

# **Operating Instructions** EcoTestr Salt Waterproof Pocket Tester

**Before First Use:** Soak sensor for 2 minutes in alcohol to remove stains/oils. Rinse in clean water.

## **Testing:**

- 1. Remove cap and press (1) to turn on the tester
- 2. Dip sensor fully into the test solution
- 3. Stir once and let the reading stabilize. Note the measured value
- 4. To hold reading, press ( Screen flashes HD once, then displays measurement with blinking unit (ppt) to indicate that tester is in the hold mode. Press ( again to cancel hold mode (HC)
- 5. Press (1) to shut the tester off

**Note:** Tester automatically shuts off after 8.5 minutes of non-use to conserve batteries.

**Calibration:** The tester is factory calibrated. However, to ensure accuracy, regular calibration is recommended.

- 1. Soak sensor for 10 minutes in alcohol to remove stains/oils. Rinse in clean water and blot sensor dry
- 2. Press (1) to turn on the tester
- 3. Dip sensor fully into standard solution and wait for the value to stabilize
- 4. Press (a) to enter the calibration sequence. Display flashes CAL momentarily and then shows a flashing default reading
- 6. Release (hold and wait for the auto confirmation
- 7. To abort calibration, press (cal) to escape (ESC)
- 8. You have successfully calibrated the instrument

**Maintenance:** Clean the stainless steel sensor by periodically rinsing them in alcohol for 10 - 15 minutes. Rinse sensor in clean water after each use.

**Useful Notes:** To avoid cross contamination, rinse between samples and calibration standards with de-ionized water.

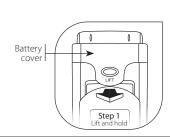




Figure 1: Removing battery cover to change batteries

## **Changing Batteries:**

- 1. To remove batteries, lift up the front battery cover to release the front catch. Push up and hold in that position
- 2. Next, lift the pocket clip to release the back catch and slide upwards to remove the battery cover (Figure 1)
- 3. Replace old batteries with fresh ones. Note polarity as shown in battery compartment
- 4. No re-calibration is required after battery change. The tester's non-volatile memory function retains calibration settings

#### **Error Messages:**

- 1. **bAt** Batteries are weak and need replacement
- 2. Er Calibration is performed in solution value below 5 % of full-scale range.
  Use higher value calibration standard
  - Faulty temperature sensor
- 3. Un Over range signal for measurements performed above the full-scale range

**Reset Option:** Reset option allows you to restore the calibration back to factory default settings.

- 1. Press (1) to turn off tester
- 2. Press and hold , then press to turn the tester on. The display shows a flashing r5t (reset)
- 3. Press  $\binom{\text{folio}}{\text{ent}}$  again to confirm reset (Ent) or press  $\binom{\text{cal}}{\text{ent}}$  to escape (ESL) reset option

**Warranty:** This tester is supplied with a warranty against manufacturing defects for a period of ONE year from date of purchase.

#### **Accessories:**

	Oakton Order Code	Description
ECNACL5PPT	_	5 ppt NaCl calibration solution
=	35653-15	3.00 ppt NaCl solution, box of 20 single use pouches





