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KR-800C

KERATOMETER

# User's Manual

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PRECISION INSTRUMENTS

# Notification

Dear Users,

Thank you for your purchase of KR 800 Keratometer. Please take time to read our user's manual carefully before use.

This guarantees you to make full use of this unit and prolongs the operation life of this unit.

# Precautions

If you have detected abnormal heat, smoke, noise or smell, immediately stop using the product.

In the event of an abnormality, turn off the power and disconnect the power plug from the power socket. Continuing to use the product may result in electric shock or fire.

Observe the instructions given below regarding the power cable:

- Be sure to use the supplied or specified power cable.
- Do not modify, forcibly bend, kink or pull the power cable.
- When disconnecting the power cable from the AC outlet, be sure to hold the cable by the plug.  
Pulling the cable may cause wire breakage or short circuit, resulting in fire or electric shock.
- Do not connect or disconnect the plug of the power cable to/from the AC outlet using wet hands.  
Doing so may result in electric shock.
- Do not touch the product with wet hands while the power cable is connected to the AC outlet.  
Doing so may result in electric shock.
- If the product will not be used for a long period, disconnect the power cable from the power source. Leaving the cable connected to the power socket for a prolonged period will consume electricity and may result in heating.

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# 1. Function Introduction

Keratometer was developed under the guidance of Optometry Center. This instrument can give a precise examination of the radius of curvature of the anterior corneal surface. This measurement is utilized to fit contact lenses and to monitor corneal changes produced through the wear of contact lenses. Keratometer are occasionally used to assist in the recognition of certain corneal abnormalities and to check the radii of curvature of both hard and soft contact lenses. The program can be operated with considerable ease.

## 2. Name of Parts

### 1. Protractor scale

Indicates the axis of astigmatism.

### 2. Adjustable eyepiece control

Adjustable from to diapers to correct for operator spherical error.

### 3. Horizontal knob

### 4. Axis rotating handle

Must be turned to locate the axis of astigmatism when there is horizontal Displacement of the + and - mire images.

### 5. Vertical knob

Is revolved to coincide the +and +marks of the mire images for finding the radius of curvature of the vertical axis. Vertical -, horizontal and height adjustment improve performance and focus correctly

### 6. Operating Rod

### 7. Up-Down adjustable knob

Height of Up-Down adjustable for accurate positioning

### 8. Power switch

### 9. Fluctuation Hand-wheel

Is revolved to coincide the-and-marks of the mire images for finding the radius of the horizontal axis

10. Chin-rest

11. Lamp-house

12. Glare shield

Helps to maintain fixation by blocking of no measured eye.

13. Headrest



### 3. Accessories

1. Standard balls: R7.15, R9, RIO.
2. Wording lamp (12v 10w): five
3. Standard ball measurement unit
4. Instruction: one
5. Conformity certification: one

### 4. Functions

1. The instrument efficiently measures the radius of curvature of the anterior corneal surface.  
One position measurement is not only more accurate but is truly effective in reducing measuring time and also helps promote patient's cooperation.  
The brightness of all three images is equal. The central image is double whenever the instrument is not focused precisely on the corneal mire image. This allows continuous monitoring of correct focus by the examiner.
2. Internal scale reading system. Beside the mire images, the millimeter scales for the radius of curve.  
Radius of curvature and the dipter scales for corneal refractive power are view at all times in the field of view.
3. Measurement of corneal astigmatism  
Horizontal displacement of the mire images indicates existence of astigmatism and axis rotating handle is used to coincide the measuring head with axis, after which the vertical and horizontal knobs are used to coincide the mire images, showing the great ease and simplicity of one position measurement.

### 5. Examination

#### Preparation

Use the Keratometer in a quite, darkened room, in order to keep the patients overcomes any apprehension about the examination. Fully explain the purpose and procedure of the examination before starting. Follow the produce as shown below to make the necessary preparations.

1. Verify the ovular surface of both eyes.

2. Connect the instrument power plug to the outlet.
3. Turn power switch on.
4. Seat the patient at the Keratometer to allow for the adaptation to the examination.
5. Adjust both the height of the chair and instrument to assure maximum comfort for the patient.
6. Place the patient's chin in the chinrest by using the chinrest height control. Center the patient's pupil in the system's axis when the patient will see his reflected eye image in the instrument.
7. Occlude the eye, which is not being tested.
8. When the occasion demands, use the headband to secure the patient's head in the chinrest assembly.

### **Examination**

1. Figure 3 the central image is double, indicating that the instrument is not correctly focused on the central image. Use the adjustment control to bring the central double image into clear one.
2. Figure 4 shows the view seen when instrument is in focus, the vertical doubling and the horizontal doubling is insufficient. Adjustment of the vertical knob and the horizontal knob would bring the two minus signs and the two plus into coincidence.
3. Figure 5 illustrates the view seen when oblique stigmatism is present. The entire instrument has been rotated slightly toward the axis of the astigmatism, but the two plus signs are not yet in alignment with each other. Further rotation would accomplish this alignment. Figure 6 Adjustment of the horizontal measurement control would bring the two plus signs, into coincidence. In the same way, adjusting the vertical measurement control would bring the minus signs, B and C into coincidence.
4. The vertical and horizontal degrees of doubling are correct.

### **Readings**

1. When the instrument is correctly aligned. Record the readings from the diagrams beside the images Fig-7.

2. When oblige sating mates is present record the degree of rotation instrument.

## **6. Maintenance**

1. The instrument should be avoided from any strong vibration or shock.
2. Measure the standard balls at regular to make the instrument accuracy.
3. Cover the instrument to keep it form dust when not used.
4. A rubber blower is provided to assist in removing dust, if the dust remains, a soft bristled brush may be utilized.

## **7. Precaution**

1. The instrument should be placed in an area that will be free of excessive Temperature and humidity. The room should have adequate humidity. Be free of dust the instrument should not be in direct sunlight.
2. The instrument should be installed in a table position. Avoiding any vibrations or shock.
3. The correct current voltage and frequency must be used.
4. All cords should be correctly connected.
5. The instrument should be properly grounded.
6. Proper comfort patient position is essential for an effective exam.
7. When disconnecting any cable, never use excessive force and do not attempt to disconnect any cable by pulling on the cord itself.
8. In the event that the instrument requires any service, contact your authorized distributor. Only qualified service personnel should make repairs.
9. Any modification to the unit may affect its performance, as well as voiding the warranty.



## 8. Common Trouble Shooting

Symptoms	Cause
1. No mire image	Has the fuse blown?
2. Head scale image damaged	Main lamp damaged? Has the scale lamp?
3. Head rest does not move up or down	The rod of headrest needs Grease?

## 9. Specifications

Range of corneal radius of curvature	5.5-11mm
Range of corneal refractive power	35-68D
Power	110V, SOW
Axis of corneal astigmatism	0 -180°
Head-rest Adjustment range	90
Mainframe volume	300x280x510 mm <sup>3</sup>

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