tr>
<td>- bubble detector works falsely;</td>
<td>- bubble detector works falsely;</td>
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<tr>
<td>- aspiration tube blocked;</td>
<td>- aspiration tube blocked;</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- aspiration tube badly stained</td>
<td>- aspiration tube badly stained</td>
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- clamp pump tube;
- control volume of aspiration;
- control connectors of tubes;
- the plug of the bubble detector has a bad contact;
- the cable of the bubble detector has a bad contact;
- adjust bubble detector (chapter 7.2.4);
- replace aspiration tube (chapter 8.7)

- clamp pump tube;
- adjust bubble detector (chapter 7.2.4);
- control volume of aspiration;
- control connectors of tubes;
- do a calibration of peristaltic pump (chapter 7.2.4);
- the plug of the bubble detector has a bad contact;
- the cable of the bubble detector has a bad contact;
- replace aspiration tube (chapter 8.7)

Filter position out of tolerance

+ 12 V<sub>DC</sub> out of range

- not occupied -

- not occupied -

- not occupied -

- not occupied -

Timeout printer internal

Set of data points is missing

Nonlinear measurement: value out of range

Number of given data points < 2

Checksum of operating system damaged

Memory of data logging management is completely filled

Checksum of data logging damaged

Error in the automatic measuring operation (remote)

Error at multiplexer of operational amplifier

Error at multiplexer of bubble detector

Free method number not found

Wrong address at multi-standard loading

Current method not found in monthly memory

More than 50 QC methods defined

Internal clock is off. QC data not storable

BCC error in dataset of QC method values

Free monthly memory not found at QC

Free space in daily memory not found at QC

Error at QC calculation

QC serum not found

Contact service partner

Check multi-standard functions

Check the absorbance of the sample

Add data points

Contact service partner

Delete log data (chapter 7.2.8)

Delete log data (chapter 7.2.8)

Check interface

Contact service partner

Contact service partner

Check method memory

Check multi-standards

Check QC data of method

Delete unused QC methods

Switch on internal clock

Check current method

Delete unused QC methods

Empty QC daily memory

Check QC data

Check QC data
10 TECHNICAL DATA

10.1 ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS

Climatic conditions for storage and transport of the packed device:
- Temperature: -25 °C to +70 °C
- Relative humidity: 20 % to 85 %

The Photometer 5010 must be used in an environment that meets the following conditions:
- Temperature: +15 °C to +35 °C
- Relative humidity: 20 % to 85 %
- Not exposed to direct sunlight or other source of direct light (e.g. a spot light)
- Well-ventilated area
- Free from excessive dust
- Free from combustible gases
- Free from vibrations
- Free from electromagnetic wave interference
- Well-distanced from a machine generating a high frequency high voltage (e.g. a centrifuge)

10.2 MINIMAL OPERATION QUALITY

Signal processing in analogue amplifiers with high amplification factors cannot differentiate desired from undesired signals. Amplifiers thus are apt to be overloaded or produce spurious signals. The equipment will operate correctly when the undesired signals are removed. Short-term changes of the operational behavior do not influence the overall function of the device.

10.3 TYPE PLATE

For installation pay attention to the specifications on the type plate.
10.4 SHORT SPECIFICATIONS

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<td><strong>Type</strong></td>
<td>Semi-automatic, single-beam filter photometer</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Light Source</strong></td>
<td>Halogen lamp – 12 V, 20 W with protection for lifetime</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Wavelength</strong></td>
<td>340 nm – 800 nm</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Wavelength Selection</strong></td>
<td>Automatic via 9-position filter wheel: 6 standard interference filters: 340 nm, 405 nm, 492 nm, 546 nm, 578 nm and 623 nm; 3 positions for optional filter of choice</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Photometric Range</strong></td>
<td>0 – 2.5 A</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Cuvette System</strong></td>
<td>Micro flow cell: 32 µL, 10 mm light path interchangeable with normal standard cuvettes (macro or semi-micro, disposable or special optical glass)</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Temperature Control</strong></td>
<td>Internal Peltier element, temperature variable, pre-adjusted to 25 °C, 30 °C and 37 °C; Equilibration time for aspirated reaction mixture to reach 37 °C from ambient temperature: 15 s</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Aspiration System</strong></td>
<td>Built-in peristaltic pump driven by stepper motor, programmable aspiration volume controlled by infrared light barrier</td>
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<td><strong>Sipping Volume</strong></td>
<td>Minimum 250 µL, typically 500 µL up to 2000 µL; Separate setting of aspirate volume and wash volume</td>
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<td><strong>Operator Interface</strong></td>
<td>Touchscreen for direct functions and alphanumerical inputs</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Data Presentation</strong></td>
<td>Graphic display: White characters or symbols, blue background, lighted, resolution 240 * 128 dots</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Integrated Printer</strong></td>
<td>Graphics printer, dot-matrix, 24 characters per line</td>
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<td><strong>Languages</strong></td>
<td>English and German/Indonesian/Russian/Spanish</td>
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<td><strong>Memory</strong></td>
<td>General operating software can be updated by PC; Reagent-open system with capacity for up to 231 programmable methods; Data import by touchscreen or PC; Up to 50 nonlinear calibration curves with max 20 sets of points can be stored</td>
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<td><strong>Signal Port</strong></td>
<td>Serial port for connection to an external printer and/or PC</td>
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<td><strong>Data Logging</strong></td>
<td>Up to 2970 results of max 99 samples can be managed in the memory</td>
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<td><strong>Measurement Procedures</strong></td>
<td>Absorbance; End point with factor, standard or multiple standards, with or without reagent blank and/or sample blank; Bichromatic end point; Kinetics with factor, standard or multiple standards, with or without blank; Fixed time with factor, standard or multiple standards, with or without reagent blank; Turbidimetry with optional timer function; Single, double and triple determinations; Curve fitting for nonlinear standard curves; Free hemoglobin in combination with optional interference filters</td>
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<td><strong>Quality Control</strong></td>
<td>Up to 50 methods can be controlled with two control serums, Levey Jennings plot</td>
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<td><strong>Measuring Time</strong></td>
<td>Kinetic: variable from 3 – 28 deltas, time per delta 4 – 255 s; Fixed time: variable from 0 – 65535 s</td>
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<td><strong>Delay Time</strong></td>
<td>Programmable from 0 – 65535 s</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Mains Supply</strong></td>
<td>Range: 90 V&lt;sub&gt;AC&lt;/sub&gt; up to 264 V&lt;sub&gt;AC&lt;/sub&gt; at 50/60 Hz</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Dimensions</strong></td>
<td>Length 33 cm x width 34 cm x height 18 cm</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Weight</strong></td>
<td>6 kg</td>
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<td><strong>Marking</strong></td>
<td>CE IVD</td>
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EC Declaration of Conformity

Manufacturer: ROBERT RIELE GmbH & Co KG
Address: ROBERT RIELE GmbH & Co KG
Kurfuerstenstrasse 75-79
D-13467 Berlin
Germany

ROBERT RIELE GmbH & Co KG declares under sole responsibility that the product:

Product name: Photometer 5010

...to which this declaration relates is in conformity with the following standards or other normative documents:

EN 61326-1
EN 61010-1
EN 61010-2-101

following the provisions of Directive 89 / 336 / EWG (EMC), and 73 / 23 / EWG (LVD) as well as 98 /79 / EG (IVD).

This declaration describes an absorption photometer for laboratory use.

Berlin, March 2006

ROBERT RIELE GmbH & Co KG

W. Riele
Technical Specifications
Description according to DIN 58960 Teil 4

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<td>Model:</td>
<td>5010</td>
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<td>A.3</td>
<td>Instruction for use:</td>
<td>Photometer 5010, user manual</td>
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DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY:
The above mentioned absorption photometer is in conformity with the following metrological description.

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B.2 Method of measurement

| B.2.1 | Generation of spectral absorbance A(\lambda) | monochromatic measurement |
| B.2.2 | Zero compensation of spectral absorbance | manual |
| B.2.3 | Control of the measured spectral absorbance: | with an absorption reference solution (see manual) |
| B.2.4 | Determination[s] of concentration:           | Lambert-Beer-Equation |
B.3 Specified measuring range

Outside the specified measuring range and under rated operating conditions other than those stated in section B.4, the maximum permissible errors given in section B.5 can be exceeded.

B.3.1 Spectral absorbance $A(\lambda)$: 0 A to 2.5 A

B.3.2 Wavelength $\lambda$ useable for measurements: 340 nm to 800 nm

B.4 Specified Operation conditions

B.4.1 Spectral transmittance of the cuvette: > 75 %

B.4.2 Warm-up time: 15 min

B.4.3 Operating voltage [mains]: between 90 V$_{AC}$ and 264 V$_{AC}$ at 50/60 Hz

B.4.4 Ambient temperature: 15 °C to 35 °C

B.4.5 Sound pressure level SPL < 50 dB

B.5 Maximum permissible errors and other limiting values

B.5.1 Photometric uncertainty of the spectral absorbance: max ± 3 %

B.5.2 Photometric short-time variation coefficient: ≤ 1 %

B.5.3 Uncertainty of wavelengths: max ± 2 nm

B.5.4 Spectral half-width of spectral radiation flux at detector: ≤ 10 nm

B.5.5 Percentage of wavelength integrated false radiation (measured at 340 nm as transmittance of a cut-off filter NaNO$_3$): ≤ 0.1 %

B.5.6 Uncertainty of temperature regulation: ≤ 0.2 °C

B.5.7 Specimen related carry-over ratio: measure according to Broughton with p-Nitro phenol ≤ 3 %

OPTIC CONSTRUCTION

⚠️ The path of rays is directed from the back to the front of the device. Insert standard cuvette accordingly.

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![Optic Construction Diagram]
# ACCESSORIES AND SPARE PARTS

Kindly contact directly the responsible dealer.

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<td>Axis printer paper</td>
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<td>1706870001</td>
<td>Bubble detector with plug</td>
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<td>0573655001</td>
<td>Cuvettes of optical glass, 4 pcs</td>
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<td>501-002</td>
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<td>1707574001</td>
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**Incubator T12**

**Incubator T16**
12 METHOD LIST

1 - 15........15 basic methods (chapter 12.1 - BASIC METHOD)
16 - 19........free (reserved for further 4 automatic calculation methods)
20 - 250......up to 231 user specific methods (chapter 12.2 - LIST OF USER SPECIFIC METHODS as copy master / to be filled out by the user)

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