



Counting Scale

# Operation & Service Manual



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#### 1.0. <u>GENERAL</u>

#### 1.1. Description

The DC-180 counting scale offers a practical solution to a full range of precision counting applications. There are a variety of models available ranging from a weight capacity of 0.5 lb. through 100 lb. utilizing an internally mounted load cell and a full range of capacities from 0.5 to 50,000 lb. utilizing an external second platform. A console model is also available with 1 external platform in any of the above mentioned capacities in any combination.

This manual will provide the user with information necessary to operate and program the DC-180. Included in this manual are descriptions, specifications, operating instructions and service guide.



LAMP	"ON"
Zero	When the gross weight is zero.
Tare	When tare weight is set.
Gross	When [Gross/Net] key is pressed.
Insuff	When the net weight is below a specific percentage of capacity weight.
Recomp	When unit weight recomputing is possible.
Memory	When quantity is being accumulated or when memory overflows.
Prog	When in the programming mode with [mode] key pressed.
Kg	When the item is weighed in Kg. unit with [Kg/Lb] key pressed.
Lb	When the Item is weighed in Lb. unit with [Kg/Lb] key pressed.
<b>.</b>	
Batt	When battery's power level is low.
<b>C</b> . 1. 1	
Scale 1	When built-in platform is used.
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Scale 2	When remote platform is connected and used.

KEY	FUNCTIONS
On/Off	For turning the machine ON and OFF
0 to 9	Numeric Keys.
	Decimal Point.
••	
Rezero	Used to reset the scale to zero.
	Used to enter the maintenance mode along with other keys
Tare	Used for setting and clearing tare weight.
Va/Ib	Used to shance the weighing writ between Kilogram and Dound
Kg/LU	Used to change the weighing unit between Knogram and Found.
С	Used to clear the key entries and unit weight.
Net/Gross	Used to change between Gross and Net.
Unit Weight	Used to enter the unit weight using numeric key board.
Mada	Used for entering programming mode from weighing mode
Ivioue	Used for entering programming mode from weighing mode.
Scale 1 2	Used to switch between Built-in Platform and Remote Platform.
+	Used for Accumulation function and for incrementing SPEC numbers in SPEC setting mode.
-	Used for Subtraction function and for decrementing SPEC numbers in SPEC setting mode.
*	Used for storing the specification data and used to print out weight information when printer is connected.
#	PLU key, for calling out PLU data.
PIECES	Used for computing unit weight by sampling.

#### 2.0. SPECIFICATIONS

This section includes a detailed listing of all pertinent specifications and parameters for the DC-180 counting scales. The system weighing accuracy is 0.02 % . All models meet or exceed the requirements of OIML, Class III, and NIST Handbook, Number 44.

#### 2.1. <u>CAPACITIES</u>

The following resolution specifications apply to all models of DC-180 counting scales:

#### **DC-180 SINGLE SCALE**

Capacity	Mounting Internal/External	Weight Resolution	Counting Resolution	Platform Dimension
0.5 lb.	Both	0.0001	0.000002	6" x 8"
1.0 lb.	Both	0.0001	0.000002	6" x 8"
2.5 lb.	Both	0.0002	0.000005	7" x 10"
5.0 lb.	Both	0.0005	0.00001	9" x 12"
10.0 lb.	Both	0.001	0.00002	9" x 12"
25.0 lb.	Both	0.002	0.00005	9" x 12"
50.0 lb.	Both	0.005	0.0001	9" x 12"

#### **DC-182L REMOTE PLATFORMS**

Platform capacity	Weight Resolution	Counting Resolution	Platform Dimensions
100.0 lb.	0.01	0.0002	13" x 17"
250.00	0.02	0.0005	17" x 21" **
500.00	0.05	0.001	17" x 21" **
1000.0	0.1	0.002	24" x 28" **
2500.0	0.2	0.005	36" x 36" or 48" x 48"
5000.0	0.5	0.01	48" x 48" **
10000	1.0	0.02	48" x 48" or 60" x 60"
25000	2.0	0.05	48" x 72" or 60" x 84"
50000	5.0	0.1	60" x 84" **

\*\* Other platform sizes are available; consult factory for more information.

\* Units are selectable from lb. to kg. and can be programmed to weigh in other primary Units ; lb., kg., g., oz., or dwt.

#### 3.0. INSTALLATION

This section provides the information required for installing this counting system For operation. The following steps accomplish installation.

- 1. Unpacking
- 2. Set-up Procedure

#### 3.1. <u>UNPACKING</u>

Each component of the DC-180 system is packed in a specially designed carton. Remove each component from its carton, separate the component from its polystyrene shell assembly and set aside. Inspect the carton interior to be sure that all accessories have been removed from the carton. Inspect the carton <u>inner</u> <u>panels</u> for accessories.

**<u>NOTE</u>**: Be sure to repack all materials within the carton set. Store the cartons in A secure area so they can be available whenever future shipment of the scale is required.

#### 3.2. **INSPECTION**

Immediately after unpacking, a visual inspection of the scale should be performed. If any damage has been incurred during transportation notify the shipper and DIGI MATEX, Inc. immediately. Instructions for assessment of damage and further procedures will then be determined.

#### 3.3. <u>REPACKAGING</u>

If, at anytime, the DC-180 counting scale must be returned for modification, calibration, or repair, be sure that it is properly packed with sufficient cushioning materials.

Whenever possible, the original carton assembly should be retained for this purpose. Any damage caused by improper packaging will not be covered by warranty.

#### 3.1. <u>UNPACKING</u>

The unlocking procedure is included on the next page. The DC-180 should be properly locked whenever it is being transported.

#### **INITIAL SET-UP PROCEDURES**

Before setting up the scale, remove the load cell locking screws located at the bottom of the scale as shown in the diagram below.



3. Then install nut, just snug.

Do the following steps before scale calibration.

- A) Place the platter on the platter support of the scale.
- B) Turn on the power and check that the scale is functioning.
- C) For calibration of the scale, use a thin rod to enable the span switch.

Refer to the diagram above for the location of the span switch.

D) Please refer to instructions for Span Adjustment for more detail.

Note: For DC-180 with a remote scale, connect the remote scale before plugging the A/C.

#### 3.4. Unlocking Procedure (Continued) for 1LB. and 2.5LB. Scales



The above drawing is for illustration purpose only.



**SET UP PROCEDURES** 

Do the following steps before scale calibration or operation.

- 1. Take off nut (A) and four screws (C), then take off plate.
- 2. Loosen nut (B) and screw (D), then take off screw (D), nut (B) and insert.
- 3. Take off screw (E) and stopper, then take off screw (F).
- 4. Install platter support and platter. (Please pay attention to installation direction of support.)

The DC-180 can be operated with AC power or with the optional internal battery. The battery will automatically charge whenever the scale is plugged into AC power. The charging current is regulated by a battery monitor circuit, so that the battery can not be overcharged.

The DC-180 system is powered internally at a low power level whenever the scale is plugged into the AC line or the battery switch is in the "ON" position. The battery power switch is located on the right side of the rear panel. The front panel "ON/OFF" switch enables the display and primary power.

When the battery switch is "ON" and the AC is not connected, a low level battery current will flow even if the display is "OFF". To prevent battery discharge when stored turn the battery switch to "OFF" whenever unit is not used.

#### Do not store the scale without turning off the battery power switch.

#### To Install Battery Option

- 1. Turn Scale On Side.
- 2. Remove Battery Compartment Cover.
- 3. Connect The Red Lead To (+) Positive Terminal Of Battery.
- 4. Connect The Black Lead To ( –)Terminal Of Battery.
- 5. Place Battery Into Compartment & Replace Battery Compartment Cover.

# CHARGING TIME: FOR OPTIMUM USE AND BATTERY LIFE, THE DC-180 BATTERY SHOULD BE FULLY CHARGED BEFORE EACH OPERATING RUN.

**NOTE:** Short Cycle Charging Will Reduce The Normal Use Time And Can Drastically Reduce Battery Life.

The BP-180 battery is a sealed lead acid battery which needs to be charged periodically, similar to a car battery, if the BP-180 is left on the shelf for several months without being charged it will eventually drain to point that it can no longer be charged!

#### 5.0. Operation Guide in Weighing Mode

#### 5.1. Tare Reduction :

#### 5.1.1. <u>One Touch Tare Operation</u> :

- 1 Display in the weighing mode
- 2 Place 0.5 Lb weight on the platter. (Example : of a .5lb tare)
- 3 Press the **[TARE]** key to tare the weight on the platter
- 4 Remove the weight from the platter

**Note :** The tare operation is valid up to the 4th digit of the weight column. For Example ; when we attempt to tare a weight of 1.0000 lb, on a 5.0000 lb machine, the error buzzer comes on. So, the maximum permissible tare value is 0.9995 lb. But for a 10.000 lb machine, the maximum permissible tare value (for 100 % FS setting) is 9.998 lb.

#### 5.1.2. Digital Tare Operation :

- 1 Display in the weighing mode.
- 2 Enter [0][.][5][0][0] (Example : of a .5lb tare)
- 3 Press the **[TARE]** key to tare the weight entered by keyboard.

Note : The same note as in One Touch Tare applies for Digital Tare as well.

#### 5.2. <u>Net/Gross Operation</u> :

- 1 Display in the weighing mode.
- 2 Place 0.5 Lb. weight on the platter.
- 3 Press the **[TARE]** key to tare the weight on the platter.
- 4 Place an additional 0.5 Lb. on the platter.
- 5 Press the [NET / GROSS] key. 1.0000 lb is the Gross Weight.
- 6 Press the [NET / GROSS] key. 0.5000 lb is the Net Weight.

#### 5.3. Unit Weight Operation :

#### 5.3.1. <u>Unit Weight Operation by Sampling</u> :

- 1 Display in the weighing mode
- 2 Place 10 pcs of the item to be sampled on the platter.
- 3 Press the **[PIECES]** key. Please wait for a few seconds for the computation.
- 4 The Unit Weight Display shows the Unit Weight of the samples (1.255/1000 pieces) and the

Quantity Display shows the Quantity of the pieces i.e. 10 in this case.

**Note**: When the samples are placed on the platter, if the insufficient lamp is "ON", then add few more samples until the insufficient lamp is "OFF. Now, before pressing the **[PIECES]** Key, enter the no. of samples using the key board and then press the **[PIECES]** Key. For e.g. : After putting ten pieces of the sample, if the insufficient lamp is "ON", then add few more samples (say 3) until the insufficient lamp is "OFF". Now using the key board, enter **[1] [3]** and then press the **[PIECES]** Key to compute the Unit weight of the samples.

#### 5.3.2. <u>Unit Weight Operation by Key Entry</u> :

This following procedure is used if the unit weight is already known.

- 1 Display in the weighing mode
- 2 Enter the known Unit Weight using the keyboard. [2][.][8][7]
- 3 Press the [UNIT WEIGHT] key to enter the unit weight.
- 4 Place 2 lb weight on the platter. The scale displays the quantity for the weight placed on the platter.

#### 5.4. <u>Accumulation Operation</u> :

This following procedure is used if the unit weight is already known.

- 1 After Unit Weight entry. (See 4.3)
- 2 Press the [+] key. The *Total* is displayed in the *Quantity Display*.
- 3 The memory lamp will glow. After a moment the scale will resume operation mode.
- 4 Put 1.0lb on the platter
- 5 Press the [+] key. The *Total* is displayed in the *Quantity Display*.
- 6 The memory lamp will glow. After a moment the scale will resume operation mode.
- 7 The previous total of 25 and the present quantity of 15 are added and the *Total Of 40* is displayed in the *Quantity Display*.
- 8 The memory lamp will glow. After a moment the scale will resume operation mode.
- 9 Pressing the [+] key makes the total 15 + 40 = 55, displayed in the *Quantity Display*.

#### 5.5. <u>Subtraction/Reduction Operation</u> :

- Display in the weighing mode with memory lamp glowing.
  From previous operation (See 4.4.)
- 2 Press the [+] key. The *Total Is Displayed* in the *Quantity Display*.
- 3 **Remove the 2.0 lb. Weight from platter**

Leave only the 1.0lb weight on the platter.

- 4 Pressing the [-] key deducts the quantity of 5 in the *Quantity Display* from the previous Total of 70 to give us a total of 65.
- 5 The memory lamp will glow. After a moment the scale will resume operation mode.
- 6 Press the [-] key. The total quantity after subtracting is shown in the *Quantity Display.* 65 -5 =60
- 7 The memory lamp will glow. After a moment the scale will resume operation mode.

#### 5.6. <u>Clearing of Accumulated Data</u> :

- 1 From previous operations (See 4.4. & 4.5.)
- 2 Pressing the **[\*]** key, clears the accumulated total.

#### 5.7. <u>Clearing Unit Weight</u> :

1 Remove weight.

2 Pressing the [C] key, clears the unit weight.

#### 5.8. <u>Scale 1 2 Operation</u> :

To change between Scale 1 (Built-in) and Scale 2 (Remote), please make sure that bit 1 of Spec 25 in Weight and Measures specification is set to 1. Switch off the scale and turn it on again after setting this spec. Or else you might notice a shift in the zero point, when changing between scales. The scale change operation cannot be performed if there is any *[Numeric]* Key entry.

Display in the weighing mode

Pressing [SCALE] key changes from Scale 1 to Scale 2.

Pressing the [SCALE] key again changes back to Scale 1

Note :- The unit weight computed on Scale 1 can be transferred to Scale 2 and vice versa.

5.9. Recall Item From Memory:						
Version 1.13 and above ID CODE (30 ITEM MEMORY)						
<b>OPERATION EXAMPLE</b> : Recall Item From Memory:						
Task	Procedure					
1. Select Scale And Reset Zero Point	Press [SCALE 1, 2] Key And Press					
	[REZERO] Key.					
2. Enter ID Code	Type ID Code (Up To Four Digits) Example					
	[1] [2] [3] [4], Then Press[CODE] Key.					
3a. Enter Tare Value (One Touch Tare)	Place Empty Container On Platter And Press					
	[TARE] Key.					
3b. Enter Tare Value (Digital Tare)	Place Full Container On Platter And Keyboard					
	Enter The Known Tare Weight. (Example					
	Press: [0] [•] [2] [5] [5], Then Press [TARE]					
	Key.					
4. Accumulate Quantity	With The First Quantity On Scale, Press [+]					
	Key. Remove Them And Press [C] Key. The					
	Display Returns To Weighing Mode . Place					
	The Second Quantity On Scale And Count					
	Them. Repeat The Procedure Until All Parts					
	Have Been Counted. If A Mistake Is Made					
	During Accumulation, Press [-] Key.					
5. End Accumulation	Press [*] Key.					
⊁ Note: If no Unit Weight has been progr	ammed into the memory, it will be necessary to					
enter a Unit Weight using one of the follow	ing steps:					
a Compute Unit Weight	Place 10 Pieces On Scale, Press [PIECES]					
	key.					
When sample size is insufficient the numbe	er of pieces to be added appears in display					
This procedure may be skipped by pressing	[pieces] key without adding additional pieces,					
however it may affect accuracy to use an in	sufficient sample size					
The accuracy of the computation can be im	proved by increasing the sample size					
<b>b</b> Recompute Unit Weight	Add Additional Pieces, Press[PIECES] Key.					
or						
c 🕿 Enter Unit Weight	Press [1] [•] [7] [2] [6] [6], Press [UNIT					
	WEIGHT] key.					

#### 6.0. PROGRAMMING MODE:

#### 6.1. <u>Set Point Programming</u> :

#### 6.1.1. <u>Set Point Programming by % Quantity</u>

Set Point 1 : Quantity (See Note Below) , Set Point 2 : % Quantity (See Note Below) Set bit 0 and 1 of Spec 7 to 00

- 1 Display in the weighing mode
- 2 Press the **[MODE]** key to go into the programming mode.
- 3 Press [+] key to go into Set Point Programming Mode.
- 4 Enter the Quantity for Set Point 1 using the **[Numeric]** keys. Example type **[1][0][0][0]**
- 5 Press [+] key to go to Set Point 2.
- 6 Enter the new Set Point 2 value using the [Numeric] keys. Example type [7][5]
- 7 Pressing the [+] key exits from the Set Point Programming mode, but remains in the Programming mode.
- 8 Pressing the [MODE] key exits from Programming mode and returns to Weighing mode.
- NOTE: Using the **[C]** key clears the key entry.

Note : Set Point 1 : Must be a quantity value up to 999999.

Set Point 2 : Percentage value up to 999%, but set according to Set Point 1 value. Ex: Suppose Set Point 1=999999, Set Point 2 cannot be set more than 100%.

#### 6.1.2. Set Point Programming by % Weight

Set Point 1 : Weight (See Note Below), Set Point 2 : Weight (See Note Below) Set bit 0 and 1 of Spec 7 to 01

- 1 Display in the weighing mode
- 2 Press the **[MODE]** key to go into the programming mode.
- 3 Press [+] key to go into Set Point Programming Mode.
- 4 Enter the Weight value for Set Point 1 using the [Numeric] keys depending on the capacity of the scale. Please see the note below. Example type [3][.][0][0][0][0]
- 5 Press the **[+]** key to program Set Point 2.
- 6 Enter the percentage value for Set Point 2 using [Numeric] keys. Please see the note below. [7][5]
- 7 Pressing the [+] key exits from the Set Point Programming mode, but remains in the Programming mode.
- 8 Pressing the [MODE] key exits from Programming mode and returns to Weighing mode.

**Note :** Set Point 1 : Must be a weight value depending on the capacity of the scale. Set Point 2 : Percentage value up to 999%, but set according to Set Point 1 value. Ex: Suppose Set Point 1=5.0000 (capacity of the scale), Set Point 2 cannot be set more than 100%.

#### 6.1.3. Set Point Programming by Upper and Lower Limit of Quantity

Set Point 1 : Quantity (See Note Below), Set Point 2 : Quantity (See Note Below) Set bit 0 and 1 of Spec 7 to 10

- 1 Display in the weighing mode
- 2 Press the **[MODE]** key to go into the programming mode.
- 3 Press [+] key to go into Set Point Programming Mode.
- Enter the Quantity value for Set Point 1 using the [Numeric] keys. Example: type[2][0][0][0][0] Please see the note below.
- 5 Press the [+] key to program Set Point 2.
- 6 Enter the Set Point 2 value using the **[Numeric]** keys. Example: type **[1][0][0][0][0]** Please see note below.
- 7 Pressing the [+] key exits from the Set Point Programming mode, but remains in the Programming mode.
- 8 Pressing the [MODE] key exits from Programming mode and returns to Weighing mode.

**Note :** Set Point 1 : Must be a quantity value up to 9999999 Set Point 2 : Quantity value up to 999999, but Set Point 2 value must always be less than Set Point 1 value.

#### 6.1.4. Set Point Programming by Upper and Lower Limit of Weight

- 1 Display in the weighing mode
- 2 Press the [MODE] key to go into the programming mode.
- 3 Press [+] key to go into Set Point Programming Mode.
- 4 Enter the Weight value for Set Point 1 using the **[Numeric]** keys depending on the capacity of the scale. Example: type **[3][.][0][0][0][0]** Please see the note below.
- 5 Press the [+] key to program Set Point 2.
- 6 Enter the weight value for Set Point 2 using **[Numeric]** keys. Example: type **[2][.][0][0][0][0]Please** see the note below.
- 7 Press the [+] key exits from the Set Point Programming mode but remains in the Programming mode.
- 8 Pressing the [MODE] key exits from Programming mode and returns to Weighing mode.
  - **Note :** Set Point 1 : Must be a weight value depending on the capacity of the scale. Set Point 2 : Weight value up to the capacity of the scale, but Set Point 2 value must be less than Set Point 1 value.

6.2. PROGRAMMING ID CODE (30 ITEM MEMORY)						
Version 1.13 and above PROGRAMMI	NG ID CODE (30 ITEM MEMORY)					
Task	Procedure					
1. Enter PROGRAM Mode.	Press [MODE] key.					
2. Enter ID Code	Type ID Code (Up To Four Digits) Example [1] [2] [3] [4], Then Press[CODE] Key.					
3a. Compute Unit Weight	Place 10 Pieces On Scale, Press [PIECES] key.					
When sample size is insufficient the nu	mber of pieces to be added appears in display					
This procedure may be skipped by press it may affect accuracy to use an insuffi	sing [pieces] key without adding additional pieces however cient sample size					
The accuracy of the computation can b	e improved by increasing the sample size					
3b. Recompute Unit Weight	Add Additional Pieces, Press[PIECES] Key.					
or						
3c. Enter Unit Weight	Press [1] [•] [7] [2] [6] [6], Press [UNIT WEIGHT] key.					
4. Enter Set Point Mode	Press [+] key.					
5. Enter Setpoint 1	Enter Setpoint 1 (Example 1000) Type [1] [0] [0] [0], Press [+] Key.					
6. Enter Setpoint 2	Enter Setpoint 2 (Example 90.00) Type [9] [0] [•] [0] [0], Press [+] Key.					
7. Store Data	Press [*] Key To Store Data.					
8. Exit Program Mode.	Press [MODE] Key.					
Item # 3 A, B, & C Or Item # 4, 5, & 6	May Be Omitted To Fit Your Needs.					

Item # 1, 2, 7 & 8 Are Necessary To Program ID Code Into Memory.

#### NOTE: DELETE ALL ITEM MEMORY...... PRESS AND HOLD REZERO WHILE PRESSING [•] [•] [0], THEN RELEASE THE REZERO THE DISPLAY WILL SHOW [ ALL CLEAR ]. PRESS CLEAR KEY TO CLEAR ITEMS

#### 7.0. MAINTENANCE MODE:

#### 7.1. <u>Scale Calibration</u> :

Prior to the calibration of the scale, please note that the SPEC settings

corresponding to Minimum Display, Weight Decimal Point Position and Load Cell Sensitivity

for that particular scale have to be correctly set. Ensure that the [SPAN] Switch is ON.

See page 10 for lacation of the span switch

S/No.	OPERATION	REMARKS
1	Press the <b>[SPAN]</b> Switch	The <b>[SPAN]</b> Switch is located at the bottom of the machine.
2	[REZERO] [8] [7] [1] [5]	Enter [8] [7] [1] [5] while depressing the [ <b>REZERO</b> ] Key. The display will show weight in the <i>Weight Window</i> and zero count in the <i>Quantity Window</i> . If the zero count is 50,000_10,000, (100,000±10,000 for version 1.06 software) then proceed to step 5.
3	[REZERO]	Press the [REZERO] Key to zero the weight in the Weight Window.
4	[+]	Press the [+] Key in order to compute the zero point. It takes a few seconds for the zero calibration.
5		After computing the zero point, the <i>Quantity Window</i> shows the Zero Counts. Ensure that the counts are 50,000 _ 10000, (100,000±10,000 for Version 1.06 software). If not, repeat Step 3 unti the Counts are in the above range.
6	[REZERO]	Press [REZERO] Key to zero the weight before span calibration.
7	Place 5 lb weight on the platter.	Place capacity weight of 5 lb or any weight on the platter. In this illustration, capacity weight is taken as an example.
8	[5][.][0][0][0][0]	Enter the weight placed on the platter using the [Numeric] Keys.
9	[*]	Press the [*] Key to start span calibration.
10		After a few seconds, the display shows the counts for the weight on the platter in the <i>Weight/Unit Weight Window</i> and the <i>Quantity Window</i> shows the internal count with the zero point counts added to it.
11		Removing the weight, the Unit <i>Weight Window</i> should indicate zero and the <i>Quantity Window</i> the zero starting point i.e. 50,000, (100,000±10,000 for version 1.06 software) If the zero point has changed, please carry out the calibration procedure again.
12	[MODE]	Pushing the [MODE] Key shows the S-On display
13	Push the <b>[SPAN]</b> Switch.	Pushing the <b>[SPAN]</b> Switch returns the scale to the Weighing Mode.

#### 7.4. Internal Count And A/D Count Display :

If the SPEC 25, bit 2 is set, then the [SPAN] Switch must be "ON" to enter this mode.

- <sup>1</sup> Enter **[0] [0] [9]** while depressing the **[REZERO]** Key. *Unit Weight Window* will display the Internal Count and the *Quantity Window* will display the A/D Count.
- <sup>2</sup> Press [MODE] Key to exit from Program Mode to Weighing Mode.
- <sup>3</sup> Depressing the **[SPAN]** Switch returns scale to the Weighing Mode.

#### 7.2. Spec 141 Setting

#### Spec 141 Setting:

Spec 141(Customer Specifications) can be accessed from the weighing mode.

- 1. Enter [1][4][1] while depressing the [REZERO] key.
- 2. [+] key increases to the next SPEC number and also stores temporarily the SPEC data in the RAM location.
- 3. Enter 1011 as the new value for SPEC01 using the [Numeric] keypad
- 4. **[C]** key clears the **[Numeric]** entry.
- 5. [+] key increases to the next SPEC number.
- 6. [-] key decreases to the previous SPEC number.
- 7. [-]key decreases from SPEC 01 to SPEC 00.
- 8. [-] key decreases the SPEC number from SPEC00 to SPEC18
- 9. [\*] stores the new SPEC values to the NOV-RAM and exits from the SPEC setting mode.
- 10. Press [MODE] key to escape from maintenance mode to weighing mode.

#### 7.3. Spec 142 Setting

**Spec 142 Setting:** To access the Spec 142 (W & M Spec) mode the **[SPAN]** Switch must be "ON". The rest of the procedure is the same as Spec 141 setting.

#### See page 10 for location of the span switch

- 1 Depress the [SPAN] Switch. The S-On message comes on.
- 2 Enter **[1][4][2]** while depressing the **[REZERO]** key.
- 3 [+] key increases to the next SPEC number and also stores temporarily the SPEC data in the RAM location.
- 4 Enter, (example, 1011) as the new value for SPEC21 using the [Numeric] keypad
- 5 [C] key clears the [Numeric] entry.
- 6 [+] key increases to the next SPEC number.
- 7 [-] key decreases to the previous SPEC number.
- 8 [-]key decreases from SPEC 21 to SPEC 20.
- 9 [-] key decreases the SPEC number from SPEC20 to SPEC36
- 10 **[\* PROG]** key stores the new SPEC values to the NOV-RAM and exits from the SPEC setting mode.
- 11 Press [MODE] Key to exit from Spec Setting mode. The display shows S-On indicating that the [SPAN] Switch is ON.
- 12 Depressing the **[SPAN]** Switch returns scale to the Weighing Mode.

7.5. <u>DC-180 Spec. List Rev. 7</u>						
Operation Spec Key	<b>Operation Specifications</b> : To enter this mode, enter the numeric keys 1,4,1 while pressing the Rezero Key.					
Spec No.	Bit 3	Bit 2	Bit 1	Bit 0		
0		-				
1		Power Auto Off	Function			
-	0000 : Auto Power O	ff Disable when Net	Wt. = 0			
	0001 ~ 1111 : Time duration	n to activate Power O	off, equal to the			
	decimal no. co	onverted from the 4 b	inary digits			
2	Scale Specific	ation	Kg/Lb Lamp			
	<b>00</b> : Gram <b>01</b> : Kg		Inhibit			
	<b>10</b> : Lb <b>11</b> : not used	1	<b>0</b> : No <b>1</b> : Yes	(ver 1.04)		
3	Not used	Not used	Not used	Not used		
4	Auto Scale Switching	Extent of insuf	ficient samples	Negative		
	<b>0</b> : No <b>1</b> : Yes	<b>00</b> : 0.1 %		Counting		
	(ver 1.25)	<b>01</b> : 0.2%		<b>0</b> : No		
		10:0.0%		I:Yes		
5	Sampling time for Unit	Unit Wt. Auto				
	Weight Calculation	Recomputing				
	<b>0</b> : 10 times <b>1</b> : 5 times	$0 \cdot \mathbf{N}_{0}$				
	<b>1</b> . 5 times	<b>0</b> . NO $1 \cdot \mathbf{V}_{es}$				
6	Display Accuracy of Unit	1.105	FIP Brightness I ave	ale and the second s		
U	Weight	Varving levels for t	the control of FIP Bri	ahtness		
	$0 \cdot No1 \cdot Yes$	000 · Highest Brigh	htness Level	ginness.		
	0.1101.105	111 : Lowest Brigh	itness Level			
7	Set Point Buzzer	8	Set Poi	int Type		
	<b>0</b> : Yes <b>1</b> : No		<b>00</b> : %Ouantity <b>1</b>	0 : Quantity		
			01 : % Weight 1	1 : Weight		
8-9	Not used	Not used	Not used	Not used		
			(ver 1.06)	(ver 1.06)		
10	<b>RS-232C</b> Connection	RS-232C	RS-232C Baud Rate			
		Data Length	(Opt	tional)		
	0:No	(Optional)	00 1000 10	1000		
	$\mathbf{I}: \mathbf{Y}$ es	<b>0</b> : / bits	<b>00</b> :1200 <b>10</b> :	4800		
	(ver 1.07)	1:8 DIIS	01:2400 11: (vor 1.07)	9600		
11	PS 232C	(ver 1.07)	(Vel 1.07) DS 232C	Dority Rit		
11	Ston Bit		(Oni	ional)		
	(Ontional)		$00 \cdot N_0$ 10 $\cdot$	Not Used		
	<b>0</b> : 1 bit		01 : Odd 11 :	Even		
	<b>1</b> : 2 bits		(ver 1.07)			
	(ver 1.07)		· · · ·			
12	RS-232C Ou	tput	<b>RS-232C</b>	RS-232C Header		
	(Optional	l)	Communication	<b>0</b> : With		
	<b>00</b> : Not Available		<b>0</b> : With	Header		
	01 : When Counting Condition	ion	Handshaking	1 : Without		
	<b>10</b> : By <b>*</b> Key		1 : Without	Header		
	11 : In Both Cases		Handshaking	(ver 1.12)		
	(ver 1.07)		(ver 1.12)			
13-17	Not used	Not used	Not used	Not used		
18	Set Point TTL Output	Not used	Not used	Not used		
	U: Active Low					
	1: Acuve High (vor 1 08)					
	(ver 1.00)					

while pressing	the Rezero Key.	The Span Switch	node, enter the must be "ON" to	enter this mode.		
Spec No	Rit 3	Bit 2	Bit 1	Bit 0		
20	Minimum Die	mlay (Scale 1)	Minimum Display (Scale 2)			
20	10.2		$00 \cdot 2$	$10 \cdot 5$		
	00.2 01.1	10.5 $11 \cdot 10$	00.2 01.1	<b>10</b> . <i>3</i> <b>11</b> · 10		
21	Vot used	Woight	Desimel Desit Desition (Seele 1)			
41	Not used		A11	$\cdot 00.000$		
		<b>000</b> : 00000 <b>001</b> : 0000 0	100	· 0 0000		
		001 : 0000.0 010 · 000 00	100	. 0.0000		
22	Not used	Weight	Decimal Point Posit	ion (Scale 2)		
	Not used	000 · 00000	011	· 00 000		
		<b>001</b> · 0000 0	100	· 0 0000		
		$010 \cdot 000 00$	100	. 0.0000		
23	Disnlay R	Resolution	Zero Se	tting Range		
	00: 1/10.000 1	0:1/2.500	00 : Unlimited 10	) : +- 10% FS		
	01:1/5.000 1	<b>1</b> : Not Used	01 : +- 2% FS 11	: Not Avail.		
24	Masked Display	Display at	Zero Lamp	Display Mask When		
	at Minus Wt.	Minus Wt.	Lighting	Battery Low		
	0 : Gross	0 :Minus	Method	<b>0</b> : Yes		
	1 : Net	Display	0 : Gross	1 : No		
		1 :Masked	<b>1</b> : Net			
25	Scale Starting	IR Mode	Scale Type	Gross Mode		
	Method	protected by	0 : Single	Available		
	0 : Automatic	Span Switch	Scale	<b>0</b> : Yes		
	1 : Manual	<b>0</b> : No	1 : Double	1:No		
		<b>1</b> : Yes	Scale			
26	Zero Tracking	Weight Reset	Initial S	Start Range		
	When Tare	when Tare				
	<b>0</b> : Yes	<b>0</b> : Yes	00 : Unlimited 10	) : +- 10% FS		
	1 : No	1 : No	01 : +- 2% FS 11	: Not Avail.		
27	Comma Display	Digital Tare	Tar	e Range		
	<b>0</b> : No	Setting	<b>00</b> : 100%FS <b>10</b> : 5	5% FS		
	1 : Yes	0 : No	01:50%FS 11:1	Not Available		
•••		I : Yes		A		
28	Auto Tare clear	Automatic Unit W	eight Clear	Automatic Unit		
	wnen Kezero	Condition	ad Cases 21d	weight Clear		
		00 : Over Net 50 and	nd Gross 21d			
	1: 188	and weight State $01 \cdot \mathbf{N} = \mathbf{N}$ of 1d and	Woight Stable	1: 165		
		$10 \cdot > -$ Net 1d and	O weight Stable			
		and Weight St	Quality >0			
2.9	Digital Tare	Tare Value	Tare Addition	Tare Subtraction		
27	Rounding	Exchange				
	0 : Tare	0 : Yes	1 : No	1 : No		
	Exactly	1 : No		2.110		
	1 : Round to	2.110				
	Nearest					
	Increment					

Weight and Me To enter this mode enter the numeric keys 1.4.2Sn ocificatio

Spec No.	Bit 3		Bit 2		Bit 1		Bit 0						
30			Load Cell Sensitivit				Selection (mV/V) (Scale 1)						
	Spc	Min	Max	Spc	Min	Max	Spc	Min	Max	Spc	Min	Max	
	0000	3.46	4.00	0100	1.95	2.25	1000	1.09	1.27	1100	0.61	0.71	
	0001	3.00	3.46	0101	1.69	1.95	1001	0.95	1.09	1101	0.53	0.91	
	0010	2.59	3.00	0110	1.46	1.69	1010	0.82	0.95	1110	0.46	0.53	
	0011	2.25	2.59	0111	1.27	1.46	1011	0.71	0.82	1111	0.40	0.46	
31				Load (	Cell Sens	itivities	Selectior	n (mV/V)	(Scale 2	2)			
	Spc	Min	Max	Spc	Min	Max	Spc	Min	Max	Spc	Min	Max	
	0000	3.46	4.00	0100	1.95	2.25	1000	1.09	1.27	1100	0.61	0.71	
	0001	3.00	3.46	0101	1.69	1.95	1001	0.95	1.09	1101	0.53	0.91	
	0010	2.59	3.00	0110	1.46	1.69	1010	0.82	0.95	1110	0.46	0.53	
	0011	2.25	2.59	0111	1.27	1.46	1011	0.71	0.82	1111	0.40	0.46	
32	Keyboa	rd & D	isplay Typ	e			Auto Exit from Add 5-Digit Tare						
	<b>00</b> : EX	type					Mode						
	01 : AA	type					<b>0</b> : No <b>0</b> : No						
	<b>10</b> : U1	type -	U.S. use o	nly			I: Yes I: Yes						
	11 : EX	type			1					(ver 1.	.26)		
33	Over Weight Mask at Not used				sed	Not u	ised		Not u	sed			
	0:+1d	1:+9	<sup>o</sup> d										
34	Not used	d (	For Scale	l)	101		N7 1	A/1	D Board	(Scale 1)	)		
		0	For Std /	Normal I	Load Cel	00	Normal	с с	11 '1		1 .	1. 1	
			: For abnor	mal load	cell with		Prevent	from Sm	all vibrat	tion/ fast	change in	n display	
		U	oo large ol	iset.		10	11 : Prevent from Large slow change in display						
		(	vor 1 06)				r 1 06)	HUIII Lai	ge slow	change in	uispiay		
35	Not used		For Scale '	2)		(10	1.00)	۸/D	Board (I	For Scale	2)		
55	NOT USED		·For Std /	2) Normal I	oad Cel	00	Normal	$\mathbf{A}/\mathbf{D}$	DUALU (I	Sur State	<i>2</i> )		
		1	1. For abnormal load cell with				Prevent	from Sm	all vibrat	tion/ fast	change ir	n display	
		t	oo large of	e offset			Prevent	from Me	dium vih	ration		. anopiaj	
			00 101 50 01	10			Prevent	from La	ge slow	change in	display		
		(	ver 1.06)			(ve	r 1.06)	u	0, 200	Be II			
36	Not used	i Ì	Not used				Not us	ed	1	Not used			

### 7.6. Platform Wiring

DIGI REMOTE PLATFORM WIRING					
PIN 3	(+) EXCITATION				
PIN 4	(-) EXCITATION				
PIN 5	SHIELD				
PIN 6	(+) SIGNAL				
PIN 7	(-) SIGNAL				



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