AccuWAVE PRO Veterinary Monitor User's Manual

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Thank you for using AccuWAVE PRO veterinary monitor.

In order to enable you to skillfully operate Monitor as soon as possible, we provide this

user's manual with delivery. When you install and use this instrument for the first time, it

is imperative that you read carefully all the information that accompanies this instrument.

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- ☐ The electrical safety status at the installation site of the instrument conforms to the national standards.
 - The instrument is used in accordance with the operation procedures.

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Chapter 1 General Introduction

1.1 Intended use

This veterinary monitor is intended to be used in special procedure labs and other areas of a veterinary hospital or clinic where veterinary monitoring systems are needed. The monitoring parameters include 3-lead or 5-lead electrocardiography (ECG), respiration (Resp), non-invasive blood pressure (NIBP), invasive blood pressure (IBP), pulse oximetry (SpO₂), temperature (Temp), end tidal carbon dioxide (EtCO₂) and anesthetic gas (AG).

1.2 About this Manual

This user's manual consists of the following chapters:

Chapter 1 Give an introduction to the content and the specific signs of this manual, the main features and appearance of the monitor, the basic operations of various buttons, the meanings of the signs on the monitor, specifications and performance criteria of the monitor, and the ambient requirements for the working and storage of the monitor.

Chapter 2 Give important safety notes. Please do read this chapter before using the monitor!

Chapter 3 Give an introduction to the preparatory steps before using the monitor.

Chapter 4 Provide general operation instruction for the monitor, including illustrations of the screen display, normal selection for soft button on screen, details for entry of veterinary animal data and trend maps, also.

Chapter 5 Give details of specific parameter measurement, preparatory steps, cables or probes connection, setup of parameters, maintenance and cleaning of equipments and sensors.

Chapter 6 Give detailed description of system alarm, including level and mode of alarm, default setting and changing procedure of alarm parameters, prompt of specific alarms, and the general operation to carry out when an alarm occurs.

Chapter 7 Give detailed description of record function.

Chapter 8 Give general maintenance and cleaning methods of the monitor and its parts.

Signs in this manual:



Warning: Means it must be strictly followed so as to prevent the operator or the veterinary animal from being harmed.



Caution: Means it must be followed so as not to damage the instrument.



Note: Important information or indications regarding the operation or use.

Note: This manual introduced the product that with full configuration. Some functions of the product you bought may not be provided.

1.3 Brief Introduction to the Monitor

The Monitor has features as follows:

- Multiple measuring functions include 3-lead, 5-lead ECG/HR, RESP, dual TEMP, SpO₂/Pulse, NIBP, dual IBP, EtCO₂ and AG are optional.
- Complete built-in module design ensures stable and reliable performance
- Unique all-lead ECG on-one-screen display, which can facilitate the diagnosis and analysis of cardiac disease
- Can store the trend data for 120 168 hours and has the function of displaying trend data and trend graphs
- Function of alarm event reviewing, can store 1000 1800 pieces of alarm events
- Function of NIBP measurement reviewing, can store 750 1000 pieces of NIBP measurement data
- Function of reviewing 10 30 minutes one important lead's ECG waveform
- Built-in recorder is optional and it supports real-time recording, trigger printout by alarm
- Parameter display with big character
- Optional function of Calculator of drug concentration
- Optional function of Display of oxyCRG
- Function of Display of short trend
- 12.1" authentic color high brightness TFT LCD monitor
- Portable design, stylish and convenient
- Support connecting to VGA display for video output
- Rechargeable maintenance-free battery, can continue working when AC power is off
- Can be connected with the central unit to realize centralized monitoring
- Is resistant to high-frequency electrotome and is protected against defibrillation effects

1.4 Appearance and Structure of the Monitor

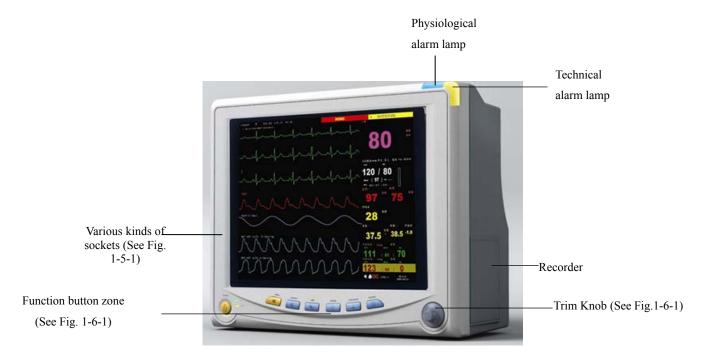


Fig. 1-4-1 The appearance of AccuWAVE PRO veterinary monitor

Caution: The AC input socket at the back panel of the monitor can be connected with 100-240V AC power by electrical wires supplied with this instrument.

1.5 Sockets

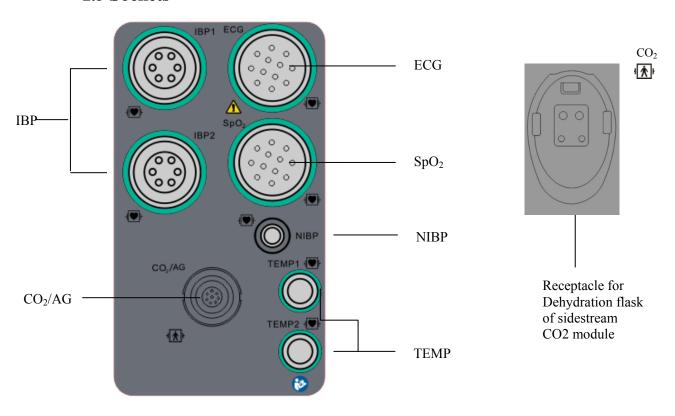


Fig. 1-5-1 Various sockets on the side panel

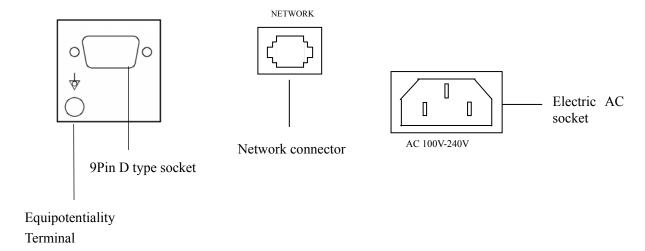


Fig. 1-5-2 Various sockets on the back panel

Note: The 9 Pin D type socket (RS-232) is only used for maintenance and upgrading of the monitor by manufacturer. If the monitor is configured with VGA function, the socket will be changed to 15 Pin D type for connecting to the standard VGA display.

Note: The Network Connector is a standard RJ45 socket and being used for connection with the central monitoring system provided by manufacturer.

Warning: The sensor cable sockets on Monitor can only be connected with the sensor cables supplied with this instrument and no other cables shall be used.

Notes on the signs on the monitor

Signs	Notes on the signs	
-	Defibrillator-proof type CF equipment (Refer to IEC 60601-2-27) The unit displaying this symbol contains a F-Type isolated (floating) applied part providing a high degree of protection against shock, and is defibrillator-proof.	
1 1	Defibrillator-proof type BF equipment (Refer to IEC 60601-1) The unit displaying this symbol contains a F-Type isolated (floating) applied part providing a high degree of protection against shock, and is defibrillator-proof.	
\triangle	Attention! Please refer to the document supplied with this instrument (this manual)!	
(((•)))	Non-ionizing radiation	
4	Dangerous voltage	
\Diamond	Equipotentiality	
\sim	Alternating current (AC)	
Z	Symbol for the marking of electrical and electronics devices according to Directive 2002/96/EC. The device, accessories and the packaging have to be disposed of waste correctly at the end of the usage. Please follow local ordinances or regulations for disposal.	
<u>^</u>	Warning: The protection against the effects of the discharge of a cardiac defibrillator is dependent upon the appropriated cable	
(3)	Refer to this user's manual.	

ECG	Short for "Electrocardiogram"	
RESP	Short for "Respiration"	
SpO ₂	Short for "Pulse Oxygen Saturation"	
TEMP	Short for "Temperature"	
IBP	Short for "Invasive Blood Pressure"	
NIBP	Short for "Non-invasive Blood Pressure"	
EtCO2	Short for "End tidal carbon dioxide"	
AG	Short for "Anesthetic gas"	

1.6 Function Buttons and Trim Knob on the Front Panel



The Trim Knob is used for: Turn left or turn right to move the cursor. Press down to perform an operation, such as open the menu dialog or selects one option.



Fig. 1-6-1 Function Buttons and Trim Knob on the Front Panel

1.6.1 The Signs and Operation Instructions Within the Function Button Zone

Signs	Notes on the signs	Operation instructions of function buttons
AC/BAT ∼	Indicating light of AC/DC	When the monitor is connected to the AC power, this indicating light is green (it is unrelated to the ON/OFF state of the monitor). When the monitor is not connected to AC power and the battery is used as the power source, this indicating light is orange.
CHARGE	Indicating light of CHARGE	When the monitor is connected to the AC power of charge, this indicating light is turn-on. When the monitor is full of charge, this indicating light is turn-off.

. 0/⊚	Power button	Press this button once and the monitor starts up. Repress this button, then, the monitor is switched off.
MAIN	Return to Main Screen	Press this button once to exit the present menu and return to main screen.
TREND	Trend Review	Press this button once to see the Trend Graph and the Trend Table
FREEZE /RECORD ②/[\$]	Switching type button Freeze (or defreeze) the waveforms /Record the real-time waveforms	Press this button in 2 seconds to freeze waveform, press again to defreeze waveform. Press this button over 2 seconds can start real-time recording. In case the real-time recording is underway, pressing this button will terminate real-time recording.
SUSPEND /SILENCE	Switching type button Suspend the sounding of Alarm /Close the sounding of Alarm	Press this button in 2 seconds to make the monitor alarm pause or cancel the pause. Press this button over 2 seconds can silence the monitor's audio system or cancel the silence.
NIBP /STAT ₩/ ♣	Switching type button Begin (or Stop) the measurement of NIBP /Begin the STAT	Press this button in 2 seconds to start or stop the NIBP measurement. Press this button over 2 seconds to make NIBP module working at STAT measurement mode and perform continuous NIBP measurement within 5 minutes.
MENU	Menu	Press this button to display menu option.

1.6.2 Basic Operations

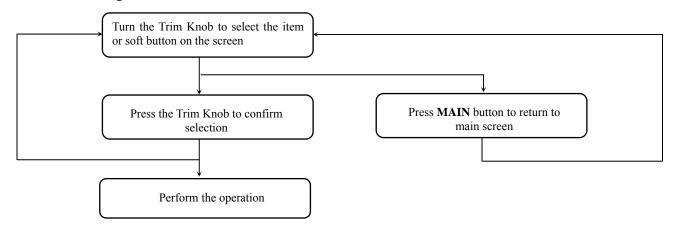


Fig. 1-6-2 Flow chart of basic operations

Note: The system menu is located at the left bottom corner. By operating the Trim Knob in the above flow chart, select the options or make them spring out, and for detailed item selection, please refer to Chapter 4.

Chapter 2 Important Safety Notes

Warning: The monitor is intended for VETERINARY USE ONLY. Do not use on human patients.



Warning: Only trained doctors and nurses can use the device.

Warning: The monitor is neither a therapeutic instrument nor a device that can be used at home.

2.1 General Safety

- 1. Safety precautions for safe installation
- The input socket of monitor can be connected to the electrical wires and common electrical wire can be used.
- Only the power supply type of AC 100-240V 50/60Hz specified by monitor can be used.
- Connect the electrical wire to a properly grounded socket. Avoid putting the socket used for it in the same loop of such devices as the air conditioners, which regularly switch between ON and OFF.
 - Avoid putting the monitor in the locations where it easily shakes or wobbles.
- Enough space shall be left around the monitor so as to guarantee normal ventilation.
- Make sure the ambient temperature and humidity are stable and avoid the occurrence of condensation in the work process of the monitor.

Warning: Never install the monitor in an environment where flammable anesthetic gas is present.

- 2. Monitor conforms to the safety requirements of IEC 60601-1. This monitor is protected against defibrillation effects.
- 3. Notes on signs related to safety



Defibrillator-proof type CF equipment (refer to IEC 60601-2-27)

The unit displaying this symbol contains a F-Type isolated (floating)

applied part providing a high degree of protection against shock, and is defibrillator-proof.

The type CF applied parts provide a higher degree of protection against electric shock than that provided by type BF applied parts.



Attention! Please refer to the documents accompanying this monitor (this manual)!



Defibrillator-proof type BF equipment (IEC 60601-1)

The unit displaying this symbol contains a F-Type isolated (floating) applied part providing a high degree of protection against shock, and is defibrillator-proof.

4. When a defibrillator is applied on an animal, the monitor may have transient disorders in the display of waveforms. If the electrodes are used and placed properly, the display of the monitor will be restored within 10 seconds. During defibrillation, please note to remove the electrode of chest lead and move the electrode of limb lead to the side of the limb. The electrode of the defibrillator should not come into direct contact with the monitoring electrodes. Please ensure the monitor is reliably grounded and the electrodes used repeatedly should be kept clean.

Warning: When conducting defibrillation, do not come into contact with the animals, the bed and the monitor. Otherwise serious injury or death could be resulted in.

- 5. To guarantee the safe operation of the monitor, Monitor is provided with various replaceable parts, accessories and consuming materials (such as sensors and their cables, electrode pads). Please use the products provided or designated by the manufacturer.
- 6. Monitor only guarantees its safety and accuracy under the condition that it is connected to the devices provided or designated by manufacturer. If the monitor is connected to other undesignated electrical equipment or devices, safety hazards may occur for causes such as the cumulating of the leakage current.
- 7. To guarantee the normal and safe operation of the monitor, a preventive check and maintenance should be conducted for the monitor and its parts every 6-12 months (including performance check and safety check) to verify the instrument can work in a safe and proper condition and it is safe to the medical personnel and the animal and has met the accuracy required by clinical use.

Caution: The monitor does not contain any parts for self-repair by users. The repair of the instrument must be conducted by the technical personnel been authorized by manufacturer.

2.2 Some important notes for safety

ANIMAL NUMBER

The monitor can only be applied to one animal at one time.

INTERFERENCE

Do not use cellular phone in the vicinity of this equipment. High level of electromagnetic radiation emitted from such devices may result in strong interference with the monitor performance.

ACCIDENTAL SPILLS

To avoid electric shock or device malfunction, liquids must not be allowed to enter the device. If liquids have entered the device, take it out of service and have it checked by a service technician before it is used again.

ACCURACY

If the accuracy of any value displayed on the monitor or printed on a printout paper is questionable, determine the animal's vital signs by alternative means. Verify that all equipment is working correctly.

ALARMS

Do not rely exclusively on the audible alarm system for animal monitoring. Adjustment of alarm volume to a low level or off during animal monitoring may result in a hazard to the animal. Remember that the most reliable method of animal monitoring combines close personal surveillance and correct operation of monitoring equipment.

The functions of the alarm system for monitoring the animal must be verified at regular intervals.

BEFORE USE

Before putting the system into operation, please visually inspect all connecting cables for signs of damage. Damaged cables and connectors must be replaced immediately.

Before using the system, the operator must verify that it is in correct working order and operating condition.

Periodically, and whenever the integrity of the product is in doubt, test all functions.

CABLES

Route all cables away from animal's throat to avoid possible strangulation.

TO CLEAR ANIMAL DATA

When monitoring a new animal, you must clear all previous animal data from the system. To accomplish this, shut down the device, then, turn on it. Selecting <code>New animal</code> in <code>main setup</code> menu can also clear the previous animal data .

DISPOSAL OF PACKAGE

Dispose of the packaging material, please observe the applicable waste control regulations and keeping it out of children's reach.

EXPLOSION HAZARD

Do not use this equipment in the presence of flammable anesthetics, vapors or liquids.

LEAKAGE CURRENT TEST

When interfacing with other equipment, a test for leakage current must be performed by qualified biomedical engineering personnel before using with animals.

BATTERY POWER

The device is equipped with a battery pack. The battery discharges even when the device is not in use. Store the device with a fully charged battery and take out the battery, so that the service life of the battery will not be shortened.

DISPOSAL OF ACCESSORIES AND DEVICE

Disposable devices are intended for single use only. They should not be reused as performance could degrade or contamination could occur.

The service life of this monitor is five years. At the end of its service life, the product described in this manual, as well as its accessories, must be disposed of in compliance with the guidelines regulating the disposal of such products. If you have questions concerning disposal of products, please contact manufacturer or its representatives.

EMC

Magnetic and electrical fields are capable of interfering with the proper performance of the device. For this reason, make sure that all external devices operated in the vicinity of the monitor comply with the relevant EMC requirements. X-ray equipment or MRI devices are a possible source of interference as they may emit higher levels of electromagnetic radiation. Also, keep cellular phones or other telecommunication equipment away from the monitor.

INSTRUCTION FOR USE

For continuous safe use of this equipment, it is necessary that listed instructions were followed. However, instructions listed in this manual in no way can supersede established medical practices concerning animal care.

LOSS OF DATA

Should the monitor at any time temporarily lose animal data, close animal observation or alternative monitoring devices should be used until monitor function is restored.

If the monitor does not automatically resume operation within 60 seconds, restart the monitor using the power on/off switch. Once monitoring is restored, you should verify correct monitoring state and alarm function.

2.3 Classifications

The Monitor is classified, according to IEC 60601-1 as:

Type of protection against electric shock:	I
Degree of protection against electric shock:	BF: CO ₂ , AG CF: ECG, RESP, TEMP, IBP, NIBP, SpO ₂
Degree of protection against harmful ingress of water:	Ordinary Equipment (enclosed equipment without protection against ingress of water)
Degree of safety of application in the presence of a flammable anesthetic-mixture with air or with oxygen or nitrous oxide:	Not suitable
Mode of operation:	Continuous operation

I: Class I equipment

BF: Type BF applied part **CF:** Type CF applied part

Not suitable: Equipment is not suitable for use in the presence of flammable anesthetic

mixture with air or with oxygen or nitrous oxide.

2.4 Safe Operating and Handling Conditions

Method(s) of sterilization or	Sterilization: not applicable
disinfection recommended by the	Disinfection: See "The Maintenance and Cleaning
manufacturer:	of the System->General Cleaning"
Electromagnetic interference	No cellular telephone nearby
Electro surgical interference damage	No damage
Diathermy instruments influence	Displayed values and prints may be disturbed or
	erroneous during diathermy.
Defibrillation shocks	The monitor specifications fulfill the requirements
	of IEC 60601-1, IEC 60601-2-27, IEC 60601-2-49,
	IEC 60601-2-34.
A:1:	The system must fulfill the requirements of
Auxiliary outputs	standard IEC 60601-1.

Chapter 3 Preparations Before the Use of the Monitor

3.1 Unpacking the Case

■ Unpack the packaging case

Open the packaging case, accessories include: electrical wire, various animal sensors and user's manual (this manual), warranty card, certificate and particular paper and the lower foam case contains the monitor.

■ Remove the monitor and accessories

Caution: Please place the monitor on level and stable supporting plane, not on the places that can easily shock or wake. Enough room should be left around the monitor so as to guarantee normal ventilation.

- Keep all the packaging materials for future use in transportation or storage.
- Check the monitor and accessories

Check the monitor and its accessories one by one in accordance with the particular paper. Check to see if the parts have any mechanical damages. In case of problems, please contact us or our agent.

3.2 Connecting to Power

3.2.1 AC Power

- Confirm the rated AC current is: AC 100-240V 50/60Hz
- Use the electrical wires provided along with the instrument, put its output end plug (round headed) into the AC current socket on the back of the monitor, and the plug of input end into a grounded socket of the mains (It must be a special socket of the hospital), connect the monitor through the earth one of electrical wires.
- when the indicating light above the power switch on the panel of the monitor is green, it means the AC power is on. And when the monitor is not connected to AC power and the DC battery is used as the power source, the indicating light is orange.

Warning: The monitor must be connected to a properly installed power outlet with protective earth contacts only. If the installation does not provide for a protective earth conductor, disconnect the monitor from the power line and operate it on battery power.

Note: The equipment has no mains switch. The equipment is switched completely only by disconnecting the power supply from the wall socket. The wall socket has to be easily accessible.

Note: For measurements in or near the heart we recommend connecting the monitor to the potential equalization system. Use the green and yellow potential equalization cable and connect it to the pin labeled with the symbol.

3.2.2 Battery Power

The monitor has a battery pack to provide power to the monitor whenever AC power is interrupted. The battery is generally referred to as the "battery".

You must charge the battery before using it. There is no external charger. The battery is charged when the monitor is connected to AC power. To assure a fully charged battery that is ready for use, we recommend that the monitor be plugged into AC power whenever it is not in use

Run time of the batteries is according to the usage and configuration of monitor. NIBP and SpO_2 monitoring and the usage of the recorder will drain battery power faster than other parameters.

Note: When the monitor is connected to AC power, the battery is in a state of being recharged. When it is unable to be connected to the AC power, the battery can be used to supply power, and at this time it is unnecessary to use the electrical wires, and the instrument can be switched on directly.

Note: A "Battery Low" message displaying at the technical alarm information area of screen and an audible system alarm indicate approximate 5 minutes of battery life remaining. You should connect the monitor to an AC power source when the message is displayed.

Note: This monitor contains a rechargeable battery. The average life span of this type of battery is approximately three years. When replacement becomes necessary, contacting a qualified service representative to perform the replacement.

Disposal Note: Should this product become damaged beyond repair, or for some reason its service life is considered to be at an end, please observe all local, state, and federal regulations that relate to the disposal of products that contain lead, batteries, plastics, etc.

■ Install Battery

The battery storage is located at the bottom of the monitor, following the steps to install a battery.

- 1. Open the battery gate according to the direction marked on the monitor.
- 2. Turn the baffle up clockwise.
- 3. Push the battery into the gate with the electrode point to the bottom of the monitor.
- 4. After pushing the battery inside the storage withdraw, the baffle turn back to the middle position.
- 5. Close the gate.

■ Uninstall battery

- 1. Open the battery gate according to the direction marked on the monitor.
- 2. Turn the baffle up clockwise.
- 3. Take out the battery. Then close the gate.

3.3 Connecting to the Central Monitor System

Warning: Accessory equipment connected to the analog and digital interface must be certified according to the respective IEC standards (e.g. IEC 60950 for data processing equipment and IEC 60601-1 for medical equipment). Furthermore all configurations shall comply with the valid version of the system standard IEC 60601-1. Everybody who connects additional equipment to the signal input part or signal output part configures a medical system, and is therefore responsible that the system complies with the requirements of the valid version of the system standard IEC 60601-1. If in doubt, consult the technical service department or your local representative.

If the user intends to connect the monitor to the central monitoring system, plug its connecting electrical cable into the Network Connector at the back of the monitor.

Note: This monitor can only be connected to the central monitoring system provided by manufacturer, do not attempt to connect this monitor to other central monitoring system.

3.4 Power on the Monitor

- Press the power switch on the front panel of the monitor.
- About 30 seconds after the monitor is switched on, after passing the self-examination of the system, the monitor enters the monitoring screen.

Warning: In case the monitor is found to be working abnormally or indication of errors appears, please do not use this monitor for monitoring and should contact the after-sale service center as soon as possible.

3.5 Connecting to Various Kinds of Sensors

Connect sensor cables to the relevant sockets on the monitor and put sensors on the monitored locations on the body of the animal. Refer to the relevant content of **Chapter 5** for details.

Warning: For safety reasons, all connectors for animal cables and sensor leads (with the exception of temperature) are designed to prevent inadvertent disconnection, should someone pull on the leads. Do not route cables in a way that they may present a stumbling hazard. Do not install the monitor in a location where it may drop to the animal. All consoles and brackets used must have a raised edge at the front.

3.6 Preparation of Recorder

If the monitor you use has been provided with a recorder, before starting of monitoring please check if the recorder has had recording thermal paper installed. The thermal side (that is the smoother side) should face upwards and a small section should be pulled out onto the outlet of the paper (on the right panel of the monitor).

If record paper has been used up, following the steps to install recording paper.

- 1. Push down the switch to open recorder.
- 2. Install the paper with the thermal side upwards.
- 3. Close the recorder with a section of paper outside of the storage.

For detailed operation information, refer to Fig. 3-6-1



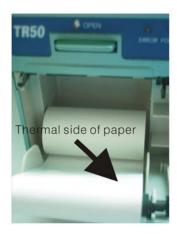




Fig. 3-6-1 Install Recording Paper

3.7 Shutting off the monitor

Please follow these steps to shut off the monitor:

- Confirm that the monitoring is finished.
- Disconnect the cables and sensors form animals.
- Confirm that the monitoring data is stored or cleared.
- Press the power switch, then a dialog will pop up to ask you make sure the shut-off operation. Select "OK" to shut off the monitor. If the monitor can't be switched off normally, forced close the monitor by pressing and holding the power switch more than 5s. This may cause some damages to the device.

Chapter 4 Operation Instructions for the Monitor

Note: In each menu, press $\langle Previous \rangle$ to return to the previous menu and press the $\langle Main \rangle$ button to return to main screen. In all the dialogue windows, there is help info to indicate the current operation.

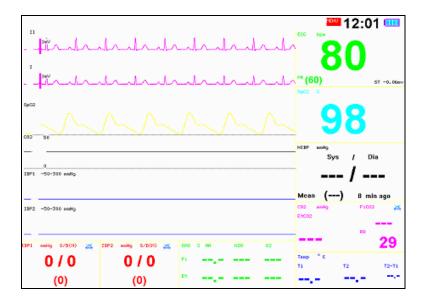
Note: The monitor configuration is consist of standard and non-standard parameter configuration, and their operation methods are basically the same. The standard parameters include 5-lead ECG, RESP, SpO₂, Single TEMP and NIBP, and the optional parameters include Dual TEMP, IBP, EtCO₂ and AG.

Note: The monitor applies to big animals, medium-size animals and small animals. The animals types include Horse, Dog and Cat. When monitoring a cat or small animal, set to cat; when monitoring dogs or medium-size animals, set to dog; when monitoring horses or big animals, set to horse.

4.1 Screen mode

In the **Select Screen>** of the **Main Setup>**menu, 7 kinds of different screen display modes can be selected, namely: Standard, NIBP Review, Big Numerics, Short Trend, 7 leads, oxyCRG. They are respectively showed as follow:

1) Standard



The ECG waveform of one lead is displayed on the uppermost region above the waveforms (this lead is called key monitoring lead and is set by the **ECG1>** option in **ECG>**), and the waveforms below are displayed differently according to different configurations.

2) NIBP Review



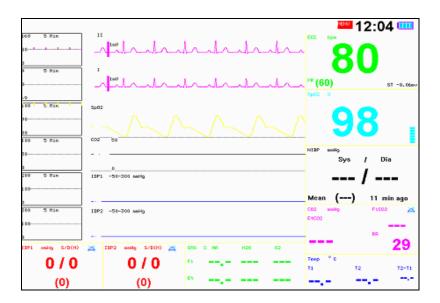
The recent groups of NIBP measurement results are displayed below the waveforms and the measurement records can be browsed by turning the trim knob.

3) Big Numerics



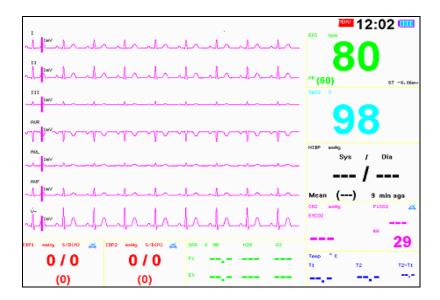
The main parameters are displayed in big font, e.g. HR, SpO₂, NIBP, RESP and EtCO₂.

4) Short Trend



The short trend diagram relevant to the parameters is displayed on the upper-left corner of the waveform.

5) 7-Leads



The ECG waveforms of 7-lead are displayed in the waveform display zone, they are I, II, III, aVR, aVL, aVF, and V- respectively.

6) OxyCRG



The trend diagrams of HR, SpO₂ and RESP within 8 minutes are displayed under the waveforms.

4.2 Main menu



Screen Such eight display modes as **Standard, NIBP Review, Big Numerics, Short Trend, 7 leads and oxyCRG** can be selected. And the display mode varies according to different manufacturer configurations.

Monitor Click and open the dialog of monitor configuration. Conduct some configurations of the monitor.

Trend Review Click and open the dialog of trend browse. Browse trend tables or trend diagrams.

Alarm Review Click and open the dialog of alarm event review. Browse alarm events.

Alarm Setup Click and open the dialog of alarm configuration. Conduct configuration of alarm parameters.

New Patient Terminate the monitoring of the current animal and initiate the monitoring of a new animal. Pressing the option will delete the monitoring data of the current animal and animal Info and initiate the monitoring of a new animal.

Patient info Click and open the dialog of animal info. It provides the input and browse of animal info.

Standby Click and enter the standby state.

Caution: After initiating the monitoring of a new animal, the data of historical animals will be completely eliminated.

4.2.1 Monitor Setup



Beep volume Set the volume of BEEP and options are **Off, 1, 2** and **3**. After one selection is made, a testing beep will be produced.

Alarm volume Set the alarm volume and options are **Off, 1, 2** and **3**. After one selection is made, a testing beep will be produced.

Wave Setup Click and open the dialog of waveform configuration. Conduct the customization of screen waveforms and relevant waveform displays can be selected according to needs.

Select Module Click and open the dialog of module configuration. Some of the modules not in current use can be switched off, and after switching-off, the relevant parameters and waveforms will not be displayed and no alarm will be made.

Trend storage Click and open the dialog of configuration of trend storage. It provides the configuration function on the mode of trend storage and several modes of trend storage can be defined.

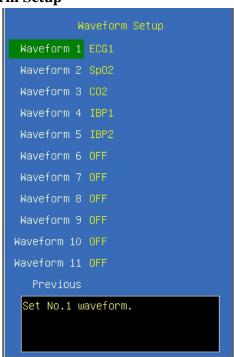
Short Trend Click and open the dialog of short trend diagram. Some scales and time of short trend diagram can be defined.

System Setup Click and open the dialog of system configuration. Conduct the configuration and maintenance of systems.

System info Click and open the dialog of system info. Some info of the system will be displayed, such as version info.

Demo Switch on or switch off demonstration function

■ Waveform Setup



Waveform 1 Select the waveform displayed in the first line, and according to the lead types, different ECG waveforms can be selected (**Note**: **The lead must be the ECG waveform, and cannot be switched off**). At 3-Leads mode, it is the key monitoring lead and it is defaulted as Lead II.

Waveform 2 Select the waveform displayed in the second line, and options are **Off, Cascade** and **random waveform**. When selecting **Cascade**>, waveform 2 is the cascade of waveform 1.

Waveform 3 Select the waveform displayed in the third line. Select **Off** close the wave display or select certain waveform to display.

Waveform 4 Select the waveform displayed in the fourth line. Select **Off** close the wave display or select certain waveform to display.

Waveform 5 Select the waveform displayed in the fifth line. Select **Off** close the wave display or select certain waveform to display.

Waveform 6 Select the waveform displayed in the sixth line. Select **Off** close the wave display or select certain waveform to display.

Waveform 7 Select the waveform displayed in the seventh line. Select **Off** close the wave display or select certain waveform to display.

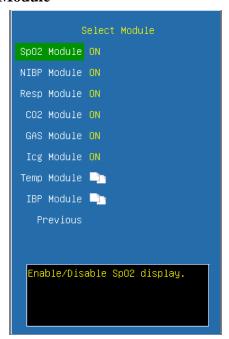
Waveform 8 Select the waveform displayed in the seventh line. Select **Off** close the wave display or select certain waveform to display.

Waveform 9 Select the waveform displayed in the seventh line. Select **Off** close the wave display or select certain waveform to display.

Waveform 10 Select the waveform displayed in the seventh line. Select **Off** close the wave display or select certain waveform to display.

Waveform 11 Select the waveform displayed in the seventh line. Select **Off** close the wave display or select certain waveform to display.

■ Select Module



SpO₂ module Enable/Disable the display of SpO₂ module. After switching-off, the SpO₂ parameters and relevant alarm will not be displayed and the current SpO₂ waveform will be automatically switched off. After it is open, the SpO₂ waveform will also be opened.

NIBP module Please refer to **SpO₂ module** instruction

RESP module Enable/Disable the display of RESP module. After switching-off, the RESP parameters and relevant alarm will no be displayed and the current RESP waveform will be automatically switched off. After it is open, if there is no CO₂ module, the RESP

waveform will be opened automatically.

CO₂ module Enable/Disable the display of CO₂ module. After switching-off, the CO₂ parameters and relevant alarm will not be displayed and the current CO₂ waveform will be automatically switched off. After it is open, the CO₂ waveform will be automatically open, if there is an RESP waveforms, the RESP waveform will be switched off.

GAS module Please refer to SpO₂ module instruction

TEMP module Click and open the dialog of TEMP module setup.



TEMP 1 module Enable/Disable the display of TEMP 1 module **TEMP 2 module** Enable/Disable the display of TEMP 2 module

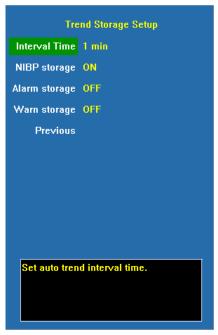
IBP module Click and open the dialog of IBP module setup



IBP1 module Enable/Disable the display of IBP1 module. After switching-off, no IBP1 parameters and relevant alarm will be displayed and the current IBP1 waveform will be automatically switched off. After it is open, the IBP1 waveform will also be opened.

IBP2 module Please refer to **IBP1 module** instruction

■ Trend Storage Setup



Interval time Select the cycle intervals of trend storage and options are Off, 1min, 2min, 3min, 4min, 5min, 10min, 15min, 20min, 25min and 30min.

NIBP storage Enable/Disable the switch of NIBP storage. When it is enabled, it indicates after NIBP measurement completed, a record will be stored.

Alarm storage Enable/Disable the switch of alarm storage. When it is enabled, it indicates if there is a high alarm of physiological parameters a record will be stored.

Warn storage Enable/Disable the switch of warning storage. When it is enabled, it indicates if there is a medium alarm of physiological parameters a record will be stored.

■ Short trend Setup



Time scale Select the time interval of short trend diagram. Options are 5min, 10min, 15min, 20min, 30min, 1h and 2h.

HR scale Select the scale of heart rate for short trend diagram. Options are **0~160/min** and **0~300/min**.

SpO₂ scale Select the scale of SpO₂ for short trend diagram. Options are $40\sim100\%$, $60\sim100\%$ and $80\sim100\%$.

RESP scale Select the scale of respiration rate for short trend diagram. Options are **0~8/min**, **0~24/min**, **0~50/min** and **0~100/min**.

IBP1 scale Select the scale of IBP1 for short trend diagram. Options are 0~300mmHg, 0~150mmHg, 0~200mmHg, 0~100mmHg, -20~50mmHg and -50~300mmHg.

IBP2 scale Select the scale of IBP2 for short trend diagram. Options are 0~300mmHg, 0~150mmHg, 0~200mmHg, 0~100mmHg, -20~50mmHg and -50~300mmHg.

EtCO₂ scale Select the scale of EtCO₂ for short trend diagram. Options are **0~30mmHg**, **0~60mmHg** and **0~100mmHg**.

■ System Setup



Language The categories of languages can be selected. To change the language, it is necessary to restart the monitor.

Recorder Click and open the dialog of recorder configuration.

Time Setup Click and open the dialog of time configuration. After the time of the system has been configured, please restart the monitor.

Patient Type Click and choose the animal type you need:"Big Animal, Middle Animal, Small Animal"

Alarm level Click and open the dialog of alarm level configuration.

Machine Click and open the dialog of machine maintenance. Enter the interface of machine maintenance and it is necessary to enter the password (password is **125689**)

■ Recorder Setup



Record Wave1 Select the waveform recording in the first line. Select certain waveform to record. **It cannot be switched off.**

Record Wave2 Select the waveform recording in the second line. Select **Off** close the wave display or select certain waveform to record.

Record Wave3 Select the waveform recording in the third line. Select **Off** close the wave display or select certain waveform to display.

Record Time Select the time duration of the waveform for each recording. Options are **8s, 12s** and **16s**.

Interval Select the time interval for cycle recording. Options are Off, 1min, 2min, 3min, 4min, 5min, 10min, 15min, 20min, 25min and 30min.

Delay Time Delayed recordings start documenting on the recorder strip from a preset time before the recording is started. This interval is called the "Delay Time" and can be set to **Real time**, **4s** or **8s**.

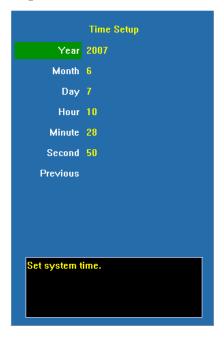
Record Grid Enable/Disable recording of the grids when the recorder is producing waveforms.

Alarm Record Enable/Disable the alarm recording at the high level of physiological alarm.

Warn Record Enable/Disable the warn recording at the medium level of physiological alarm

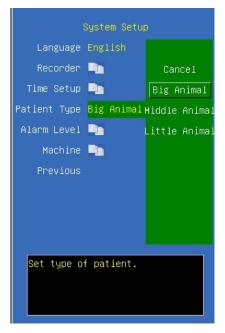
Manual Time Set the manual recording time. Options are off, 10s, 20s and 30s.

■ Time Setup



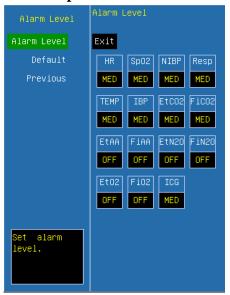
The user can configure system time. The user is advised to set system time before implementing monitoring. If the configuration is to be conducted during the process of monitoring, the user is advised to switch off the monitor after exiting the current window and then restart it. The time for the revision takes effect after the current window is exited.

■ Patient Type



The user can choose animal type like **Big Animal**, **Middle Animal** and **Little Animal**. When monitoring a cat or small animal, set the object to **Small Animal**, when monitoring dogs or medium-size animals, set to **Middle Animal**, when monitoring horses or big animals, set to **Big Animal**.

■ Alarm level Setup



Alarm levels of all the parameters can be configured. Press **Set Alarm level** > option, the cursor will move to the region of configuring alarm levels. If the alarm level of a certain parameter is to be configured, first move the cursor to the alarm level of that parameter, press the option and then select the alarm level, Options are **low, med** and **high**.

Caution: Only the alarm level of TEMP can select "Low, MED, High", other parameters' alarm level can select "MED, High".

■ Machine Setup



Maintenance Click and open the dialog of system maintenance

Factory Manufacturer maintenance is not an operation option for users and it

must be operated by the technical and maintenance personnel authorized by manufacturer.

Upgrade Click and open the dialog of updating monitor's software

CO2 Function Click and open the dialog of function selection. Options are CO2 Cal Mode, CO2 Gain Cal, CO2 Flow.

Fun. Select Click and open the dialog of function selection. Options are Alarm Limit, ShortCut Key, ECG BaseLine, ECG Auto and Alarm Sound.

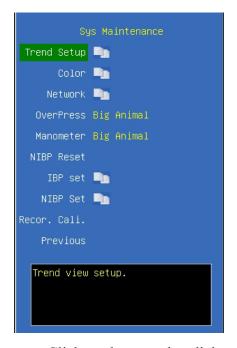
Alarm Setup Click and open the dialog of alarm setup. You can check or set the alarm limit and alarm state.

Min volume Set minimum alarm volue.

HUM Select the frequency of the industrial frequency and options are 50Hz and 60Hz. It is mainly configured according to the frequency of local power supply.

ECG Scale Select $\langle \mathbf{On} \rangle$ or $\langle \mathbf{Off} \rangle$ to enable or disable ECG scale.

■ System Maintenance



Trend Setup Click and open the dialog of trend display configuration. Conduct configurations of trend diagrams and trend tables.

Color Click and open the dialog of color configuration and configure colors of parameters and waveforms.

Network Click and open the dialog of network configuration. Conduct network configurations.

OverPress Initiate NIBP over-pressure test

Manometer Initiates NIBP manometer test.

NIBP reset Reset NIBP module.

IBP set Click and open the dialog of IBP setup.

NIBP set Click and open the dialog of NIBP setup.

Recorder cali. Conduct speed calibration of the recorder. This operation must be conducted when the recorder is changed.

■ Trend Setup

The user can define various trend display info according to needs or use the display configuration for default trend.



Trend Graph1 Configuration of trend diagram.

There are a total of three pages of trend diagrams and on each page trend diagram can be configured for six regions, and options are Off, HR, SpO₂, NIBP, PR, Resp, CO₂, T1, T2, AA, N₂O, O₂, P1, P2, ST, HR+SpO₂, SpO₂+PR, Resp+CO₂, PR+CO₂, T1+T2, P1+P2, AA+CO₂, N₂O+O₂. It is possible to have self-configurations on the contents of the trend diagrams and at least one page of trend diagrams shall be configured.



Trend Table Configuration of trend tables

There are a total of three pages of trend tables and on each page trend table can be configured for six regions, and options are HR, SpO₂, NIBP (S/D), NIBP (M), IBP1 (S/D), IBP1 (M), IBP2 (S/D), IBP2 (M), Resp, PR, T1, T2, CO₂, AA, N₂O, O₂. It is possible to have self-configurations on the contents of the trend tables and at least one page of trend tables shall be configured.

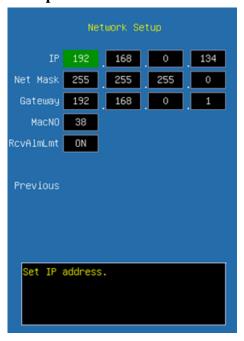


■ Color Setup



Enter the interface of color configuration, the colors of various parameters and waveforms can be configured.

■ Network Setup



In the interface of network configuration, such items as **IP address**, **Net mask**, **Gateway**, **Machine number** can be configured. The configuration is mainly necessary when the monitor connecting to the Central Unit.

Rev Alm Lmt Set the switch of receiving alarm limit from the central unit. It can be set to ON or OFF.

■ System info

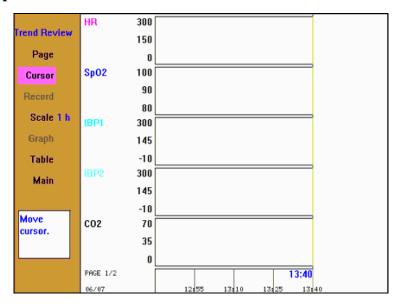
Version It displays the version number of software.

Module SN It displays the product serial number of module. Serial Number It displays the serial number of the machine.

New Main Board It displays the type of the new main board.

4.2.2 Trend Review

Trend Graph



Trend Table

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Frend Review	TIME	HR	Sp02	IBP1	IBP2m	RR	
Page							
Cursor							
Record							
Scale 1 h							
Graph							
Table							
Main							
Return to main screen.							

Page Press this option and turn the trim knob to conduct the paging operation. Press it again to restore the initial status. If more than one page of trend diagrams or trend tables are configured, then the paging is switched between the trend diagrams or trend tables between different pages.

Cursor Press this option, turn the trim knob and move the cursor in the trend diagrams or trend tables. Press it again to restore the initial status. It is possible to move the cursor in the trend diagrams and trend tables. In the trend tables, it is possible to browse the trend records by moving the cursor, and if it moves to the left side or the right side of trend diagram, continue moving can roll the trend diagram by 1/4 screen to the left or right.

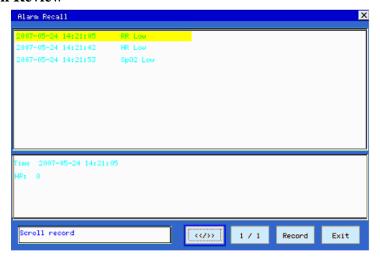
Record Press this option to record the trend tables of the current page, but the trend diagram does not support recording.

Scale Press this option and the time intervals for one page of trend diagrams can be selected. Options are 1h, 2h, 4h, 6h, 8h, 10h, 12h, 24h, 48h, 72h, 168h.

Graph Press this option to switch to the display of trend diagram.

Table Press this option to switch to the display of trend tables

4.2.3 Alarm Review



<>/>> Select this button, turn the trim knob to roll the records back and forth.

1/1 Select this button, turn the trim knob to turn the pages back and forth.

Record Print the currently selected alarm events through the recorder; and if no recorder is configured, this option is invalid.

Exit Exit the dialog of alarm review

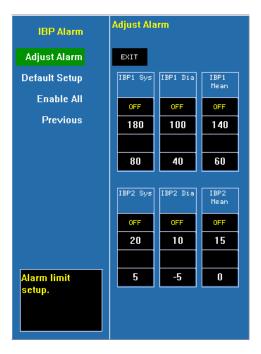
4.2.4 Alarm Setup



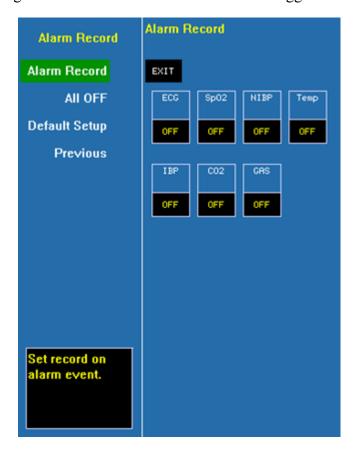
Common Alarm Click and open the dialog of common parameters alarm. It can setup the alarm limits of common parameters.



IBP Alarm Click and open the dialog of IBP alarm. It can setup the alarm limits of IBP.



Alarm Record Click and open the dialog of alarm recording. Configure whether the alarm records of various modules are recorded. Only when the switch for alarm recording of the module and the switch for alarm record in the record setup have been switched on, the physiological alarm in the relevant modules will trigger the alarm recording.



Alarm volume Configure the volume of alarm and options are **off,1,2** and **3**. Once a level is selected, a testing beep will be produced.

Note: In each dialog of alarm configuration, press the button 【Adjust Alarm】 and the cursor moves to the adjustment region of alarm limits. Press the button 【Enable All】 and all the alarms will be opened. If the user desires to adjust the alarm parameter of a certain parameter, first move the cursor onto the label of that parameter, and then press the trim knob to move the cursor up and down to select the parameter to be adjusted for revision.

4.2.5 Patient info



Case No. The case number of animals (It can be configured according to the actual status of the hospital and a maximum of 10 letters can be entered), press $\langle \mathbf{Del} \rangle$ to delete and $\langle \mathbf{Clear} \rangle$ to clear; enter $\langle \mathbf{OK} \rangle$ to confirm.

Name Animal name (It can be selected among A-Z and 0-9 and a maximum of 10 letters can be entered) enter $\langle \mathbf{OK} \rangle$ to confirm.

Height Body height of animal (Turn the trim knob with an increment or decrement of 1 cm)

Weight Body weight of animal (Turn the trim knob with an increment or decrement of 1 kg)

Sex Gender of animal (male or female)

Age Age of animal (Turn the trim knob with an increment or decrement of 1 year)

Room No. Number of animal's room. Animal's room number can be displayed in the central unit.

Bed No. Number of animal's bed. Animal's bed number can be displayed in the central unit.

4.2.6 Drug Dose Calc



This calculation of drug concentration is mainly aimed at facilitating the work of physicians. It conducts concentration calculation on some commonly used drugs. A content of titration table can be output through recorder.

In the system, the following categories of drugs can be calculated:

AMINOPHYLLINE, DOBUTAMINE, DOPAMINE, EPINEPHRINE, HEPARIN, ISUPREL, LIDOCAINE, NIPRIDE, NITROGLYCERIN, and PITOCIN. In addition, it provides DRUG_A, DRUG_B, DRUG_C, DRUG_D and DRUG_E to displace any other drugs flexibly.

The following formulas are used for the calculation of drug dosage:

Drug concentration equal to total amount of drug divided by liquid volume

Liquid velocity equal to drug dosage divided by drug concentration

Duration time equal to total amount of drug divided by drug dosage

Drug dosage equal to velocity of IV drip multiply drug concentration

In the window of drug calculation, the operator should first select the name of the drug to be calculated, confirm the animal weight and then enter other known values.

■ Drug name

Move the cursor to $\langle \mathbf{Drug\ name} \rangle$, press the trim knob, then turn the trim knob to select drug, and only one kind of drug can be selected for calculation at one time.

DRUG_A, DRUG_B, DRUG_C, DRUG_D and DRUG_E are only codes for drugs rather than their real names. The units for these five kinds of drugs are fixed and the operator can select the appropriate units according to the habits of the drugs. The rules of the units are as follow:

DRUG_A, DRUG_B, DRUG_C are fixed at the serial units of **gram** (**g**), **milligram** (**mg**) and **microgram** (**mcg**).

DRUG D is fixed at the serial units of **unit**, **k unit** and **m unit**.

DRUG E is fixed at the unit of **mEq**.

■ Weight

The operator should enter the animal weight first, and as independent info the weight is only used in the function of the calculation of drug concentration.

Turn the trim knob to move the cursor to the positions of the various calculation items in the calculation formula respectively, turn the trim knob, and select calculation value, then press the trim knob and confirm the selected calculation value. When the calculation value is selected, the value of the calculated item will be displayed at relevant locations. There are range limits for the value adoption of each calculation Item, if the calculation results exceed the range, "---"will be displayed.

Regarding this function of drug calculation, the values for other individual items can only be entered after the weight and drug name have been entered. In the system, the values that are given initially are only a group of random initial values and the operator shall not take this value as the calculation standard and a group of values appropriate to the animal must be reentered according to the physicians' comments.

Each kind of drugs has a fixed unit or unit series and the operator must select the appropriate units according to the physicians' comments. In the unit series of the same unit, the addition of the units will be automatically adjusted in accordance with the current entered value. When the expressed range that can be expressed by this unit is exceeded, the system will display "---".

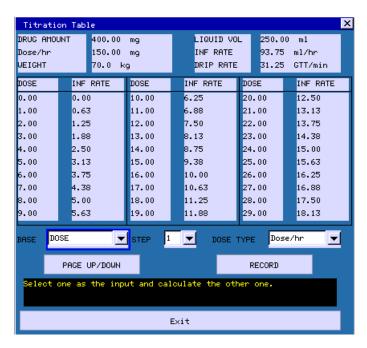
When the operator has entered the value of a certain item, the system will give a prompt in the menu so as to remind the operator to verify the correctness of the entered value. Only by ensuring the correctness of the entered values, the calculated values can be reliable and safe.

In case of neonatal, drip velocity and volume per drip are invalid.

The values in the table may not be related to the animal monitored on this bed. Therefore the weight of this menu and the weight in the animal info are two different values. The values in this menu item are not affected by the values in the animal info.

Titration table

Select (**Titration**) in the menu of drug calculation to enter the interface of titration table.



In the titration table, turn the trim knob to $\langle \mathbf{Base} \rangle$, then press the trim knob to select the desired item. Options are **Dose**, **Trans speed** and **Drop speed**. After selecting, press the trim knob to confirm the selection.

Move the cursor to \langle **Step** \rangle and press the trim knob to select the step size; the selectable range is 1-10.

Move the cursor to **\langle Dose Type \rangle** and press the trim knob to select the dosage unit.

Move the cursor to $\langle \mathbf{Page} \ \mathbf{Up} \ / \mathbf{Down} \rangle$, press the trim knob, and then turn the trim knob to browse the previous page and next page.

Move the cursor to $\langle \textbf{Record} \rangle$, press the trim knob to give the output of the data of the titration table on the currently displayed interface.

Move the cursor to $\langle \mathbf{Exit} \rangle$, press the trim knob to return to the window of drug calculation.

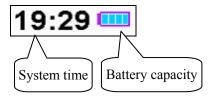
4.3 Screen display

This Monitor adopts color LCD screen with high brightness, which can display parameters, waveforms, system status and other prompt info. The main screen is mainly divided into three regions, they are respectively:

- Display zone of system info and alarm prompt info (the uppermost part)
- Waveform display zone (left, and It shall vary according to different screen types)
- Parameter display zone (right and lowest part)

4.3.1 System status

The system time and status of battery capacity are displayed on the upper right corner.



Notes on battery capacities:

- Battery capacity is full Battery capacity is half-full
- Battery capacity is exhausted

Only when the monitor is powered by battery and is recharging the battery, the icon for battery capacity is displayed. If AC power in current use and the battery capacity is full, the icon will not be displayed.

Note: When the battery capacity is exhausted, the system produces an alarm sound, prompting the user to plug in the AC power for recharging; if it is not recharged in time, the monitor will be automatically switched off due to insufficient capacity more than 5 minutes.

Caution: When the energy level of the battery is exhausted, plug in the AC power to recharge, and then the battery indication may quickly return to "Full battery level"; the AC plug should be kept plugged in for more than 10 hours so as to ensure the full capacity of the battery.

4.3.2 Info display region

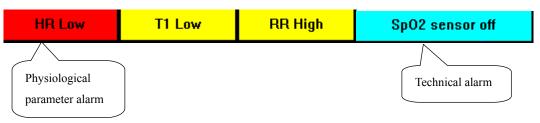
The upper region of the screen is the info display region, which is used to display the status of alarm sound, alarm suspension countdown and alarm info.

■ Status of alarm sound

The alarm sound is in "Off" status, and if a new alarm is generated, the "Off" status of alarm sound will be automatically cancelled.

Pause the alarm, and if a new alarm is generated, the "Pause" status of alarm sound will be automatically cancelled.

■ Alarm indicating zone



■ Alarm levels

Red base color is high alarm

Yellow base color is medium and low alarm

The order displayed by the physiological parameter alarm is displayed from left to right in turn according to the alarm levels.

■ Parameter alarm

The value of that parameter displayed on the upper part of the screen will flash to Indicate the alarm of that parameter.

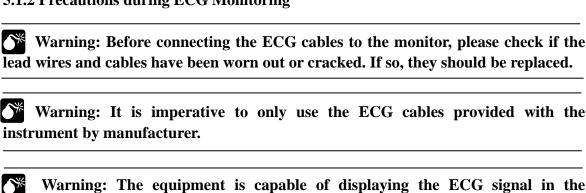
Chapter 5 Parameters Measurement

5.1 Measurement of ECG/HR

5.1.1 Principles of Measuring

Before the mechanical contraction, the heart will firstly produce electrization and biological current, which will be conducted to body surface through tissue and humors; the current will present difference in potential in different locations of the body, forming potential difference ECG, also known as body surface ECG or regular ECG, is obtained by recording this changing potential difference to form a dynamic curve. Monitor measuring the changes in the body surface potentials caused by the heart of the animal, observes the cardioelectric activities, records the cardioelectric waveforms and calculates the HR through the multiple electrodes connected to ECG cable.

5.1.2 Precautions during ECG Monitoring



Warning: To avoid burning, when the electrotome operation is performed, the electrodes should be placed near the middle between ESU grounding pad and electrotome and the electrotome should be applied as far as possible from all other electrodes, a distance of at least 15 cm/6 in is recommended.

presence of pacemaker pulses without rejecting pacemaker pulses.

Warning: When the electrotome operation is performed, the ECG leads should be intertwisted as much as possible. The main unit of the instrument should be placed at a distance from the operation table. Power wires and the ECG lead cables should be partitioned and should not be in parallel.

Warning: The monitor is protected against defibrillation effect. When applying defibrillator to the animal, the monitor will experience transient disorderly waveforms. If the electrodes are used and placed correctly, the display of the monitor will be restored within 5 seconds. During defibrillation, the chest leads such as $V_1 \sim V_6$ should be removed and such limb electrodes as RA, LA, RL, LL should be moved to the side of the limbs.

Warning: All the electrodes and conducting part shall not be into contact with any other conductors including the ground. For the sake of animal safety, all the leads on the ECG cables must be attached to the animal.

Warning: When conducting defibrillation, it is imperative to only use the electrodes recommended by manufacturer.

Warning: Do not come into contact with the animal, bed and the monitor during defibrillation.

Warning: The monitor cannot be directly applied to heart and cannot be used for the measurement of endocardio ECG.

Note: When several parts of equipment are interconnected, the total leakage current is limited to the safety range according to standards IEC 60601-2-27.

5.1.3 Preparatory Steps before the Measurement of ECG/HR

- 1) Plug the ECG cable into the ECG socket of the monitor.
- 2) Place the electrodes onto the body of the animal and connect them to the relevant lead wires of the ECG cables, and at this moment ECG waveforms will appear on the screen.
 - 3) Set the parameters relevant to ECG monitoring.

5.1.4 Connecting the ECG Cables to the Monitor

Monitor is provided with three different ECG cables relevant to 3-Lead ECG module, 5-Lead ECG module:

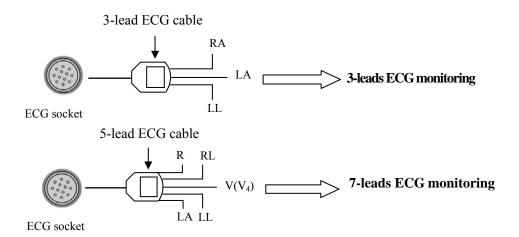


Fig. 5-1-1 Connect the ECG cable to the monitor

1) 3-lead ECG cable

- Including three limb leads: RA, LL, and LA.
- Relevant ECG socket.
- Realize 3-lead ECG monitoring.

2) 5-lead ECG cable

- Including four limb leads: RA, RL, LL, LA and one chest-lead V (V₄).
- Relevant ECG socket.
- Realize 7-lead ECG monitoring.

5.1.5 Connecting the ECG Electrodes to the Animal

1) Connection steps

■ Lead contact

Sites where leads are attached to the body must be properly prepared to optimize contact.

Dogs and cats have enough electrolyte material on their skin and hair so that merely moistening lead sites with 70% isopropyl alcohol is appropriate. This will usually be sufficient for ECG monitoring for a short time, 30 to 60 minutes, depending upon the relative humidity.

For monitoring during longer periods, an electrode paste should be used. It is best to first wet the hair at the lead attachment site with alcohol; then place paste on the moistened hair and skin. It is important that the paste be in direct contact with skin. For animals with dense undercoat, rub paste with fingers to assure that it has made contact with skin. Crocodile clips are supplied with this monitor and they must open wide enough to firmly but gently grasp the skin.

■ Connect the cable leads to the electrodes.

Note: For animals who tremble a lot or animals with especially weak ECG signals, it might be difficult to extract the ECG signals, and it is even more difficult to conduct HR calculation. For severely burnt animals, it may be impossible to stick the electrodes on and it may be necessary to use the special pin-shape electrodes. In case of bad signals, care should be taken to place the electrodes on the soft portions of the muscle.

Note: Check the irritation caused by each electrode to the skin, and in case of any inflammations or allergies, the electrodes should be replaced and the user should relocate the electrodes every 24 hours or at a shorter interval.

Note: When the amplifier is saturated or overloaded, the input signal is medical meaningless, then the equipment gives an indication on the screen.

2) Location for electrode placement

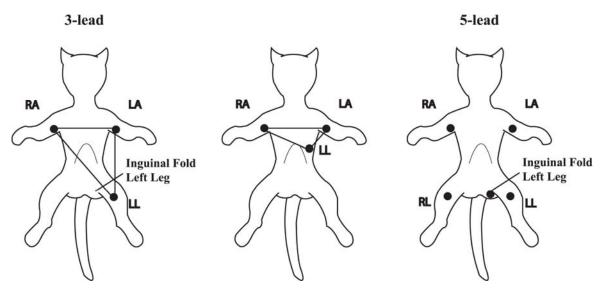


Fig. 5-1-2 Indicative map of the placement of ECG electrodes

The following table shows the lead name to identify each lead wire and its associated color of AHA and IEC standards.

AHA Label	AHA Color	IEC Label	IEC Color	Location
RA	White	R	Red	Right foreleg.
LA	Black	L	Yellow	Left foreleg.
RL	Green	N	Black	Right hind leg.
LL	Red	F	Green	Left hind leg.
V	Brown	С	White	4th Intercostal Space (left)

When conducting 3-leads ECG monitoring, use 3-lead ECG cable. The three limb-leads of RA, LA and LL as shown in Fig. 5-1-2, will be placed on the relevant locations. This connection can establish the lead of I, II, III.

When conducting 7-leads ECG monitoring, use 5-lead ECG cable. The four limb-leads of RA, LA, RL and LL as shown in Fig. 5-1-2, will be placed on the relevant locations. This connection can establish the lead of I, II, III, aVR, aVL, aVF; according to actual needs, chest lead V can be placed on any of the locations between $V_1 \sim V_6$, respectively making one lead of $V_1 \sim V_6$ established.

5.1.6 Setup of ECG/HR parameters



ECG1 Select the first lead ECG waveform, and this lead is the key monitoring lead.

ECG Gain Select the gain item of ECG waveform, and options are AUTO, 0.25x, 0.5x, 1.0x, 2.0x and 4.0x.

HR source Select HR source item, and options are **AUTO**, **ECG** and **PLETH**.

When select ART for IBP measurement, the option **ART** is appeared in HR source.

Beep Volume Select the volume of BEEP, and options are **Off**, **1,2** and **3**. Once an option is selected, a testing beep will be produced.

Alarm setup Click and open the dialog of alarm setup.

ECG setup Click and open the dialog of ECG setup.

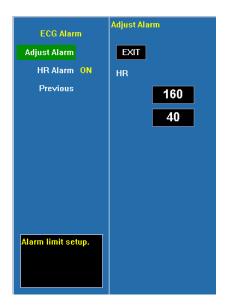
ECG replay Click and open the dialog of ECG replay.

• Alarm setup



ECG alarm Click and open the dialog of HR alarm

Lead Level Set ECG lead off alarm level

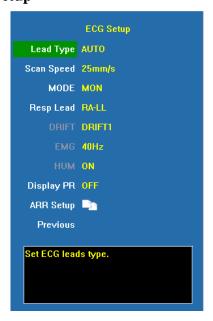


Adjust alarm Select this option to enter the configuration of alarm limits and configure the limits by turning the trim knob to select the high limits and low limits, and exit by selecting **(EXIT)**. The upper part is the high limit and the lower part is the low limit.

The configuration range of high limit is $0\sim400$ bpm continuously adjustable, not lower than low limit and the configuration range of low limit is $0\sim400$ bpm continuously adjustable, not higher than the high limit.

HR alarm Select **<ON>** to enable HR over limit alarm; select **<OFF>** to disable HR over limit alarm.

ECG Setup



Lead Type Select the lead type of ECG input, and options are **5 leads**, **3 leads**.

Scan speed Select the scanning speed of ECG waveforms and options are **6.25mm/s**, **12.5mm/s**, **25mm/s** and **50mm/s**. The output speed of the recorder remains the same as the scanning speed of the ECG lead.

MODE Select monitoring mode, and options are **USER**, **DIAG**, **MON** and **OPS**.

Resp Lead Select the calculation methods of RESP lead, and options are **RA-LL**, **RA-LA**, **RL-LA** and **RL-LL**.

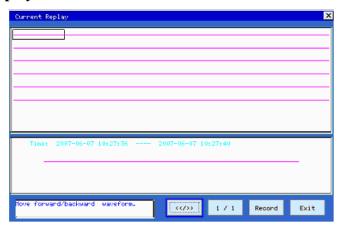
DRIFT Select the modes of drift filtrations, and options are **Off**, **Drift 1** and **Drift 2**.

EMG Select myoelectric filtration, and options are **Off**, **25Hz** and **40Hz**.

HUM Select hum frequency filtration, and options are **Off** and **ON**. Specific frequencies (50HZ, 60HZ) are configured in (**Machine Setup**) and they must be configured according to the frequency of local power supply.

Display PR Select to simultaneity display pulse rate. If simultaneity display of PR is selected, PR will be simultaneity displayed at the lower left corner of the ECG parameter display region.

ECG replay



<</>> Select this button and it is possible to roll the waveform block by turning the trim knob back and forth, with 5 seconds each block.

1/1 Select this button, and it is possible to turn the pages back and forth, and the number before "/" shows the current page and the number following "/" shows total page numbers.

Record Print the enlarged waveform in current selection through the recorder.

Exit Exit the dialog of ECG replay.

The states of the filter under various modes of ECG

Filter ECG mode	Drift filter	HUM filter	EMG filter	
UNFI	OFF	OFF	OFF	
OPS	Drift 2	ON	25Hz	
MON	Drift 1	ON	40Hz	
USER	Optional	Optional	Optional	

Note: Under the mode of UNFI, OPS and MON, the state of the filter cannot be regulated. Only under the state of USER can the state be regulated.

Caution: When "3 Lead" is selected as <Lead Type>, ECG is in 3-lead input mode, and only Lead I, II or III can be measured.

Caution: When "5 Lead" is selected as <Lead Type>, ECG is in 5-lead input mode, and Lead I, II, III, aVR, aVL and aVF and one chest lead can be measured at the same time

5.1.7 Maintenance and Cleaning

If there is any sign that the ECG cable may be damaged or deteriorated, replace it with a new one instead of continuing its application on the animal.

To avoid extended damage to the equipment, disinfection is only recommended when stipulated as necessary in the hospital maintenance schedule, disinfection facilities should be cleaned first.

■ Cleaning:

Use a piece of clean cloth moistened in water or mild soap solution to clean the ECG cable.

■ Disinfection:

Use a piece of clean cloth to wipe the surface of the cable with a 10% bleach solution or 2% Cidex®, clean with clear water and wipe it dry.

5.2 Measurement of RESP

5.2.1 Principles of Measuring

Monitor measures RESP with the method of impedance. When an animal exhales and inhales, changes will take place in the size and shape of the thoracic cavity, causing consequent changes in the impedance between the two electrodes installed at the animal's

chest. Based on the cycle of impedance changes, the respiration rate can be calculated.

5.2.2 Preparatory Steps of the Measurement of RESP

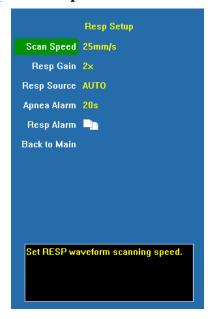
- 1) Plug the 5-lead ECG cable into the ECG socket of the monitor.
- 2) Place the various pads of the electrodes onto the body of animal and connect them to the relevant lead cables. At this moment, the screen will show RESP waves and the RESP rate will be calculated.
 - 3) Set the parameters relevant to RESP monitoring.

5.2.3 Connect the ECG Cable with Animal and the Monitor

To measure RESP parameters, it is unnecessary to use other cables and it is only necessary to use the two RA and LL leads in the 5-lead ECG cable. So please refer to Fig. 5-1-1 to plug the 5-lead ECG cable into the ECG socket and refer to Fig. 5-1-2 to place the RA and LL leads onto the body of animal.

- Warning: For the sake of safety, all the leads on the 5-lead ECG cable must be connected to the body of animal.
- Caution: In order to get the best RESP waveforms, when selecting lead II for measuring RESP, it is advised to place RA and LL electrodes cornerways.
- Caution: For reducing the influence of rhythmic blood flow on RESP electrode pickup impedance changes, avoid the liver area and ventricles of heart in the line between RA and LL electrodes. This is particularly important for small animals.
- Caution: The measurement of RESP is not applicable for animal with excessive motion, otherwise it may cause the mistake of RESP alarm.

5.2.4 Setup of RESP parameters



Scan speed Select the scanning speed of RESP waveform, and options are **6.25mm/s**, **12.5mm/s** and **25mm/s**.

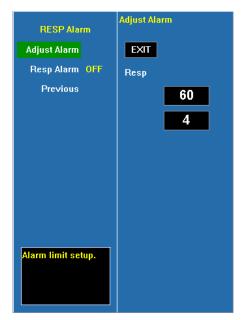
Resp gain Select the waveform gain, and options are **0.25x**, **1x**, **2x** and **4x**.

RESP source When the system is configured with CO₂ module, RESP source can be selected as **AUTO**, **ECG** and **EtCO**₂. Only when the monitor that user has bought has CO₂ module, **EtCO**₂ of RESP source is valid, otherwise the RESP source is defaulted as **ECG**.

Apnea alarm Suffocation alarm occurs when the time of zero RESP rate has reached this time scale, the alarm will be set off. Options are **Off**, **5s**, **10s**, **20s**, **40s**, **60s**, **80s**, **100s**, **120s**.

RESP alarm Click and open the dialog of RESP alarm configuration.

• Resp Alarm



Adjust alarm Select this option to enter the configuration of alarm limits; conduct the configurations by turning the trim knob to select high or low limits and exit by selecting $\langle \mathbf{EXIT} \rangle$. The upper part is the high limit and the lower one is the low limit.

RESP alarm Select **<ON>** to enable RESP over limit alarm; select **<OFF>** to disable RESP over limit alarm.

5.2.5 Maintenance and Cleaning

No special operation demanded. Please refer to **chapter 5.1.7**.

5.3 Measurement of SpO₂/Pulse

5.3.1 Principles of Measuring

The measurement of degree of blood oxygen saturation (also known as pulse oxygen saturation, usually shortened as SpO₂) adopts the principles of light spectra and volume tracing. The LED emits lights with two specific bandwidths, which are selectively absorbed by hemoferrum and desoxyhemoglobin. The optical receptor measures the changes in the light intensity after the light passes the capillary network and estimates the ratio of hemoferrum and the total hemoglobin.

Degree of pulse oxygen saturation %=
$$\frac{\text{hemoferrum}}{\text{hemoferrum} + \text{desoxyhemoglobin}} \times 100\%$$

The sensor measurement wavelengths are nominally 660nm for the Red LED and 940nm for infrared LED.

Abnormal hemoglobin, carboxyhemoglobin and oxidative hemoglobin are not directly measured, for they are not the affecting factors in the measurement of SpO2.

Monitor adopts FFT filter and signal correlation techniques to deal with SpO₂ module's pulse waveform signals. Before the measurement of SpO₂, the noise produced in the false trace is smoothed so as to the eliminate disturbance in the measurement of saturation. In case of weak blood pulse, the noise produced by some confinements of electrical properties is greatly reduced.

The monitor is designed for measurement and recording of functional saturation.

5.3.2 Preparatory Steps before the Measurement of SpO₂/Pulse

- 1) Plug the SpO₂ sensor cable into the SpO₂ socket of the monitor.
- 2) Select a sensor and clip that is appropriate for the animal.
- 3) Clean the sensor and sensor clip separately before and after each use.
- 4) Put the sensor on the tongue or ear of animal. The preferred sensor application site for canine, feline and equine animals is on the tongue, with the sensor's optical components positioned on the center of the tongue. Alternatively, the sensor and clip may be applied to the animal's lip, toe, ear, prepuce, or vulva.
- 5) Set up the parameters relevant to SpO₂ and pulse monitoring.

Caution: In case it is necessary to add a clip to fix the sensor, the cable instead of the sensor itself should be clipped. Please note that the cable of sensor should not be pulled with force.

Note: Frequent movements of the sensor may result in errors in the readings of the monitor.

Note: When using SpO_2 sensor, care should be taken to shield external light sources, such as light of thermo therapy or ultraviolet heating light, otherwise the measurements may be disturbed. Under such conditions as shock, hypothermia, anemia or the use of blood vessel-activating drugs, and with the existence of such substances as carboxyhemoglobin, methemoglobin, methylene blue the result of the SpO_2 measurement will be possibly not accurate.

Note: SpO₂ waveform is not proportional to the pulse volume.

Warning: In case NIBP and SpO₂ are measured at the same time, please do not place the SpO₂ sensor and the NIBP cuff on the same end of the limb, for the measurement of NIBP will block blood flow, affecting the measurement of SpO₂.

Warning: Do not use the sterile supplied SpO_2 sensors if the packing or the sensor is damaged and return them to the vendor.

Warning: Prolonged use or the animal's condition may require changing the sensor site periodically. Change the sensor site and check skin integrity, circulatory status, and correct alignment at least every 4 hours.

5.3.3 Setup of SpO₂/Pulse parameters



Beep Volume Select the BEEP volume and options are **Off**, **1**, **2** and **3**. Once an option is selected, a testing beep will be produced.

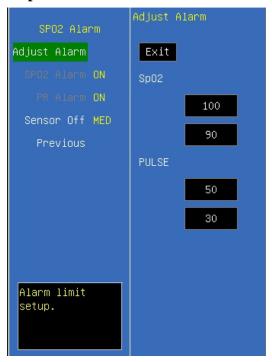
HR source Select the option of HR source, and options are **AUTO**, **ECG** and **PLETH**. When selecting **AUTO**, the HR source is ECG with the priority; and if there is no current ECG, the system automatically derives HR from SpO₂.

Scan speed Select the scanning speed of the ECG waveform, and options are **6.25mm/s**, **12.5mm/s**, **25mm/s** and **50mm/s**.

Alarm Setup Click and open the dialog of SpO₂ alarm configuration.

Average Time Select the average time for SpO_2 . The shorter the averaging time is, the quicker the monitor responds to the change in the animal's oxygen saturation level. (It is invalid while use Nellcor SpO_2 module).

Alarm setup



Adjust alarm Select this option to enter the configuration of alarm limits; conduct the configurations by turning the trim knob to select high and low limits and exit by selecting $\langle EXIT \rangle$. The upper part is the high limit and the lower one is the low limit; the range of SpO₂ alarm high limit is $50\sim100\%$ continuously adjustable, no lower than the low limit, the range of SpO₂ alarm low limit is $50\sim100\%$ continuously adjustable, no higher than the high limit.

The range of PR alarm high limit is $0\sim300$ bpm continuously adjustable, no lower than the low limit, The range of PR alarm low limit is $0\sim300$ bpm continuously adjustable, no higher than the high limit.

SpO₂ alarm Select \langle **ON** \rangle to enable SpO₂ over limit alarm; select \langle **OFF** \rangle to disable SpO₂ over limit alarm.

PR alarm Select **<ON>** to enable PR over limit alarm; select **<OFF>** to disable PR over limit alarm.

Sensor Off Set SpO2 sensor off alarm level.

5.3.4 Maintenance and Cleaning



Warning:

- Do not subject the sensor to autoclaving.
- Do not immerse the sensor into any liquid.
- Do not use any sensor or cable that may be damaged or deteriorated.

Note: When disposing the disposable SpO_2 probe or useless SpO_2 probe, please observe all local, state, and federal regulations that relate to the disposal of this products or similar products.

For reusable SpO₂ sensor

Please unplug the sensor from the monitor before cleaning or disinfection.

Clean or disinfect the sensor before attaching to a new animal.

■ Cleaning:

Use a piece of clean cloth moistened in water or mild soap solution to clean the sensor and animal contact surfaces.

■ Disinfection:

Use a piece of clean cloth to wipe the sensor and animal contact surfaces with a 10% bleach solution or 70% isopropyl alcohol, clean with clear water and wipe it dry.

5.3.5 Signal strength prompt

The signal strength prompt is used to indicate if the SpO₂ signal strength measured is adequacy.

Prompt	Description	
Weak Signal	The invalidation weak signal	
*	The low intensity signal	
**	The medium intensity signal	
***	The high intensity signal	

5.4 Measurement of TEMP

5.4.1 Brief Introduction to Measurement of TEMP

Monitor measures TEMP with TEMP sensors. The TEMP module of monitor uses TEMP cable compatible with YSI-400 series sensors. The minimum time to get accurate temperature measuring value is 3 minutes.

The monitor has two ports for body TEMP measurement, and can measure the temperature of two channels at the same time.

5.4.2 Preparatory Steps of the Measurement of TEMP

- 1) Plug the TEMP cables into the TEMP sockets of the monitor.
- 2) Place the TEMP sensors on body of animal and the screen will show the value of TEMP measurement.
 - 3) Set the parameters relevant to TEMP.

5.4.3 Connecting Animal and Monitor

Refer to Fig.1-5-1 and plug the TEMP cable into the sockets marked with TEMP (either of TEMP1 and TEMP2), and then stick the TEMP sensor securely onto the body of animal.

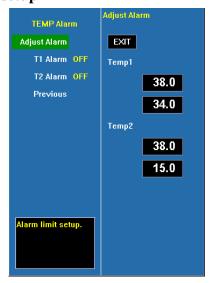
Caution: The TEMP sensor and cables should be handled with care. When not in use, the sensor and the cable should be rounded into loose ring shape.

5.4.4 Setup of TEMP Parameters



Unit Select the unit of TEMP, and options are °C and °F.Alarm Setup Click and open the dialog of configuration for TEMP alarm.

Alarm setup



Adjust alarm Select this option to enter the configuration of alarm limits; conduct the configurations by turning the trim knob to select high or low limits and exit by selecting

(EXIT) . The upper part is the high limit and the lower one is the low limit.

T1 alarm Select **<ON>** to enable T1 over limit alarm; select **<OFF>** to disable T1 over limit alarm

T2 alarm Select **<ON>** to enable T2 over limit alarm; select **<OFF>** to disable T2 over limit alarm

5.4.5 Maintenance and Cleaning

For reusable temp probes:

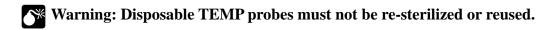
- 1. The temp probe should not be heated above 100° C. It should only be subjected briefly to temperatures between 80° C and 100° C.
- 2. Only detergents containing no alcohol can be used for disinfection.
- 3. The rectal probes should be used, if possible, in conjunction with a protective rubber cover.

■ Cleaning:

Use a piece of clean cloth moistened in water or mild soap solution to clean the probe.

■ Disinfection:

Use a piece of clean cloth to wipe the surface of the cable with 70% isopropyl alcohol, a 10% bleach solution or 2% Cidex®, clean with clear water and wipe it dry.



Note: For protecting environment, the disposable TEMP probe must be recycled or disposed of properly.

Disposal Note: Should the TEMP probe become damaged beyond repair, or for some reason its useful life is considered to be at an end, please observe all local, state, and federal regulations that relate to the disposal of this products or similar products.

Warning: The calibration of temperature measurement is necessary for every two years (or as frequently as dictated by your Hospital Procedures Policy). When you need calibrate the temperature, contact the manufacture please.

Note: The self-test of the temperature measurement is performed automatically once every 10 minutes during the monitoring. The test procedure lasts about one second and does not affect the normal measurement of the temperature monitoring.

Note: If Temperature to be measured beyond probe's measuring range, over measuring range alarm will display on the screen. Check out if probe is on the corresponding animal body site, or change it to other site on the animal.

Note: If "TEMP self-check error" display on the screen, it is possibly that something is wrong with the temperature capture circuit, the operator should stop using the monitor and contact with the company.

5.5 Measurement of NIBP

5.5.1 Brief Introduction to Measurement of NIBP

The monitor automatically conducts measurement of NIBP with the method of shockwave. The method of shockwave indirectly estimates the systolic and diastolic pressures within the blood vessels by measuring the change of the pressure within blood pressure cuff along with the volume of the arteries and calculates the average pressure.

The measurement time of BP on a calm animal is less than 40s, and when each measurement ends, the cuff automatically deflates to zero.

The monitor applies to big animals, medium-size animals and small animals.

The monitor measures the blood pressure during the time of deflation. Monitor automatically conducts the second and third inflation measurements in case during the first inflation it is unable to measure the value of BP, and gives out the information for measurement failures.

The longest cuff pressure maintaining duration is 120 seconds, and when the time is exceeded, the air will be deflated automatically. The monitor has been designed with hardware protection circuit regarding overpressure, errors of microprocessors, and the occurrence of power failure.

5.5.2 Preparatory Steps of Measurement of NIBP

- 1) Plug the air hose of cuff into the NIBP socket of the monitor and tighten it clockwise to ensure secure contact of the plug and the socket (Please note that the plug should be loosened by turning counterclockwise first before unplugging).
 - 2) Place the cuff on the veterinary animal.

Place the animal on a padded surface or chair to provide comfort. Shivering will inhibit the monitor from making a determination.

Cuff placement for a cat

A cat may be left in its owner's lap to keep it calm. Measurements are best done in an area of the hospital away from noise and bright lights. The animal may be held so that the front limbs are free for cuff placement. In conscious animals, the tail may be the most appropriate location for placement of the cuff. Cats may be most comfortable in sternal recumbency making the tail a more preferable site.

For the median artery on the foreleg, place the cuff around the forelimb, between the elbow and carpus. It is not necessary to center the cuff over the artery which is on the medial side of the leg because of the fully encircling bladder design. Hair need not be clipped except when heavily matted. In cats less than five pounds when measurements are difficult to obtain, place the cuff around the leg above the elbow to obtain measurements from the brachial artery. Measurements from the coccygeal artery may be used by placing the cuff around the base of the tail but not in anesthetized animals. As shown in Fig.5-5-1.

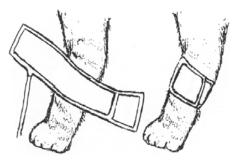


Fig.5-5-1 Cat cuff placement

Cuff placement for a dog

For measurements in dogs, it is preferable to use the right lateral, sternal or dorsal recumbent positions. That is not a problem in anesthetized animals, but it may be difficult to get large dogs to cooperate for proper positioning. If the dog is in a sitting position, place the front paw on the operator's knee and take measurements from the metacarpus.

Sites for cuff placement are the metacarpus, metatarsus and anterior tibial. In anesthetized animals, most surgeries are done on the posterior part of the body so the metacarpal area of the forelimb is most convenient. In situations where this is not possible, the cuff should be wrapped around the metatarsus just proximal to the tarsal pad or around the hind leg just distal to the hock. The tail site should not be used for cuff placement during anesthesia.

It is not necessary to center the cuff over the artery because of the fully encircling bladder design. If the hair over the artery site is too thick or matted for good contact, it should be clipped. As shown in Fig.5-5-2.

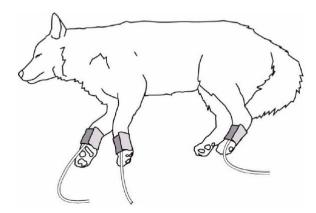


Fig.5-5-2 Dog cuff placement

■ Big animals

A big animal such as a horse should be in a stock, standing still, or lying down. For horses and cows, the cuff can be wrapped around the base of the tail using the coccygeal artery on the ventral surface.

3) Set the parameters and modes relevant to NIBP.

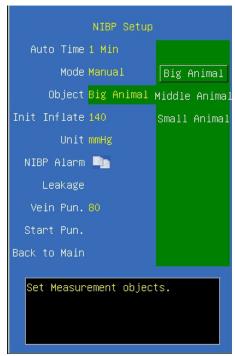
Note: Make sure that the air conduit connecting the blood pressure cuff and the monitor is neither blocked nor tangled, and avoid compression or restriction of air conduit.

5.5.3 Connecting to Animal and the Monitor

Refer to Fig. 1-5-1 to plug the connector of air hose on cuff into the socket marked with NIBP and wrap the cuff onto the limb of animal. Make sure the mark of Φ on the cuff is placed on the femoral artery of the limb and the air hose should be below the cuff so as to ensure the air hose is not snarled after coming out of the cuff. The white line on the cuff should be within the range of " \iff ", otherwise it will be necessary to replace it with a more suitable cuff (smaller or larger one). The cuff should be placed on the same plane with the heart so as to prevent the errors in readings caused by the effects of hydrostatics of the blood column between the heart and the cuff. If the position of the cuff is higher than the plane of heart, the measured BP readings tend to be smaller; in case the position of the cuff is lower than the plane of the heart, the measured BP readings tend to be higher.

Note: The accuracy of measurement of BP depends on the suitability of the cuff. Select the size of the cuff according to the size of the limb of animal. The width of the cuff should be 40% of the circumference of the limb or 2/3 of the length of the limb.

5.5.4 Setup of NIBP Parameters



Auto Time Configure the cycle intervals of BP measurement and options are 1min, 2min, 3min, 4min, 5min, 10min, 15min, 30min, 60min, 90min, 2Hour, 4Hour and 8Hour. During measurements, It cannot be altered.

Mode Configure the measurement mode of NIBP and options are **Manual**, **Auto** and **STAT**.

If STAT mode is configured, after measurement, the system will be automatically configured as the previous measurement mode. If STAT is selected, the rapid measurement will be initiated once it is confirmed.

Object Objects of measurements shall be configured, and options are **Big Animal**, **Middle Animal** and **Small Animal**. When monitoring a cat or small animal, set the object to **Small Animal**, when monitoring dogs or medium-size animals, set to **Middle Animal**, when monitoring horses or large animals, set to **Big Animal**.

The selection of objects of measurements during the measuring process will terminate the ongoing measurement.

Init_Inflate Select the inflation pressure. You can change the cuff inflation pressure before any measurement. If you change the pressure, the monitor will use the new value for the next NIBP measurement.

Unit Select the unit for the NIBP measurement, and options are **kPa** and **mmHg**.

NIBP Alarm Click and open the dialog of alarm configuration of NIBP.

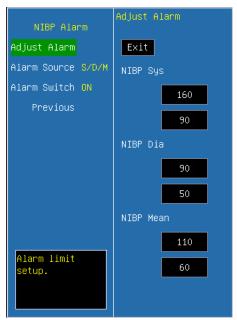
Leakage Air Leakage test

Vein Pun. You can use the NIBP cuff to cause sub-diastolic pressure, and block the

venous blood vessel to assist venous puncture. Select \langle **Vein Pun**. \rangle , and set to a proper value.

Start Pun. After you set a proper value for **Vein Pun.**, and select **Start Pun.** to start it

NIBP Alarm



Adjust alarm Select this option to enter the configuration of alarm limits; conduct the configurations by turning the trim knob to select high or low limits and exit by selecting $\langle \mathbf{EXIT} \rangle$. The upper part is the high limit and the lower one is the low limit.

Alarm Source Select the alarm source for NIBP parameters. When the selected parameter or one of the parameter exceed alarm limit, the monitor will give out alarm signal. The options are as follow:

 $\langle S/D/M \rangle$: Mean pressure, systolic pressure or diastolic pressure exceeds the alarm limit will trigger the alarm system.

Alarm Switch Select **<ON>** to enable parameter over limit alarm; select **<OFF>** to disable parameter over limit alarm.

5.5.5 Precautions during Measurement

- When using the STAT measurement or AUTO measurement, if the time duration is relatively long, care must be taken to check such abnormalities as purple spots, coldness and numbness at the limb end. If there are such phenomena, the cuff should be relocated or the measurement of NIBP should be halted.
- ☐ The presence of factors that change the properties of the cardiovascular dynamics of animal will adversely affect the measurement value of the monitor, and shock and

hypothermia will also affect the accuracy of the measurement.

- When the built-in main artery balloon pump is applied on the animal, the measurement value of NIBP will be affected.
- For the limb that is on an intravenous drip or in a catheter insertion, or if the animal is connected to the heart-lung machine, or the animal is experiencing shiver or convulsions, the measurement of NIBP cannot be conducted.
- When errors occur in the measurement of NIBP, the error codes will appear in the parameter display zone of the NIBP, and for the cause of the errors, please refer to **chapter 6.8.6**.

5.5.6 Blood pressure reference values

The blood pressure values for cats are not breed-specific. However, the most sensitive way to detect changes in feline blood pressure is also by comparing individual blood pressure readings taken over time.

Normal feline blood pressure: 124/84.

The normal values for dogs are breed-specific. Those for Golden Retrievers, Labradors and giant breeds tend to be lower than the overall average, and those for greyhounds and in general racing hounds tend to be higher. The table that follows lists the normal values for common dog breeds using oscillometric blood pressure monitors.

Average canine blood pressure: 133/75.

Breed	Systolic(mmHg)	Diastolic(mmHg)	Pulse Rate(bpm)
Labrador Retriever	118 ± 17	66 ± 13	99 ± 19
Golden Retriever	122 ± 14	70 ± 11	95 ± 15
Great Pyrenees	120 ± 16	66 ± 6	95 ± 15
Yorkshire Terrier	121 ± 12	69 ± 13	120 ± 14
West Highland	126 ± 6	83 ± 7	112 ± 13
Border Collie	131 ± 14	75 ± 12	101 ± 21
King Charles Spaniel	131 ± 16	72 ± 14	124 ± 24
German Shepherd	132 ± 13	75 ± 10	108 ± 23
Terrier	136 ± 16	76 ± 12	104 ± 16
Bullterrier	134 ± 12	77 ± 17	122 ± 6
Chihuahua	134 ± 9	84 ± 12	109 ± 12
Miniature Breeds	136 ± 13	74 ± 17	117 ± 13
Pomeranian	136 ± 12	76 ± 13	131 ± 14
Beagle	140 ± 15	79 ± 13	104 ± 16
Dachshound	142 ± 10	85 ± 15	98 ± 17
Saluki	143 ± 16	88 ± 10	98 ± 22
Greyhound	149 ± 20	87 ± 16	114 ± 28
Pointer	145 ± 17	83 ± 15	102 ± 14

5.5.7 Periodic Check

■ Calibration

Warning: The calibration of the NIBP measurement is necessary for every two years (of as frequently as dictated by your Hospital Procedures Policy). The performance should be checked according to the following details.

Procedure of the Pressure Transducer Calibration:

- 1) Replace the cuff of the device with a rigid metal vessel with a capacity of 500 ml \pm 5%.
- 2) Connect a calibrated reference manometer with an error less than 0.8 mmHg and a ball pump by means of a T-piece connector and hoses to the pneumatic system.
- 3) Access the NIBP menu.
- 4) Turn the trim knob to the **(Manometer)** option and press. Then the NIBP module has started performing calibration.
- 5) Inflate the pneumatic system to 0, 50 and 200 mmHg by ball pump separately. The difference between the indicated pressure of the reference manometer and the indicated pressure of the monitor will not exceed 3 mmHg. Otherwise, please contact our customer service.
- 6) Press the **NIBP/STAT** button on front panel can stop the calibration.

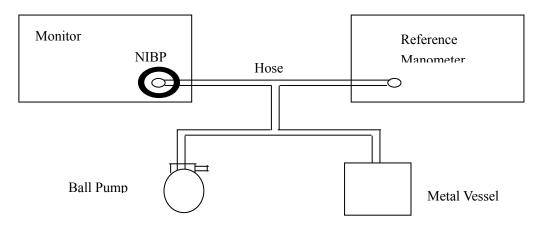


Fig. 5-5-3 Diagram of NIBP calibration

Air Leakage check

Procedure of the air leakage test:

- 1) Connect the cuff securely with the socket for NIBP air hole.
- 2) Wrap the cuff around the cylinder of an appropriate size.
- 3) Access the NIBP setup window.
- 4) Select the 〈Air Leakage〉 option and press. Then the prompt "Air Leakage test" will appear on the NIBP parameter area indicating that the system has started performing Air Leakage test.

- 5) The system will automatically inflate the pneumatic system to about 180mmHg.
- 6) After 20 seconds or so, the system will automatically open the deflating valve, which marks the completion of an air leakage test.
- 7) If no error information displays on NIBP parameter area, it indicates that the airway is in good situation and no air leaks exist. However if the prompt "AIR SYSTEM LEAK" appears in the place, it indicates that the airway may have air leaks. In this case, the user should check for loose connection. After confirming secure connections, the user should re-perform the air leakage test. If the failure prompt still appears, please contact the manufacturer for repair.
- 8) Press the **(NIBP/STAT)** button on front panel can also stop the test.

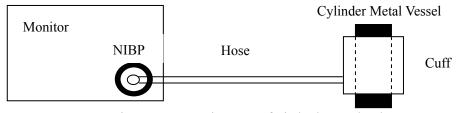


Fig. 5-5-4 Diagram of air leakage check

5.5.8 Maintenance and Cleaning

Warning: Do not squeeze the rubber hose on the cuff. Do not allow liquid to enter the connector socked at the front of the monitor. Do not wipe the inner part of the connector socked when cleaning the monitor.

Warning: If liquid is inadvertently splashed on the equipment or its accessories, or may enter the conduit or inside the monitor, contact local customer service center.



Warning: Disposable blood pressure cuff must not be re-sterilized or reused.

Disposal Note: Should the blood pressure cuff become damaged beyond repair, or for some reason its useful life is considered to be at an end, please observe all local, state, and federal regulations that relate to the disposal of this products or similar products.

For Reusable Blood Pressure Cuff

■ Cleaning:

- 1. Please clean the cuff termly.
- 2. Take down the cuff from the connector, take out the bladder from the cover of the cuff.
- 3. Use a piece of clean cloth moistened in water or mild soap solution to clean the bladder and the tube.

- 4. Clean the cover of the cuff with the mild soap solution.
- 5. Dry the cover and the bladder, then take the bladder into the cover to use again.

Warning:

- Clean the bladder frequently will cause the bladder scathed, except the necessary, do not clean the bladder.
- Do not dry the bladder and cover with high temperature.
- If need the high level disinfecting, please selecting the disposable cuff.

5.6 Measurement of IBP

5.6.1 Brief Introduction to Measurement of IBP

The method of IBP measurement is direct measuring the BP of artery or veins on the pressure sensor mainly through liquid coupling so as to obtain the pressure curve of the continuous BP.

The IBP parameters of Monitor can select Arterial Pressure (ART), Pulmonary Artery pressure (PA), Left Atrium Pressure (LAP), Right Atrium Pressure (RAP), Central Venous Pressure (CVP), Intracranial Pressure (ICP).

Monitor has two measurement channels for IBP, and the IBP of two channels can be measured at the same time.

5.6.2 Preparatory Steps for Measurement of IBP

1) Plug the cable of IBP into the IBP socket (either IBP1 or IBP2), and connecting cable to the pressure transducer. Fill the pressure transducer and extension tube with saline water mixed with heparin. Press the flexible valve to expel the saline water from the air outlet to expel air bubbles, and then reset it to zero.

Note: The method of touching test is to touch slightly the surface with finger. Waveforms should appear on the screen of the main unit. The blue ball cover should be put on the surface immediately when the energy converter is not used.

Note: Anytime the user applies a new transducer, it should be verified or periodically verified according to the hospital operating rules.

Warning: Disposable pressure transducer should not be reused. And it must be used before expired data. Do read the expired data on the IBP accessory package bag.

Warning: When the monitor is used with HF surgical equipment, the transducer and the cables must be avoided conductive connection to the HF equipment to protect against burns to the animal.

The specified transducer is designed to protect against the effects of a discharge of a cardiac defibrillator. When the animal is in the defibrillation, the waveform of IBP maybe distorted temporarily. After the defibrillation, the monitoring will go on normally, the operation mode and the user configuration are not affected.

Warning: The operator should avoid contact with the conductive parts of the appurtenance when being connected or applied.

- 2) Plug the cable of IBP into the IBP socket on the right panel of the monitor. Connect the extension tube of the transducer and blood vessel with the artery needles and secure them, then make sure three-way valve 1 and three-way valve 2 are in a state of ON. At this moment, BP waveforms should appear on the screen of the monitor.
- 3) Set up parameters and modes relevant to IBP.

5.6.3 Setup of IBP Parameters



IBP Label Select the names of IBP labels. Options are **IBP1**, **IBP2**, **ART**, **CVP**, **PA**, **RAP**, **ICP** and **LAP**.

Unit Select the units of IBP, and options are mmHg, kPa and cmH₂O.

Scan speed Select the scanning speed of IBP waveforms, and options are 6.25mm/s, 12.5mm/s, 25mm/s and 50mm/s.

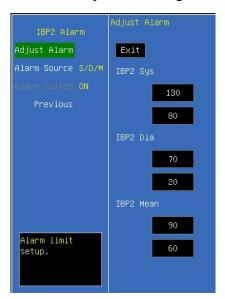
Wave scales Select the scale of IBP waveforms and options are "AUTO, 0mmHg~200mmHg, 0mmHg~300mmHg, 50mmHg~150mmHg, 10mmHg~50mmHg,

0mmHg~30mmHg、 -10mmHg~20mmHg, -50mmHg~300mmHg"

Display Select the format of IBP display, and options are **S/D** (**M**), **S/D**, **Mean** and **M** (**S/D**).

IBP Zero Conduct zero-calibration on IBP.

IBP Alarm Click and open the dialog of IBP alarm limit configuration.



Adjust alarm Select this option to enter the configuration of alarm limits; conduct the configurations by turning the trim knob to select high and low limits and exit by selecting $\langle \mathbf{EXIT} \rangle$. The upper part is the high limit and the lower one is the low limit.

Alarm source Set alarm source.

Alarm Switch Select **<ON>** to enable parameter over limit alarm; select **<OFF>** to disable parameter over limit alarm.

5.6.4 Calibration of Zero-point

Start the unit and preheat it for 3 minutes. If it is in a stable state, turn off three-way valve 2 and turn on three-way valve 1, and then select option in **IBP Zero** of **IBP Setup**, then it can be seen on the screen that the scanning baseline has returned to zero baseline.

Note: In the course of zeroing, should turn off the three-way valve near artery needle, don't connect artery needle with animal and make sure there is no air inside the whole tube.

5.6.5 Connecting to Animal

As shown in Fig.5-6-1

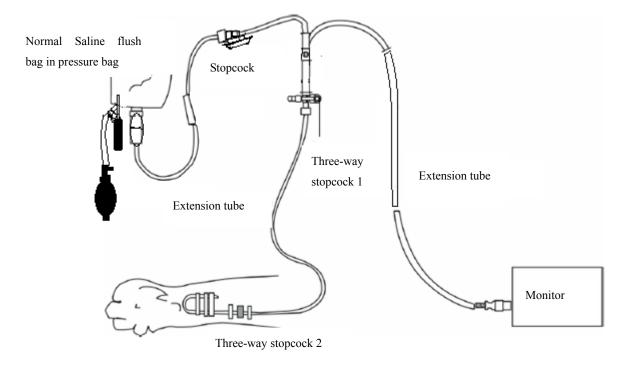


Fig.5-6-1 Schematic diagram for installation of IBP sensor

Note: The pressure measuring side of the transducer should be on the same plane as the heart of the animal in the process of zero-setting and measurement and the user should make sure there is no air inside the whole tube in order to assure the correctness of the measured results. If air is found in tube or in pressure transducer, they must be rinsed by physiological salt solution.

Warning: If liquid (not the liquid which used to douche the tubes and pressure transducers) spills on equipment or accessories, especially when the liquid is likely to enter the equipment or transducer, contacting with the maintenance department of the hospital immediately.

5.6.6 Setup of Range

The setup of IBP module range can provide you with the best waveforms and the best measurement results. Based on different contents of measurement, there are two ranges for selection, and each group has 5 options:

- Arterial Pressure (ART):
 AUTO, 0-50mmHg, 50-150mmHg, 100-240mmHg, 0-300mmHg
- Pulmonary Artery pressure (PA), Left Atrium Pressure (LAP) ,Right Atrium Pressure (RAP) ,Central Venous Pressure (CVP), Intracranial Pressure (ICP)

AUTO, 0-20mmHg, 0-30mmHg, 0-50mmHg, 0-80mmHg

Note: AUTO will adjust the scale on which the pressure waveform is displayed on the screen automatically for the best observation status.

5.6.7 IBP Transducer Zero and Calibration

■ IBP Transducer Zero

Warning: It is the responsibility of the user to ensure that a zero procedure has recently been done on the transducer, otherwise there will be no recent, valid zero value for the instrument to use, which may result in inaccurate measurement results.

Procedure of the IBP Transducer Zero:

- 1) Turn off animal stopcock before you start the zero procedure.
- 2) The transducer must be vented to atmospheric pressure before the zero procedure.
- 3) The transducer should be placed at the same height level with the heart, approximately mid-axially line.
- 4) Access the Set IBP menu.
- 5) Turn the dial to pick the Zero1 item (Pick the Zero2 item when zeroing channel 2 IBP) and press will start zero the transducer.
- 6) Wait 3 seconds for the Zeroing procedure end and the pressure value that is displayed on screen will approximately return to zero.

Caution: Zero procedure should be performed before starting the monitoring and at least once a day and whenever after each disconnect-and-connect of the cable.

■ IBP Calibration

Caution:

- Mercury calibration should be performed by the biomedical engineering department either whenever a new transducer is used, or as frequently as dictated by your Hospital Procedures Policy.
- ➤ The purpose of the calibration is to ensure that the system gives you accurate measurements.
- Before starting a mercury calibration, a zero procedure must be performed.
- ➤ If you need to perform this procedure yourself you will need the following pieces of equipment:
- Standard sphygmomanometer
- 3-way stopcock
- Tubing approximately 25 cm long

The Calibration Procedure:

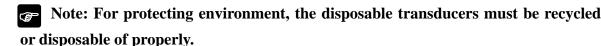
Warning: You must never perform this procedure while animal is being monitored.

- 1) Close the stopcock that was open to atmospheric pressure for the zero calibration.
- 2) Attach the tubing to the sphygmomanometer.
- 3) Ensure that connection that would lead to animal is off.
- 4) Connect the 3-way connector to the 3-way stopcock that is not connected to the animal catheter.
- 5) Open the port of the 3-way stopcock to the sphygmomanometer.
- 6) Inflate to make the mercury bar rise to 0, 50 and 200 mmHg separately. The difference between the indicated pressure of the sphygmomanometer and the indicated pressure of the monitor will not exceed $\pm 4\%$ or ± 4 mmHg, whichever is greater. Otherwise, please contact the manufacturer.
- 7) After calibration, disassemble the blood pressure tubing and the attached 3-way valve.

5.6.8 Maintenance and Cleaning



Warning: The disposable transducers must not be re-sterilized or re-used.



Disposal Note: When disposing the disposable transducers and tubing, please observe all local, state, and federal regulations that relate to the disposal of this products or similar products.

5.7 Measurement of CO₂ (Sidestream, BLT)

Use the CO_2 measurement to monitor the animal's respiratory status and to control animal ventilation. The measurement principle is primarily based on the fact that CO_2 molecules can absorb special infrared light, where the intensity of infrared light passing the respiratory gas is measured with a photo detector. As some of the infrared light is absorbed by the CO_2 molecules, the amount of light passing the gas probe depends on the concentration of the measured CO_2 .

5.7.1 Brief Introduction to Measurement of Sidestream EtCO₂

• Fix the dehydration flask to the receptacle on the monitor, and connect the CO2 measurement components as follows:



Indicator lamp: When the installation of the dehydration flask is correct, the lamp lights green, otherwise, the lamp lights red.

This end connected with the patient airway

- Select < CO₂ Setup> button in Main Screen, then select the <Start> and press this button to start sampling pump, begin measuring EtCO₂.
- Pay attention to the water level of dehydration flask. If the highest water level reaches,
 Please replace the dehydration flask in time to prevent the module from soaking by water.
- When air is getting across the sampling tube, a period of time will cost. So, a delay time will appear from starting measure to showing waveform in the screen and measuring result.
- Please keep the sampling tube clean, and prevent the tube from clogging by dust.



Note: Dehydration flasks and sampling tubes are disposable, please use products provided or designated by manufacturer.

5.7.2 Setup of CO₂ parameters



Scan speed Select the scanning speed of RESP waveforms, and options are **6.25mm/s**, **12.5mm/s** and **25mm/s**.

RESP source Select RESP source. And options are **AUTO**, **ECG** and **EtCO**₂.

Unit Select the unit for CO₂, and options are mmHg, % and kPa.

Resp Gain Select the gain of RESP waveform, and options are 1x, 2x and 4x.

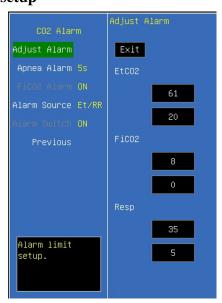
EtCO2 Scale Set EtCO2 scale for short trend.

Alarm setup Click and open the dialog of CO₂ alarm.

CO2 Setup Set the various sensor settings in the Capnostat module

Wave Type Set CO2 wave style

Alarm setup



Adjust alarm Select this option to enter the configuration of alarm limits; conduct the configurations by turning the trim knob to select high or low limits and exit by selecting $\langle \mathbf{EXIT} \rangle$. The upper part is the high limit and the lower one is the low limit.

Apnea alarm when the time of zero RESP rate has reached this time scale, the alarm will be set off. Options are **Off**, **5s**, **10s**, **20s**, **40s**, **60s**, **80s**, **100s**, **120s**.

Alarm source Set CO2 alarm source

Caution: When the monitor is powered on, the pump in the CO_2 module is set off as default configuration. Since long-time running of sampling pump could shorten the life of CO_2 module, please start sampling pump manually, and stop the sampling pump after monitoring has been finished.

5.7.3 Gain Calibration

Please carry out gain calibration and manual offset calibration, when the following conditions happened:

- 1. The module has been used for between half a year and one year.
- 2. The precision of EtCO₂ reading has been doubted by clinical physician.
- 3. After the latest calibration, atmospheric pressure or height above sea level varies evidently.

The apparatus has already been calibrated before leaving factory. User can directly apply it to measuring in normal conditions, to the exclusion of the previous conditions.

Gain calibration and manual offset calibration must be carried out if the previous conditions happened.

Please connect the adjusting device according to Fig.5-7-4. While the standard gas of pressure CO_2 5.0% (38.0mmHg) getting across the sampling tube, observe pressure measuring apparatus carefully to ensure that the pressure of standard gas is one standard atmosphere (the range of error is $\pm 5\%$). Then press the **GAIN CAL**>of CO_2 parameter setup dialog box, a password input box will emerge. Please input the password to start gain calibration. About five seconds later, the reading having calibrated will be shown in the screen.

This end Connects with pressure measurement apparatus.

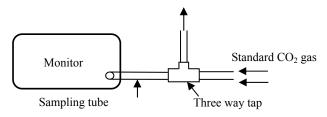


Fig.5-7-4 Gain calibration sketch map



Warning: The standard gas of which the pressure of CO_2 is 5.0% (38.0mmHg) must be used during gain calibration. Otherwise, measurement values will not be accurate.



Note: User may only calibrate the device under the instruction of the technical personnel authorized by company. Moreover, wrong calibrating procedure may result in false reading.

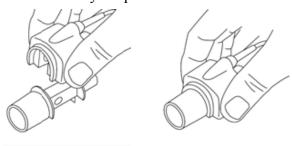
5.8 Measurement of AG (IRMA)

AG module is used to measure respiratory and anesthetic gases of an animal during anesthesia, including CO2, N2O, O2 (Only sidestream AG module can measure O2), Halothane, Isoflurane, Enflurane, Sevoflurane and Desflurane.

The measuring principle is that anesthetic gas can absorb infrared light. Gases that can be measured by AG module are able to absorb infrared light. Besides, each gas has its own absorption characteristic. First the gas is driven into a sample cell. Then the optic infrared filter selects the infrared light with special wavelength to penetrate this gas. For a given volume, the higher is the gas concentration, the more infrared light is absorbed. We may measure the quantity of the infrared light that have penetrated the gas and then calculate the gas concentration via specialized formula. If you desire to measure multiple gases, you should install various infrared filters in the AG module

5.8.1 Preparatory Steps for Measurement of AG

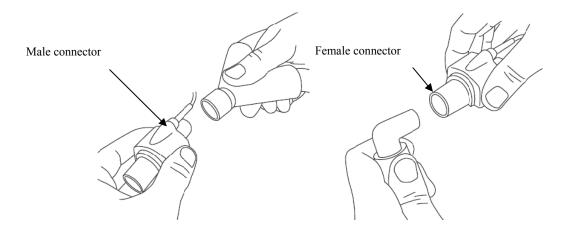
- Preparation for Monitoring:
- 1. Plug the AG sensor connector into the AG connector on the monitor.
- 2. Attach AG sensor on the AG airway adapter. Shown as follows:



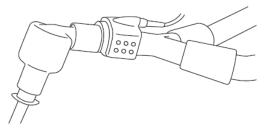
3. A green LED indicates that the AG sensor is ready for use. A blue LED indicates that may measurement of anesthetic gases.



4. Connect the 15 mm male connector of AG airway adapter to the breathing circuit Y-piece, and connect the 15mm female connector of AG airway adapter to the animal's endotracheal tube.



Alternatively, connect an HME (Heat Moisture Exchanger) between the animal's endotracheal tube and the AG sensor. Placing an HME in front of the AG sensor protects the airway adapter from secretions and effects of water vapor and eliminates the need of changing the adapter. It allows free positioning of the AG sensor as well.



5. Unless the AG sensor is protected with an HME always position the AG sensor with the indicating LED pointing upwards



5.8.2 Pre-use check

- 1. Always verify gas readings and waveforms on the monitor before connecting the airway adapter to the animal circuit.
- 2. Perform the tightness check of the animal circuit with the AG sensor snapped on the AG airway adapter.

5.8.3 Room Air Calibration

Room air calibration of the oxygen sensor will be performed automatically at regular intervals whenever the IRMA sensor head is disconnected from the IRMA airway adapter.

If the IRMA sensor is kept in operation for a long time period without being disconnected from the airway adapter, or if the operating temperature for the oxygen sensor changes significantly, the IRMA sensor will indicate that a new room air calibration is required and a message will appear on the monitor.

Use the following procedure to perform a room air calibration of the oxygen sensor:

- 1. Disconnect the IRMA sensor from the airway adapter.
- 2. Wait until the LED starts blinking with red light.
- 3. Snap the IRMA sensor back on the airway adapter.
- 4. Check that the LED turns green.
- 5. Check that the O_2 reading on the monitor is 21%.

5.8.4 Sensor Alarms Indicate

Description of the status LED situated on the IRMA sensor head:

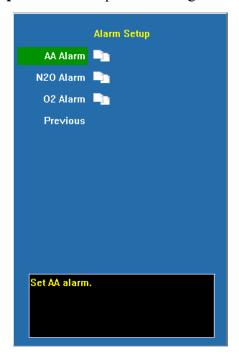
Steady green light	System OK
Steady blue light	Anesthetic agent present
Steady red light	Sensor error
Blinking red light	Check adapter

5.8.5 Setup of AG parameter



AA type Select the types of anesthetic gas, and options are **AA, HAL, ENF, ISO, SEV** and **DES**. After the monitor is turn on, if no AA types are configured, there will be a technical alarm prompting the configuration of AA and need to designate a kind of anesthetic gas. Considering safety, the configuration will not be saved after the monitor is switched off.

Alarm Setup Click and open the dialog of anesthetic gas.

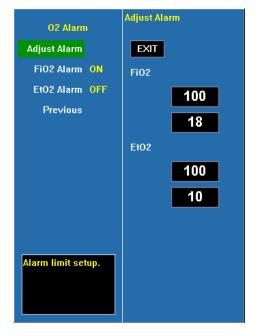


■ AA alarm Click and open the dialog of AA alarm.



Adjust alarm Select this option to enter the configuration of alarm limits; conduct the configurations by turning the trim knob to select high and low limits and exit by selecting $\langle \mathbf{EXIT} \rangle$. The upper part is the high limit and the lower one is the low limit.

O₂ alarm Click and open the dialog of O_2 alarm.



Adjust alarm Select this option to enter the configuration of alarm limits. conduct the configurations by turning the trim knob to select high and low limits and exit by selecting $\langle \mathbf{EXIT} \rangle$. The upper part is the high limit and the low one is the low limit.

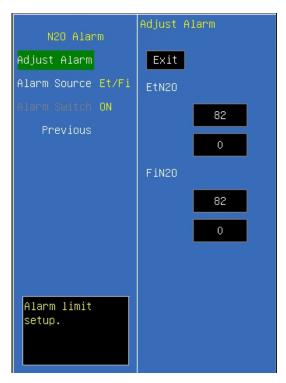
FiO₂ alarm Select **<ON>** to enable FiO₂ over limit alarm; select **<OFF>** to disable FiO₂

over limit alarm.

EtO₂ alarm Select <ON> to enable EtO₂ over limit alarm; select <OFF> to disable EtO₂ over limit alarm.

☞ Note: FiO₂ alarm cannot be switched off.

 N_2O alarm Click and open the dialog of N_2O alarm.



Adjust alarm Select this option to enter the configuration of alarm limits; conduct the configurations by turning the trim knob to select high and low limits and exit by selecting **(EXIT)** . The upper part is the high limit and the lower one is the low limit.

5.8.6 Precautions during Measurement

- 1. The lifetime of the IRMA oxygen sensor cell is up to six months since its leaving factory. If it cannot work normally or the parameter cannot be accurate measured due to exceeding time limit, please timely change the oxygen sensor cell.
- 2. If the IRMA airway adapter is detached from the sensor, or low voltage of oxygen sensor cell, or there is something wrong with the sensor, the prompting message may pop up on one of above conditions.

5.8.7 Maintenance and Cleaning

5.8.7.1 Oxygen sensor replacement

Replace the oxygen sensor every four months, when indicated by the monitor or whenever the oxygen readings are questionable.

5.8.7.2 Zero reference calibration

Gas readings should be verified with a reference instrument at regular intervals.

A zero reference calibration of the IR measurement should be performed whenever an offset in gas readings is discovered or if "GAS CONC. OUT OF RANGE" alarms appear when measuring room air.

Zero Reference calibration is performed by snapping a new IRMA airway adapter onto the IRMA probe, without connecting the airway adapter to the animal circuit, and then using the <host instrument> to transmit a calibration command to the IRMA probe. Allow the IRMA probe to warm up for at least 15 minutes after power on, and 2 minutes after changing airway adapter, before transmitting the calibration command.

Zero Reference calibration is performed by snapping a new IRMA airway adapter onto the IRMA sensor, without connecting the airway adapter to the animal circuit, and then using the <host instrument> to transmit a calibration command to the IRMA sensor.

Special care should be taken to avoid breathing into the adapter during the zero reference calibration procedure. The presence of ambient air (21% O₂ and 0% CO₂) in the IRMA airway adapter is of crucial importance for a successful zero reference calibration. Always perform a pre-use check after performing zero reference calibration.



Warning: Incorrect probe zero calibration will result in false gas readings.

5.8.7.3 Cleaning

■ Cleaning:

Use a piece of clean cloth moistened in water or mild soap solution to clean the sensor.

■ Disinfection:

Use a piece of clean cloth to wipe the surface of the sensor with a 70% ethanol or 70% isopropyl alcohol.

Chapter 6 Alarm

This chapter gives general information about the alarm and corresponding remedies.

Note: The equipment generates all the auditory and visual alarms through speaker, LED and screen.

6.1 Alarm Priority

There are two kinds of alarms, defined as physiological alarm and technical alarm. Physiological alarms refer to those alarms triggered by animal's physiological situation which could be considered dangerous to his or her life, such as SpO₂ exceeding alarm limit (parameter alarms). Technical alarms refer to system failure, which can make certain monitoring process technically impossible or make monitoring result unbelievable. General alarm belongs to those situations that cannot be categorized into these two cases but still need to pay some attention. Each alarm, either technical or physiological, has it's own priority.

Alarms in the monitor are divided into three priorities, that is: high priority, medium priority and low priority.

- High priority alarm indicates the animal's life is in danger. It is the most serious alarm.
- Medium priority alarm means serious warning.
- Low priority alarm is a general warning.

Only alarm priority of parameters exceeding limits alarm can be modified by the user, the other alarm priorities of physiological and technical alarms are preset by the system and they cannot be changed by the user.

6.2 Alarm Modes

When alarm occurs, the monitor may raise the user's attention in two ways, which are auditory prompt, visual prompt and description. Visual prompt is given by alarm indicating lamp and screen of the monitor, auditory prompt is given by speaker in the device. Physiological alarm information is displayed in the Physiological Alarm area. Most of technical alarm information is displayed in the Technical Alarm area. Technical alarms related to NIBP measurement are displayed in the NIBP parameter area.

The Physiological Alarm area is on the upmost right part of the screen. The Technical Alarm area is to the left side of the Physiological Alarm area.

The alarm sound and visual display comply with clause 201.3.2 of the standard IEC 60601-1-8.

Note: The concrete presentation of each alarm prompt is related to the alarm priority.

■Alarm Sound

The high/medium/low-level alarms are indicated by the system in following different audio ways:

Alarm level	Audio prompt	
High	Mode is "DO-DO-DO-DO-DO, DO-DO-DO-DO",	
which is triggered once every 10 seconds.		
Medium	Mode is "DO-DO", which is triggered once every 25 seconds.	
Low	Mode is "DO-", which is triggered once every 25 seconds.	

■ Alarm Lamp

When physiological alarm occurs, the physiologic alarm lamp lights according to the alarm level. Shown as follows:

Alarm level	Visual prompt
High	Alarm indicating lamp flashes in red with 2 Hz.
Medium	Alarm indicating lamp flashes in yellow with 0.5 Hz.
Low	Alarm indicating lamp lights on in yellow.

When technical alarm occurs, the technical alarm lamp lights on in blue.

■Screen Display

Physiological alarm: The parameter, which triggers the alarm, splashes in the frequency of 2Hz on the screen. The physiological alarm area on the screen displays alarm message, and red indicates high priority alarm, yellow indicates medium or low priority alarm.

When Technical alarm or General alarm occurs, the Technical alarm area displays alarm message, red indicates high priority alarm, yellow indicates medium or low priority alarm, cyan indicates general message.

Note: When alarms of different priorities occur at the same time, the monitor prompts the one of the highest priority.

6.3 Alarm Setup

■ Set Alarm volume

Step 1: Select <Alarm Volume> item in Menu: <MENU> \rightarrow <Alarm Setup> \rightarrow <Alarm Volume>.

Step 2: Set < Alarm Volume > item to <Off>, <1>, <2>, <3>.

■ Set alarm limits of physiological parameters

The alarm limit of each physiological parameter can be set in its menu, and they are continuous in alarm range. For example:

ECG alarm setup:

Step 1: Select Menu <ECG>

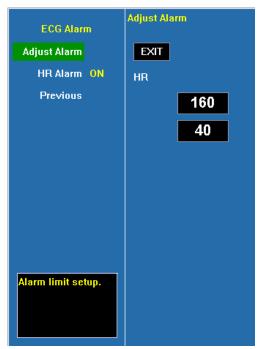
Step 2: Configure the following parameters related to ECG alarm, <HR LO> and <HR HI>.

Please refer to above operation for Methods of Alarm setup of the other parameters

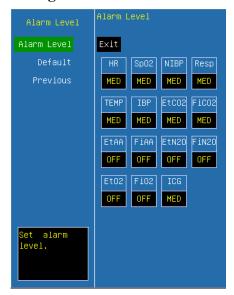
It is important to set physiological alarm limits properly. The monitor can't give medicinal alarm prompt in clinical application with improper setting of physiological alarm limit.

The physiological alarm occurs when the measurement exceeds the set parameter limits. Please refer to above operation for Methods of alarm setup of the other parameters.

ECG Alarm configuration



Alarm levels configuration



Alarm recording configuration



Alarm indication of physiological parameters

Audio: when alarm occurs, the system generates alarm sound to raise the user's attention (audio alarm can be disabled).

Visual: The parameter flashes on the display area of the screen and alarm LED lights.

Warning: The lower limit and the upper limit of parameter must be set based on clinical practices and general clinical experiences.

Note: When parameter alarm level is off, alarm will be disabled, even if the measurement results exceed the limits. Alarm indicating lamp in the front of the monitor will alarm at the highest level, if different levels alarms coexist.

6.4 Alarm Cause

Alarm of the monitor includes:

- 1. Physiological Alarm
- 2. Technical Alarm
- 3. General Prompt
- Physiological Alarm

When the measuring value has exceeded the set parameter limit and its <ALM LEV> is not <OFF>, the monitor alarms. The monitor wouldn't alarm with absence of either of the two conditions.

■ Technical Alarm

Once system fault occurs, the monitor will alarm immediately and trigger corresponding operations, such as stop displaying values and waveforms, erase the last screen to avoid misleading. The screen displays more than one fault message by alterative.

■ General Prompt

Sometimes there are alarms similar to Technical Alarms but can be considered as normally. The condition, which triggers this kind of alarm wouldn't bring danger to the animal

6.5 Silence/Suspension

SILENCE

Press the < SUSPEND/SILENCE > button on the front panel for more than 2 seconds can shut off all sounds until the < SUSPEND/SILENCE> button is pressed again. When the system is in SILENCE status, any newly generated alarm will cancel the SILENCE status and make the system back to normal status.

When in the SILENCE status, the icon will be displayed in the left upper of the screen.

SUSPENSION

Press the < SUSPEND/SILENCE> button on the front panel for less than 2 seconds can close all audio and visual prompt and description about all the physiological alarms and to make the system enter ALARM PAUSE status. The rest seconds for alarm pause is displayed in the Physiological Alarm area. And the symbol is displayed in the System Prompt area.

The time for Alarm Suspension is 2 minutes.

When in the PAUSE status, press the < SUSPEND/ SILENCE> button again to restore the normal alarm status. Besides, during PAUSE status, newly occurring technical alarm will cancel the PAUSE status and the system will come back to the normal alarm status.

The symbol A disappears, too.

Note: Whether an alarm will be reset depends on the status of the alarm cause. But by pressing <SUSPEND/SILENCE> button can permanently shut off audio sound of Lead Off or Sensor Off alarms.

6.6 Parameter Alarm

The setup for parameter alarm is in their menus. In the menu for a specific parameter, you can check and set the alarm limit, alarm status. The setup is isolated from each other.

When a parameter alarm is off, a symbol " displays near the parameter. If the alarms are turned off individually, they must be turned on individually.

For the parameters whose alarm switch is set to ON, the alarm will be triggered when at least one of them exceeds alarm limit. The following actions take place:

- 1. Alarm message displays on the screen as described in alarm mode;
- 2. The monitor beeps in its corresponding alarm class and volume;
- 3. If alarm recording is on, the recorder starts alarm recording at set interval.

6.7 When an Alarm Occurs

Note: When an alarm occurs, you should always check the animal's condition first.

Check the alarm message appeared on the screen. It is needed to identify the alarm and act appropriately, according to the cause of the alarm.

- 1. Check the animal's condition.
- 2. Identify which parameter is alarming or which kind of alarm it is.
- 3. Identify the cause of the alarm.
- 4. Silence the alarm, if necessary.
- 5. When cause of alarm has been over, check that the alarm is working properly.

You will find the alarm messages for the individual parameter in their appropriate parameter chapters of this manual.

6.8 Alarm Description and Prompt

6.8.1 ECG Alarm

Physiological Alarm:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
HR too high	HR measuring value is above the upper alarm limit	User-selectable
HR too low	HR measuring value is below the lower alarm limit	User-selectable

Technical Alarm:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
ECG RA LA LL V- LEAD OFF	ECG electrode fall off the skin or ECG cables fall off the monitor	Low
ECG electrode polarized	ECG electrode polarized	Low
ECG communication error	ECG measurement failure or communication failure	Low
HR alarm error	Alarm failure	Low

6.8.2 RESP Alarm

Physiological Alarm:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
RR too high	RR measuring value is above the upper alarm limit	User-Selectable
RR too low	RR measuring value is below the lower alarm limit	User-Selectable
RESP Apnea	No signal for breath in specific interval	User-Selectable

Technical Alarm:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
RR alarm error	Alarm failure	Low

6.8.3 SpO₂ Alarm

Physiological Alarm:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
SpO ₂ too high SpO ₂ measuring value is above the upper	Medium ,High	
	alarm limit	User-Selectable
SpO ₂ too low	SpO ₂ measuring value is below the lower	Medium ,High
SpO ₂ too low	alarm limit	User-Selectable
PR too high	PR measuring value is above the upper alarm limit	User-Selectable

PR too low	PR measuring value is below the lower alarm limit	User-Selectable
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Technical Alarm:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
SpO ₂ sensor off	SpO ₂ sensor may be disconnected from the animal or the monitor	Low
SpO ₂ communication error	SpO ₂ measurement failure or communication error	Low
SpO ₂ alarm error	Alarm failure	Low
PR alarm error	Alarm failure	Low
SpO ₂ sensor failure	SpO ₂ sensor failure	Low

Prompt:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
Search pulse	SpO ₂ module is searching for pulse	No alarm
SpO2 search too long	Search pulse too long	High

6.8.4 TEMP Alarm

Physiological Alarm:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
TEMP1 too high	TEMP1 measuring value is above upper alarm limit	User-Selectable
TEMP1 too low	TEMP1 measuring value is below lower alarm limit	User-Selectable
TEMP2 too high	TEMP2 measuring value is above upper alarm limit	User-Selectable
TEMP2 too low	TEMP2 measuring value is below lower alarm limit	User-Selectable

Technical Alarm:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
TEMP1 sensor off	TEMP1 sensor may be disconnected from user or monitor	Low
TEMP2 sensor off	TEMP2 sensor may be disconnected from user or monitor	Low
TMEP communication error	TEMP measurement error or communication error	Low
TMEP1 alarm error	Alarm failure	Low
TEMP2 alarm error	Alarm failure	Low
T1 over measuring range	TEMP1 over measuring range	Low

T1 below measuring range	TEMP1 below measuring range	Low
T2 over measuring range	TEMP2 over measuring range	Low
T2 below measuring range	TEMP2 below measuring range	Low
TEMP Self checking error	TEMP calibration failure	Low

6.8.5 IBP Alarm

Physiological Alarm:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
IBP SYS1 too high	SYS measuring value of channel 1 is above upper alarm limit	User-Selectable
IBP SYS1 too low	SYS measuring value of channel 1 is below lower alarm limit	User-Selectable
IBP DIA1 too high	DIA measuring value of channel 1 is above upper alarm limit	User-Selectable
IBP DIA1 too low	DIA measuring value of channel 1 is below lower alarm limit	User-Selectable
IBP MAP1 too high	MAP measuring value of channel 1 is above upper alarm limit	User-Selectable
IBP MAP1 too low	MAP measuring value of channel 1 is below lower alarm limit	User-Selectable
IBP SYS2 too high	SYS measuring value of channel 2 is above upper alarm limit	User-Selectable
IBP SYS2 too low	SYS measuring value of channel 2 is below lower alarm limit	User-Selectable
IBP DIA2 too high	DIA measuring value of channel 2 is above upper alarm limit	User-Selectable
IBP DIA2 too low	DIA measuring value of channel 2 is below lower alarm limit	User-Selectable
IBP MAP2 too high	MAP measuring value of channel 2 is above upper alarm limit	User-Selectable
IBP MAP2 too low	MAP measuring value of channel 2 is below lower alarm limit	User-Selectable

Technical Alarm

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
IBP1 sensor off	IBP cable of channel 1 falls off from monitor	Low
IBP2 sensor off	IBP cable of channel 2 falls off from monitor	Low
IBP communication error	IBP communication error	Low
IBP1 alarm error	Alarm failure	Low
IBP2 alarm error	Alarm failure	Low

Prompt:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
IBP1 Checking	IBP1 zero calibration is in progress.	
IBP1 Errlose	IBP1 zero calibration failed for IBP1 cable falls off.	
IBP1 Errtimeout	IBP1 zero calibration failed for time is out.	
IBP1 Check OK	IBP1 zero calibration success.	No alarm
IBP2 Checking	IBP2 zero calibration is in progress.	
IBP2 Errlose	IBP2 zero calibration failed for IBP2 cable falls off.	
IBP2 Errtimeout	IBP2 zero calibration failed for time is out.	
IBP2 Check OK	IBP2 zero calibration success.	

6.8.6 NIBP Alarm

Physiological Alarm:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
NIBP SYS too high	NIBP SYS measuring value is above upper alarm limit	User-Selectable
NIBP SYS too low	NIBP SYS measuring value is below lower alarm limit	User-Selectable
NIBP DIA too high	NIBP DIA measuring value is above upper alarm limit	User-Selectable
NIBP DIA too low	NIBP DIA measuring value is below lower alarm limit	User-Selectable
NIBP MAP too high	NIBP MAP measuring value is above upper alarm limit	User-Selectable
NIBP MAP too low	NIBP MAP measuring value is below lower alarm limit	User-Selectable

Technical Alarm 1 (display in description area):

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
NIBP communication error	NIBP measurement failure or communication failure	Low
NIBP SYS alarm error	Alarm failure	Low
NIBP DIA alarm error	Alarm failure	Low
NIBP MAP alarm error	Alarm failure	Low

Technical Alarm 2 (display in description area below NIBP mean arterial pressure value):

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
SELF-TEST FAILED	Transducer or other hardware failure.	Low
LOOSE CUFF	a. Cuff is completely unwrapped.b. The cuff is not connected.c. Big animals' cuff used in small animal mode.	Low

AIR LEAK	Air leak in pneumatics, hose, or cuff.	Low
AIR PRESSURE ERROR	Unable to maintain stable cuff pressure, e.g. kinked hose.	Low
WEAK SIGNAL	a. Very weak animal signal due to a loosely wrapped cuff.	Low
	b. The pulse of animal is too weak.	
RANGE EXCEEDED	Measurement range exceeds module specification.	Low
EXCESSIVE MOTION	 a. Too many retries due to interference of motion artifact. b. Signal is too noisy during measurement, e.g. animal has severe tremor. c. Irregular pulse rate, e.g. arrhythmia. 	Low
OVERPRESSURE SENSED	Cuff pressure exceeds the specified upper safety limit. Could be due to rapid squeezing or bumping of cuff.	Low
SIGNAL SATURATED	Large motion artifact that saturates the BP amplifier's amplitude handing capability.	Low
AIR SYSTEM LEAK	Module reports Air Leakage failure while in the Pneumatic Test mode.	Low
SYSTEM FAILURE	Module occurs abnormal processor event.	Low
TIME OUT	Measurement took more than 120 seconds in horse, 105 seconds in cat mode.	Low
CUFF TYPE ERR	Small animal cuff used in Big animal mode.	Low

Prompt (display in description area below NIBP mean arterial pressure value):

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
NIBP Resetting	NIBP measurement module is resetting	
Over Press Testing	NIBP is testing Over-Pressure	No alarm
Manometer Testing	NIBP is testing Manometer	
Pneumatic Testing	NIBP is testing Pneumatic	

6.8.7 System Alarm and Prompt

Technical Alarm

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
Battery failure	Battery failure or no battery	Low
Battery low	Voltage of battery is too low	Medium
Key error	Keyboard error	Low
Recorder error	No paper in the recorder when recording or the recorder door is open or recorder is absent	Low

Prompt

Message	Cause	Alarm Level	
Recording	Recorder is in printing operation	No alarm	

6.8.8 CO2Alarm (BLT module)

Physiological Alarm:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
EtCO ₂ too high	EtCO ₂ measuring value is above upper alarm limit	User-Selectable
EtCO ₂ too low	EtCO ₂ measuring value is below lower alarm limit	OSCI-SCICCIAOIC

Technical Alarm:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
CO ₂ sensor off	CO ₂ sensor off animal or off the monitor	Low
CO ₂ communication error	CO ₂ module failure or communication failure	Low
CO2 alarm error	Co2 alarm function failure	Low
Check airway adapter	CO ₂ airway adapter disconnected with CO ₂ sensor	Low
CO ₂ measurement Over range	CO ₂ measurement Over range, need verify zero	Medium
CO ₂ sensor error	CO ₂ sensor error	Medium

6.8.9 AG alarm and promotion

Physiological alarm:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
EtAA too high	EtAA is above upper alarm limit	- User-Selectable
EtAA too low	EtAA is below lower alarm limit	
FiAA too high	FiAA is above upper alarm limit	- User-Selectable
FiAA too low	FiAA is below lower alarm limit	
EtN ₂ O too high	EtN ₂ O is above upper alarm limit	- User-Selectable
EtN ₂ O too low	EtN ₂ O is below lower alarm limit	
FiN ₂ O too high	FiN ₂ O is above upper alarm limit	- User-Selectable
FiN ₂ O too low	FiN ₂ O is below lower alarm limit	
EtO ₂ too high	EtO ₂ is above upper alarm limit	User-Selectable
EtO ₂ too low	EtO ₂ is below lower alarm limit	
FiO ₂ too high	FiO ₂ is above upper alarm limit	User-Selectable

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FiO ₂ too low	FiO ₂ is below lower alarm limit	

Technical Alarm:

Message	Cause	Alarm Level
GAS communication error	GAS module failure or communication error	Medium
Check Airway Adapter	Airway adaptor of GAS module disconnected with sensor	Medium
Replace O ₂ sensor	Oxygen sensor disconnected with module	Medium
O ₂ sensor low	Weak oxygen sensor signal	Medium
GAS sensor error	GAS sensor error	Low
GAS CONC. Out of Range	Measurement of GAS module over range	Medium
Room Air Calibration Required	Measurement of oxygen density is not correct.	High

Chapter 7 Recording

Monitor carries out the recording function by the built-in recorder.

■ Alarm recording

Monitor provides the function of alarm trigger recording. To make alarm recording available, Please keep **<Alarm Record >** of **<Recorder setup>** of **<System setup>** in **<Monitor setup>** menu is **ON**, and adjust alarm level of alarm parameter to non-close. If any monitoring parameter exceeds the limit and **<Alarm Record>** is **ON**, recorder will print all monitoring parameter values in the alarm time. Moreover, if monitor alarms continuously, recorder will print every two minutes.

■ Auto recording

Monitor has the function of Auto recording. To make Auto recording available, user can adjust **<Record Interval>** of **<Recorder Setup>** of **<System Setup>** in **<Monitor Setup>** to a necessary interval time. All monitoring parameter values and waveforms will be recorded automatically according to the determined period.

■ Real-Time recording

Monitor has the function of real time recording. If **FREEZE/RECORD**> key in the front panel has been pressed over 2 seconds, the waveform and data of cardiac electro and SpO₂ can be recorded in real time. If **FREEZE/RECORD**> pressed again, real time recording will end. The lead ECG waveform (determined by **Record Wave**> in **Recorder Setup**>) will be monitoring in emphasis, when ECG waveforms are being recorded.

Note: During real time recording, three waveforms can be recorded at the same time. Users can configure the waveforms according to need. Please refer to chapter 4.2.1. Measurement parameter values of individual module have been recorded on the top of waveforms.

Chapter 8 The Maintenance and Cleaning

8.1 System Check

An effective maintenance schedule should be established for your monitoring equipment and reusable supplies. This should include inspection as well as general clearing on a regular basis. The maintenance schedule must comply with the policies of your institution's infection control unit and/or biomedical department.

Check with your biomedical department to be sure preventive maintenance and calibration has been done. The User Maintenance Instruction contains detailed information.

Before using the monitor, check the equipment following these guidelines:

- Check the equipment for obvious mechanical damage.
- En Check all the outer cables, inserted modules and accessories for fraying or other damage. Qualified service personnel should repair or replace damaged or deteriorated cables.
- En Check all the functions relevant to animal monitoring, make sure that the monitor is in good condition.

If you find any damage on the monitor, stop using the monitor on animal, and contact the biomedical engineer of the hospital or Manufacturer's Customer Service immediately.

Note: Refer to the User Maintenance Instruction for more comprehensive checkout procedures.

The overall check of the monitor, including the safety check, should be performed only by qualified personnel once every 6 to 12 month, and whenever the monitor is fixed up.

- Inspect the safety relevant labels for legibility.
- Verify that the device functions properly as described in the instructions for use.
- ➤ Test the protection earth resistance according IEC 60601-1, Limit 0.10hm.
- ➤ Test the earth leakage current according IEC 60601-1, Limit: NC 500uA, SFC 1000uA.
- > Test the animal leakage current according IEC 60601-1, Limit: 100uA (BF), 10uA (CF).
- > Test the animal leakage current under single fault condition with mains voltage on the applied part according IEC 60601-1, Limit: 5mA (BF), 50uA (CF).

The leakage current should never exceed the limit. The data should be recorded in an

equipment log. If the device is not functioning properly or fails any of the above tests, the device has to be repaired.

The synchronism of the defibrillator should be checked by in the frequency described in the hospital regulations. At least every 3 months, it should be checked by the biomedical engineer of the hospital or qualified service technician.

All the checks that need to open the monitor should be performed by qualified service technician. The safety and maintenance check can be conducted by persons from the manufacturer. You can obtain the material about the customer service contract from the local office

The circuit diagrams, parts lists and calibration instructions of the animal monitor can be provided by the manufacturer.

Warning: If the hospital or agency that is responding to using the monitor does not follow a satisfactory maintenance schedule, the monitor may become invalid, and the human health may be endangered.

Note: To ensure maximum battery life, please ensure that the battery is fully charged when you are keeping the device in storage for an extended period of time, and then take out the battery.

Warning: Refer the battery replacement only to manufacturer's service technician.

8.2 Battery Maintenance

A rechargeable and maintenance-free battery is designed for Veterinary Monitor, which enables continuous working when AC power off. Special maintenance is not necessary in the normal situation. Please pay attention to the followings in using for more durable usage and a better capability.

- Operate the animal monitor in the environment according to the instruction.
- Use AC power for the animal monitor when available.
- Recharge the battery sooner when it is off. The volume of battery will not be charged to what it should be, when the battery has not been charged for a long time.
- If the monitor is not used for long time, the AC power should be plugged in until the battery is fully recharged, then take out the battery, so that the service life of the battery will not be shortened.

- Avoid exposed and sun shine.
- Avoid infrared and ultraviolet radiation.
- Avoid moist, dust and erosion from acid gas.

For Lithium ion battery:

A lithium ion battery needs at least two conditioning cycles when it is put into use for the first time. A battery conditioning cycle is one complete, uninterrupted charge of the battery, followed by a complete, uninterrupted discharge of the battery. A lithium ion battery should be conditioned regularly to maintain its useful life. Condition a battery once when it is used or stored for two months, or when its run time becomes noticeably shorter.

To condition a lithium ion battery, follow this procedure:

- 1. Disconnect the monitor from the animal and stop all monitoring and measuring procedures.
- 2. Place the lithium ion battery in need of conditioning into battery compartment of the monitor.
- 3. Connect the monitor to the AC mains. Allow the battery to be charged uninterruptedly for above 6 hours.
- 4. Remove the AC mains and allow the monitor to run from the battery until it shuts off.
- 5. Reconnect the monitor to the AC mains. Allow the battery to be charged uninterruptedly for above 6 hours.

Now the battery is conditioned and the monitor can be returned to service.

8.3 General Cleaning

Warning: Before cleaning the monitor or the sensors, make sure that the equipment is switched off and disconnected from the power line.

The Veterinary Monitor must be kept dust-free.

Regular cleaning of the monitor shell and the screen is strongly recommended. Use only non-caustic detergents such as soap and water to clean the monitor shell.

Please pay special attention to the following items:

- 1. Avoid using ammonia-based or acetone-based cleaners such as acetone.
- 2. Most cleaning agents must be diluted before use. Follow the manufacturer's directions carefully to avoid damaging the monitor.
- 3. Don't use the grinding material, such as steel wool etc.
- 4. Don't let the cleaning agent enter into the chassis of the system.

5. Don't leave the cleaning agents at any part of the equipment.

8.4 Cleaning Agents

Examples of disinfectants that can be used on the instrument casing are listed below:

- Diluted soap solution
- Diluted Ammonia Water
- Diluted Sodium Hypochlorite (Bleaching agent).

Note: The diluted sodium hypochlorite from 500ppm (1:100 diluted bleaching agent) to 5000ppm (1:10 bleaching agents) is very effective. The concentration of the diluted sodium hypochlorite depends on how many organisms (blood, mucus) on the surface of the chassis to be cleaned.

- Hydrogen Peroxide 3%
- Alcohol 70%
- Isopropyl alcohol70%

The surface of monitor can be cleaned with hospital-grade ethanol and dried in air or with crisp and clean cloth.

The manufacturer has no responsibility for the effectiveness of controlling infectious disease using these chemical agents. Please contact infectious disease experts in you hospital for details.

8.5 Disinfection

To avoid extended damage to the equipment, disinfection is only recommended when stipulated as necessary in the Hospital Maintenance Schedule. Disinfection facilities should be cleaned first.

Appropriate disinfection materials for ECG leads, SpO₂ sensor, blood pressure cuff, TEMP probe, CO₂ sensor and AG sensor are introduced in the corresponding chapters respectively.



Warning: Do not use EtO gas or formaldehyde to disinfect the monitor.

Chapter 9 Accessories

This chapter lists the recommendation accessories used in this device.

Warning: The accessories listed below are specified to be used in this device. The device will be possibly damaged or lead some harm if any other accessories are used.

Accessories List

1. ECG

Accessory	Description	Model/PN
ECG Electrode	Electrode with snap clips	15-100-0077
ECC CADI E	5-lead ECG cable (12pin, snap, IEC)	15-027-0003
ECG CABLE	5-lead ECG cable (12pin, snap, AHA)	15-027-0001

2. PATTERSON- SpO₂

Accessory	Description	Model/PN
	Animal rectal analog SpO2 probe(9 PIN)	15-100-0347
SpO2 sensor	Animal Y type analog SpO2 probe(9 PIN)	15-100-0348
	Tongue clip (small)	15-100-0079
	Tongue clip (large)	15-100-0189
Extension cord	12PIN	BD1-1-7

Nellcor SpO2(optional)

Accessory	Description	Model/PN
SpO2 sensor	D-YS Y-type SpO2 probe(9 PIN)	BZ2-2-3
	D-YSE Y-type ear clip (big)	FD3-1-1
	D-YSE Y-type ear clip (small)	FD3-1-1
Extension cord	10PIN	BY2-3

3. TEMP

Temp probe

Accessory	Model/PN
Coelom	15-100-0028
Surface	15-100-0027

4. NIBP

Accessory	Limb Girth (cm)	Model/PN
NIBP CUFF (Disposable)	3-6	98-0400-99
	4-8	98-0400-96
	6-11	98-0400-97
	7-13	98-0400-98
	8-15	98-0400-90

5. CO2

Accessory	Model/PN
CO2 sampling tube	15-100-0035
CO2 dehydration flash	15-100-0229
CO2 3-way stopcock	15-100-0074

6. IBP

Accessory	Model/PN
IBP sensor	15-100-0031
IBP cable	15-100-0029

7. AG

Accessory	Model/PN
IRMA extension cord	15-024-0001
IRMA AX+ Big animal/ Mid animal airway adapter	16-100-0068
IRMA AX+ Small animal airway adapter	16-100-0067

Appendix A Product Specifications

A.1 Classifications

Refer to chapter 2.3.

A.2 Specifications

Environment

Ambient Temperature	Operating temperature: 5°C~+40°C Transportation and storage temperature: -20~+55°C
Relative humidity	Working ≤85% Transportation and storage ≤93%
Atmospheric pressure	Working 700 hPa~1060 hPa Transportation and storage 500~1060 hPa

Size and Weight

Size	318 mm×264 mm×152 mm
Weight	4.5 kg

Power supply

Power Voltage	AC 100-240V
Frequency	50/60Hz
Input current	0.6A -0.3A
Fuse	T 2A/250V, integrated in the power module
Earth leakage current	<0.3 mA
Safety class	Category I

Display

LCD		
Size	12.1"	
Туре	Color TFT-LCD	
Resolution	800×600 pixels or higher	
Indicators		
Physiological alarm LED	1(Yellow/Red)	
Technical alarm LED	1(Blue)	
AC Power LED	1 (Green/Orange)	
Battery Charge LED	1 (Yellow)	

Interface

Power	1 AC power inlet
Wired network	1, standard RJ45 socket
Equipotential grounding	1
terminal	

Battery

Туре	Rechargeable Lithium ion battery
	11.1V/4.0AH
Charge time	≤6 hours (2 batteries for 12 hours)
Operating time under the normal use and full charge	≥240 minutes(2 batteries for 480 minutes)
	New and fully charged battery at 25 °C ambient temperature and NIBP work on AUTO mode for 20 minutes interval.
Operating time after the first alarm if low battery	≥10 minutes

ECG

Lead Mode	2. 5-leads ECG input3. 3-leads ECG input
Lead selection	1. I, II, III, aVR, aVL, aVF, V- 2. I, II, III
Gain	AUTO, 0.25x, 0.5x, 1.0x, 2.0x, 4.0x
Input impedance	≥5.0 MΩ
CMRR	MON ≥105dB OPS ≥105dB
Frequency response	MON 0.5~40Hz OPS 1~25Hz
Electrode offset potential	±500mV d.c.
Leakage Current	<10 uA
ECG signal range	±6.0 mV
Baseline recovery	<5s after Defibrillation. (MON or OPS mode)
Pacemaker pulses	No rejection of pulses with amplitudes of $\pm 2 \text{mV} \sim \pm 700 \text{ mV}$ and durations of $0.5 \sim 2.0 \text{ ms}$.
Insulation	Breakdown Voltage 4000VAC 50/60Hz
Indication of electrode separation	Every electrode (exclusive of RL)

Sweep speed 6.25mm/s, 12.5 mm/s, 25 mm/s, 50 mm/s	
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HR

Measurement Range	10~400 bpm
Refreshing time	Per 4 pulses
Resolution	1 bpm
Accuracy	±1% or ±1 bpm, whichever is greater
Sensitivity	$\geq 0.2 \text{mV}_{\text{P-P}}$
Alarm range	0~400 bpm, continuously adjustable between upper limit and lower limit
Alarm indication	Sound and light alarming
Time to Alarm for Tachycardia	Average 4s
Tall T-Wave Rejection Capability	0-1mV T-Wave amplitude
Response Time of Heart Rate Meter to Change in Heart Rate	HR change from 80 to 120 bpm: Range: 6 to 10s HR change from 80 to 40 bpm: Range: 6 to 10s

NIBP

Way of measurement	Automatic	oscillometry	
		Large	40~260 mmHg
	SYS	Mid	40~160 mmHg
		Small	40~130 mmHg
	DIA	Large	20~200 mmHg
Range of measurement		Mid	20~120 mmHg
		Small	20~100 mmHg
	MEAN	Large	26~220mmHg
		Mid	26~133mmHg
		Small	26~110mmHg
Cuff pressure range	0~280 mm	0~280 mmHg	
Resolution	1 mmHg	1 mmHg	
Static Pressure Accuracy	±3 mmHg		
Clinical accuracy	Accord wi	Accord with ANSI/AAMI SP10	
Unit	mmHg, kPa		

	SYS	0~300 mmHg, continuously adjustable between upper limit and lower limit
Range of alarm	DIA	0~300 mmHg, continuously adjustable between upper limit and lower limit
	MEAN	0~300 mmHg, continuously adjustable between upper limit and lower limit
Alarm indication	Sound and light alarming	
Recovery time after defibrillation	<5s	
PR		
PR range	30bpm to 220bpm	
Accuracy	2bpm or $\pm 3\%$, whichever is the greater	

SpO2

PATTERSON-SpO ₂		
Measurement Range	0~99%	
Resolution	1%	
Acqueacy	At 70~99%, ±2%	
Accuracy	At 0~69%, unspecified	
Data update period	1s	
Alarm	User-selectable upper and lower SpO ₂ limits	
PR		
Measurement Range	18~400 bpm	
Resolution	1 bpm	
Accuracy	±2% or ±2 bpm, whichever is greater	
Data update period	1s	
Alarm	User-selectable upper and lower pulse rate limits	

$Nellcor-SpO_2$ (option)		
Measurement Range	0~100%	
Resolution	1%	
	At 70~100%, ±2 digits(big animal/mid animal)	
Accuracy	At 70~100%, ±3 digits(small animal)	
	At 0~69%, unspecified	
Perfusion Range	0.03% ~ 20%	

Data update period	Average 7s
Alarm	User-selectable upper and lower SpO ₂ limits
PR	
Measurement Range	20~250 bpm
Resolution	1 bpm
Accuracy	±3 digits
Data update period	Average 7s
Alarm	User-selectable upper and lower pulse rate limits

TEMP

Measurement Range	0.0~50.0℃
Accuracy	±0.1℃
Resolution	0.1℃
Unit	Celsius (°C), Fahrenheit (°F)
Refreshing time	1s
Self check	Every 10 minutes
Accuracy	At $45.1^{\circ}\text{C} \sim 50.0^{\circ}\text{C}$, $\pm 0.2^{\circ}\text{C}$ (exclusive of probe) At $25.0^{\circ}\text{C} \sim 45.0^{\circ}\text{C}$, $\pm 0.1^{\circ}\text{C}$ (exclusive of probe) At $0.0^{\circ}\text{C} \sim 24.9^{\circ}\text{C}$, $\pm 0.2^{\circ}\text{C}$ (exclusive of probe)
Connecting cable	Compatible with YSI-400
Range of alarm	0.0~50.0°C, continuously adjustable between upper limit and lower limit
Alarm indication	Sound and light alarming

RESP

Method	Impedance variation between RA-LL (R-F)
Measuring impedance range	0.2 ~3 Ω
Excitation frequency	64.8 kHz
Excitation current	≤300 µ A at 64.8 kHz
Base line impedance range	$500\sim4000$ Ω (50~120 kHz exciting frequency)
Measurement Range	0~150 rpm
Resolution	1 rpm
Accuracy	±2 rpm
Gain	x1, x2, x4

Sweep speed	6.25 mm/s, 12.5 mm/s, 25 mm/s
Delay of Apnea Alarm	Off, 10s, 20s, 40s, 60s
Alarm indication	Sound and light indication

IBP

Measurement Range	-50 ~ +300 mmHg	
Resolution	1 mmHg	
Unit	mmHg, kPa	
Accuracy Static Dynamic	± 2mmHg or 2% of the reading, whichever is greater (exclusive of transducer) ± 4mmHg or 4% of the reading, whichever is greater (inclusion of transducer) ± 4mmHg or 4% of the reading, whichever is greater	
Sensitivity of transducer	5uV/V/mmHg, 2%	
Impedance of transducer	300~3000 Ω	
Bandwidth	d.c. ~ 15Hz	
Transducer sites	Arterial Pressure (ART) Pulmonary Artery Pressure (PA) Left Atrium Pressure (LAP) Right Atrium Pressure (RAP) Central Venous Pressure (CVP) Intracranial Pressure (ICP)	
Selection of measurement range	ART PA CVP LAP RAP ICP (Among them, the AUTO switches automatically at an interval of 10 mmHg so as to ensure the waveform is at the state most suitable for observation)	
Alarm indication	Sound and light indication	

EtCO2 (Sidestream, BLT)

Measure method	Infrared spectrum
Measure mode	Sidestream
Measurement Range	0.0~13.1% (0~99.6 mmHg)
Resolution	1 mmHg
Unit	%, mmHg, kPa
Accuracy	At $<$ 5 % CO ₂ , $\pm 0.3\%$ (± 2.0 mmHg)
	At \geq 5 % CO ₂ , $\leq \pm 10$ % of reading
Range of respiration rate measurement	3~150 rpm
Calibration	Offset calibration: auto, manual Gain calibration
Range of alarm	0.0~13.1 % (0~99.6mmHg), continuously adjustable between upper limit and lower limit
Alarm indication	Sound and light indication

AG (Mainstream, IRMA)

Measure method	Infrared spectru	ım
Measure mode	Mainstream	
Fi and Et values	CO ₂ , N ₂ O, ag	gent (HAL, ISO, ENF, SEV, DES)
Resolution	1mmHg	
Unit	%, mmHg	
Calibration	Room air calib changing airwa	ration performed automatically when y adapter (<5s)
Warm-up time	Concentrations accuracy withir	reported in less than 10s, full a 20s
Rise time (at 10 L/min)	$CO_2 \le 90 \text{ ms}$ $N_2O \le 300 \text{ m}$ Hal, Iso, Enf, S	
Total system response time	< 1 s	
Measurement range and accuracy of gas:		
Gas	Measurement range(%)	Accuracy
CO2	0-15	$\pm (0.3\%_{ABS} + 4\%_{REL})$
N2O	0-100	± (2% _{ABS} +5% _{REL})
HAL, ISO, ENF	0-8	± (0.2% _{ABS} +10% _{REL})

SEV	0-10	$\pm (0.2\%_{ABS} + 10\%_{REL})$
DES	0-22	± (0.2% _{ABS} +10% _{REL})
Respiration rate range	0~150 rpm	
Respiration rate accuracy	±1 rpm	
Alarm indication	Sound and light	t indication

Alarm

Level	Low, medium and high
Indication	Auditory and visual
Setup	Default and custom
Silence	All alarms can be silenced
Volume	45~85 dB measured at 1 meter

Appendix B Default System Setup

There are three options of default system setup: HORSE, DOG and CAT.

B.1 System

1. Standard Configuration

1) Trend Graph Configuration

Region	Parameter
Region 1	HR
Region 2	SpO_2
Region 3	PR
Region 4	NIBP
Region 5	Resp
Region 6	T1+T2

2) Trend Table Configuration

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Region	Parameter	
Region 1	HR	
Region 2	SpO ₂	
Region 3	PR	
Region 4	NIBP(S/D)	
Region 5	NIBP(M)	
Region 6	Resp	

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Region	Parameter
Region 1	HR
Region 2	T1
Region 3	T2

2. Standard Configuration + dual IBP

1) Trend Graph Configuration

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Region	Parameter
Region 1	HR
Region 2	SpO_2
Region 3	P1
Region 4	P2
Region 5	Resp

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Region	Parameter
Region 1	PR
Region 2	NIBP
Region 3	T1+T2
Region 4	NIBP

2) Trend Table Configuration

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Region	Parameter
Region 1	HR
Region 2	SpO ₂
Region 3	P1
Region 4	P2
Region 5	Resp

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Region	Parameter
Region 1	PR
Region 2	NIBP(S/D)
Region 3	NIBP(M)
Region 4	T1
Region 5	T2

3. Standard Configuration + dual IBP + EtCO₂

1) Trend Graph Configuration

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Region	Parameter
Region 1	HR
Region 2	SpO_2
Region 3	P1
Region 4	P2
Region 5	CO ₂

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Region	Parameter
Region 1	PR
Region 2	NIBP
Region 3	Resp
Region 4	T1+T2

2) Trend Table Configuration

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Region	Parameter
Region 1	HR
Region 2	SpO_2
Region 3	P1(S/D)
Region 4	P2(M)
Region 5	CO ₂

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Region	Parameter
Region 1	PR
Region 2	NIBP(S/D)
Region 3	NIBP(M)
Region 4	Resp
Region 5	T1
Region 6	T2

4. Standard Configuration + dual IBP + EtCO₂+AG

1) Trend Graph Configuration

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Region	Parameter
Region 1	HR
Region 2	SpO_2
Region 3	P1
Region 4	P2
Region 5	CO_2

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Region	Parameter
Region 1	PR
Region 2	NIBP
Region 3	Resp
Region 4	O_2+N_2O
Region 5	AA
Region 6	T1+T2

2) Trend Table Configuration

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Region	Parameter
Region 1	HR
Region 2	SpO_2
Region 3	P1(S/D)
Region 4	P2(M)
Region 5	CO ₂

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Region	Parameter
Region 1	PR
Region 2	NIBP(S/D)
Region 3	NIBP(M)
Region 4	Resp
Region 5	T1
Region 6	T2

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Region	Parameter
Region 1	CO_2
Region 2	N_2O
Region 3	AA
Region 4	O_2

B.2 Alarm Limit

1. Setup of parameters alarm limit for Big animal

Parameter	Low limit	High limit
HR (bpm)	30	50
SpO ₂ (%)	90	100
PR (bpm)	30	50
RR (rpm)	5	35
T1 (°C)	37.5	38.6
T2 (°C)	37.5	38.6
NIBP SYS(mmHg)	80	130
NIBP DIA (mmHg)	20	70
NIBP MEAN (mmHg)	60	90
IBP1 SYS (mmHg)	80	130
IBP1 DIA (mmHg)	20	70
IBP1 MEAN (mmHg)	60	90
IBP2 SYS (mmHg)	80	130
IBP2 DIA (mmHg)	20	70
IBP2 MEAN (mmHg)	60	90
EtCO ₂ (%)	20	61
FiCO ₂ (%)	0	8
EtAA (%)	0.0	3.0
FiAA (%)	0.0	5.0
EtN ₂ O (%)	0	82
FiN ₂ O(%)	0	82
EtO ₂ (%)	10	100
FiO ₂ (%)	18	100

2. Setup of parameters alarm limit for mid animal

Parameter	Low limit	High limit
HR (bpm)	70	160
SpO ₂ (%)	90	100
PR (bpm)	70	160
RR (rpm)	8	40
T1 (°C)	38.1	39.2
T2 (°C)	38.1	39.2
NIBP SYS (mmHg)	70	180

NIBP DIA (mmHg)	35	90
NIBP MEAN (mmHg)	60	125
IBP1 SYS (mmHg)	70	160
IBP1 DIA (mmHg)	35	90
IBP1 MEAN (mmHg)	60	105
IBP2 SYS (mmHg)	70	160
IBP2 DIA (mmHg)	35	90
IBP2 MEAN (mmHg)	60	105
EtCO ₂ (%)	20	61
FiCO ₂ (%)	0	8
EtAA (%)	0.0	3.0
FiAA (%)	0.0	5.0
EtN ₂ 0 (%)	0	82
FiN ₂ 0 (%)	0	82
EtO ₂ (%)	10	100
FiO ₂ (%)	18	100

${\bf 3.}\quad {\bf Setup\ of\ parameters\ alarm\ limit\ for\ small\ animal}$

Parameter	Low limit	High limit
HR (bpm)	90	200
SpO ₂ (%)	90	100
PR (bpm)	90	200
RR (rpm)	8	40
T1 (°C)	38.1	39.2
T2 (°C)	38.1	39.2
NIBP SYS(mmHg)	90	200
NIBP DIA (mmHg)	40	105
NIBP MEAN (mmHg)	60	110
IBP1 SYS (mmHg)	90	200
IBP1 DIA (mmHg)	40	105
IBP1 MEAN (mmHg)	60	110
IBP2 SYS (mmHg)	90	200
IBP2 DIA (mmHg)	40	105
IBP2 MEAN (mmHg)	60	110
EtCO ₂ (%)	20	61
FiCO ₂ (%)	0	8
EtAA (%)	0.0	3.0

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FiAA (%)	0.0	5.0
EtN ₂ 0 (%)	0	82
FiN ₂ 0 (%)	0	82
EtO ₂ (%)	10	100
FiO ₂ (%)	18	100

Appendix C Guidance and Manufacture's Declaration of EMC

Guidance and manufacture's declaration – electromagnetic emissionsfor all EQUIPMENT and SYSTEMS

Guidance and manufacture's declaration – electromagnetic emission			
The Multi-parameter Monitor is intended for use in the electromagnetic environment specified below. The			
customer of the user of the Multi-parameter Monitor should assure that it is used in such and environment.			
Emission test	Compliance	Electromagnetic environment – guidance	
RF emissions	Group 1	The Multi-parameter Monitor uses RF energy only	
CISPR 11		for its internal function. Therefore, its RF emissions	
		are very low and are not likely to cause any	
		interference in nearby electronic equipment.	
RF emission	Class A	The Multi-parameter Monitor is suitable for use in all	
CISPR 11	Class A	establishments other than domestic and those	
Harmonic emissions	Class A	directly connected to the public low-voltage power	
IEC 61000-3-2	Class A	supply network that supplies buildings used for	
Voltage fluctuations/		domestic purposes.	
flicker emissions	Complies		
IEC 61000-3-3			

Guidance and manufacture's declaration – electromagnetic immunity – for all EQUIPMENT and SYSTEMS

	Guidance and manufacture's declaration – electromagnetic immunity			
The Multi-parameter Monitor is intended for use in the electromagnetic environment specified below. The customer or the user of Low Frequency Therapeutic Device should assure that it is used in such an environment.				
the user of Low Frequen	cy Therapeutic Device should	assure that it is used in su		
Immunity test	IEC 60601 test level	Compliance level	Electromagnetic environment - guidance	
Electrostatic discharge (ESD) IEC 61000-4-2	±6 kV contact ±8 kV air	±6 kV contact ±8 kV air	Floors should be wood, concrete or ceramic tile. If floor are covered with synthetic material, the relative humidity should be at least 30%.	
Electrical fast transient/burst IEC 61000-4-4	±2 kV for power supply lines ±1 kV for input/output lines	±2 k V for power supply lines ±1 kV for input/output lines	Mains power quality should be that of a typical commercial or hospital environment.	
Surge IEC 61000-4-5	±1 kV differential mode ±2 kV common mode	±1 kV differential mode ±2 kV common mode	Mains power quality should be that of a typical commercial or hospital environment.	
Voltage dips, short interruptions and voltage variations on power supply input lines IEC 61000-4-11	<5% UT (>95% dip in UT) for 0.5 cycle 40% UT (60% dip in UT) for 5 cycles 70% UT (30% dip in UT) for 25 cycles <5% UT (>95% dip in UT) for 5 sec	<5% UT (>95% dip in UT) for 0.5 cycle 40% UT (60% dip in UT) for 5 cycles 70% UT (30% dip in UT) for 25 cycles <5% UT (>95% dip in UT) for 5 sec	Mains power quality should be that of a typical commercial or hospital environment.	
Power frequency (50Hz) magnetic field IEC 61000-4-8	3A/m	3A/m	Power frequency magnetic fields should be at levels characteristic of a typical location in a typical commercial or hospital environment.	
NOTE UT is the a.c. mains voltage prior to application of the test level.				

Guidance and manufacture's declaration – electromagnetic immunity – for EQUIPMENT and SYSTEMS that are not LIFE-SUPPORTING

Guidance and manufacture's declaration - electromagnetic immunity The Multi-parameter Monitor is intended for use in the electromagnetic environment specified below. The customer or the user of Low Frequency Therapeutic Device should assure that it is used in such an environment. Electromagnetic environment - guidance Immunity test IEC 60601 test level Compliance level Portable and mobile RF communications equipment should be used no closer to any part of the monitor, including cables, than the recommended separation distance calculated from the equation applicable to the frequency of the transmitter. Recommended separation distance Conducted RF 1 Vrms 3 Vrms IEC 61000-4-6 150 kHz to 80 MHz 80 MHz to 800 MHz Radiated RF 3 V/m 3 V/m IEC 61000-4-3 80 MHz to 2.5 GHz 800 MHz to 2.5 GHz Where P is the maximum output power rating of the transmitter in watts (W) according to the transmitter manufacturer and d is the recommended separation distance in metres (m). Field strengths from fixed RF transmitters, as determined by an electromagnetic site survey, a should be less than the compliance level in each frequency range.b Interference may occur in the vicinity of equipment marked with the following symbol:

NOTE 1 At 80 MHz and 800 MHz, the higher frequency range applies.

NOTE 2 These guidelines may not apply in all situations. Electromagnetic propagation is affected by absorption and reflection from structures, objects and people.

- a Field strengths from fixed transmitters, such as base stations for radio (cellular/cordless) telephones and land mobile radios, amateur radio, AM and FM radio broadcast and TV broadcast cannot be predicted theoretically with accuracy. To assess the electromagnetic environment due to fixed RF transmitters, an electromagnetic site survey should be considered. If the measured field strength in the location in which the Low Frequency Therapeutic Device is used exceeds the applicable RF compliance level above, the Low Frequency Therapeutic Device should be observed to verify normal operation. If abnormal performance is observed, additional measures may be necessary, such as reorienting or relocating the Low Frequency Therapeutic Device.
- b Over the frequency range 150 kHz to 80 MHz, field strengths should be less than 3 V/m.

Recommended separation distances between portable and mobile RF communications equipment and the EQUIPMENT or SYSTEM – for EQUIPMENT or SYSTEM that are not LIFE-SUPPORTING

Recommended separation distances between portable and mobile RF communications equipment and the Low Frequency Therapeutic Device

The Multi-parameter Monitor is intended for use in an electromagnetic environment in which radiated RF disturbances are controlled. The customer or the user of the Low Frequency Therapeutic Device can help prevent electromagnetic interference by maintaining a minimum distance between portable and mobile RF communications equipment (transmitters) and the Low Frequency Therapeutic Device as recommended below, according to the maximum output power of the communications equipment.

	Separation distance according to frequency of transmitter		
Rated maximum output	(m)		
power of transmitter	150 kHz to 80 MHz	80 MHz to 800 MHz	800 MHz to 2.5 GHz
(W)	$d = \left[\frac{3.5}{V_1}\right] \sqrt{P}$	$d = \left[\frac{3.5}{E_1}\right] \sqrt{P}$	$d = \left[\frac{7}{E_1}\right] \sqrt{P}$
0.01	0.35	0.12	0.23
0.1	1.1	0.38	0.73
1	3.5	1.2	2.3
10	11	3.8	7.3
100	35	12	23

For transmitters rated at a maximum output power not listed above, the recommended separation distance d in metres (m) can be estimated using the equation applicable to the frequency of the transmitter, where P is the maximum output power rating of the transmitter in watts (W) according to the transmitter manufacturer.

NOTE 1 At 80 MHz and 800 MHz, the separation distance for the higher frequency range applies.

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