

# **Operating Instructions** EcoTestr EC High Waterproof Pocket Tester

Before First Use: Soak sensor for 2 minutes in alcohol to remove stains/oils. Rinse in clean water.

## **Testing:**

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- 1. Remove cap and press (1) to turn on the tester
- 2. Dip sensor fully into the test solution
- 3. Stir once and let the reading stabilize. Note the measured value
- 4. To hold reading, press ∰ . Screen flashes H□ once, then displays measurement with blinking unit (mS) to indicate that tester is in the hold mode. Press ∰ again to cancel hold mode (H□)
- 5. Press () to shut the tester off

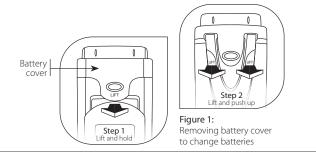
Note: Tester automatically shuts off after 8.5 minutes of non-use to conserve batteries.

**Calibration:** The tester is factory calibrated. However, to ensure accuracy, regular calibration is recommended.

- 1. Soak sensor for 10 minutes in alcohol to remove stains/oils. Rinse in clean water and blot sensor dry
- 2. Press () to turn on the tester
- 3. Dip sensor fully into standard solution and wait for the value to stabilize
- 4. Press (a) to enter the calibration sequence. Display flashes EAL momentarily and then shows a flashing default reading
- 5. Press (not control to the standard solution value
- 6. Release (not and wait for the auto confirmation
- 7. To abort calibration, press (a) to escape (ESC)
- 8. You have successfully calibrated the instrument

**Maintenance:** Clean the stainless steel sensor by periodically rinsing them in alcohol for 10 - 15 minutes. Rinse sensor in clean water after each use.

**Useful Notes:** To avoid cross contamination, rinse between samples and calibration standards with de-ionized water.



# **Changing Batteries:**

- 1. To remove batteries, lift up the front battery cover to release the front catch. Push up and hold in that position
- 2. Next, lift the pocket clip to release the back catch and slide upwards to remove the battery cover (Figure 1)
- 3. Replace old batteries with fresh ones. Note polarity as shown in battery compartment
- 4. No re-calibration is required after battery change. The tester's non-volatile memory function retains calibration settings

## **Error Messages:**

- 1. **bAt** Batteries are weak and need replacement
- 2. Er Calibration is performed in solution value below 5 % of full-scale range. Use higher value calibration standard
  - Faulty temperature sensor
- 3.  $\Box$  Over range signal for measurements performed above the full-scale range

**Reset Option:** Reset option allows you to restore the calibration back to factory default settings.

- 1. Press 🕕 to turn off tester
- 2. Press and hold (), then press () to turn the tester on. The display shows a flashing r5t (reset)
- 3. Press  $\hat{\mathbf{r}}$  again to confirm reset  $(\mathbf{Ent})$  or press  $\mathbf{r}$  to escape  $(\mathbf{ESE})$  reset option

**Warranty:** This tester is supplied with a warranty against manufacturing defects for a period of ONE year from date of purchase.

#### Accessories:

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	Oakton Order Code	Description
ECCON2764BT	00653-20	2764 μS/cm KCl calibration solution
ECCON1288BT	00606-10	12.88 mS/cm KCl calibration solution