

TM-2430

Recorder for Ambulatory blood
pressure monitor

INSTRUCTION MANUAL

Ambulatory Blood Pressure Monitor



Note This manual and or the TM-2430 may be changed at any time to improve the product without notice.



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Before use



Compliance

Compliance with European Directive 93/42 EEC for Medical Products

The device conforms to the following requirements: European Directive 93/42 EEC for Medical Products; Medical Products Act; European Standards for Electrical Medical Equipment EN60601-1 (General Safety Provisions), EN60601-2-30 (Particular Requirements for the Safety of Automatic Cycling Indirect Blood Pressure Monitoring Equipment), EN60601-1-2 and EN55011 (Electromagnetic Compatibility); European Standards pertaining to Non Invasive Blood Pressure Instruments EN1060-1 (General Requirements), EN1060-3 (Supplementary Requirements for Electromechanical Blood Pressure Measuring Systems). The above is evidenced by the CE mark of conformity accompanied by the reference number of a designated authority. This device is designed for adults only.

Compliance with FCC Rules

Please note that this equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy. This equipment has been tested and has been found to comply with the limits of a Class A computing device pursuant to Subpart J of Part 15 of FCC rules. These rules are designed to provide reasonable protection against interference when this equipment is operated in a commercial environment. If this unit is operated in a residential area it might cause some interference and under these circumstances the user would be required to take, at his own expense, whatever measures are necessary to eliminate the interference. (FCC: Federal Communications Commission in the U.S.A.)

Compliance with the Australian EMC Framework

The device conforms to the following requirements: EMC Emission standard for industrial, Scientific & Medical equipment AS/ NZS 2064-1997, EMC Generic Immunity standard AS/ NZS 4252. 1-1994. The above is evidenced by the C-Tick label.



Definitions

SYS	Systolic Blood Pressure
DIA	Diastolic Blood Pressure
DSD	The Difference between Systolic Blood Pressure and Diastolic Blood Pressure.
Exhaust	This means "releasing the cuff air as soon as possible".
Constant exhaust	This means "releasing the cuff air in a constant depressurization rate".
Exhaust velocity	This means the rate of depressurizing the cuff air.
During a measurement	This means "a period between the start of cuff inflation and the end of exhausting the air".
Interval	This is called "block". A block consists of a start time and frequency.
bpm	beats per minute.



Precautions for Use

Precautions

Batteries

- Use alkaline batteries (LR6 type, AA type, Mignon) or suitable Ni-Cd batteries.
- Do not mix new and used batteries in the recorder.
- Remove the batteries from the recorder, if it will not be used for a long period of time and unless there is no risk of a SAFETY HAZARD arising.

A malfunctioning recorder

- If the recorder malfunctions, stop the operation, attach a note "Do not use this recorder" and store in a safe place to avoid mis-use.

Training

- Instruct the patient on how to stop the operation if there is an abnormal measurement, and how to remove the cuff if there is excessive arm pain.
- Advise the patient on how to cope with mis-operation and contingencies

Repair

- Do not open the recorder case. Contact the nearest A&D office if you have questions.

Blood pressure measurement

- Use the recorder for adult.
- The recorder may not make a measurement when a patient has continuous arrhythmia or the recorder senses noise due to the patients movement.
- Please check measurement values by other methods, if you suspect an value.
- Do not use this recorder on a person who is using a heartlung machine and a defibrillator.
- Do not use this recorder on a person who is critical or is in an intensive care unit.

Saving power

- Turn off the power switch when not in use.
- Please transfer the data as soon as possible. All measurement data, clock parameters, measurement parameters and internal system parameters are preserved by backup battery when turning the power switch off. The backup battery life is few days.

Data in memory

- A built-in backup battery keeps the important data in memory while replacing the main batteries. However it works for a short period of time, perform the battery replacement swiftly, or you may lose measurement data, the clock setting information and

automatic measurement condition data. The period varies depending on the battery condition. The backup battery may take 24 hours or more to be fully charged (depending on the battery condition).

- The built-in backup battery (rechargeable) as well as the primary battery (not rechargeable) will deteriorate along use, which causes to decrease its capacity. The built-in backup battery will deteriorate due to repetitive backup operations. To prevent the sudden drop of the built-in battery life, observe the following:
 - Before using the monitor for the first time after purchase or after an extended period of no use, charge the battery fully. It takes 24 hours or more with the power switch turned on. Charging can be performed during measurement.
 - After measurement, leave the battery inside and the power switch turned on. Under this condition, the built-in battery will not deteriorate. (This is true with the "B" sign displayed.)
 - When the monitor is not to be used for a month or longer, turn the power switch off to prevent the main batteries from leaking. During an extended period of no use, the built-in battery will deteriorate. To prevent the situation, use the monitor regularly.
 - When the power switch is turned on and off after a short period of use, the built-in battery will not be fully charged and the battery life will decrease. Avoid this situation.

Cuff

- Close the cuff fastener properly when attaching the cuff to a patient or replacing the cuff cloth. If the fastener is closed incorrectly, inflating cuff may damage this cuff.
- The cuff contains dry natural rubber.



Notes on the Blood Pressure Recorder

Storage

- Do not store the recorder in the following places.
 - Where the recorder might be splashed with water or other liquids. If the recorder soaked, it needs a repair. (Do not use the recorder.)
 - Where the temperature and humidity are high, or in direct sunlight.
 - Where the recorder may be influenced by vibration or shock.
 - Where there is dust, salt or sulfur.
 - Where medicines are stored, or medicines are evaporating.

Before use

- Cover the RS-232C terminal using the rubber cap, to avoid dust.
- Confirm that the recorder works correctly and measurement values are proper.
- Confirm that the cuff and air hose are connected properly.
- Confirm parts of contact with patient directly. Keep clean for these parts.
- Use clean cuff cover because of contact with patient directly.
- Clear the old data before starting a new measurement.
- Avoid strong magnetic field and static electricity.
- Do not use this recorder with a high frequency surgical equipment.

During use

- The recorder should be operated by a physician who knows it well.
- Use the recorder only during the time of diagnosis or medical treatment.
- Stop the use, if the patient feels pain in his arm or the recorder does not measure properly.
- It may reduced the measurement cycle due to environment.
- When an inside part of the recorder has been soaked (wetted), turn off the power switch and request service to your supplier or the A&D service group.

After use

- Clean the recorder, cuff and accessories for the next use. Do not pull or kink hoses. Do not use organic solvent, antiseptic solution, etc.
- Turn off the power switch after measurement.
- Please use the original box for transportation.

Periodic maintenance

- The recorder is a precision instrument. Please check all functions (every year) periodically. Contact your nearest A&D office for this inspection.

Environmental protection

- If you disuse the recorder, remove Ni-Cd battery and built-in Li battery from this recorder.



- Disuse Ni-Cd battery to its exclusive trash can because of recycling it.
- Dispose of Li coin battery in the recorder as dangerous object properly.



Welcome



Welcome and Intention

Thank you for your Purchase!

The A&D TM-2430 ambulatory blood pressure recorder enables you to accurately take a patient's blood pressure, automatically, at different preset times throughout a 24-hours period.

Recently, in the treatment of patients with hypertension, there has been an increasing need to prescribe medication according to the particular blood pressure fluctuation pattern of the patient. These patterns can be made more evident by using the TM-2430 recorder, and analysis by a physician.

This manual will explain in simple language how this recorder works.

Patient

This blood pressure recorder is designed for an adult patient.

Environment

This blood pressure recorder is used in a hospital and / or patient's home.

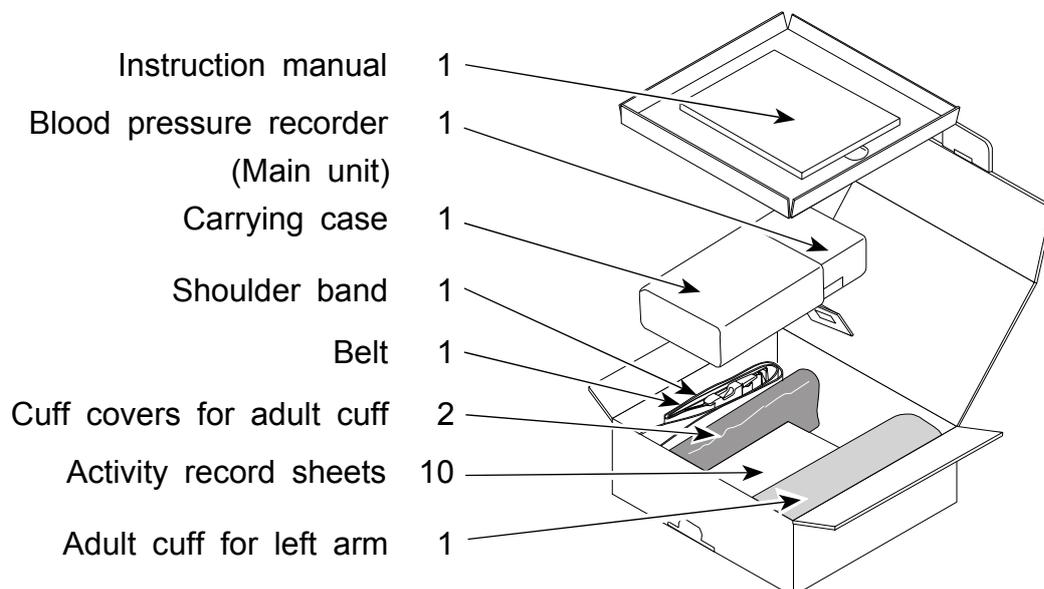


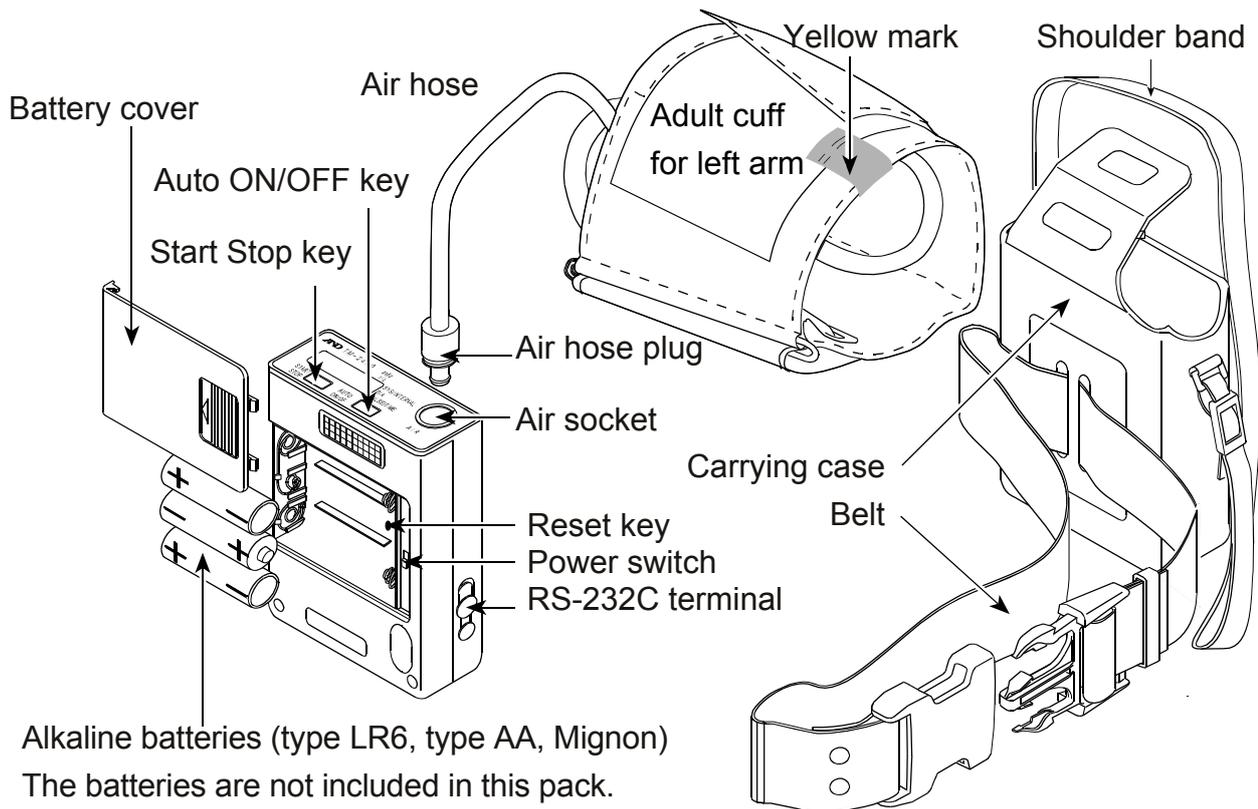
Product overview



Packing List and Component Names

When you open this box, make sure you have everything as shown here:

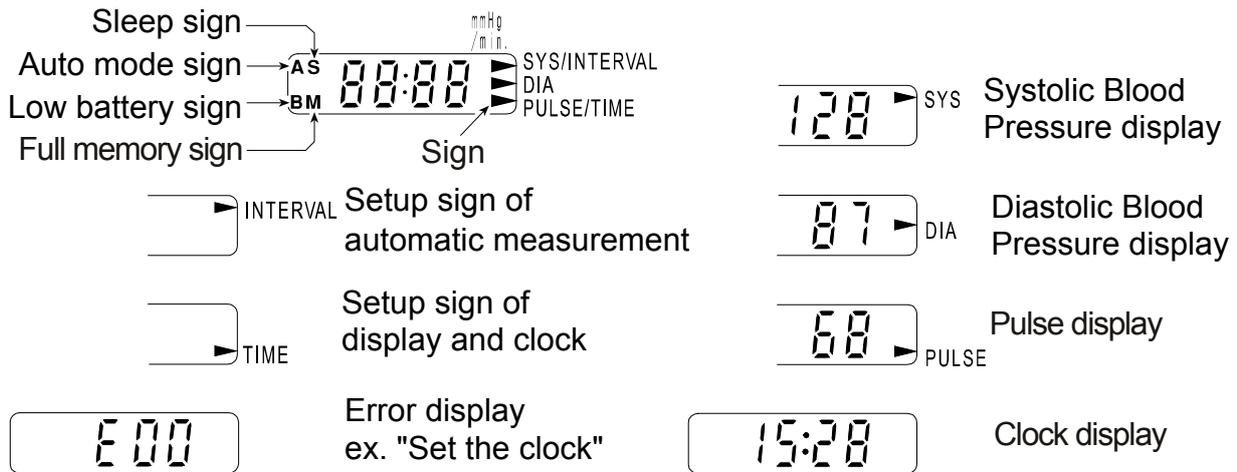




Name	Functions
Power switch	This is the main power switch. At the OFF state, all data and parameters are preserved by an backup battery. This backup battery life is approximately 10 days with the power off.
AUTO ON/OFF key	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •When you press and hold the AUTO ON/OFF key, the automatic measurement is started or stopped alternately. •When you press the AUTO ON/OFF key at mode II of the automatic measurement, "S" is displayed or turned off alternately. This sign changes the interval for sleep.
START STOP key	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • When you press the START STOP key, a blood pressure measurement is started at once. •When you press and hold the START STOP key for approx. 3 seconds, the recorder proceeds to "Selection for the automatic measurement". •When you press and hold the START STOP key for approx. 6 seconds, the recorder proceeds to "Parameters for the display and clock". •When you press and hold the START STOP key for approx. 9 seconds, the recorder proceeds to "Deleting old data".
RS-232C terminal	This terminal is used for data output to a printer or computer. The optional RS-232C cable is necessary to output the data.
Reset key	All data and parameters are deleted.



Display



Sign	Name	Functions
	Arrow	The arrow points to the kind of current display in the measurement result and function mode.
A	Automatic measurement	"A" is displayed when the automatic measurement is selected. When you press and hold the AUTO ON/OFF key, this sign is turned on or off alternately.
S	Sleep	When you press the AUTO ON/OFF key while in mode II of the automatic measurement, "S" is displayed or turned off alternately. With the "S" turned off, the time interval is 15 minutes. With the "S" turned on, the time interval is 30 minutes.
B	Low battery	When the recorder can not operate all functions due to low battery, this sign is displayed. The clock is still displayed. Please replace the batteries at once.
M	Full memory	When data memory is at full capacity, this sign is displayed. In this case, you can not perform another measurement. Transfer the data save in other media and delete. Then the "M" turns off.



Symbols

- Turning on the recorder.
- Turning off the recorder.
- Direction guide to install batteries.
- Direct current.
- Serial number.
- SN**
 Date of manufacture.
- 1997
- Attention symbol. "See instruction for use."
- Recorder, Cuffs and tubings are designed to have special protection against electric shocks.



Specifications



Features

Portability

- The recorder weighs approx. 215g (including batteries) and is palm top size, because a micro-pump is used.
- The recorder is powered by LR6 type (Mignon) alkaline batteries. It is possible to replace the LR6 type batteries with Ni-Cd rechargeable batteries.

Operation & management

- Clock and automatic measurement parameters may be set as needed.
- If you connect to a computer and use the optional software, clock and automatic measurement parameters can be set easily.
- There are three modes for automatic measurement.
- The recorder can transmit data to a printer directly. (An adaptable printer is necessary to print the data. Refer to Section "Data Transmission to a Printer" for specifications of the printer.)
- The recorder has the built-in chargeable coin Li battery to keep the clock and automatic measurement parameters.

Analysis

- The time interval may be changed as needed.
- The patient's blood pressure can be measured immediately at any time.
- If you use the optional software, you can analyze the data widely.

Smart measurement

- The measurement time is shortened by proper exhaust velocity control.
- The exhaust velocity adjustment is unnecessary, because the constant exhaust is properly controlled.
- In the automatic measurement, these inflation value and stop value at exhaust is managed to reduce the measurement time.



Functions and Specifications

Blood pressure measurement

- There are two ways of blood pressure measurement.

Automatic measurement----- This automatic measurement works in accordance with internal clock, preset time intervals and preset mode. The measurement data is saved in memory.

Manual measurement -----Any time you press the **START STOP** key, a blood pressure measurement is performed immediately. The measurement data is saved in the memory.

Automatic measurement

- This measurement starts or stops using the **AUTO ON/OFF** key. When this measurement is started, the recorder begins to work in accordance with preset time intervals from the preset time of the internal clock. Refer to "Selection for the automatic measurement".
- In the automatic measurement, an "A" appears in the upper left of the display.
- The recorder automatically measures the patient's blood pressure at the time that is pointed out by "the frequency" and "the start time" (by the programmed time intervals).
- When a measurement error occurs and there is 8 minutes until the next measurement, the measurement is retried after approx. 30 seconds.
- If a measurement is retried, only the data from the retry is saved.
- The recorder automatically adjusts the proper pressure, exhaust velocity and end of measurement.
- Refer to "Selection for the automatic measurement" and "Automatic measurement by programmed time intervals" about operation and entering parameters.

Stopping a measurement

- If you press the **START STOP** key during a measurement, the recorder exhausts the air and stops the measurement.

Concealing the measurement value

- This function works only while using automatic measurement.
- This function does not display the SYS, DIA or pulse rate for the automatic measurement, but the data is saved in memory.
- This function can select "reveal" or "conceal" at "Parameters for the display and clock". Refer to this section.
- If you select "conceal", the recorder displays the clock during a measurement.
- If you reset the recorder, this parameter is set to "reveal".

Pressurization

- The pressure is automatically selected by the recorder while in the automatic measurement mode.
- The first pressure is set to approx. 185 mmHg. This value automatically varies to the proper value after first measurement. If the first inflation is not successful, the recorder retries twice.
- If you reset the recorder, the first inflation value is set to 185 mmHg.

Memory

- The recorder can store 300 sets of data (the memory capacity is 300). A data set consists of a SYS, a DIA and a pulse rate.
- When memory becomes full, the recorder displays an "M". Until you clear the data, you can not measure blood pressure.



When the recorder saves data for more than one patient, data management becomes complication. We encourage that a patient's data is recorded, transferred and is cleared from memory.



When a "B" is displayed, the backup batteries that is preserving a patient's data are weak. Please transfer the data and save it to other media as soon as possible.

ID number

- If you reset the recorder, the ID number is set to "1".
- The ID number can be set using the optional software.

Performance specifications

Measurement method	Oscillometric
Pressurization	micro-pump Display range 0 ~ 320 mmHg Automatic measurement 85 ~ 300 mmHg(Fitted) Manual measurement 185 mmHg (Fixed)
Measurement range	Systolic Blood Pressure 60 ~ 280 mmHg Diastolic Blood Pressure 40 ~ 60 mmHg Pulse rate 30 ~ 200 bpm
Accuracy	Pressure ± 3 mmHg Blood pressure Conforming to 1992 AAMI standard Pulse rate ± 5 %
Minimum display division	Pressure 1 mmHg Pulse rate 1 bpm
Depressurization	Constant exhaust Controlled ceramic valve Exhaust Ceramic valve
Measurement	Automatic measurement Manual measurement
Number of measurement	Apporx. 200 times (It may reduce this number due to environment and capacity of Ni-Cd batteries)
Memory	Up to 300 sets of data
Display	Normal Clock During a measurement Pressure value After a measurement SYS, DIA and pulse rate Error code, function of concealing the measurement data
Clock	24-hours (1997~2096year, automatic leap year setting)
Batteries	3 x Alkaline battery (type LR6, type AA, Mignon) or 3 x Ni-Cd battery (type AA, Mignon)
Type of protecting against electric shock	Internally powered equipment type BF 
CE Marking	The label of the medical device by the EC directive. 
C-Tick Marking	The certification trade mark registered to the ACA by the Trademark office. 

AAMI : Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation

ACA: the Australian Communications Authority

CE marking and C-Tick marking are labeled only where they are required.

Interface	Connected to a computer, you can output the data and enter parameters. Connected to a printer, you can print the data. EIA RS-232C, Asynchronous, bi-directional, half duplex											
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Start bit Data bits Stop bits

RS-232C

1 -5V ~ -15V

0 +5V ~ +15V

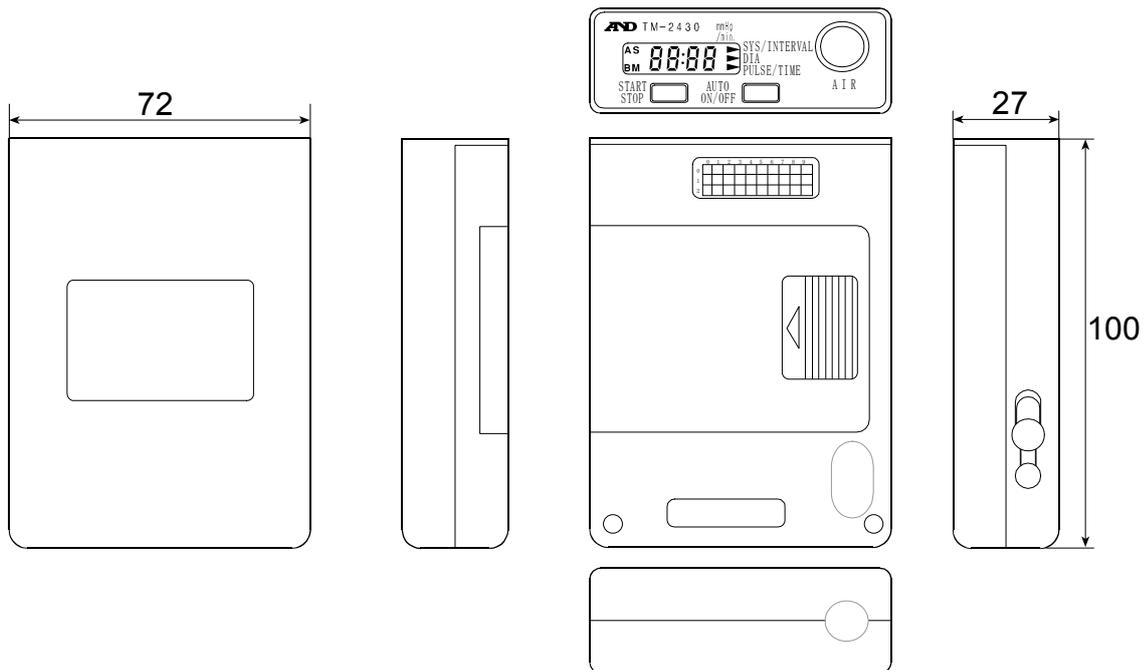
Environment specifications

Operating environment	+ 10° C ~ +40° C (+50° F ~ +104° F), Less than 85%RH *
Transport and Storage	- 20° C ~ +55° C (-4° F ~ +131° F), Less than 95%RH *

* Non Condensing

Physical specifications

Dimensions	72(W) x 100(D) x 27(H) mm 2.8(W) x 3.9(D) x 1.0(H) in.
Weight	Approx. 215 g (0.47lb) excluding cuff



UNIT:mm



The complete procedure for use



A Step by Step Procedure

Step 1 Battery replacement.
Replace with new alkaline batteries (note direction).
Refer to page 14, "Replacing Batteries".

Step 2 Turn on the recorder using the power switch.

Step 3 With the recorder turned on, select any operation to set the state.

Case 1 Normal state

The buzzer is sounded once and the clock is displayed. You can use this recorder at once. The recorder stores parameters for "display and clock" and "automatic measurement". Please proceed to **Step 5**.

Case 2 Error state

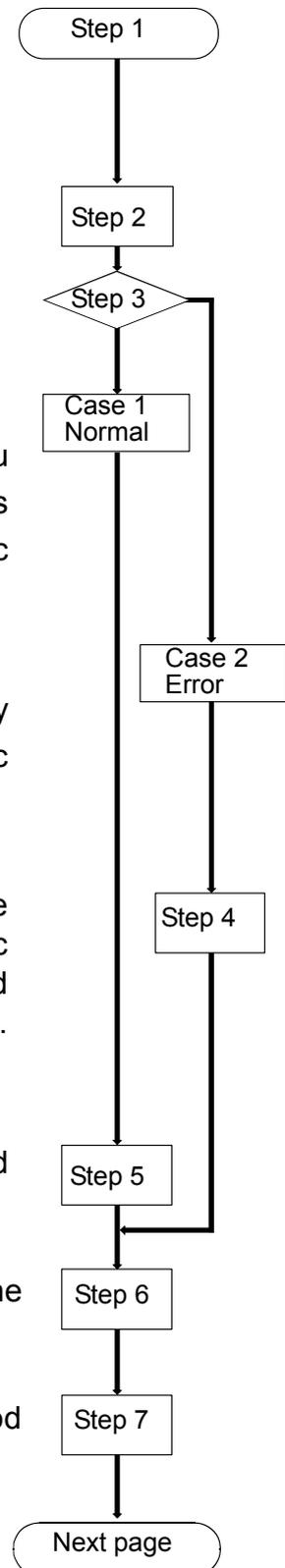
When the recorder displays the $E \square \square$ error code, it is necessary to set up parameters for "display and clock" and "automatic measurement". Please proceed to the next step.

Step 4 Set up parameters for "display and clock". When you use automatic measurement, set up parameters for automatic measurement. Refer to "Parameters for the Display and Clock" and "Selection for the Automatic Measurement". Please proceed to **Step 6**.

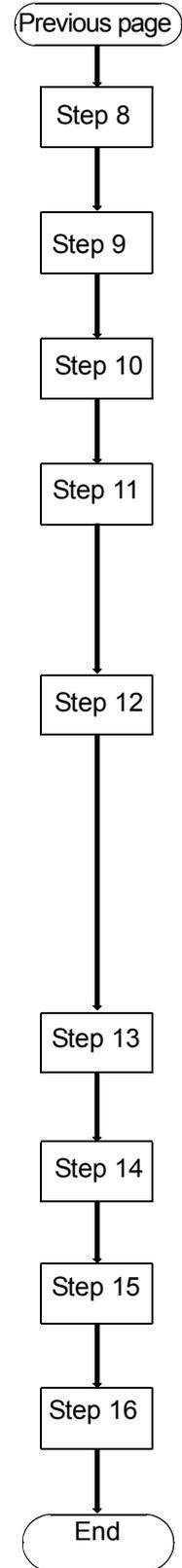
Step 5 Set up new parameters for "display and clock" and "automatic measurement", if necessary.

Step 6 Delete the old data stored in the recorder. Refer to the section "Deleting Old Data".

Step 7 Explain the "Patient Instructions" and "Notes on the Blood Pressure Recorder" to the patient.



- Step 8** Attach the cuff to the patient. Refer to "Attaching the Cuff and Recorder".
- Step 9** Attach the carrying case to patient and insert the recorder. Refer to "Attaching the Cuff and Recorder".
- Step 10** Start the automatic measurement. The recorder displays an "A". Refer to "Automatic Measurement".
- Step 11** The recorder starts the automatic measurement sequence. Check the recorder using the manual measurement with relaxed, but correct posture. Refer to "Manual Blood Pressure Measurement".
- Step 12** When using automatic measurement, consider the following.
 - Consider the sections "Patient instructions" and "Notes on the Blood Pressure Recorder".
 - When the patient uses mode II of automatic measurement, press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key with each rising and going to bed.
- Step 13** When the automatic measurement sequence is finished, turned off "A" sign. Refer to "Automatic Measurement".
- Step 14** Detach the cuff and recorder from the patient.
- Step 15** Transfer the patient's data and save it to other media. Refer to "Data transfer".
- Step 16** Clean the cuff and recorder and place in storage. Refer to the sections "Before use" and "Maintenance".





Initializing the recorder



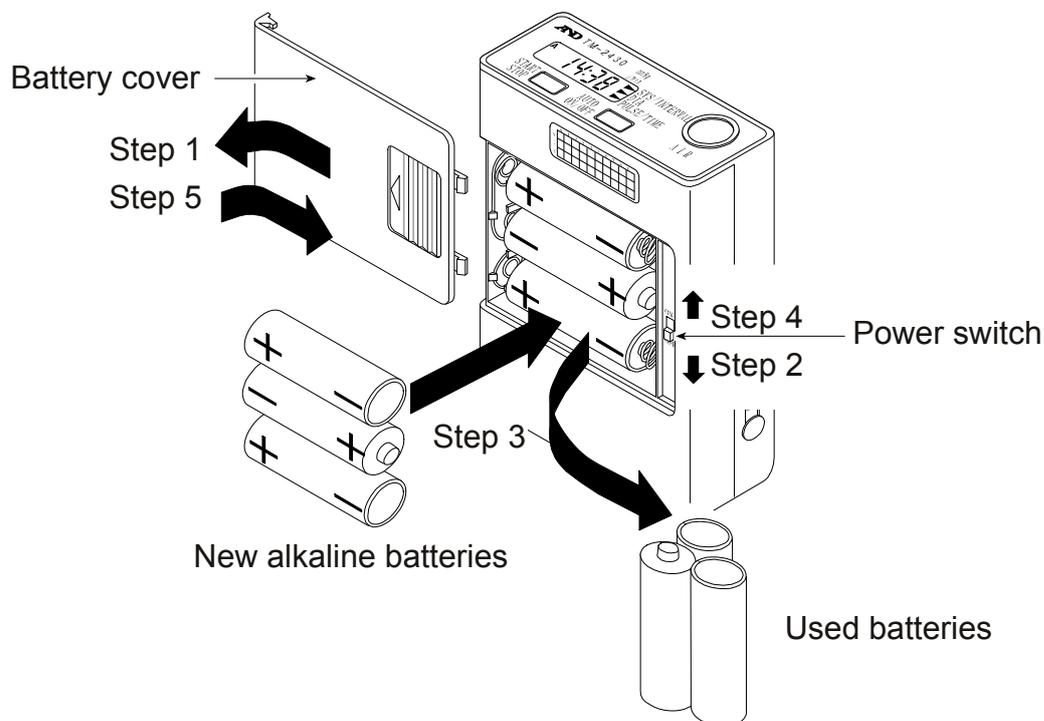
Replacing Batteries

Caution

- When "B" is displayed before a measurement, the recorder can not make a measurement. Please replace the new batteries before using.
- If "B" is displayed during the measurement, stop the measurement and replace the new batteries at once.
- Use alkaline batteries or the specified rechargeable batteries for the recorder.
- Do not use new and used batteries at the same time.

Steps for replacing the batteries

- Step 1** Open the battery cover.
- Step 2** Turn off the power switch.
- Step 3** Replace with new batteries. (note the direction, "+" and "-".)
- Step 4** Turn on the power switch.
- Step 5** Close the battery cover.





The State of Turning on the Recorder

There are three types of state when the recorder is turned on. Select a operation. Refer to the section "The complete procedure for use" about use.

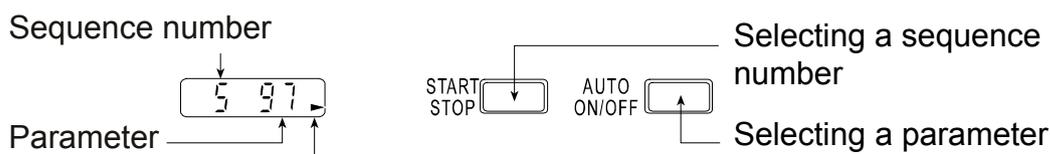
Action when the recorder is turned on.	State of recorder	Treatment (Operation)
The buzzer sounds once and the clock is displayed. (Normal state)	The recorder storage parameters of "display and clock" and "automatic measurement".	You can use the recorder at once.
The buzzer is sounded once and $E 00$ is displayed blinking.	All parameters are lost.	Set up parameters of "display and clock" and "Automatic measurement".
The buzzer sounds four times and $E 00$ is displayed blinking.	The state after reset. All parameters are lost.	



Parameters for the Display and Clock

This setting selects the display during automatic measurement sequence and adjusts the clock parameters. The sequence number tells you which parameter you are adjusting.

Display & key



Sign of setting up parameters for display and clock

Items

Sequence number	Value & range	Meaning of parameters	
1	0	Displaying clock only in automatic measurement	
	1	Displaying pressure and result in automatic measurement	$1 \ 1$
5	00 ~ 99	Years (1997 ~ 2096)	$5 \ 97$
6	01 ~ 12	Month	$6 \ 1$
7	01 ~ 31	Day	$7 \ 1$
8	00 ~ 23	Hour	$8 \ 0$
9	00 ~ 59	Minute	$9 \ 00$

Steps for setting the display and clock

This explanation uses the following examples.

ex. After reset, the measurement value is not displayed.

The clock is adjusted to 1997/ 05/ 27 14:28.

Step 1 Press and hold the **START STOP** key for approx. 6 seconds. The recorder displays  for adjusting the display and clock.

Step 2 Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key so as to display .
(A selection where a clock is displayed only in automatic measurement)

Step 3 Press the **START STOP** key. The current year is displayed.

Step 4 Press the **START STOP** key. The current month is displayed.

Step 5 Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key to display 5 (for May).

Step 6 Press the **START STOP** key. The current day is displayed.

Step 7 Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key to display 27 (27th day).

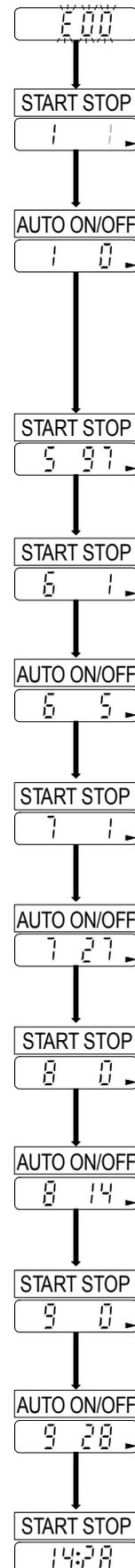
Step 8 Press the **START STOP** key. The current hour is displayed.

Step 9 Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key to display 14 (14th hour).

Step 10 Press the **START STOP** key. The current minute is displayed.

Step 11 Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key to display 28 (28th minute).

Step 12 Press the **START STOP** key to save these parameters. Then the recorder displays the clock.





Selection for the Automatic Measurement

This setting initializes measurement intervals that is based on the internal 24-hour clock.

Mode

mode I 07:00 ~ 21:59 The measurement is performed every quarter hour.
 22:00 ~ 06:59 The measurement is performed every half hour.

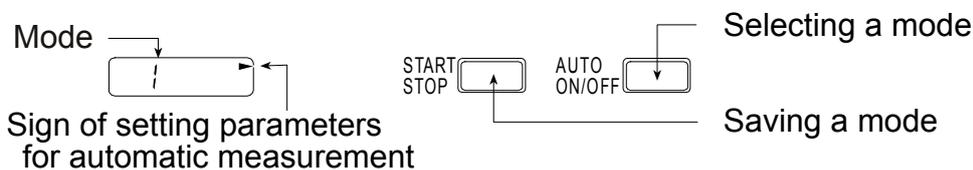
mode II The **AUTO ON/OFF** key is pressed at rising and going to bed so that the measurement intervals are changed and the time during sleep can be distinguished on the data.

When the "S" is off, the measurement is performed every quarter hour.

When the "S" is displayed, the measurement is performed every half hour.

mode III The measurement interval can change six times within a maximum of 24-hours. (The recorder can store six measurement intervals (blocks) in 24-hours. A block consists of a start time and frequency.)

Display & key



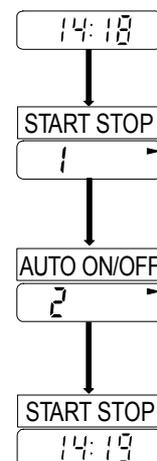
Steps for selecting a mode

ex. Mode II is selected.

Step 1 Press and hold the **START STOP** key for about 3 seconds. The current mode is displayed.

Step 2 Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key so as to display **2** of mode II.

Step 3 Press the **START STOP** key. The recorder stores the mode and displays the clock.



Mode III Settings

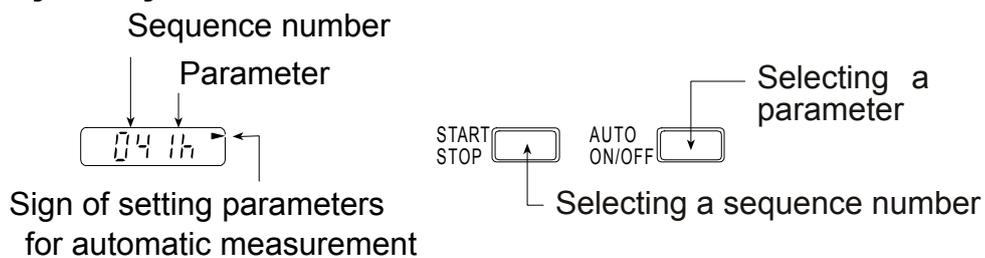
Set up procedure

Before you enter into mode III, read the procedure below. Also, refer to the example on the next page for the setting procedure.

- Each blocks starting time must match the previous blocks finish time.
- The end of block 6 automatically equalizes to start time of the block 1.
- If you enter the block 1 start time in any other block, these parameters are saved and this sequence is finished.
- When selecting 120 minutes for the current frequency, you must adjust the start time of the next block so that the current block fits a multiple of 120 minutes. If you do not fit to the next start time, an error code is displayed.
- The recorder displays 1h as 60 minutes and 2h as 120 minutes.
- When you enter the sequence of mode III settings, the recorder initializes each start time to the start time of block 1 and each frequency to "-" (not used).

To read the current settings, press the **START STOP** key in this sequence.

Display & key



Items

Sequence number	Parameters (monitor)	Meaning	Initial value
01	0 ~ 23 o'clock	Start time of first block	01 7
02	-, 5, 10, 15, 20, 30, 60, 120 minutes	Frequency of first block	02 15
03	0 ~ 23 o'clock	Start time of second block	03 22
04	-, 5, 10, 15, 20, 30, 60, 120 minutes	Frequency of second block	04 30
05	0 ~ 23 o'clock	Start time of third block	05 7
06	-, 5, 10, 15, 20, 30, 60, 120 minutes	Frequency of third block	06 -
07	0 ~ 23 o'clock	Start time of fourth block	07 -
08	-, 5, 10, 15, 20, 30, 60, 120 minutes	Frequency of fourth block	08 -
09	0 ~ 23 o'clock	Start time of fifth block	09 -
10	-, 5, 10, 15, 20, 30, 60, 120 minutes	Frequency of fifth block	10 -
11	0 ~ 23 o'clock	Start time of sixth block	11 -
12	-, 5, 10, 15, 20, 30, 60, 120 minutes	Frequency of sixth block	12 -
13	0 ~ 23 o'clock	End of sixth block	13 -

The "-" means "not used".

Steps for automatic measurement

ex. First block 08:00 ~ 21:59 frequency is 30 minutes
 Second block 22:00 ~ 05:59 frequency is 60 minutes
 Third block 06:00 ~ 07:59 frequency is 10 minutes

Step 1 Press and hold the **START STOP** key for approx. 3 seconds. The current mode is displayed.

Step 2 Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key so as to display **3** for mode III.

Step 3 Press the **START STOP** key. The mode is stored and the current start time of the first block is displayed.

Step 4 Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key so as to display "8" for 8:00 hours as the start time of the first block.

Step 5 Press the **START STOP** key. The current frequency for the first block is displayed.

Step 6 Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key so as to display "30" for 30 minutes as the frequency for the first block.

Step 7 Press the **START STOP** key. The current start time of the second block is displayed.

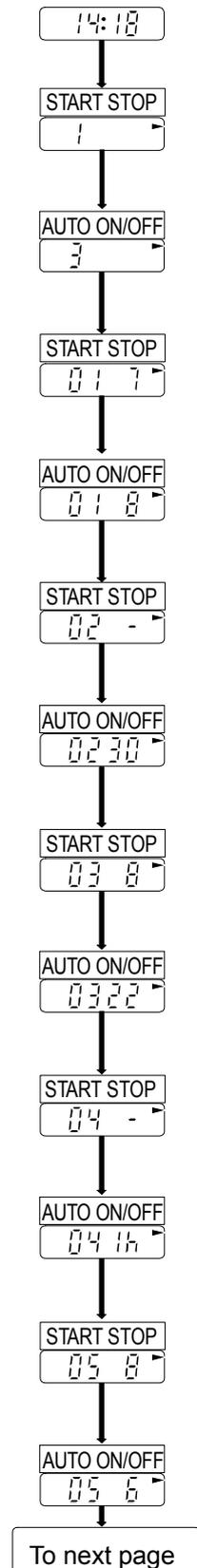
Step 8 Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key so as to display "22" for 22:00 hours as the start time for the second block.

Step 9 Press the **START STOP** key. The current frequency for the second block is displayed.

Step 10 Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key so as to display "1h" for 60 minutes as the frequency of the second block.

Step 11 Press the **START STOP** key. The current start time of the third block is displayed.

Step 12 Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key so as to display "6" for 6:00 hours as the start time of the third block.

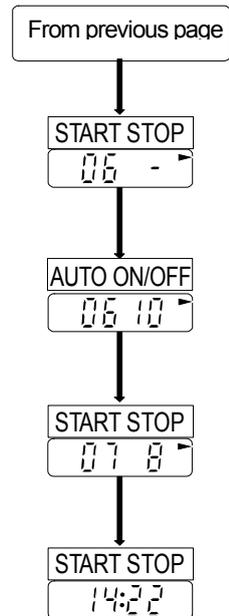


Step13 Press the **START STOP** key. The current frequency of the third block is displayed.

Step14 Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key so as to display "10" for 10 minutes as the frequency of the third block.

Step15 Press the **START STOP** key. The current start time of the fourth block is displayed.

Step16 Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key. The recorder stores these parameters and displays the clock, (because the current start time of the fourth block is the same start time of the first block).

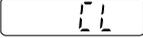




Deleting Old Data

- Caution** Confirm that the data has already been transferred and saved, when the data is to be deleted. It is not possible to recover data that was deleted.
- It is not possible to delete data completely, if the **START STOP** key is released while the buzzer sounds at Step 2.

Steps for deleting old data

- Step 1** Press and hold the **START STOP** key for approx. 9 seconds.  is displayed. If you want to cancel this process, press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key.
- Step 2** Press and hold the **START STOP** key once more until the buzzer becomes silent.



Resetting the Recorder

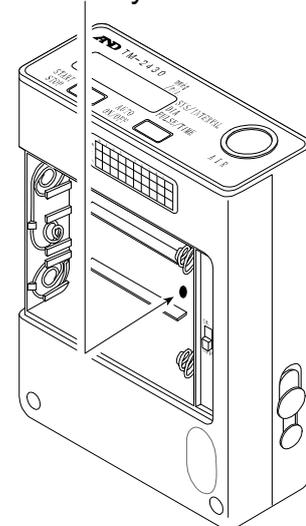
If the recorder does not work correctly, press the reset key. The recorder deletes all data and parameters. The internal system is initialized.

- Caution** All data and parameters are deleted and preset initial parameters by the reset.
- Do not press the reset switch to intensely. Press this key gently so as not to damage the components inside.
- Keep foreign matter away from the reset switch hole.

Steps for reset

- Step 1** Open the battery cover.
- Step 2** Turn off the power switch.
- Step 3** Remove the batteries from the recorder.
- Step 4** Press the reset key gently.
- Step 5** Place new batteries in the recorder.
- Step 6** Turn on the power switch. The recorder sounds the buzzer four times and *E 00* is displayed blinking.
- Step 7** Set the parameters for the display and clock. Also, adjust the parameters for automatic measurement.

Reset key





Preparing the patient



Patient instructions

Advise the patient on how to cope with mis-operation and contingencies.

Cautions during automatic measurement

- Relax and be quiet, when the recorder starts inflating the cuff.
- Check the patient's blood pressure in the same posture as the measurement.
- Minimize noise and movement for the measurements.
- The recorder measures the patient's blood pressure within one minute after the measurement. Also, relax and be quiet during measurement. The maximum measurement time is 90 seconds.
- There is the case of re-measuring the blood pressure during the last measurement. This is in case the recorder did not acquire usable data and the frequency of the interval is above 8 minutes. The patient should relax and not move during the measurement.
- Stop the use, if the patient feels pain in his arm.

Stopping or canceling an automatic measurement

- When the patient is to stop a measurement, press the **START STOP** key. The recorder beeps, releases the cuff air and an error is displayed. The recorder will inflate the cuff for the next time period automatically.
- When the **AUTO ON/OFF** key is pressed and held for approx. 3 seconds, the recorder stops (re-starts) automatic measurement and the "A" disappears (appears). This key operation can select alternately.

Manual measurement

- For the patient to start a measurement at once, press the **START STOP** key.
- For the patient to stop this measurement, press the **START STOP** key.

Attention while attaching the cuff and recorder

- Do not drop or shock the recorder.
- The recorder and cuff are not water resistant. Prevent rain, sweat and water from wetting the recorder and cuff.
- Do not place anything on the recorder.
- Re-attach the cuff and recorder, when patient moves and they will not slip off.
- Prevent the air hose from breaking during sleep. Affix the air hose to the patient's body only as shown on page 24.

Replacing the batteries

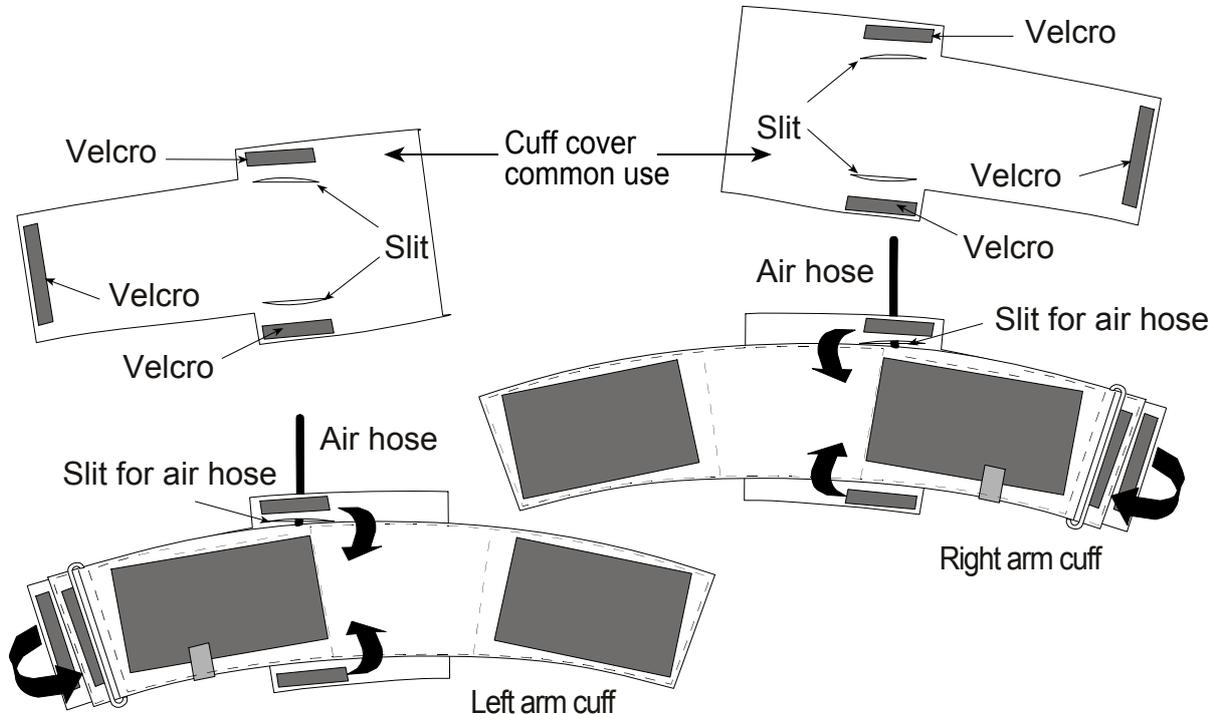
- Replace with new batteries quickly, when "B" is displayed.



Use of the cuff cover

Step 1 Pass the air hose through the slit.

Step 2 Place the cover on the cuff as shown. Link them using the three velcro strips.



Attaching the cuff and recorder

Caution

- If the cuff is not attached at the right position, the recorder may not measure the blood pressure correctly and an error may occur.
- The cuff accessory is for use on the left arm, of about 20cm ~ 31cm. If you need a different cuff, purchase a cuff of the proper size and arm position. Refer to "Option and Accessories".
- Do not use, if the patient has dermatitis, etc.



Keep the cuff clean. Exchange the cuff cover for each patient. The cuff cover may be used for both right or left.

Steps for attaching the cuff and recorder

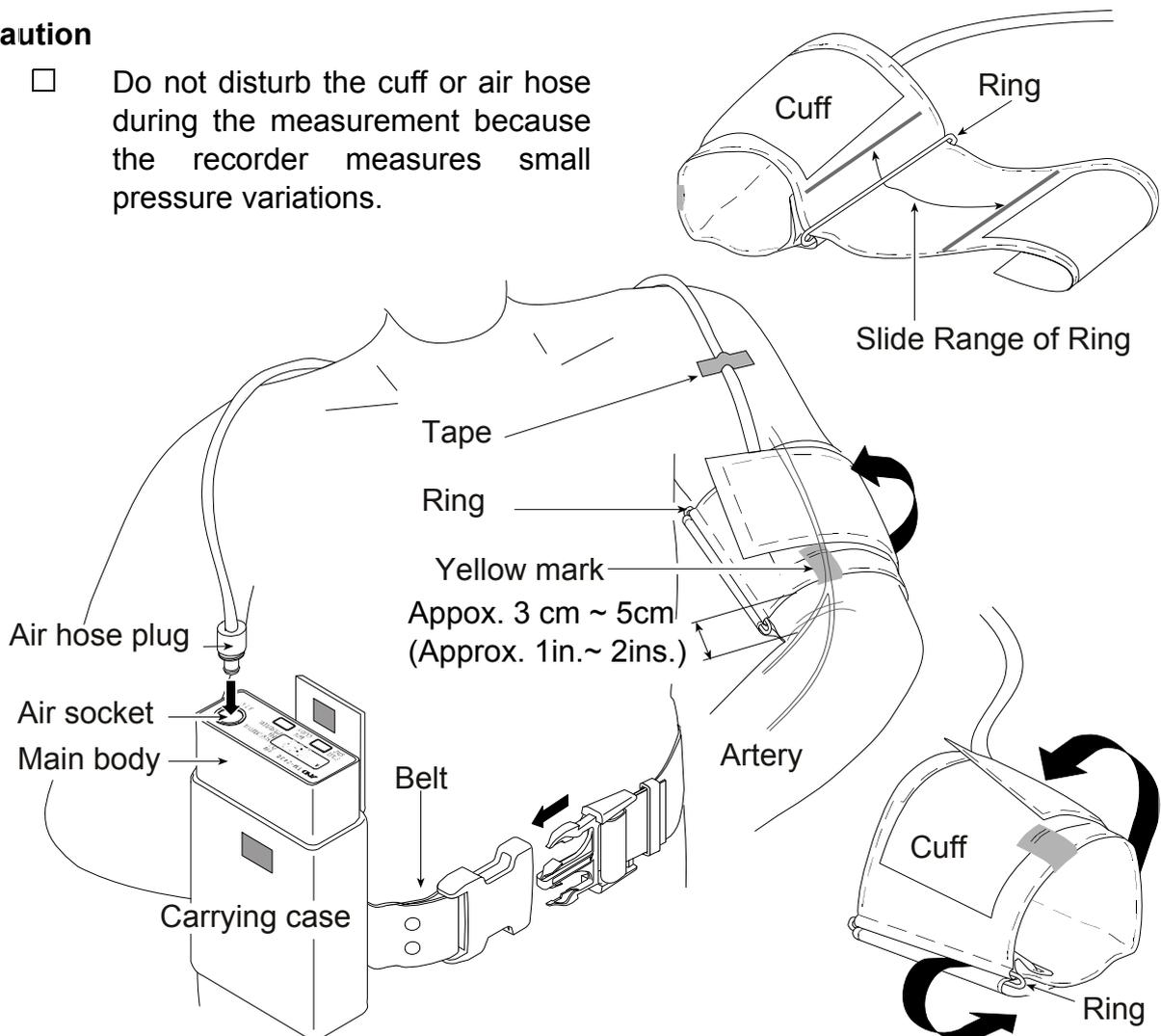
Step 1 Make a circle where the end of the cuff is passed through the ring.

Step 2 Search for the brachialis artery using palpation.

- Step 3** Attach the cuff directly against the skin so that the yellow mark is directly over the brachialis artery and space it one inch above the inside of the elbow and the lower edge of the cuff.
- Step 4** Wrap the cuff so that the ring is within the slide range, it is flat and does not slip down, but has room to insert two fingers. (If the ring is not within the slide range, you need a proper cuff.)
- Step 5** Position the air hose over the shoulder and affix it on the patient using adhesive tape.
- Step 6** Assemble the belt and carrying case.
- Step 7** Position the belt so that the carrying case is on the right (left) side of the patient, when a patient attaches left (right) arm cuff.
- Step 8** Connect the air hose plug to the air socket.
- Step 9** Place the recorder into the carrying case.

Caution

- Do not disturb the cuff or air hose during the measurement because the recorder measures small pressure variations.



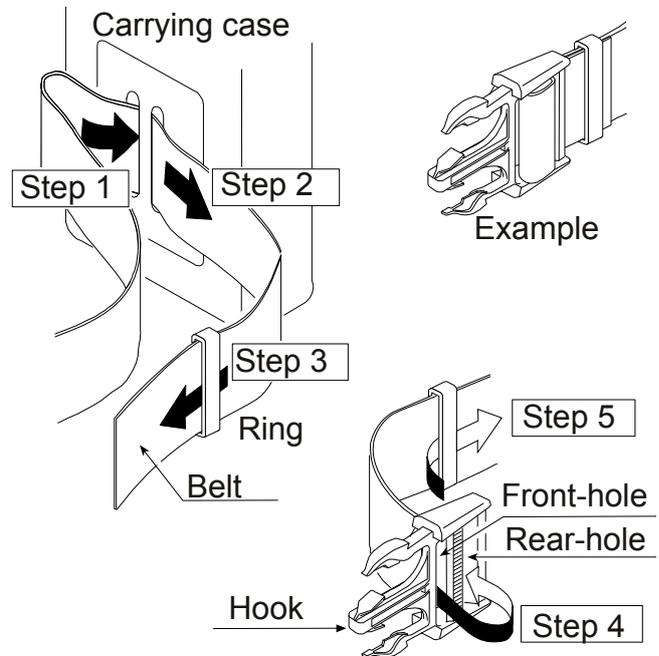


Preparation of the Carrying Case

- Use the belt or shoulder band to attach the carrying case.
- We recommend the belt so that the carrying case is not worn out of shape on the patient.

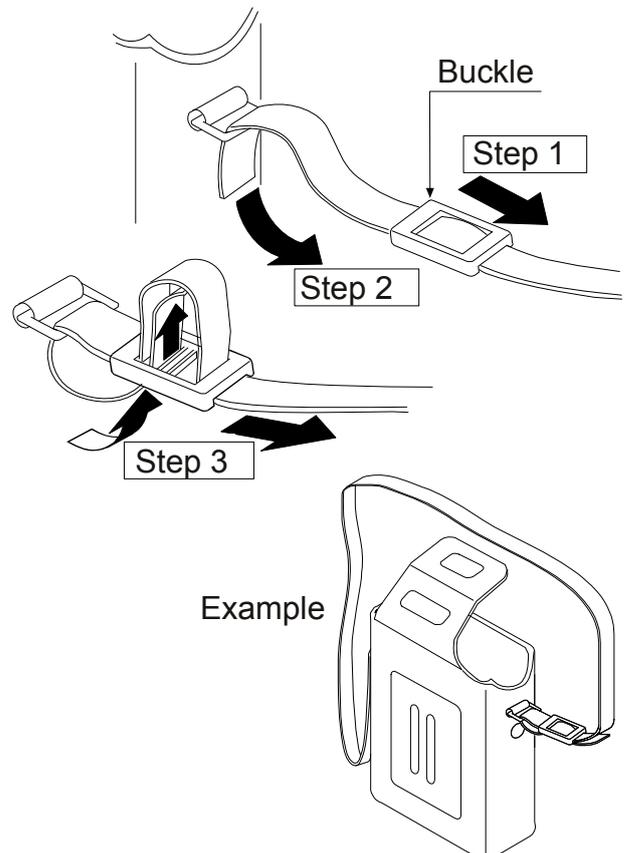
Using the Belt

- Step 1** Insert the belt to the hole of the carrying case.
- Step 2** Pull the belt from the hole of the carrying case.
- Step 3** Pass the belt to the ring.
- Step 4** Thread the belt through the front-hole and the rear-hole of the hook.
- Step 5** Insert the belt to the ring again.



Using the Shoulder Band

- Step 1** Insert the band to the buckle.
- Step 2** Pass the band to the ring.
- Step 3** Thread the band through the buckle like right illustration.





Operation



Automatic Measurement

Caution

- Automatic measurement uses the internal clock and parameters of automatic measurement. Refer to section "Parameters for the Display and Clock" and "Selection for the automatic measurement" for setting these parameters.
- Press and hold the **AUTO ON/OFF** key for approx. 3 seconds so as to turn off "A" sign, when the patient stops the automatic measurement or detaches the cuff. If "A" sign is leaved, when the next automatic measurement starts, it damages the cuff.

Starting or re-starting automatic measurement

- Step 1** Confirm the parameters for automatic measurement. Refer to "Selection for the automatic measurement".
- Step 2** Press and hold the **AUTO ON/OFF** key for about 3 seconds. Then the "A" is displayed and the recorder starts an automatic measurement based on the internal clock and the parameters for automatic measurement.

Operation using mode II

- Step 1** Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key turning off the "S" when the patient wakes up.
- Step 2** Press the **AUTO ON/OFF** key turning on the "S" when the patient goes to bed.

Stopping or canceling automatic measurement

- Step 1** Press and hold the **AUTO ON/OFF** key for about 3 seconds. "A" is not displayed and the recorder stops automatic measurement.



Manual Measurement

- Step 1** Press the **START STOP** key. The recorder starts a measurement at once. The results are displayed and stored in memory.



To stop a Current Measurement

- Step 1** Press the **START STOP** key during measurement. The recorder will stop the measurement at once and releases the air from the cuff.



Data Transfer

- The recorder transfers data to a printer or computer using the RS-232C terminal.
- We recommend analysis of the data using the optional analysis software.

Caution

- Cap the RS-232C terminal to prevent dust and foreign matter from entering when this terminal is not in use.
- Remove the recorder and cuff from the patient, when the recorder is connected to a printer or computer.



Data Transmission to a Printer

Caution

- The recorder intensely consumes the battery power while connected to the RS-232C cable. Disconnect the cable when not actually transferring data.
- Maintain the power-on state while transmitting the data so that the data is not damaged.
- The optional RS-232C cable is required when connecting to a printer.
- The printer (to print the data) must have a serial interface and adapt to the RS-232C protocol of the recorder.

Specifications for an adaptable printer

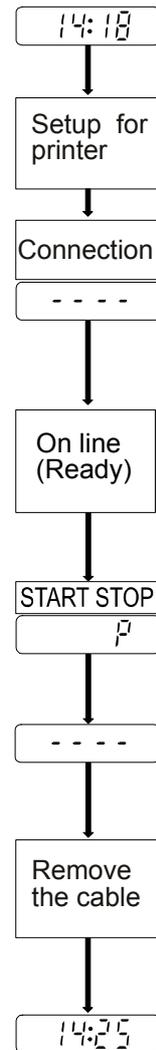
Transmission	EIA RS-232C	
	Asynchronous, bi-directional, half duplex	
	Baud rate	9600 bps
	Start bits	1 bit
	Data bits	8 bits
	Parity bit	None
	Stop bits	2 bits
	X parameter	Not used
	ETX/ACK	Not used
	DSR	Not used
	Code	ASCII
	Command	Carriage return
Next line		0Dh 0Ah
Next page		0Ch 0Dh
Printer parameters	Next page	Automatic
	Characters per line	72 min.
	Buffer size	approx. 32Kbytes

Steps for data transmission

- Step 1** Enter the parameters into the printer so that the data can be transmitted.
- Step 2** Connect the cable to both the recorder and printer. Then the recorder displays . Refer to "Analysis Software and Communication Cable" about the cable.
- Step 3** Set the printer to "ON LINE".
- Step 4** Press the **START STOP** key. Then

Step 5 When the transmission is finished,

Step 6 Remove the cable at once. The clock is displayed.



Print sample

===== ABPM DATA TABLE =====							
No.	Date	Time	SYS(mmHg)	DIA(mmHg)	PUL(bpm)	ERR	
1	`97/ 5/17	7:43	103	65	55	-	
2	`97/ 5/17	8:00	119	79	65	-	
3	`97/ 5/17	8:30	125	88	132	-	
4	`97/ 5/17	9:00	122	84	116	-	
5	`97/ 5/17	9:30	115	87	63	-	
6	`97/ 5/17	10:00	118	76	61	-	
7	`97/ 5/17	10:30	-	-	-	08	
8	`97/ 5/17	10:35	116	82	68	-	
9	`97/ 5/17	11:00	114	75	62	-	
10	`97/ 5/17	11:30	122	81	94	-	
11	`97/ 5/17	12:00	123			-	
12	`97/ 5/17	12:30	11			-	



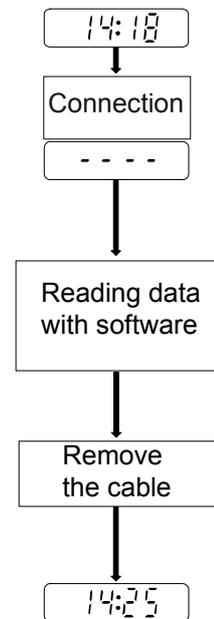
Data Transmission to a Computer Using Analysis Software

Caution

- The recorder intensely consumes the battery power while connected to the RS-232C cable. Disconnect the cable when not actually transferring data.
- Maintain the power-on state while transmitting the data so that the data is not damaged.

Steps for data transmission

- Step 1** Connect the cable to both the recorder and printer. The recorder displays - - - -. Refer to "Analysis Software and Communication Cable" about the cable.
- Step 2** Read the data using the optional analysis software. Refer to the software instruction manual.
- Step 3** Remove the cable at once. The clock is displayed.





Options and accessories



Analysis Software and Communication Cables

The analysis software has functions as follows:

- Maximum value, minimum value and average is calculated in an arbitrary period of time. (Partial analysis)
- Correlation graph, trend graphs and histogram is displayed.
- The patient's data and information is managed.
- Data can be saved.
- It is able to delete and copy a data.
- A saved data file can export to CSV format that EXECL able to open.
- Data can be output as a report.
- Data is input from the recorder and parameters are written to the recorder.

Name	Order code
Windows-based analysis software	TM2430-13
Communication cable, D-SUB 9pin socket type	AX-KO1502
Communication cable, D-SUB 25pin socket type	AX-KO1503
Communication cable, D-SUB 25pin plug type	AX-KO1504



Cuffs and Other Accessories

Cuffs (for serial no. M0600001 to M0600500)

Name	Order code
Large cuff for left arm, 28 ~ 36 cm (11 ~ 14 inches)	TM2430-02
Adult cuff for left arm, 20 ~ 31 cm (8 ~ 12 inches)	TM2430-06
Small cuff for left arm, 15 ~ 22 cm (6 ~ 8 inches)	TM2430-07
Adult cuff for right arm, 20 ~ 31 cm (8 ~ 12 inches)	TM2430-09

Cuffs (for serial no. M0600501 or over)

Name	Order code
Large cuff for left arm, 28 ~ 36 cm (11 ~ 14 inches)	TM2430-02A
Adult cuff for left arm, 20 ~ 31 cm (8 ~ 12 inches)	TM2430-06A
Small cuff for left arm, 15 ~ 22 cm (6 ~ 8 inches)	TM2430-07A
Adult cuff for right arm, 20 ~ 31 cm (8 ~ 12 inches)	TM2430-09A

Cuff sleeves

Name	Order code
Large cuff sleeve for left arm 2 sleeves	AX-133003299-S
Adult cuff sleeve for left arm 2 sleeves	AX-133003137-S
Small cuff sleeve for left arm 2 sleeves	AX-133003298-S
Large cuff sleeve for right arm 2 sleeves	AX-133003460-S
Adult cuff sleeve for right arm 2 sleeves	AX-133003300-S
Small cuff sleeve for right arm 2 sleeves	AX-133003461-S

Cuff cover

Name	Order code
Large cuff cover 10 sheets	AX-133002066-S
Adult cuff cover 10 sheets	AX-133002018-S
Small cuff cover 10 sheets	AX-13A37410-S

Others

Name	Order code
TM-2430 Accuracy Diagnostic Kit	TM2430-90
Recording sheet 10 sheets	AX-PP155-S
Carrying case	AX-003001955



Maintenance



Checking Accuracy

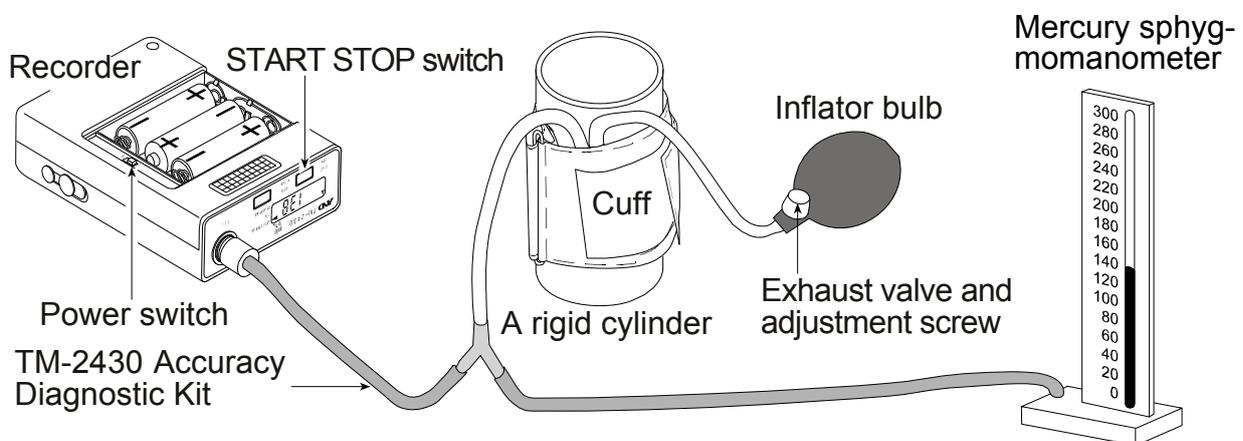
Required equipment

- Accurate office mercury sphygmomanometer or aneroid gauge with inflation system.
- TM-2430 Accuracy Diagnostic Kit (TM2430-90).
- A rigid cylinder sized to fit the cuff pressured.

Steps for checking accuracy

Step 1 Turn off the TM-2430 and remove the air hose from the unit.

Step 2 Construct the check system as this drawing



Step 3 Keep the pressure at the air socket to atmospheric pressure.

Step 4 Turn on the power switch, when you press and hold the **START STOP** key. The TM-2430 blinks the "0" of measurement value.

Step 5 Squeeze the inflator bulb until cuff pressure reaches to 50 mmHg. Check the difference between the blinking display of TM-2430 and mercury sphygmomanometer that is within ± 3 mmHg.

Step 6 Squeeze the inflator bulb until cuff pressure reaches to 150 mmHg. Check this difference that is within ± 3 mmHg.

Step 7 Squeeze the inflator bulb until cuff pressure reaches to 250 mmHg. Check this difference that is within ± 3 mmHg.

Step 8 Release the cuff air, turn off the TM-2430 and remove them. This blood pressure recorder is a precision instrument. Contact your nearest A&D office for this inspection, if you need repair.



Cleaning the cuff and recorder

- Before cleaning the recorder, remove the battery cover and turn the power switch off. Remove the batteries.
- The recorder is not water resistant, do not allow liquids to splash on or get into the case while cleaning.
- After each use, wipe the case of the recorder with a clean lint free cloth, moistened with water and a mild detergent.
- Do not use antiseptic solutions, Alcohol, etc., to clean the recorder, hose or cuff.
- Clean the cuff cloth and cuff cover by washing in water with a mild detergent. Do not scrub or wring them by hand. If the cuff cloth and cuff cover become contaminated, replace them with new covers.



Periodical inspection

- This blood pressure recorder is a precision instrument. Please inspect the functions (every year) periodically. Contact your nearest A&D office for this inspection.



Problem solving

Caution

- Do not open the case of the recorder because it uses delicate electrical components and intricate air unit that could be damaged.
- If you can not locate and fix the problem, request service from your supplier, or from the A&D service group.
- A&D service group will support authorized suppliers about technical information, spare parts and units.

Problem	Cause	Treatment
No display at turning on.	Battery power has been consumed.	Replace with new batteries.
Data lost while replacing batteries.	Unable to charge the internal sub battery.	Set for clock display for approx. 24 hours. This battery charges during clock display.
No pressure.	Air leakage at the connector, hose or cuff.	Confirm the cuff and air hose are not damaged and are connected correctly.



Error codes

Caution The error code updates without announcement.

Error code	Meaning	Status	Operation and Treatment
E00	No clock parameter	All parameters are lost. Reset status.	Enter clock parameters. Refer to "Setup of display and clock"
E03	Pressure zero error	An error code is displayed without cuff inflation.	Release the air from the cuff completely.
E04	Low battery	Measurement is stopped. An error code is displayed. Auto mode is quit.	Replace with new batteries. Restart the auto mode if you use it.
E05	Inflation error	Inflation pressure does not reach the target pressure.	Wrap the cuff and connect to main unit exactly. If you can not clear the error, there may be an air leak and repair is necessary
E06	Above 320mmHg	An error code is displayed.	Do not move and try to relax during the measurement. If you can not clear the error, the product will require repair.
E07	Controlled stop using STOP key	Air is exhausted. An error code is displayed.	Do not press the STOP key if you do not need to use it.
E08	Pulsation can not be measured	Measurable pulsation is searched to 20mmHg in constant exhaust. An error code is displayed.	Do not move and try to relax during the measurement. The error occurs when measurable pulsations are not received due to thick cloth or quick motion.
E10	Pulsations can not be detected because the patient may have moved.	In the measurement, Quick exhaust is executed. An error code is displayed.	Do not move and try to relax during the measurement.
E20	Pulse rate < 30 200 < Pulse rate	An error code is displayed.	Measure the blood pressure by other methods.
E21	DIA < 40 160 < DIA		
E22	SYS < 60 280 < SYS		
E23	DSD < 10 150 < DSD		
		DIA : Diastolic Blood Pressure SYS : Systolic Blood Pressure DSD : The Difference between Systolic Blood Pressure and Diastolic Blood Pressure.	

Error code	Meaning	Status	Operation and Treatment
E30	Measurement is greater than 120 seconds.	Air is exhausted from the cuff, and an error code is displayed.	Repair is necessary because of slow inflation or slow constant exhaust.
E31	The constant exhaust is greater than 60 seconds.	Air is exhausted from the cuff, and an error code is displayed.	Repair is necessary because of slow constant exhaust.
E32	Clock error.	An error code is displayed.	If you not clear this error, the product needs repair.
E50	Pressure offset error to measure pulsation.	An error code is displayed at restarting the product.	Release the air from the cuff completely, reset the product. If you not clear this error, repair is necessary.
E52	Memory error.	An error code is displayed at restarting the product.	The product needs repair.
E53	Battery contact is defective.	The measurement is stopped, air is released from the cuff and an error code is displayed.	Replace batteries correctly. If you can not clear this error, the product needs repair.
E55 E56 E57	Exhaust error.	An error code is displayed at measurement.	Relax and do not move during the measurement. If this error occurs many times, repair is necessary.
E60	Interval setting error.	Start time is not proper, interval of last block is not set in the unit of 120 min.	Enter parameters for the interval correctly.
E70 E71 E72 E73	RS-232C error.	The error code is displayed during communications.	Re-connect the communication cable. If you can not clear this error, the product needs repair.
E74	Low battery for communication.		Replace batteries with new ones and restart communication.
E75	Protocol error due to external equipment.		Re-connect the communication cable. If you can not clear this error, the product needs repair.
E90	Pressure zero error for safety circuit.	This error code is displayed before the measurement.	Release the air from the cuff completely.
E91	Safety circuit detects over load pressure.	Patient moved during the measurement.	Relax and try to quiet during the measurement. If it occurs in quiet, the recorder needs repair.
Other		Monitor code is displayed.	Reset. Turn on power switch again.



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