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New Brunswick™ Innova® 43/43R Shaker

**Operating manual** 

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## 1 Operating instructions

## 1.1 Using this manual

- ▶ Carefully read this operating manual before using the device for the first time.
- ▶ Also observe the operating manual enclosed with the accessories.
- ▶ The operating manual should be considered as part of the product and stored in a location that is easily accessible.
- ▶ When passing the device on to third parties, be sure to include this operating manual.
- ▶ If this manual is lost, please request another one. The latest version can be found on our website <a href="https://www.eppendorf.com">www.eppendorf.com</a> (International) or <a href="https://www.eppendorfna.com">www.eppendorfna.com</a> (North America).

## 1.2 Danger symbols and danger levels

#### 1.2.1 Hazard icons

4	Electric shock		Crushing
淋	Material damage	<u> </u>	Hazard point
M	Heavy loads		

#### 1.2.2 Degrees of danger

The following danger levels are used in safety messages throughout this manual.

DANGER	Will lead to severe injuries or death.
WARNING	May lead to severe injuries or death.
CAUTION	May lead to light to moderate injuries.
NOTICE	May lead to material damage.

## 1.3 Symbols used

Example	Meaning
<b></b>	You are requested to perform an action.
1. 2.	Perform these actions in the sequence described.
•	List.
0	References useful information.

## 2 Safety

## 2.1 User profile

The device may only be operated by trained lab personnel who have carefully read the operating manual and are familiar with the device functions.

#### 2.2 Application limits



#### **DANGER!** Explosion hazard

- ▶ Do not operate the device in areas where work is completed with explosive substances.
- ▶ Do not use this device to process any explosive or highly reactive substances.
- ▶ Do not use this device to process any substances which could create an explosive atmosphere.

Due to its design and the ambient conditions in its interior, the device is not suitable for use in potentially explosive atmospheres.

The device may only be used in a safe environment, e.g., the open atmosphere of a ventilated lab. The use of substances which may contribute to a potentially explosive atmosphere is not permitted. The final decision on risks associated with the use of such substances lies with the user.

## 2.3 Warnings for intended use



#### WARNING! Risk of electric shock and/or damage to unit!

- ▶ Check that the voltage and frequency of your unit are compatible with mains/power supply.
- ▶ Remove caution label from back of unit.
- ▶ Set the circuit breaker on the right side of the unit to the OFF position.



#### WARNING! Risk of electric shock and/or damage to device!

▶ Use a grounded power supply.



#### WARNING! Risk of electric shock and/or damage to the device!

▶ Before cleaning device, turn off and unplug from mains/power supply.



#### WARNING! Risk of electric shock!

▶ To replace the fuses of the device, contact your local Eppendorf service partner.



#### CAUTION! Lack of safety due to incorrect accessories or spare parts

Accessories and spare parts that are not recommended by Eppendorf compromise the safety, function and precision of the device. Eppendorf cannot be held liable or accept any liability for damage resulting from the use of non-recommended accessories and spare parts.

▶ Only use accessories and original spare parts recommended by Eppendorf.



#### WARNING! Injury from hazardous biological material!

- Use respiratory protection when cleaning spills where aerosolization is suspected.
- ▶ Wear gloves, safety glasses, and laboratory coat when cleaning.



#### NOTICE! Damage to device!

Never run shaker without a platform.

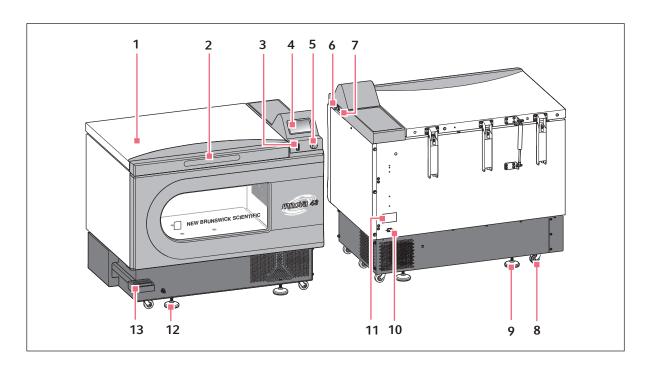


#### WARNING! Heavy!

- ▶ Do not attempt to lift the Innova 43/43R Shaker by yourself.
- ▶ Ask for assistance or use suitable equipment when raising or handling the device.

## 3 Product description

## 3.1 Product overview



# 1 LidWith automatic stop function

#### 2 Lid handle

#### 3 START/STOP switch

Starts and stops drive

#### 4 Display

Graphical user interface with display of parameters and parameter values

#### 5 Push button SELECT control

Change screens or select operating conditions

#### 6 Power switch

Switches device on or off

#### 7 RS-232 interface

Read out parameter values and control operational functions using computer applications, also used to connect to BioCommand® SFI

## 8 Transport caster

Used to move the device

#### 9 Base stand

Align the device horizontally

#### 10 Power connection

Connect the power cable

#### 11 Name plate

Model number, documentation number, serial number and electrical connection data

#### 12 Quick coupling

Connect the coupler plug to the discharge hose

#### 13 Foot pedal

Opens the lid

#### 3.2 Features

A Proportional/Integral (PI) microprocessor controller with instantaneous digital feedback controls the speed and temperature of the Innova® 43/43R shaker over the entire range.

#### 3.2.1 Operation

The 43/43R Shaker may be operated in a variety of ways.

Continuously	At a set speed and temperature, until user stops device	
Timed mode	<ul> <li>At a set speed, time and temperature for a period of up to 99.9 hrs, after which the 43/43R Shaker automatically shuts off</li> </ul>	
Via programmable controller	Through multiple temperature and speed changes for an extended period of time	
Via computer	Through an RS-232 interface	

Please see the Operating section of this manual for more information on the various modes of operation.

#### 3.2.2 Orbit

- Triple eccentric counterbalanced drive mechanism
- Horizontal plane rotary motion
- Available in 2.54 cm (1 in) or 5 cm (2 in) diameter circular orbit

#### 3.2.3 Temperature control

Ambient temperature is measured at 1 m from the exterior of the unit.

- The Innova 43 provides temperature control from 5 °C above ambient to 80 °C
- The Innova 43R provides temperature control from 20 °C below ambient (as low as 4 °C) to 80 °C

Both ranges depend upon relative humidity and other ambient factors, as well as the options installed in the unit (see *Optional components on p. 16*).

#### 3.2.4 Refrigeration (43R only)

The refrigeration system in the Innova 43R is a variable-capacity system carefully designed with self-checks. These self-checks ensure:

- Temperature setpoints are maintained
- Pressure is balanced within the system
- · The evaporator surface does not freeze

When the shaker is powered up, there is a 4 min time delay prior to compressor start-up.

## 3.2.5 Safety switch

For safe operation, 43/43R Shaker is designed with a safety switch that automatically stops the drive when the lid is opened.

#### 3.2.6 Alarms

The 43/43R Shaker is equipped with visual and/or audible alarms that alert the user to the following conditions:

- The end of a timed run
- · Deviations from speed setpoint
- Deviations from temperature setpoint
- Power failure
- Lid open

If an alarm condition exists, the field in the lower right corner of the display will alternate the day and time with characters indicating the nature of the alarm condition, accompanied by an audible alarm (unless muted) (see Tab. on p. 13).

Tab. 3-1: Alarm descriptions

Indication	Description	
TEMP	<ul> <li>Indicates that the temperature has deviated more than ±1 °C from setpoint after achieving control temperature range.</li> <li>After lid is opened, alarm will be disabled for 5 min while chamber recovers to setpoint.</li> </ul>	
RPM	<ul> <li>Indicates that the speed has deviated more than ±5 rpm from setpoint after achieving operating speed setpoint.</li> <li>After lid is opened, alarm will be disabled for 5 min while chamber recovers to setpoint.</li> </ul>	
POWER	Indicates that the unit is powering up (both at normal power-up and after power interruption); will flash until the control knob is moved.	
HRS	Indicates when timed run is completed.	

#### 3.2.7 Platforms and accessories

To accommodate customer needs, a wide variety of platforms and accessories can be used with the 43/43R Shaker.

Universal platforms	The most flexible Provides hole patterns for flask clamps, test tube racks and other accessories
Dedicated platforms	<ul><li>Supplied with 1 size of flask clamps attached</li><li>Designed solely and expressly for this purpose</li></ul>

The following accessories are also available. For more information about these accessories, (see *Accessories on p. 65*).

- · Test tube racks
- · Microplate holders
- Erlenmeyer flask clamps (up to 6 L)



#### WARNING!

▶ Do not use this equipment with accessories not provided or recommended by Eppendorf, or used in a manner not specified by Eppendorf and this manual. Protection provided by the equipment may be impaired, and serious injury or death can occur.

#### 3.2.8 Software interfaces

The RS-232 port is located next to the power switch on the right side of the control panel (see *Remote programming on p. 49*). Using programs like HyperTerminal (see *HyperTerminal on p. 49*), it can be used to connect a computer to the shaker for:

- · Control of operating conditions
- · Data logging applications



BioCommand SFI software can be used for data logging through the use of the RS-232 port.

The customer is responsible for securing the proper driver to interface with the RS-232.

#### 3.2.9 Lid

The chamber of the Innova 43/43R Shaker is accessed through the top-opening hinged lid. To open the lid, firmly press the pedal or lift up on the front handle. The lid stays on its hinges until you choose to close it.

When the lid is open:

- The heater turns off
- The shaker stops
- The interior light goes on and will remain on for 15 s after the lid is closed (when the shaker is in AUTO mode)
- UV germicidal lamp (if so equipped) turns off

## 3.3 Spill pan/water reservoir

The 43/43R Shaker is equipped with a spill pan/water reservoir and cover to protect the drive mechanism in the case of accidental spills and/or broken glassware.

If the optional factory-installed humidity monitor is present, the pan can be used as a water reservoir to humidify the chamber and reduce evaporation.

The pan/reservoir can also be used to increase humidity in the chamber without the humidity monitor, but the results will not be monitored.

The pan/reservoir can be drained through the quick-connect valve at the front of the unit.

## 3.4 Interior light(s)

When the *LAMP* screen is in its default *AUTO* mode, the interior (chamber) light is activated for 15 s when you turn the control knob. It will automatically shut off after 15 s of control knob inactivity. The chamber light will also go on when the lid is opened.

The chamber light can also be programmed as continuously on or continuously off by selecting either mode in the *LAMP* screen.

2 additional light options exist for refrigerated units only:

- Interior photosynthetic grow lamps
- Germicidal UV lamp, located outside the chamber but in the airflow path

#### 3.5 Heater

The chamber temperature is sensed by a 1000 ohm platinum RTD. A 650 W heater is controlled using pulse width modulation on a 2.5 s duty cycle. This cycle time is fast enough to prevent noticeable changes in air temperature due to the cycling.

#### 3.6 Remote alarm (optional)

The Innova 43/43R Shaker can be equipped with a factory-installed remote alarm component (part number M1320-8029). When it is hooked up to your relay and receiving equipment, this device will send notification of an alarm condition to the remote location you choose.

## 3.7 Service accessibility

In the unlikely event that your Innova 43/43R Shaker should need service, all electronic boards, refrigeration and heating components are mounted on a pull-out drawer mechanism which is easily accessed **by an authorized service technician**.

## 3.8 Optional components

#### 3.8.1 Gas manifold kit

This option is factory installed (see Optional gas manifold kit on p. 70).

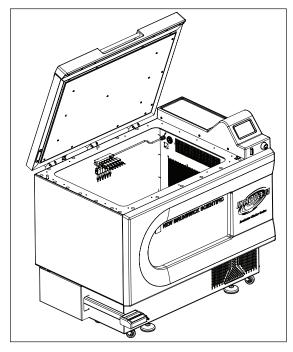
The manifold delivers gas into the chamber via as many as 12 ports. The manifold can be adapted to the desired tubing configuration by adding or subtracting ports or by temporarily clamping off unused tubes. You may elect to use splitters (barbed Y-connectors) after the manifold to increase the number of flasks you can serve.

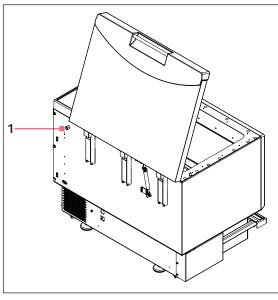
You determine the appropriate gas flow rate using a pressure regulator (which you supply) on the gas supply.



Gas supply should be regulated. It must never exceed 15 PSIG.

50 ft of 1/16 in (ID) sterilizable silicone tubing is supplied with the kit. If filters are needed, 0.22  $\mu$ m user-supplied syringe filters can be fitted to the individual manifold ports to maintain a sterile barrier.





1 Gas manifold connection (1/4 FNPT)



#### **CAUTION!**

- ▶ Never use the gas manifold with flammable gases.
- ▶ Never exceed 15 PSIG inlet pressure to the manifold.
- ▶ Make sure free lengths of tubing are secured by the hook and loop straps to keep them from contact with flasks or other moving parts.

## 3.8.2 Germicidal UV lamp



#### **CAUTION!**

▶ Never try to operate the UV Germicidal Lamp while the shaker lid is open.

This option is factory installed and available for refrigerated units only. Operation instructions are provided with this option (see *Optional germicidal lamp on p. 70*).

The germicidal ultraviolet lamp is placed inside the Service Compartment but outside the chamber, to reduce the risk of contamination.

On the screen, the lamp is identified as UV.

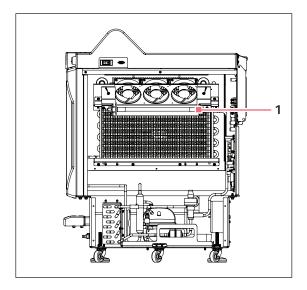


Fig. 3-1: UV lamps (side of shaker)

## 1 UV lamps

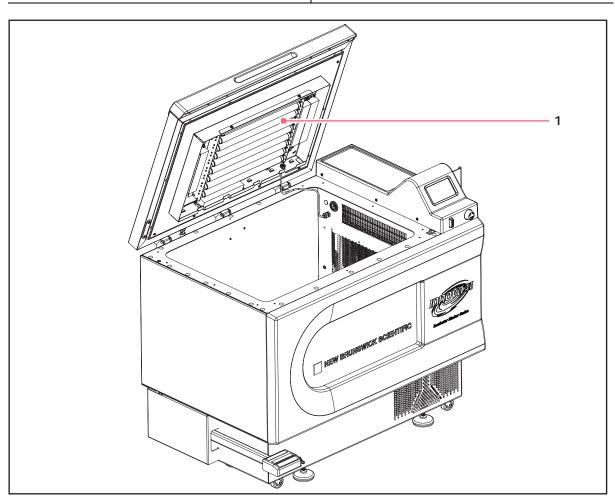
## 3.8.3 Photosynthetic lamps

This option is factory installed and available for refrigerated units only (see *Optional photosynthetic grow lamps on p. 70*).

If selected, this option provides 9 photosynthetic growth lamps inside the chamber. The lamps can be turned on and off manually, via the easily set programmable timer or computer.

The lamps are identified on the display screen as GRO.

Recommended operating temperature	15 °C – 37 °C
Maximum operating temperature	70 °C

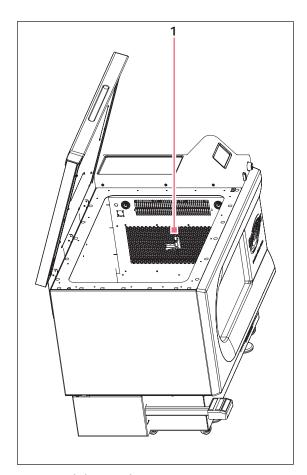


## 1 Photosynthetic lamp assembly

## 3.8.4 Humidity monitor

This option is factory installed (see *Optional humidity monitor on p. 70*).

The humidity monitor allows you to monitor relative humidity levels in the chamber throughout your run.



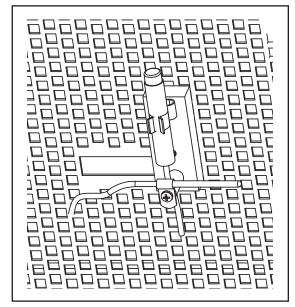


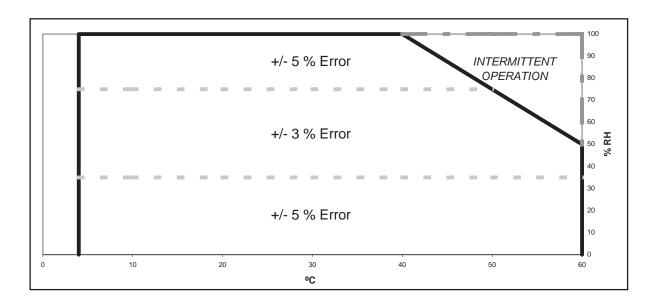
Fig. 3-2: Humidity sensor mounting (inside wall of cabinet)

## 1 Humidity monitor



When the humidity sensor is present in the chamber, maximum shaker temperature is **automatically** limited to 60 °C.

Humidity operating range	0 % – 100 % TH	
Temperature operating range	4 °C – 60 °C	
Accuracy	(see Fig. 3-2 on p. 20)	
Hysteresis	±1.5 % RH	
Recovery time after saturation	10 seconds	
Long term stability	0.5 % RH per year	



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#### **CAUTION!**

▶ Operating the 43/43R Shaker at temperatures above 60 °C can result in permanent damage to the sensor.

Water can be added to the spill pan/water reservoir in order to elevate the humidity on the chamber (see *Spill pan/water reservoir on p. 15*) (see *Filling the spill pan/water reservoir on p. 47*).

#### 4 Installation

## 4.1 Inspection of boxes

After you receive your order from Eppendorf, inspect the boxes carefully for any damage that may have occurred during shipping. Report any damage immediately to the carrier and your local Eppendorf customer service department.

## 4.2 Unpacking equipment



#### WARNING! Heavy!

- ▶ Do not attempt to lift the Innova 43/43R Shaker by yourself.
- ▶ Ask for assistance or use suitable equipment when raising or handling the device.

To unpack your 43/43R Shaker, you will need the following:

- · Claw hammer
- Scissors (to cut nylon strapping)
- Tool to remove 7.6 cm (3 in) metal staples



#### CAUTION! Lack of safety due to humid storage and transport conditions

- ▶ Unit needs to be evaluated for condensation when received and unpacked for installation.
- ▶ If condensation due to storage and transport in humid conditions has occurred, please allow for a 4 hour drying-out time in an envir onment of 18 °C − 25 ° C, and 30 % − 80 % relative humidity. Without this drying-out process, the unit cannot be assumed to meet safety requirements.

## 4.3 Packing list verification

Verify against your Eppendorf packing list that you have received all of the correct materials.

#### 4.4 Environment

The shaker is designed to operate optimally in the following ambient conditions:

- 10 °C 35 °C
- Up to 2000 m altitude limit
- 20 % 80 % relative humidity

#### 4.4.1 Physical location

It is essential that the instrument be situated in an area where there is sufficient space for the shaker to clear walls and potential obstructions during operation. The surface on which the unit is placed must be smooth, level, and able to support the shaker under full load operating conditions.



#### WARNING! Heavy!

- ▶ Do not attempt to lift the Innova 43/43R Shaker by yourself.
- ▶ Ask for assistance or use suitable equipment when raising or handling the device.



The 43/43R Shaker has casters and leveling feet. When you need to move the unit across the floor, make sure the feet are raised enough so that the casters can move freely without scraping the floor with the feet.

At all other times, ensure that the feet are down to avoid any unintended rolling.

#### 4.4.2 Electrical requirements

Power supply	100 V ±10 %, 50 – 60 Hz	800 VA
	120 V ±10 %, 60 Hz	1500 VA
	230 V ±10 %, 50 Hz	

Check your shaker's electrical specification plate (located on the back of the unit) to be sure the electrical requirements of your unit match the output of your electric supply. If they do not match, contact your Eppendorf customer service representative.

## 4.5 Space requirements

Allow at least 10 cm (4 in) around the shaker for proper ventilation, access to the power switch and access to the RS-232 port.

Also allow enough room above the shaker for the lid to be fully open.



Be sure to keep the power plug and power outlet easily accessible to facilitate unplugging the unit as needed.

#### Dimensions:

Depth	81 cm	32 in
Width	115.6 cm	45.5 in
Height	103 cm	40.6 in
Height (with lid open)	162.7 cm	64.1 in

## 4.5.1 Narrow doorways

If you need to move the 43/43R Shaker through a doorway that is less than 82.5 cm (32.5 in) wide, you will need to remove the front window cover to reduce the depth of the unit to 77 cm (30.3 in). To do this:

- 1. Carefully remove the 5 screws on the underside of the plastic window cover. Retain the screws for reuse.
- 2. Being very careful not to hit the control knob or button, slide the window cover upward to remove it from the spring clips on the front of the unit.

When the shaker is in the desired location, reinstall the window cover by reversing the procedure.

## 4.6 Leveling the shaker



#### WARNING! Heavy!

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- ▶ Ask for assistance or use suitable equipment when raising or handling the device.

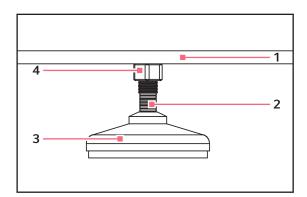


Fig. 4-1: Shaker foot

1 Bottom of unit

3 Foot

2 Flats for wrench

4 Lock nut

The 43/43R Shaker has casters and leveling feet. When you need to move the unit across the floor, make sure the feet are raised enough so that the casters can roll freely without scraping the floor with the feet.

- Make sure that the shaker is placed on a level surface, in its intended location.
- Lower all 4 adjustable feet until they are solidly on the surface.

If the shaker is not level, adjust the feet as needed to achieve leveling:

- 1. Immobilize the top lock nut against the unit with 1 wrench (whenever you adjust the foot) to keep the threaded stud from falling out.
- 2. Using a second wrench placed against the flats of the threaded nut (just above the foot), rotate counterclockwise to lower the foot.
- 3. Rotate counter-clockwise to raise the foot.
- 4. Place a level at the top of the unit.
- 5. If necessary, make further adjustments by repeating all steps until the unit is level.
- 6. After installing the platform (see *Installing the platform on p. 24*), fully load the shaker and do a test run at normal speed.
- 7. Make additional leveling adjustments if necessary.

## 4.7 Installing the platform



#### NOTICE! Damage to device!

▶ Never run shaker without a platform.

The 43/43R Shaker can be used with a variety of Eppendorf platforms that will accept a wide range of clamps for flasks, test tubes, etc. (see *Accessories on p. 65*). A platform, **which is required for operation**, is a separate item, not included with the shaker assembly. The shaker is shipped with 4 Allen head platform screws installed in the bearing housing.

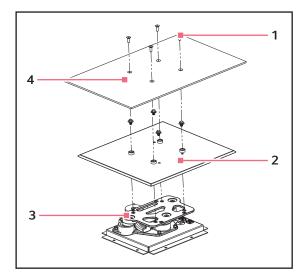


Fig. 4-2: Installing platform and spill cover

- 1 Platform screws
- 2 Spill cover

- 3 Bearing housing
- 4 Platform

To install the platform in your 43/43R Shaker:

- 1. Make sure the unit is unplugged and the power switch is in the Off position.
- 2. Open the cover.
- 3. Remove the 4 Allen head platform screws installed in the bearing housing.
- 4. Place the platform on the top plate of the bearing housing.
- 5. Reinstall the 4 Allen head platform screws to secure the platform.

#### 4.8 Install flask clamp



Eppendorf flask clamps are used on a variety of shaker platforms. Flat head screws of different lengths and thread pitch are used to secure the clamp.

To install flask clamps, you will need:

- Phillips screwdriver
- $10 24 \times 5/16$  in (7.9 mm) flat Phillips screws

Flask clamps purchased for use with universal platforms require installation (see Fig. 4-3 on p. 25). Clamps are installed by securing the base of the clamp to the platform with the correct type and number of screws. All clamps are shipped complete with hardware.

Clamps for 2 L, 2.8 L, 4 L and 6 L flasks are shipped with an additional girdle to keep the flasks in place.

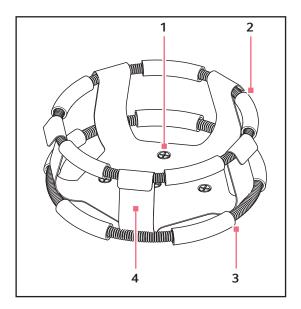


Fig. 4-3: Double girdle clamp

- 1 Clamp mounting holes (with screws)
- 2 Upper girdle with girdle tubes Secures the flask within the clamp
- 3 Lower girdle with girdle tubes
  Prevents the flask from spinning
- 4 Clamp body (legs and base)

## To install these double girdle clamps:

- 1. Place the clamp on the platform, aligning it with the mounting holes with the holes on the platform.
- 2. Secure the clamp in place using the provided screws (#S2116-3051, 10-24  $\times$  5/16 in Phillips head).
  - A

Do not overtighten the screws.

- 3. Place the loose girdle around the upper portion of clamp body so that it is held in place by the legs of the clamp.
- 4. Insert the flask into the clamp.
- 5. Push the girdle down so the rubber tubes are in contact with the platform and the flask.

Description	Part No.	Quantity	Application
10 – 24 × 5/16 in (7.9 mm)	S2116-3051	1	5/16 in (7.9 mm) thick
6			aluminum, phenolic and stainless steel platforms

#### 4.9 Electrical connections

Before making electrical connections, verify that:

- An earthed/grounded electrical outlet is necessary for the safe operation of this equipment.
- The power source voltage matches the voltage on the electrical specification plate.
- The ON/OFF switch is in the OFF position.



The electrical specification plate is located on the rear panel of the unit near the power connector.

To set up an electrical connection to your 43/43R Shaker:

- 1. Connect the power cord to the power connector.
- 2. Connect the other end of the power cord to a suitable, earthed/grounded receptacle.
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Make sure there is enough clearance to disconnect the plug whenever necessary.

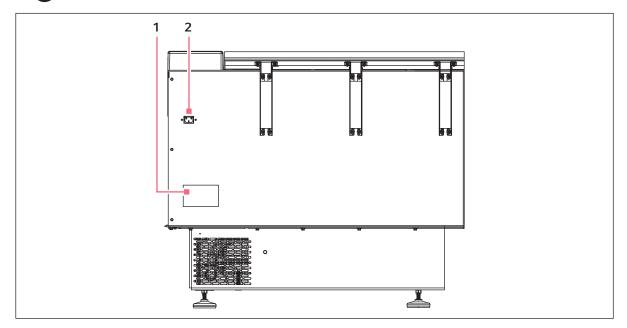


Fig. 4-4: Rear panel

1 Electrical specification plate

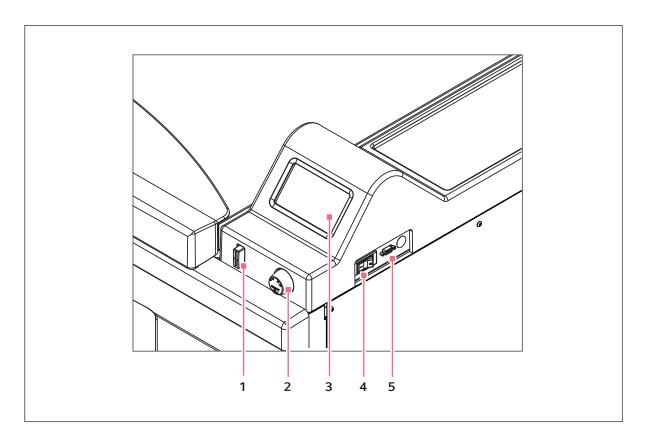
2 Power connector

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# 5 Operation

# 5.1 Operating controls



- 1 START/STOP switch (for shaking)
- 4 Power switch

2 Control knob

5 RS-232 port

3 Display

START/STOP switch	<ul> <li>Used to start or stop the drive</li> <li>Activates timer when timed run is desired</li> <li>If the unit is stopped and restarted, the timer automatically returns to the beginning of a run</li> </ul>
Control knob	<ul><li> Used to change screens</li><li> Used to select operating conditions</li><li> Used to change operating conditions</li></ul>
RS-232 port	<ul> <li>Read out parameter values</li> <li>Controls operational functions using computer applications</li> <li>Used to connect to BioCommand SFI</li> </ul>
Power switch	Circuit breaker     Turns power on and off to the 43/43R Shaker



In addition to the power switch, the power cord is also used to conduct power or break the power circuit to the shaker.

Whenever power to the shaker may be a hazard (during maintenance, cleaning or service work), be sure to disconnect the power cord from the electrical outlet.

## 5.2 Display operation

When the unit is powered up using the START/STOP switch located on the front panel (see *Operating controls on p. 29*), the initial display screen will remain for a short time while the system boots up.

The main screen, called *DISP* for Display, appears next. This screen will indicate the same parameters that were in effect when the power was turned off.

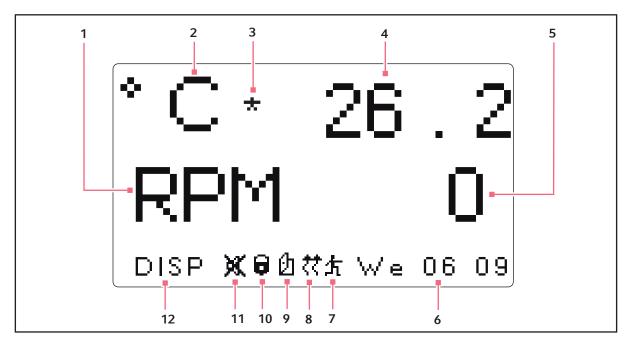


Fig. 5-1: Display screen

## 1 Speed

Parameter

## 2 Temperature

Parameter

#### 3 Temperature offset

Icon appears to the right of °C if the temperature 9 Lid open offset feature is being used

#### 4 Temperature

Temperature parameter value

#### 5 Speed

Speed parameter value

## 6 Day and 24-hour time

#### 7 Program running

Icon appears when user-defined program is running

#### 8 Heater on

Icon appears when heater is on

Icon appears when lid is open

#### 10 Parameters locked

Icon appears when the possibility to make manual or programmed parameter changes is disabled (locked), controlled by settings in the SET screen

#### 11 Audible alarms muted

Icon appears when audible alarms are muted

#### 12 Screen name

#### Parameter name and meanings:

Parameter name	Meaning	
RPM	Shaking speed, in revolutions per minute	
°C	Chamber temperature, in degrees Celsius	
HRS	Programmed time remaining, in hours	

## 5.3 Display icons

There are 6 icons that help identify operating conditions:

Icon	Explanation	Location
	Appears when audible alarms are muted	Bottom of screen     Visible in any screen     except Program     subscreens
	<ul> <li>Appears when the possibility to make manual or programmed parameter changes has been disabled (locked)</li> <li>Controlled by settings on the SET screen</li> </ul>	Bottom of screen     Visible in any screen     except Program     subscreens
Ø	Appears when the shaker lid is open	Bottom of screen     Visible in any screen     except Program     subscreens
<i>₹₹</i>	Appears when the heater is on	Bottom of screen     Visible in any screen     except Program     subscreens
	Appears when a user-defined program is running	Bottom of screen     Visible in any screen     except Program     subscreens
×	Appears to the right of °C if the temperature offset feature is being used	<ul> <li>To the right of °C</li> <li>Visible whenever the temperature is on screen</li> </ul>

## 5.4 Screen names and descriptions

There are 7 available screens:

Tab. 5-1: Screen names and descriptions

Screen name	Meaning	Description
DISP	Display	<ul> <li>Displays 2 user-selectable parameters and measured values</li> <li>Change setpoint values (see <i>Display Screen on p. 34</i>)</li> </ul>

Screen name	Meaning	Description	
SUMM	Summary	<ul> <li>Displays all parameters, measured values, and setpoints</li> <li>Change all parameters, measured values, and setpoints (see Summary screen on p. 37)</li> </ul>	
SET	Set	<ul> <li>Set day of the week</li> <li>Set time</li> <li>Enable alarm</li> <li>Mute alarm</li> <li>Lock operating parameters</li> <li>Unlock operating parameters</li> </ul>	
LAMP	Lamps	Internal chamber light	<ul> <li>ON (always on)</li> <li>OFF (always off)</li> <li>AUTO (default mode)</li> <li>Stays on when lid is open</li> <li>Shuts off 15 seconds after lid is closed</li> <li>Goes on for 15 seconds when control knob is moved</li> </ul>
		UV light Photosynthetic lights	ON OFF NONE (not installed)
СОММ	Communication	<ul> <li>Set the commuication mode</li> <li>Set the baud rate</li> <li>(see Communication/RS-232 screen on p. 38)</li> </ul>	
CAL	Calibration	<ul><li>Enter temperature offset</li><li>Calibrate speed (see <i>Calibrate screen on p. 40</i>)</li></ul>	
PROG	Program	• Set up 1 – 4 programs, each with 1 – 15 steps (see <i>Programs screen on p. 40</i> )	

## 5.5 Opening the lid

Open the lid by firmly pressing the foot pedal or lifting up on the front handle. The lid will stand open on its hinges until you swing it down to the closed position.

## 5.6 Powering on

- 1. Close the lid.
- 2. Turn the power switch to the On position.

The display will come on (briefly displaying product information, and then moving into the *DISP* screen). An audible alarm will sound.

3. Turn the control knob to turn alarm off.

When the shaker begins to operate, the display will track the speed as it accelerates to the last entered setpoint. The shaking action may be started or stopped by pressing the START/STOP switch on the front panel.



The shaker will not operate if the lid is open. This is indicated by the lid open icon appearing in the bottom line of the display (see *Display icons on p. 32*).

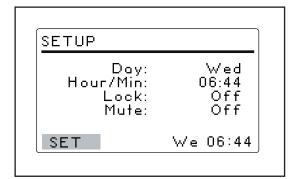
## 5.7 Changing screens

#### 5.7.1 Choose screens

In this example, we are changing from the *DISP* (display) screen to the *SET* (setup) screen:



- 1. Turn the control knob to highlight *DISP* in the bottom-left corner of the screen.
- 2. Click the control knob in. *DISP* will flash.



- 3. Turn the control knob to choose the SET screen.
- 4. Click the control knob in to save your selection. You changed from the *DISP* screen to the *SET* screen.
- 5. Repeat the procedure to select any screen.

## 5.8 Display Screen

The DISP screen displays 2 parameters and the measured values. Use this screen to:

- Change displayed parameters
- · View measured values
- · View and change setpoints

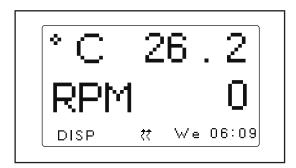
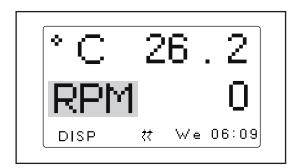


Fig. 5-2: Display screen

## 5.8.1 Changing displayed parameters



- 1. Turn control knob to highlight the parameter you wish to replace. For this example, we will change the parameter *RPM* to *HRS*.
- 2. Click the control knob in. *RPM* will flash.



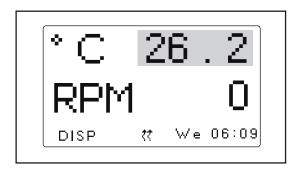
- 3. Turn the control knob until the desired parameter appears in the highlighted field.
- 4. Click the control knob in to save the parameter.



• If you do not click the control knob to save your selection, after a few seconds the screen will revert to its previous settings.

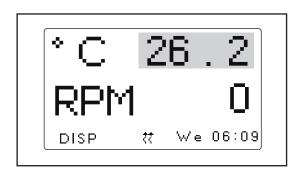
## 5.8.2 Viewing the setpoints

You can verify the setpoints in the *DISP* screen. The parameter values displayed are the measured values. The setpoint values are user-selected. They may differ depending on many variables.



- 1. Turn the control knob to highlight the actual (measured) parameter value.
- 2. Click the control knob in to display the setpoint. The setpoint will flash.
- 3. Click the control knob in again to return to normal display.

## 5.8.3 Changing the setpoints



- 1. Use the control knob to highlight the measured (actual) value (26.2 °C in figure).
- Click the control knob in. The setpoint will flash.



- 3. Turn the control knob to change the setpoint to desired value (20.2 °C in figure).

  The control knob will change by increments of (0.1 °C). If you spin the control knob quickly, the value will change by larger increments.
- 4. Click the control knob in to save the new setpoint. The display will automatically return to the measured actual value.



• If you highlight an item, change it, but do not save your selection, after a few seconds the screen will revert to its previous setting.

# 5.9 Summary screen

In the *SUMM* (summary) you can see both the current *ACTUAL* (measured) values and the *SET* points for shaking speed (*RPM*), chamber temperature ( ${}^{\circ}C$ ), elapsed time in a programmed run (*HRS*) and, if you are using the optional humidity monitor, the percentage of relative humidity ( ${}^{\circ}RH$ ).



- ACTUAL values are the current measured values in the shaker. You cannot change the values on the screen.
- SET values are the values the user selects.

PARAM	ACTUAL	SET
RPM °C HRS	Off 37.1 0.0	0 37.0 0.0
SUMM	We	06:44

Fig. 5-3: Summary screen

# 5.9.1 Changing setpoint values in the summary screen

Like in the *DISP* screen, you can change the setpoints in the *SUMM* screen:

PARAM	ACTUAL	SET
RPM *C HRS	100 37.1 0.0	100 37.0 0.0
SUMM	We	06:44

- 1. Turn the control knob to select the desired setpoint. For this example, we will highlight *100* to change the *RPM* setpoint.
- 2. Click the control knob in. Setpoint value will flash.

PARAM	ACTUAL	SET
RPM *C HRS	100 37.1 0.0	110 37.0 0.0
SUMM	We	06:44

- 3. Turn the control knob clockwise to increase the value or turn counter-clockwise to decrease the value. For this example we will change the setpoint from 100 to 110.

  Click the control in to save the new setpoint
  - Click the control in to save the new setpoint value.
- 4. Repeat the procedure to change the other setpoint values.



• If you turn the control knob but do not save the setpoint value, after a few seconds the screen will revert to its previous settings.

# 5.10 Setup screen

In the *SET* (setup) screen you can set the day of the week and the time (on a 24 h clock). This screen also allows you to lock all of your settings from further changes, and to mute or enable the audible alarm.

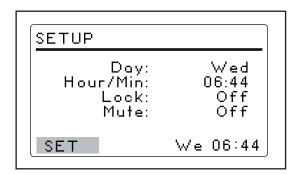


Fig. 5-4: Setup screen

#### 5.11 Communication/RS-232 screen

This *COMM* screen (communication) is used if you have connected a PC to the RS-232 port. Use this screen to:

- Select the RS-232 port Mode.
- Select the Baud Rate appropriate to your PC.

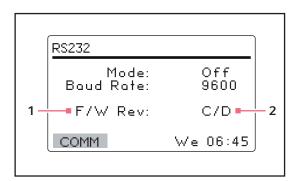


Fig. 5-5: Communication screen

FirmWare Revision (this line is for information only).
 In this sample screen, the Display is at Revision C and the FirmWare Control Board at Revision D.

# **5.11.1** Changing the communication mode

In the RS-232 screen:

- 1. Turn the control knob to highlight the *Mode* status.
- 2. Click the control knob in.

The current setting will flash.

- 3. Turn the control knob to select make your selection.
- 4. Click the control knob in to save your setting.

Tab. 5-2: Communication mode

Mode	Application	
Off	The RS-232 is not open to communication in either direction	
Slave	The shaker can be fully controlled from the computer	
Talk	The shaker sends current value reports to the computer once per minute	
Monit (Monitor)	The shaker responds only to Report Requests	

#### 5.11.2 Changing the baud rate

In the RS-232 screen:

1. Turn the control knob to highlight the current setting.

The settings are: 9600, 19200, and 38400.

2. Click the control knob in.

The current setting will flash.

3. Turn the control knob left or right until the desired setting appears: 9600, 19200 or 38400.

The setting you choose should match the baud rate of your computer.

4. Click the control knob in to save your selection.

#### 5.12 Calibrate screen

Use the CAL (calibrate) screen to:

- Create a temperature offset (see Setting temperature offset on p. 42).
- Calibrate shaking speed (see Calibrating speed on p. 43).

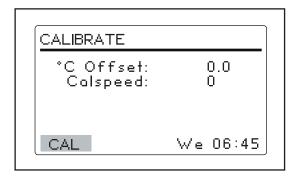


Fig. 5-6: Calibrate (CAL) screen

# 5.13 Programs screen

Use the PROG screen to program steps for the shaker. The resident software for the Innova 43/43R Shaker can store up to 4 programs, each having as many as 15 steps. Each step can be programmed in 1 min increments, for total periods of 0 hr 1 min – 99 hr 59 min.

To enter the programming mode, use the control knob to select the  $\ensuremath{\textit{PROG}}$  screen.

In the *PROG* screen you can:

- Run a program
- Create a New program
- Edit a program
- Turn Off a program

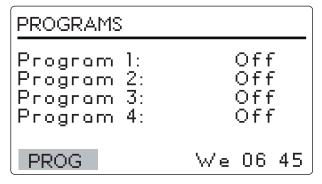
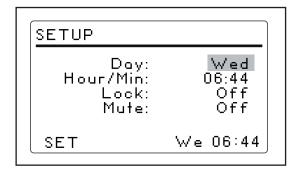


Fig. 5-7: Program screen

# 5.14 Changing the day

In the SET screen:



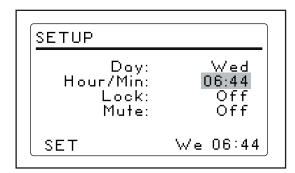
- 1. Turn the control knob to highlight the day (*Wed* in figure).
- 2. Click the control knob in. The day will flash.
- 3. Turn the control knob to select a different day.
- 4. Click the control knob in to save your selection.



• If you do not click the control knob to save your choice, after a few seconds the screen will revert to its previous settings.

# 5.15 Changing the time

In the SET screen:



- 1. Turn the control knob to highlight the time.
- 2. Click the control knob in. The time (06:44) will flash.
- Turn the control knob clockwise or counterclockwise to select a different time.
   Clockwise moves the time forward, counterclockwise moves the time back.
   One click clockwise or counterclockwise will move the time in 1 min increments. Turning the control knob faster will change the time more rapidly.
- 4. Click the control knob in to save your selection.

# 5.16 Locking the settings

In the SET screen:

- 1. Turn the control knob to highlight the *Lock* status.
- 2. Click the control knob in.

  The current status of the *Lock* (*On* or *Off*) will flash.
- 3. Turn the control knob to select *On* or *Off*.
- 4. Click the control knob in to make a selection.

When you select *On*, the Lock icon will appear at the bottom of the screen. This icon will remain on display on all screens until you turn the Lock function *Off*.

#### 5.17 Mute the audible alarm

In the SET screen:

- 1. Turn the control knob to highlight the *Mute* status (*On* or *Off*).
- 2. Click the control knob in.

The current status of the alarm (*On* or *Off*) will flash.

- 3. Turn the control knob to select *On* or *Off*.
- 4. Click the control knob in to save your selection.

When you set *Mute* to *On*, the mute icon will appear at the bottom of the screen. This icon will be displayed on all screens until you turn *Mute* to *Off*.

#### **5.18** Temperature offset calibration

The temperature probe and the temperature controller are calibrated together at the factory.

- The temperature probe measures the temperature of the air at the probe's location, near the return vent.
- The controller uses the probe input to adjust air temperature, up or down, to match the temperature setpoint.

The display temperature may differ from temperatures within the flasks themselves, based on:

- Flask placement and size
- Heat produced by growing organisms
- · Heat losses due to liquid evaporation from flasks
- Etc.

If you wish to have the temperature display (indicated temperature) match the temperature at a given point, or match the average of a series of points within the chamber (actual temperature):

- 1. Let the unit equilibriate at or near the desired temperature, then record the indicated temperature.
- 2. Record the actual temperature.
- 3. Calculate the temperature correction value using the following formula:

actual temperature - indicated temperature = temperature offset value

#### 5.19 Setting temperature offset

To set the temperature calibration offset:

- 1. Use the control knob to enter the CAL screen.
- 2. Turn the control knob to highlight the current setting and click the knob in. The current setting will flash.
- 3. Turn the control knob clockwise or counterclockwise to display the desired setting.

As you turn the control knob, each click represents 1/10 °C (0.1 °C).

4. Once you reach the desired setting, click the control knob in to save the new value.

When the temperature offset is set to any value other than 0, the icon indicating temperature offset will

appear next to °C in the DISP and SUMM screens.



If you highlight and change an item but do not save your selection, after a few seconds the screen will revert to its previous setting.

# 5.20 Calibrating speed

The Calspeed function, which is set in the *CAL* screen, is used to calibrate the speed of the shaking mechanism.

The speed is calibrated at the factory, and does not require recalibration until a major operating component (e.g., drive belt) is changed.



Prior to calibrating the speed, make sure that the platform is properly secured to the subplatform, and any flasks present are secured.

When the shaker is running, the *CAL* screen shows the indicated rpm value. If you wish to calibrate the speed, set the speed to a value that can be easily measured.



250 rpm is recommended.

If, after measuring the actual speed, you wish to adjust the indicated value:

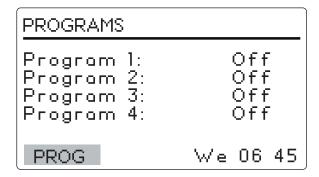
- 1. Click the control knob in.
- 2. Set the new value.
- 3. Click the control knob in again to save the setting.
- 4. Turn the shaker off, wait a few seconds, then turn the shaker back on.

#### 5.21 **Program steps**

The resident software for the Innova 43/43R can store up to 4 programs, each having as many as 15 steps. Each step can be programmed into 1 min increments, for total periods of 1 min up to 99 hr 59 min each.

To enter the programming mode, use the control knob to select the PROG screen. At this point, you can run a program, edit a program, generate a new program or turn a program off.

Off is the default mode.



#### 5.22 Creating a program

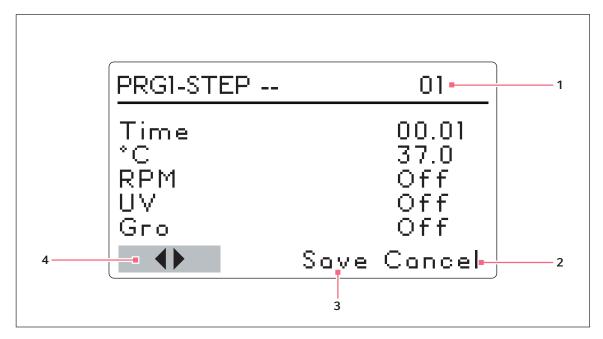


Fig. 5-8: Creating a program

- 1 Step number
- 2 Cancel

Used to leave Programming mode without saving 4 Use these arrows to scroll through steps any new settings

- 3 Save DO NOT USE until programming is complete

#### To create a new program:

- 1. Use the control knob to highlight the mode of Program 1, then click the control knob in. The selected field will begin to flash.
- 2. Turn the control knob until the field says New.
- 3. Click the control knob in to select this mode.
  - If your shaker is not equipped with the optional UV or Photosynthetic lights, *UV* and *GRO* will appear with the word *Off* in this screen, but will not be programmable.

The screen for *Program 1 - Step -- 01* will open.

- 4. Turn the control knob to highlight the time setting, then click it in. The field will flash.
- 5. Turn the control knob until the desired running duration for this step (00:01 min 99:59 h) appears.
- 6. Click the control knob in to save the setting.
- 7. Turn the control knob to highlight the °C temperature setting, then click it in. The field will flash.
- 8. Turn the control knob to set the temperature desired (4.0 °C 80.0 °C) for the set time period.
- 9. When the desired value appears, click the control knob in to save the setting.
- 10. Turn the control knob to highlight the rpm setting, then click it in.

The field will flash.

- 11. Turn the control knob to select the desired shaking speed (25 rpm 400 rpm) for this time period.
- 12. Click the control knob in to save the setting.

If your unit is equipped with either the optional GRO lamp or UV lamp, and you wish to have them on during the time period you have set: (see *Programming the UV lamp on on p. 46*) (see *Programming the GRO lamp on on p. 46*)

- 13. To program Step 2, use the control knob to highlight the arrows at the bottom left of the screen.
- 14. Click the control knob to make the arrows flash.
- 15. Turn the control knob clockwise until Step 02 appears.
- 16. Click the control knob in to work in this screen, and repeat steps 5 12.



Whatever step is shown on the right-hand side of the display is settable. To scroll between steps, select the arrows (bottom left), then turn the control knob to the desired step.



The time entered for each step is for that step ONLY. It is not cumulative (i.e., the elapsed time from the start of the program).

17. Continue to program as many as 15 steps in the same manner.

Please note that temperature reductions, even at temperatures above ambient (from  $40 \, ^{\circ}\text{C} - 30 \, ^{\circ}\text{C}$ , for example), require refrigeration to be effective.

#### To save entire program:

- 1. Once all steps are set, use the control knob to highlight *Save* at the bottom of the screen, then click the control knob in. The field will flash.
- 2. Click the control knob in again to save the program. The display will read *Process Running Saving File* for a few seconds, then return to the main *Programs* screen.

If you wish, you can set Programs 2, 3, and 4 by following the same procedure.

# 5.23 Programming the UV lamp on

- 1. Use the control knob to select the field.
- 2. Click the control knob in to save the field (it will flash).
- 3. Use the control knob to select *On*.
- 4. Click the control knob in to save the setting.

#### 5.24 Programming the GRO lamp on

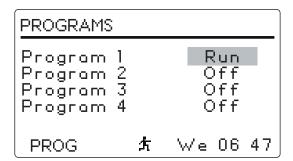
- 1. Use the control knob to select the field.
- 2. Click the control knob in to save the field (it will flash).
- 3. Use the control knob to select On.
- 4. Click the control knob in to save the setting.

# 5.25 Edit a program

Use the *Edit* mode to open a program you have already created and saved, in order to modify your settings following the same procedures for creating a program (see *Creating a program on p. 44*).

# 5.26 Running a program

Use the *Run* mode to turn a specific program on. Only 1 program can run at a time. When you change the mode to *Run*, the screen will show the *Run* icon.



To stop a program, change the program mode to Off.

### 5.27 Program the timer

By setting an *HRS* setpoint in the *DISP* or *SUMM* screen, the shaker may be set to automatically stop after a preset time period of 0 hr 1 min – 99 hr 59 min.

If the time is set to 0:00, the shaker will operate continuously until either the lid is opened or the START/ STOP switch is pushed.

# 5.28 Filling the spill pan/water reservoir

If your unit is equipped with the factory installed humidity sensor, you may choose to use the spill pan as a water reservoir to reduce evaporation and raise the humidity level in the chamber.

To fill the spill pan/water reservoir:

- 1. Open the lid and temporarily remove the platform.
- 2. Make sure the drain valve is closed.
- 3. Slowly fill the pan/reservoir with no more than 3 L of water.



The pan/reservoir can be accessed from the left, right, or in front of the spill cover.

As you add water, do not allow the water to splash or flow into the recesed middle of the pan, where the bearing housing assembly is mounted.

Pour water **very slowly** into the shallow area beyond the edge of the spill cover to protect the bearing housing.



A long, narrow watering can or flexible hose will make it easier to access the pan/reservoir while protecting the bearing housing from accidental overflow.

At a 37 °C setpoint, the chamber loses approximately 500 mL/hr from the pan.

At a 25 °C setpoint, and placed in a 25 °C room, the chamber achieves a relative humidity equilibrium that is approximately 15 % above the ambient humidity.

# 5.29 Draining the spill pan/water reservoir

To drain the spill pan/water reservoir:

- 1. Attach the quick-connect drain fitting.
- 2. Direct it to a container or drain, and allow the water to gravity drain.
- 3. When the reservoir is empty, detach the fitting.

The spill pan/water reservoir drain is located in the front of the unit, on the left, under the humidity tray.

# 5.30 Mains/Power interruption and fault interruption

In the event of a power failure, the Innova 43/43R Shaker is equipped with an automatic restart function. The shaker's non-volatile memory retains all stored information.

If the shaker was in operation prior to the power interruption, the shaker will begin to operate at its last entered setpoints. The alarm *POWER* will flash on the display, indicating that a power interruption has occurred. Turn the control knob in any direction to acknowledge the visual alarm. The flashing will stop.

In the unlikiely event of a mechanical shaking fault interruption, the Innova 43/43R Shaker display will flash an alarm and warn the user, indicating an alarm has occurred. In this mechanical shaking fault interruption, the shaker will not restart the shaking function.

The incubator/shaker will not operate shaking until the alarm is, acknowledged, and shaking is manually restarted from the controls at the last entered setpoints.

# 6 Remote programming

You can use a communications program (such as HyperTerminal) to send commands to the shaker from your PC.



• HyperTerminal is not included with Windows® Vista or Windows 7.

# 6.1 HyperTerminal

Before setting up communication software, check the Mode and Baud Rate parameter settings found on the RS-232 screen of the shaker (see *Communication/RS-232 screen on p. 38*).

- Set the Mode parameter of the shaker to Slave
- Set the appropriate Baud Rate (The default setting is 19200. Your other choices are 9600 or 38400.)
- 1. Connect the RS-232 cable between your computer and the shaker's RS-232 port.
- 2. Start HyperTerminal and follow the steps for Setting a New Connection.
- 3. Select the COM port you will be using.
- 4. Set the COM parameters to the following values:

Baud rate	Enter the setting on your shaker
Data bits	8
Parity	None
Stop bits	1
Flow control	None

# 6.2 Testing the connection

- 1. Turn the shaker off.
- 2. Start HyperTerminal.
- 3. Turn the shaker on.

If a connection is made, the shaker will send an *OK* to the communication software.

# 6.3 Sending commands

With the command program, the user sends commands to the Innova 43/43R Shaker by computer.

- The serial interface uses an echo character protocol that is implemented to indicate that a valid character has been received by the shaker.
- For every character sent by the user computer, the Innova 43/43R Shaker will return a matching character.
- This echo character should be read by the computer and compared to the character that was sent.

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- When sending a command in HyperTerminal, do not allow the pause between any 2 characters of your message to last longer than 10 s.
- After 10 s the shaker's serial port will reset itself.

This is the command set format:

#### <Command><Space><Arg1><Space><Argn><CR>

- Most commands are defined as 2 capital characters using the ASCII character set (see *Index to command codes on p. 54*).
- If a command has several arguments (Argn), the ASCII space control character separates each argument.
- The command is sent using the ASCII carriage return (CR) control character.
- The line feed control character may also be included but must follow the carriage return character.

When a command is sent that returns data, the characters returned are in ASCII format. Each additional argument returned will be separated by the ASCII space or tab control character. Refer to the selected command for the actual format. Data returned is terminated with a carriage return line feed control character sequence.

### 6.3.1 Example: Commanding set speed

In the following example, the computer will set the shaker speed to 250 rpm:

▶ In HyperTerminal, type **CS**<*Space*>**250**<*CR*>.

The shaker echos **CS**<*Space*>**250**<*CR*> The shaker is set to 250 rpm



Do not actually type the angled brackets. *<Space>* means press the space bar *<CR>* means press the carriage return.

#### 6.3.2 Example: Requesting measured values

▶ Type **RV**<*CR*>.

The shaker echos RV<CR>

The shaker will report:

- Arg1 (Speed rpm)
- Arg2 (Temperature °C)
- Arg3 (Humidity %)
- Arg4 (CO<sub>2</sub> %)
- Arg5 (Grow lamp 0 = Off, 1 = On)
- Arg6 (UV lamp 0 = Off, 1 = On)

These values will be separated by < Tab >.

This will look like:

250 29 90 0 0 0

# **6.4** Set Commands

Code	Meaning	Command format	Return data
CS	Command speed	CS <space><arg1><cr></cr></arg1></space>	• Arg1 = Speed setpoint
СТ	Command temperature	CT <space><arg1><cr></cr></arg1></space>	• Arg1 = Temperature setpoint

# 6.5 Program control commands

Code	Meaning	Command format	Return data
PC	Clear program (clears program steps)	PC <space><arg1><space><arg2>&lt; CR&gt; Note: If Arg2 is not included, all 15 steps of selected program will be cleared.</arg2></space></arg1></space>	<ul> <li>Arg1 = Program number (1 - 4)</li> <li>Arg2 = Step number (1 - 15)</li> </ul>
PM	Program mode (returns status of current program run/hold mode)	PM <cr></cr>	• Arg1 = Run/hold status (0 = end, 1 = run) • Arg2 = Program number (1 - 4) • Arg3 = Step number (1 - 15) Note: If a program has not been selected to run, a 0 will be returned for program number and step number

Code	Meaning	Command format	Return data
PR	Read program step in memory	PR <space><arg1><space><arg2>&lt; CR&gt;</arg2></space></arg1></space>	<ul> <li>Arg1 =         Profile number         (1 - 4)         </li> <li>Arg2 =         Step number         (1 - 15)     </li> </ul>
			Note: if ARG2 = * (asterik) all steps returned • Arg9 = Grow lamp (0 = off, 1 = on) • Arg8 = UV lamp (0 = off, 1 = on) • Arg7 = Step minutes (0 - 59) • Arg6 = Step hours (0 - 99) • Arg5 = CO <sub>2</sub> setpoint % (future option, returns 0.0) • Arg4 = Speed setpoint rpm • Arg3 = Temperature setpoint °C
PS	Program stop/start (stops or starts a program)	PS <cr> With no other parameters, any program currently running will be stopped. PS<arg1><space><arg2><cr></cr></arg2></space></arg1></cr>	<ul> <li>Arg1 = Program number (1 - 4)</li> <li>Arg2 = Step number (1 - 15)</li> <li>Note: If Arg2 is not included, the program will</li> </ul>
PW	Write Program step to memory	PW <space><arg1><space><arg7> <cr></cr></arg7></space></arg1></space>	<ul> <li>start in Step 1.</li> <li>Arg1 = Program number (1 – 4)</li> <li>Arg2 = Step number (1 – 15)</li> <li>Arg3 = Temperature</li> </ul>
			setpoint °C  • Arg4 = Speed setpoint rpm  • Arg5 = CO <sub>2</sub> setpoint %  • Arg6 = Step (0 – 99)  • Arg7 = Step min (0 – 59)

# 6.6 Report request commands

Code	Meaning	Command format	Return data
RI	Report software version	RI <cr></cr>	<ul> <li>Arg1 = Display module software version</li> <li>Arg2 = Control module software version</li> </ul>
RP	Report parameter list (ASCII text header)	RP <cr></cr>	<ul> <li>Arg1 = Speed rpm</li> <li>Arg2 = Temperature °C</li> <li>Arg3 = CO<sub>2</sub> %</li> </ul>
RV	Report setpoint values	RS <cr></cr>	• Arg1 = Speed rpm
RS	Report measured values	RV <cr></cr>	<ul> <li>Arg2 = Temperature °C</li> <li>Arg3 = CO<sub>2</sub> %</li> <li>Arg4 = % Relative humidity</li> <li>Arg5 = Grow lamp status</li> <li>Arg6 = UV lamp status</li> </ul>

# 6.7 Set/get date and time commands

Code	Meaning	Command format	Return data
=D	Set date and time	=D <space><arg1><space><arg2> <arg7><cr></cr></arg7></arg2></space></arg1></space>	
?D	Get date and time	?D <cr> <arg1><tab><arg2><tab><arg3>&lt; Tab&gt;<arg7><cr><lf></lf></cr></arg7></arg3></tab></arg2></tab></arg1></cr>	<ul> <li>Arg1 = Hours (0 - 23)</li> <li>Arg2 = Minutes (0 - 59)</li> <li>Arg3 = Seconds (0 - 59)</li> <li>Arg4 = Year (00 - 99)</li> <li>Arg5 = Month (01 - 12)</li> <li>Arg6 = Date (1 - 31)</li> <li>Arg7 = Day (1 - 7)  <ul> <li>1 = Monday</li> <li>2 = Tuesday</li> <li>3 = Wednesday</li> <li>4 = Thursday</li> <li>5 = Friday</li> <li>6 = Saturday</li> <li>7 = Sunday</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

**For example**, the following command:

**=D**<*Space*><**01**><*Space*><**00**><*Space*><**04**><*Space*><**04**><*Space*><**04**><*Space*><**05**><*CR*>

Will set the real date and time on your shaker to:

1:30:00 am, 2004, July 4, Sunday.

# 6.8 Index to command codes

Tab. 6-1: Command codes

Command Code	Meaning	
CL	Command Grow Lamp	
CS	Command Speed	
СТ	Command Temperature	
CU	Command UV Lamp	
PC	Clear Program	
PM	Program Mode	
PR	Read Program Step in memory	
PS	Program Stop/Start	
PW	Write Program Step to memory	
RI	Report Software Version	
RP	Report Parameter List	
RS	Report Setpoint Values	
RV	Report Measured Values	
=D	Set Date and Time	
?D	Get Date and Time	

# 7 Troubleshooting

Symptom	Cause	Solution
Shaker does not run	Power cord is not plugged in	▶ Plug in power cord to working mains/power outlet.
	• Lid is ajar	► Ensure lid is closed firmly.
	<ul> <li>Defective main board</li> <li>On/Off switch is broken</li> <li>Lid switch is broken</li> <li>Defective display board</li> <li>Jammed shaking mechanism</li> <li>Defective motor</li> <li>Drive belt out of alignment or worn</li> </ul>	➤ Contact your local Eppendorf service partner.
	<ul> <li>Shaking speed has been set to 0 by program running or by computer interface</li> </ul>	▶ Reset shaking speed (see Changing setpoint values in the summary screen on p. 37).
	Improperly installed fuse	► Contact your local Eppendorf service partner.
Shaker runs slowly and/or there is no speed indication	<ul><li>Improperly installed fuse</li><li>Fuse is burned out</li></ul>	► Contact your local Eppendorf service partner.
	Incorrect speed calibration	▶ Recalibrate shaking speed (see <i>Calibrating speed on p. 43</i> ).
	<ul><li>Defective main board</li><li>Defective motor</li><li>Drive belt out of alignment or worn</li></ul>	➤ Contact your local Eppendorf service partner.
Shaker does not run at set speed	<ul> <li>Shaker is running in Program mode (look for Run icon in display)</li> <li>Shaker speed has been changed by RS-232 command or computer interface</li> </ul>	► Check display.
	Shaker is overloaded and/or you are using baffled flasks	▶ Remove some contents and balance load.
	Defective motor     Drive belt out of alignment or worn	► Contact your local Eppendorf service partner.
	Speed not calibrated correctly	► Check speed calibration (see Calibrating speed on p. 43)
Excessive operating noise	Load out of balance	► Unload all contents and reload.
	<ul> <li>Loose components in platform, subplatform, and/or drive assembly</li> </ul>	► Contact your local Eppendorf service partner.

Symptom	Cause	Solution
Shaker does not reach set temperature	<ul> <li>Shaker is running in Program mode</li> <li>Shaker speed has been changed by RS-232 command/computer interface</li> <li>Line voltage is too low</li> </ul>	► Check display.
	<ul><li>Heater fuse blown</li><li>Compressor fuse blown</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Contact your local Eppendorf service partner.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Compressor over-pressure switch activated</li> <li>Defective heater</li> <li>Defective refrigeration system</li> <li>Defective heater</li> <li>Defective refrigeration system</li> </ul>	➤ Contact your local Eppendorf service partner.
	Ambient temperature too high or too low	► Adjust the room temperature.
	Lid is not completely closed (even though Open Lid icon may not appear on display)	➤ Open and reclose it firmly.
	Incorrect temperature indication	► See Incorrect temperature indication section of this table
Incorrect temperature indication	Temperature Offset has been programmed	► Look for Offset icon in display.
	<ul> <li>Defective RTD assembly</li> <li>Defective main board</li> <li>Defective humidity probe or broken contact</li> </ul>	► Contact your local Eppendorf service partner.
Incorrect relative humidity %	<ul><li>Defective humidity probe</li><li>Broken contact</li></ul>	► Contact your local Eppendorf service partner.
Photosynthetic GRO lamp does not work	<ul> <li>Shaker is running in Program mode and program calls for GRO lamp to be off</li> <li>GRO lamp mode has been changed by RS-232 command/ computer interface</li> </ul>	► Check display.
	<ul><li>Bulb is burned out</li><li>Fuse is burned out</li></ul>	► Contact your local Eppendorf service partner.
		<ul><li>Check switch settings.</li><li>Check cable connections.</li><li>Check ballast voltage.</li></ul>

Symptom	Cause	Solution
UV germicidal lamp does not work	<ul> <li>Shaker is running in Program mode (look for Run icon in display), and program calls for UV lamp to be off</li> <li>UV lamp mode has been changed by RS-232 command/ computer interface</li> </ul>	► Check display
	<ul><li>UV lamp is burned out</li><li>Fuse is burned out</li></ul>	► Contact your local Eppendorf service partner.
		<ul><li>Check switch settings.</li><li>Check cable connections.</li><li>Check ballast voltage.</li></ul>

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#### 8 Maintenance

#### 8.1 Routine maintenance



#### WARNING! Personnel injury and equipment damage!

▶ When cleaning the unit, always turn off the shaker and disconnect the power cord from the power supply.

We recommend you occasionally wipe down the shaker with a non-abrasive household cleaner.

We also suggest that the area around the shaker be vacuumed or swept to remove dust and other debris, ensuring proper air flow in and around the shaker.

# 8.2 Cleaning external and internal surfaces



#### WARNING! Personnel injury and equipment damage!

▶ When cleaning the unit, always turn off the shaker and disconnect the power cord from the power supply.

The unit may be cleaned using a damp cloth or any standard household or laboratory cleaner to wipe down its outer surfaces. Do not use abrasive or corrosive compounds to clean this instrument, as they may damage the unit.

#### 8.3 Biohazard decontamination



#### WARNING! Injury from hazardous biological material!

- Use respiratory protection when cleaning spills where aerosolization is suspected.
- ▶ Wear gloves, safety glasses, and laboratory coat when cleaning.

It is the responsibility of the user to carry out appropriate decontamination procedures if hazardous material is spilled on or inside the equipment. Before using any cleaning or decontamination method other than those suggested by the manufacturer, users should check with Eppendorf that the proposed method would not damage the unit.

Commercially available household bleach solutions, when diluted at a 1:10 ratio, are effective in routine decontamination of the instrument. The method for decontaminating a spill depends upon the nature of the spill.

Spills involving fresh cultures or samples known to have low concentrations of biomass should be flooded with decontamination solution and soaked for 5 min before cleanup. Spills involving samples with high concentrations of biomass, or involving organic matter, or occurring in areas warmer than room ambient temperature, should be exposed to decontamination solution for at least 1 hour before cleanup.

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# 9 Technical data

# 9.1 Specifications



The use of baffled flasks will significantly reduce maximum speed for any shaker.

These specifications assume that load and speed that are consistent with load and speed graphs, (see *Load and speed graphs on p. 64*).

# 9.1.1 Shaking

Speed	<ul> <li>2.5 cm (1 in) orbit: 25 rpm – 500 rpm</li> <li>5.1 cm (2 in) orbit: 25 – 300 rpm</li> </ul>
Control accuracy	• ±1 rpm
Stroke	• 2.5 cm (1 in) • 5.1 cm (2 in)
Indication	Displayed in 1 rpm increments
Alarm signal	• ±5 rpm
Drive mechanism	<ul> <li>Triple-eccentric counterbalanced drive</li> <li>9 permanently lubricated ball bearings</li> <li>Poly-V belt</li> <li>Self-calibrating</li> <li>Solid-state brushless DC motor</li> </ul>
Safety	<ul> <li>Drive interrupt shuts off power to shaker when lid is opened</li> <li>Acceleration/deceleration circuit prevents sudden starts and stops, minimizing both splashing and mechanical damage.</li> </ul>

# 9.1.2 Temperature control

Heaters	Low watt-density resistance heaters     High-temperature safety thermostat cut-out
Control accuracy	<ul> <li>±0.1 °C from 30 – 40 °C</li> <li>±0.5 °C over the remaining range</li> </ul>
Temperature range (Innova 43)	• 5 °C above ambient temperature to 80 °C
Temperature range (Innova 43R)	<ul> <li>20 °C below ambient to 80 °C (minimum 4 °C)</li> <li>Dependent on ambient temperature</li> </ul>
Alarm signal	• ± 1 °C

# 9.1.3 Power supply

Power supply	100 V ±10 %, 50 – 60 Hz	Innova 43: 800 VA
	120 V ±10 %, 60 Hz	Innova 43R: 1500 VA
	230 V ±10 %, 50 Hz	

# 9.1.4 Ambient conditions

Ambience	Only for use indoors
Ambient temperature	10 °C – 35 °C
Relative humidity	20 % – 80 %, non-condensing
Altitude	Up to 2000 m

# 9.1.5 Dimensions and weight

Space requirements	Width: 135.6 cm (53.5 in) Depth: 101 cm (40 in) Height: 162.7 cm (64.1 in)
Dimensions	Width: 115.6 cm (45.5 in) Depth: 81 cm (32 in) Height: 103 cm (40.6 in) Lid open height: 162.7 cm (64.1 in)
Chamber dimensions	Width: 87.6 cm (34.5 in) Depth: 61 cm (24 in) Height: 48 cm (19 in)
Platform dimensions	Width: 46 cm (18 in) Depth: 76 cm (30 in) (Select universal or dedicated styles)
Weight	Innova 43 weight: 209 kg (460 lb) Innova 43R weight: 231 kg (510 lb)

# 9.1.6 Photosynthetic lamps

Lamp type	T8 flourescent lamp
Initial lumens	325 at 25 °C
Watts	15

#### **9.1.7** Alarms

There is a visible and audible warning indication when:

- Speed deviates more than 5 rpm from high or low setpoints
- Temperature deviates more than ±1 °C from high or low setpoints
- When timer has expired

Audible alarm can be muted.

# 9.1.8 Display

• 240 x 128 backlit LCD

#### 9.1.9 RS-232

- · Remote control
- · Remote monitoring
- · Remote data logging

# 9.1.10 Setpoint retention

· Operating setpoints are retained in non-volatile memory

#### 9.1.11 Automatic restart

- After power is restored
- · Indicated by flashing display

# 9.1.12 ETL regulatory standards

- UL 61010A-1
- UL 61010A-2-010
- CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 1010.1
- CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 1010.2.010

# 9.2 Load and speed graphs

The following graphs explain the maximum recommended shaking speed according to:

- The load on the shaker's platform
- The diamteter of the shaker's orbit (1 in or 2 in)

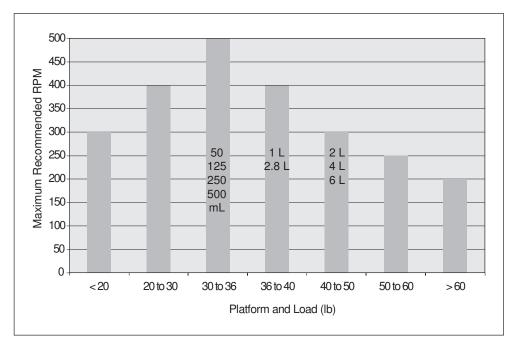


Fig. 9-1: Load and speed for 1 in orbit shakers (20 % full)

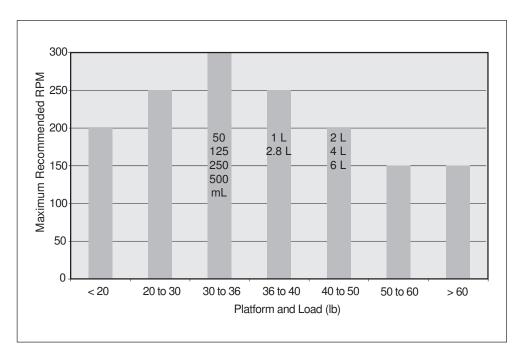


Fig. 9-2: Load and speed for 2 in orbit shakers (20 % full)

# 10 Ordering information

# 10.1 Replacement parts

Order no.	Description
(International)	
	Flask clamp screws
	10-24 × 5/16 in
S2116-3051P	25 pieces
	Test tube rack screws
	10-24 × 1/2 in
M1289-0800	10 flat washers, 10 lock washers
	Chamber light bulb
P0300-0470	2 pieces
	Photosynthetic light bulb
P0300-0221	1 piece

#### 10.2 Accessories

When ordering accessories, you may be asked to provide the model number and serial number of your shaker. This information is on the electrical specification plate, located on the rear panel of the unit.

The serial number is also labeled in the lower right corner of the front panel, below the chamber lid seal.



#### WARNING!

▶ Do not use this equipment with accessories not provided or recommended by Eppendorf, or used in a manner not specified by Eppendorf and this manual. Protection provided by the equipment may be impaired and serious injury or death can occur.

#### 10.2.1 Platforms

For a list of the the various solid 45.7 cm  $\times$  76 cm (18 in  $\times$  30 in) platforms available for your 43/43R Shaker, (see Tab. on p. 66).

Tab. 10-1: Platforms

Description	Part number
Universal platform	M1250-9920
50 mL Erlenyeyer flask dedicated platform	M1191-9908
125 mL Erlenyeyer flask dedicated platform	M1191-9909
250 mL Erlenyeyer flask dedicated platform	M1191-9910
500 mL Erlenyeyer flask dedicated platform	M1191-9911
1 L Erlenyeyer flask dedicated platform	AG-1
2 L Erlenyeyer flask dedicated platform	AG-2
2.8 L Erlenyeyer flask dedicated platform	AG-28
4 L Erlenyeyer flask dedicated platform	AG-4
6 L Erlenyeyer flask dedicated platform	AG-6

Universal platforms have multiple holes enabling you to mount an assortment of flask clamps or other accessories on a single platform. The capacities shown below represent the maximum number of flasks in a given size that will fit on the platform in a balanced pattern. Universal plaforms, clamps and accessories are sold sepparately.

Dedicated platforms will come with flask clamps already mounted. Dedicated platforms generally will hold a greater number of flasks than the universal platform, but do not offer the versatility.

For a list of flask capacities for universal and dedicated platforms designated solely for 1 flask size, (see Tab. on p. 67).

Tab. 10-2: Flask capacities

Flask type	Dedicated platform capacity	Universal platform capacity
10 mL		183
25 mL		92
50 mL	108	92
125 mL	60	39
250 mL	40	30
500 mL	24	18
1 L	15	12
2 L	12	8
2.8 L	6	6
4 L	6	6
5 L		6
6 L	4	4
Large test tube rack		7
Medium test tube rack		9
Small test tube rack		9
Microplate rack (stack)		16
Microplate rack (1 layer)		4

# 10.2.2 Flask clamps for platforms

For a list of clamps that are available for the matching dedicated platform, (see Tab. on p. 68).



All may be used on the universal platform.

Tab. 10-3: Flask clamps

Clamp size	Part number	
10 mL Erlenmeyer flask	ACE-10S	
25 mL Erlenmeyer flask	M1190-9004	
50 mL Erlenmeyer flask	M1190-9000	
125 mL Erlenmeyer flask	M1190-9001	
250 mL Erlenmeyer flask	M1190-9002	
500 mL Erlenmeyer flask	M1190-9003	
1 L Erlenmeyer flask	ACE-1000S	
2 L Erlenmeyer flask	ACE-20002	
2.8 L Fernbach flask	ACFE-2800S	
4 L Erlenmeyer flask	ACE-4000S	
5 L Erlenmeyer flask	ACE-5000S	
6 L Erlenmeyer flask	ACE-6000S	

Eppendorf flask clamps come complete with mounting screws. Additional screws are available separately in packs of 25.

# 10.2.3 Test tube racks

For a list of available accessories, accessory capacity and corresponding part numbers, (see Tab. on p. 69).

Tab. 10-4: Accessories

Accessory description		New Brunswick part number	Platform capacity	
Adjustable angle test tube	80 tube capacity	M1289-0100	7	
rack for tubes 8 – 11 mm diameter	60 tube capacity	M1289-0010	9	
diameter	48 tube capacity	M1289-0001	9	
Adjustable angle test tube	60 tube capacity	M1289-0200	7	
rack for tubes 12 – 15 mm diameter	44 tube capacity	M1289-0020	9	
diameter	34 tube capacity	M1289-0002	9	
Adjustable angle test tube	42 tube capacity	M1289-0300	7	
rack for tubes 15 – 18 mm diameter	31 tube capacity	M1289-0030	9	
diameter	24 tube capacity	M1289-0003	9	
Adjustable angle test tube	30 tube capacity	M1289-0400	7	
rack for tubes 18 – 21 mm diameter	23 tube capacity	M1289-0040	9	
uiametei	18 tube capacity	M1289-0004	9	
Adjustable angle test tube	22 tube capacity	M1289-0500	7	
rack for tubes 22 – 26 mm diameter	16 tube capacity	M1289-0050	9	
diameter	13 tube capacity	M1289-0005	9	
Adjustable angle test tube	20 tube capacity	M1289-0600	7	
rack for tubes 26 – 30 mm diameter	16 tube capacity	M1289-0060	9	
diameter	12 tube capacity	M1289-0006	9	
Microplate holder rack (stacked) 3 deep well or 9 standard		M1289-0700	16	
Microplate holder rack 5 deep well or standard deep well or standard TTR-221 4 (single layer)		TTR-221	4	
Angled test tube rack holder for user-supplied test tube racks that are 10 – 13 mm (4 – 5 in) wide and up to 38 mm (15 in) long.		TTR-210	4	
Angled test tube rack spacer bar for use with TTR-210 to accommodate test tubes racks that are less than 13 mm (5 in) wide.		TTR-215	N/A	



Universal platform is required for angled test tube rack holder and angled test tube rack spacer bar.

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# 10.2.4 Optional gas manifold kit

Tab. 10-5: Factory-installed gas manifold kit

Description	New Brunswick part number
Gas manifold kit	M1320-0500

# 10.2.5 Optional photosynthetic grow lamps

Tab. 10-6: Factory-installed photosynthetic grow lamps

Description	New Brunswick part number
Photosynthetic growth lamp assembly	M1320-0300

# 10.2.6 Optional germicidal lamp

Tab. 10-7: Factory-installed germicidal lamp

Description	New Brunswick part number
UV germicidal lamp assembly	M1320-0400

# 10.2.7 Optional humidity monitor

Tab. 10-8: Factory-installed humidity monitor

Description	New Brunswick part number
Humidity monitor (for use with spill pan as water reservoir)	M1320-0600

# 10.2.8 Optional utility basket

Tab. 10-9: Utility basket

Description	New Brunswick part number	
Utility basket	M1320-0700	

#### 10.2.9 Optional remote alarm

Tab. 10-10: Factory-installed remote alarm

Description	New Brunswick part number
Remote alarm	M1320-8029

# 11 Transport, storage and disposal

# 11.1 Disposal

In case the product is to be disposed of, the relevant legal regulations are to be observed.

#### Information on the disposal of electrical and electronic devices in the European Community:

Within the European Community, the disposal of electrical devices is regulated by national regulations based on EU Directive 2002/96/EC pertaining to waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE).

According to these regulations, any devices supplied after August 13, 2005, in the business-to-business sphere, to which this product is assigned, may no longer be disposed of in municipal or domestic waste. To document this, they have been marked with the following identification:



Because disposal regulations may differ from one country to another within the EU, please contact your supplier if necessary.

In Germany, this is mandatory from March 23, 2006. From this date, the manufacturer has to offer a suitable method of return for all devices supplied after August 13, 2005. For all devices supplied before August 13, 2005, the last user is responsible for the correct disposal.

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including accessories

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