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YSI Model 55 Dissolved Oxygen Meter

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INSTRUMENT OPERATING PROCEDURE

INSTRUMENT:

Dissolved oxygen meter

MODEL:

55

MANUFACTURER:

Yellow Springs Instrument Co., Inc.

SERIAL AND PROPERTY NOS:

Model number	Location	Serial number	Property number	Identifying number
55	MBS	97H1426AH	1030	1
55	MBS	95H36679	386707	2
55	MBS	02B0232AC	1580	3
55	MBS	02B0232AH	1581	4
55	SLCC	4003224	05-01	05-01
55	SLCC	5K2320AD	05-54	05-54

PRECAUTIONS:

POTENTIAL INTERFERENCES

Chlorine, sulfur dioxide, nitric oxide, and nitrous oxide can affect readings by behaving like oxygen at the membrane. Static electricity may affect readings.

SAFETY

No special precautions

PROCEDURES:

- I. Meter preparation
 - A. At initial set-up six AA-size batteries are installed.
 - 1. Use a screwdriver or coin to remove the thumbscrew on the bottom of the meter.
 - 2. Open the battery-chamber cover.
 - 3. Install the batteries according to the label on the battery-chamber sleeves.
 - 4. Press and release the ON/OFF button on the front of the instrument. The LCD will come on; if not, consult the troubleshooting guide.
 - 5. This procedure is also used when **LO BAT** appears on the LCD.
 - B. Remove the probe from the calibration chamber and add 6-8 drops of distilled water into the sponge on the bottom of the chamber. Turn the instrument over to allow excess water to drain.
 - C. Prepare the probe: this procedure is used at initial set-up and when membrane replacement is necessary.
 - 1. Unscrew the probe sensor guard.
 - 2. Remove the O-ring and old membrane (if present).
 - 3. Rinse the sensor tip and KCl reservoir with distilled water.
 - 4. Prepare the electrolyte according to the directions on the KCl solution bottle.
 - 5. Install the membrane (YSI Model 5775 standard membrane; 1 mil recommended).
 - a. Secure a membrane between your thumb and the probe body. Add electrolyte to the probe until a large meniscus completely covers the gold cathode. Do not touch the center of the membrane.
 - b. With the thumb and forefinger of your other hand, grasp the free end of the membrane and with a continuous motion, stretch the membrane up, over, and down the other side of the sensor. Stretching forms the membrane to the contour of the sensor tip.
 - c. Secure the end of the membrane under your forefinger while continuing to hold the probe.

- d. Roll the O-ring over the end of the probe, while being careful not to touch the membrane surface. Leave no wrinkles in the membrane or trapped air bubbles under the membrane. Minor wrinkles may be removed by lightly tugging on the edges of the membrane beyond the O-ring.
- e. Trim excess membrane from the probe with scissors or a sharp knife. Check that the stainless steel temperature sensor is not covered by excess membrane.
- f. Shake off excess KCl and rinse the stainless steel thoroughly with distilled water to prevent corrosion. Reinstall the sensor guard. Store the sensor in a humid environment such as the calibration chamber between measurements and when not in use.

II. Calibration

- A. Ensure that the sponge inside the instrument calibration chamber is wet. Insert the probe into the calibration chamber.
- B. Turn the instrument on by pressing the **ON/OFF** button on the front of the instrument. Wait a few minutes for the dissolved oxygen and temperature readings to stabilize.
- C. Use two fingers to press and release the two "up" and "down" arrow keys at the same time.
- D. The LCD will prompt you to enter the local altitude in hundreds of feet. Use the arrow keys to increase or decrease the altitude (example: entering the number 12 indicates 1200 feet). When the proper altitude appears on the LCD, press the **ENTER** key once to view the calibration value and a second time to move to the salinity compensation procedure.
- E. The LCD will prompt you to enter the approximate salinity of the water you are about to analyze. Use the arrow key to decrease the salinity compensation to 0 (fresh water value). When 0 appears on the LCD, press the **ENTER** key.
- F. It may be necessary to re-calibrate the instrument each time the YSI Model 55 is turned off. Complete all calibrations at a temperature as close as possible to the sample temperature.

III. Oxygen measurement

- A Once the calibration is complete, the only keys which will remain operational are the **MODE** key, the **LIGHT** key, and the **ON/OFF** key.
- B. Place the probe in the water. When measuring oxygen concentration of stream water, immerse the probe in slow moving water away from riffles or highly aerated areas.
- C. Slowly move the probe to maintain movement of water across the membrane. Stream current furnishes sufficient movement when measuring the oxygen content of stream water.
- D. Allow sufficient time for the probe to stabilize before measuring temperature and dissolved oxygen concentration.
- E. Move between the mg/L and % air saturation mode by pressing the **MODE** key; the **LIGHT** key activates the back-light on the LCD.
- F. The **ON/OFF** key turns the instrument off.

- IV. Storage
 - A. Turn the **ON/OFF** switch to OFF.
 - B. Add a small quantity of deionized water to the sponge in the calibration chamber.
 - C. Rinse probe with deionized water.
 - D. Return the probe to the calibration chamber.
 - E. Return the meter to the storage case and secure.

MAINTENANCE:

- I. Battery replacement see section I.A.
- II. Membrane replacement see section I.C.

REFERENCE:

Operations Manual YSI Model 55 Handheld Dissolved Oxygen System

This procedure has been reviewed and approved by the undersigned representatives of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and Fisheries and Oceans Canada.

Field Supervisor (U.S.) DATE 2-12-14 REVIEWED/APPROVED____ REVIEWED/APPROVED DATE 2-12-14

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Attachments

YSI Model 55 Dissolved Oxygen Meters

DISSOLVED OXYGEN METER

YSI Model 55

Serial number	
Property number	
Unit number	
Location	

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Date	Time	Initials	Stream	Temp. (C ⁰)	Calibration value	Remarks and maintenance

SEA LAMPREY CONTROL PROGRAM DOCUMENTATION OF INITIALS

(All personnel trained to operate this instrument must sign and initial this form)

OPERATOR	INITIALS

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YSI Model Pro 20 Oxygen Meters

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INSTRUMENT OPERATING PROCEDURE

INSTRUMENT:

Dissolved oxygen meter

MODEL:

Pro 20

MANUFACTURER:

Yellow Springs Instrument Co., Inc.

SERIAL AND PROPERTY NOS:

Model Number	Location	Serial number	Property number	Identifying number
Pro 20	SLCC	11G101544	11-54	11-54
Pro 20	SLCC	11J10029	11-53	11-53
Pro 20	SLCC	13A102273	12-29	12-29
Pro 20	MBS	09M100314	3139	Base 1
Pro 20	MBS	09M100315	3140	Base 2
Pro 20	LBS	10D100417	LFY10-182	1
Pro 20	LBS	10D100419	LFY10-183	2
Pro 20	LBS	13A101464	13-004	3
Pro 20	LBS	13A101645	13-005	4

PRECAUTIONS:

POTENTIAL INTERFERENCES

Chlorine, sulfur dioxide, nitric oxide, and nitrous oxide can affect readings by behaving like oxygen at membrane. Static electricity may affect readings.

Gold Cathode - The gold cathode on the sensor must be textured properly. It may becomes tarnished or plated with silver after extended periods of use.

Bubbles under the membrane cap.

Remove excessive water in calibration/storage sleeve.

SAFETY

No Special precautions

PROCEDURES:

- I. Meter preparation and maintenance
 - A. Program the DO meter to allow it to recognize the Poloragraphic 2003 model probe (engraved on the side of sensor body). See the system setup menu section of the Pro20 Instruction Manual for directions. This procedure is done only during initial setup or when changing probe models.
 - B. Battery installation or replacement of two alkaline C-size batteries.
 - 1. Use a screwdriver to remove the 4 screws on the back cover of the meter.
 - 2. Lift off the battery-chamber cover.
 - 3. Install the batteries according to the inscribed battery symbols on the inside of the battery chamber. Make sure batteries are in correct polarity.
 - 4. Close the battery chamber cover and secure cover with the 4 screws.
 - 5. Press and release the **ON/OFF** button (\$\$) on the front of the instrument. The LCD will come on; if not, consult the trouble shooting guide in the Pro 20 Instruction Manual.
 - 6. A battery symbol will appear in the lower, left corner of the display to indicate low batteries when about 1 hour of battery life remains.
 - 7. Follow this procedure when the low battery symbol appears in the display.
 - 8. To turn off the unit, press and hold the **power /backlight** key for three seconds.
 - C. Connect the cable/probe assembly to the meter.
 - 1. Align the keys in the cable connector to the slots in the meter connector.
 - 2. Push together and twist the outer ring clockwise until it locks into place.
 - 3. To remove the probe, twist the outer ring until keys and slots are aligned and then pull apart the connectors.

- D. Initial sensor installation and maintenance. This section can be skipped if not replacing a sensor.
 - 1. Remove/unscrew the metal guard.
 - 2. To properly install a new sensor, insure that both the sensor connector and sensor port on the cable stay dry during this entire procedure.
 - 3. If replacing the old sensor, remove it by twisting the sensor counter-clockwise.
 - 4. Align the pin in the bulkhead and the sensor connector and push the sensor into the connector on the cable until it is firmly seated and only 1 o-ring is visible on the sensor.
 - 5. Twist the sensor clockwise to engage threads and finger tighten.
 - 6. Replace the metal guard.
- E. Sensor membrane installation maintenance.
 - 1. Change membrane and oxygen probe electrolyte solution every 30 days.
 - 2. Remove the metal sensor guard.
 - 3. If installing a membrane for the first time, remove the protective cap or remove the old membrane cap by unscrewing it with the probe upside down.
 - 4. Examine the gold cathode at the tip of the sensor and silver anode along the shaft of the sensor. If either the silver anode is black in color or the gold cathode is dull (tarnished), the sensor needs maintenance or replacement. Refer to the Pro20 Instruction Manual, GENERAL MAINTENANCE, of polarographic sensor (Model # 605203).
 - 5. Rinse the sensor with de-ionized water.
 - 6. Fill a new membrane cap (5908 Kit Yellow, 1.25 mil polyethylene) with oxygen probe electrolyte Solution. Do not touch the membrane surface.
 - 7. Tap the side of the membrane cap to release air bubbles.
 - 8. Thread the membrane cap onto the sensor with the probe upside down.
 - 9. Replace the metal sensor guard.
- F. Storage of the DO probe.
 - 1. Short term storage (30 days or less), slide probe into soft plastic calibration/storage sleeve. Make sure there is a <u>small</u> amount of moisture (tap water) on a sponge in the sleeve.

- 2. Long term storage, store sensor in a dry state.
 - a. Remove the membrane cap.
 - b. Thoroughly rinse the sensor with water.
 - c. Let sensor air dry, completely.
 - d. Use a clean dry membrane cap and screw over the sensor to keep it dry and protected.
 - e. Store at -5 to 70C.

II. Pro20 Key Pad Functions.

- A. Refer to the Pro20 Instruction Manual to setup meter configuration prior to initial use.
 - 1. Backlight key (\diamondsuit) ; after the unit is turned on, press the star key. The backlight will remain on for 2 minutes unless the star key is pressed again.
 - 2. Navigation; the up \blacktriangle and down \lor arrow keys allow you to navigate the highlighted box at the bottom of the display. In the Menu, the arrow keys will also move the highlight bar up and down.
 - 3. Accessing highlighted options; use the **ENTER ◄---** key.
 - 4. Calibration key; **Cal**, used for calibrating the meter.
 - 5. The **menu** key, used for accessing the system setup functions.

III. Calibration

- A. Ensure that the following is completed before calibrating; the barometer is reading accurately and the sponge is wet in the probe calibration/sleeve. If the auto shutoff is already set for 20 minutes or more this section can be skipped.
 - 1. Power the meter on and wait 10 to 15 minutes.
 - 2. The auto shut off timer should be disabled or set to at least 20 minutes.
 - 3. Press **Menu** on the keypad.
 - 4. Scroll down to **Auto Shutoff**.
 - 5. Press **ENTER ---**, Time in Minutes will appear.
 - 6. Press ENTER **◄--**, This will allow the meter to select the amount of minutes before meter will shut off.
 - 7. Select the desired amount of minutes by scrolling \blacktriangle up or \checkmark down to increase the minutes or decrease the number of minutes.
 - 8. Press ENTER ◄--, to exit Time in Minutes. The ESC (exit) box will be highlighted.
 - 9. Press ENTER **◄--**, ENTER **◄--**, to return to the running screen.

- B. One Touch Calibration Method (for % DO). Calibrate the meter in % dissolved oxygen to insure accuracy in the following steps of section B and C. This method does not let you see the calibration value to record it.
 - 1. Power the meter on and wait for 10 to 15 minutes, if meter is not already turned on.
 - 2. Adjust the auto shut off to at least 20 minutes if not already done. See section
 - 3. Calibration can be done by selecting **Menu** on the key pad.
 - 4. Scroll down, select the One Touch Calibration method.
 - 5. Then scroll down and select **ESC** box at the bottom of the display by pressing the **Enter ◄--.** Skip steps 2, 3, and 4 after configuring the meter for future One Touch Calibrations.
 - 6. Press and hold the **Cal** key for three seconds. The words Calibrating % DO will be displayed.
 - 7. When the calibration is completed, the phrase Calibration Successful will appear in a highlighted box on the display for a few seconds. Then the instrument will return to the run screen.
 - 8. If unsuccessful, an error message will appear on the screen. Press the **Cal** key to exit the calibration error message and return to the run screen. See the trouble shooting guide in the Instruction Manual for a possible solution.
- C. Normal Calibration Method (for % DO). This is the preferred method. Recording calibration values in this Instrument Operation Manual is required by the Standard Operating Procedures.
 - 1. Select **Menu** on the meter keypad.
 - Scroll down and de-select the One Touch Calibration Method by pressing Enter
 -- when highlighted.
 - 3. Scroll down to and select the **Esc** box at the bottom of the display. The run screen should now be displayed.
 - 4. Press and hold the **Cal** key for three seconds.
 - 5. Scroll to select a calibration mode, either calibrate in ppm or %, Select %.
 - 6. Press ENTER *◄--*. The meter will display a calibration value, temperature in degrees C, and the % air saturation. The Calibration Value is base on the current barometric pressure. Wait at least three seconds, then record the information in the SOP log book.
 - 7. Press Enter <--. Calibration Successful should be displayed on the screen for 3 seconds.
 - 8. If Unstable Reading is displayed on the screen, press **Cal** on the key pad to cancel calibration and repeat procedure.
 - 9. The meter will return to the run screen. If an error occurred, check the troubleshooting guide for a possible solution.

IV. Measurements

- A. Insure the cable/probe is connected to the meter.
- B. Be sure the YSI Pro20 DO Meter has been calibrated.
- C. Turn the instrument on and wait 10-15 minutes while the probe remains in the calibration/storage sleeve.
- D. Place the probe in the sample to be measured.
- E. Shake the probe in the sample to release air bubbles.
- F. Allow temperature reading to stabilize.
- G. Stir the sample water with the probe at a moderate pace. You must provide 6 inches of water movement per second across the sensor membrane to obtain an accurate reading. Be careful not to create a vortex which allows air bubbles to pass against the membrane.
- H. When the % DO value is stabilized, record the measurement.
- I. The DO values will decrease if stirring ceases.

MAINTENANCE:

See instrument manual.

REFERENCE:

User Manual YSI Model Pro20 Handheld Dissolved Oxygen Meter System

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Attachments

YSI Model Pro 20 Dissolved Oxygen Meters

DISSOLVED OXYGEN METER

YSI Model Pro 20

Serial number	
Property number	
Unit number	
Location	

Date	Time	Initials	Stream	Temp. (C ⁰)	Calibration value	Remarks and maintenance

SEA LAMPREY CONTROL PROGRAM DOCUMENTATION OF INITIALS

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OPERATOR	INITIALS

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Thermo Scientific Orion Star A223 Portable Dissolved Oxygen Meter

IOP:011.0D

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INSTRUMENT OPERATING PROCEDURE

INSTRUMENT:

Dissolved oxygen meter

MODEL:

Orion Star A223

MANUFACTURER:

Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc.

SERIAL AND PROPERTY NOS:

Model Number	Location	Serial number	Property number	Identifying number
Orion Star A223	MBS	K00334	3205	1

PRECAUTIONS:

POTENTIAL INTERFERENCES

Alcohols greater than 5% hydrogen peroxide, commercial bleach, gaseous chlorine, and gaseous sulfur dioxide can affect readings. Static electricity may affect reading.

Excessive water in calibration/storage sleeve.

Note: The RDO cap is only good for 365 days. The countdown begins with first reading taken. Err 881 will appear when the RCO cap has expired.

SAFETY

No Special precautions

PROCEDURES:

- I. Meter preparation
 - A. Battery installation or replacement of four alkaline AA-size batteries.
 - 1. Use a screwdriver to remove the 2 screws on the back cover of the meter.
 - 2. Remove the battery-chamber cover.
 - 3. Install the batteries according to the inscribed battery symbols on the inside of the battery chamber. Make sure batteries are in correct polarity.
 - 4. Close the battery chamber cover and secure cover with the 2 screws.
 - 5. Press and release the **POWER** button on the front of the instrument. The LCD will come on; if not, the replacement batteries may be bad.
 - 6. A battery life indicator will appear in the upper, left corner of the display showing the remaining battery power.
 - 7. To turn off the unit, press and hold the **POWER** button for three seconds.
 - B. Initial Sensor/Probe preparation
 - 1. **NOTE**:
 - 1) Do not touch the bottom of the RDO cap, optical window or spring contacts on the RDO sensor.
 - 2) The silicone grease that is supplied with the RDO sensor should only be used to lubricate the two O-rings on the RDO sensor. Do not fill the RDO cap with the grease.
 - 3) The RDO cap has an internal clock that counts down the 365 day lifespan of a new cap. This countdown begins with the first measurement taken.
 - 2. Remove the protective shipping cap from the end of the RDO sensor.
 - 3. Lubricate the two O-rings on the RDO sensor with a thin film of the silicone grease provided.
 - 4. Align the arrow on the RDO cap with the arrow on the RDO sensor.
 - 5. Slide and press the RDO cap onto the RDO sensor until the cap is flush with the sensor body. (**Do not twist the RDO cap**. Once the cap is installed, it should not be removed until a new cap is needed or troubleshooting needs to be performed).
 - 6. Connect the RDO sensor to the 9 pin input on the meter. An Err 880 message will appear if the sensor is not fully connected to the meter, and/or an Err 882 message will appear if the RDO cap is missing or not properly installed.

II. Calibration

- A. Remove the end cap from the calibration sleeve and remove the sponge from the sleeve. Saturate the sponge with distilled water and squeeze the excess water out of the sponge.
- B. Replace the sponge and the end cap.
- C. Turn power ON.
- D. Meter should now be in the measurement mode, press **f1 to select cal**.
- E. Use the up or down arrows to highlight **Air** and **press f3 to select**.
- F. Rinse probe with distilled water, blot dry with lint-free tissue, and attach the calibration sleeve.
- G. Wait about **5 minutes** for the RDO sensor to equilibrate.
- H. Press f3 (start).
- I. Wait for the DO reading on the meter to stabilize and stop flashing. Once the reading is stable, the meter will display "Reading is stable. Accept auto calibration value".
- J. Press **f2** (cal done).
- K. Press **f1** (**meas**) to get into measurement mode.

III. Measurements

- A. Make sure the meter is reading in **mg/l.** This can be changed with the **Mode** button.
- B. Rinse probe with distilled water and blot dry.
- C. If measurements are to be taken directly from stream or lake, attach the stainless steel protective guard, which also serves as a weight.
- D. Insert probe into sample or lower probe to desired depth and press **Measure** to start the measurement.
- E. When the **AR icon** stops flashing, record the dissolved oxygen and temperature. Press **Measure** again to start next measurement.
- F. When finished with final measurement, rinse probe with distilled water and return probe to the calibration sleeve. And turn off meter.
- IV. Storage
 - A. For short and long term storage, leave the RDO cap on the sensor, keep it in the calibration sleeve, making sure to wet the sponge with distilled water, and keep the sensor out of direct sunlight.

MAINTENANCE:

See instrument manual.

REFERENCE:

User Manual Thermo Scientific Orion Star A223 Portable RDO/DO Meter Instruction Sheet and User Guide.

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Field Supervisor (U.S.) REVIEWED/APPROVED_

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Attachments

Thermo Scientific Orion Star Portable Dissolved Oxygen Meter

DISSOLVED OXYGEN METER

Thermo Scientific Orion Star Portable Dissolved Oxygen Meter

Serial number	
Property number	
Unit number	
Location	

Date	Time	Initials	Stream	Temp. (C ⁰)	Calibration value	Remarks and maintenance

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