Environmental Shaker Incubators

Minidigital Shaker, MaxQ 4450 (PSC 555, 637, NSC 340, 368, 488)

Every time you use an Incubator Shaker, you MUST sign the logbook.

Use only short screws.

Secure all tubes and flasks – they shouldn't move when shaking.

If you set the temperature for anything besides 37°C, please leave a note and change it back when you are done.

If you hear any kind of grinding sound, STOP.

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- 1. Turn shaker on turn power switch once; press a second time to turn off. There is a 3 second delay until control panel is illuminated.
- 2. Hold down appropriate arrow key in the speed module of the control panel, up or down until desired speed is set (up to 500 rpm). SET RPM light will illuminate.
- 3. Press START to begin shaking. Press STOP to end shaking.
- 4. Speed can be changed without pressing the START or STOP key. Simply press the appropriate up or down arrow until desired rpm is reached.
- 5. Press and hold up or down arrows to either increase or decrease temperature. Release key when desired temperature is reached.
- 6. Once set, temperature control is initiated by pressing the HEAT ON key.
- 7. During operation, the up or down arrows can be used to adjust the temperature.
- 8. Setting Timed Shaking:
 - a. Press TIMER/ELAPSED key until TIMER and SET TIME lights are illuminated. The HOURS or MINUTES light will also light up.
 - b. Press HOURS/MINUTES key for desired timing mode.
 - c. Hold down appropriate arrow key in the TIME module up or down, until desired timing cycle is set from 0.1 hour up to 999 hours or from 0.1 minute to 999 minutes depending on which timing mode is chosen. SET TIME light will illuminate.
 - d. Press START to begin timed shaking; Timer will count down from time selected. An alarm will sound when time is up and shaking will stop.
- 9. Setting Continuous shaking:
 - a. Press TIMER/ELAPSED key until TIMER light is illuminated. The Hours or MINUTES light will also light up at this point depending on which option was selected.
 - b. Press HOURS/MINUTES key for desired timing mode.
 - c. TIME display should show 000. Press START to begin shaking. Timer will begin to count up and display accumulated time in display window.
- 10. Setting Continuous Timing:
 - a. Press TIMER/ELAPSED key until TIMER light is illuminated. The Hours or MINUTES light will also light up at this point depending on which option was selected.
 - b. Press HOURS/MINUTES key for desired timing mode.
 - c. Press START to begin timed shaking. TIME display should show 000. Timer will begin to count up and display accumulated time in display window.