

# Scrub Abrasion and Washability Tester

(AB6000, AB6010)

# Product Description

The Scrub Abrasion and Washability Tester is used to test the resistence of paint, varnish or coatings to scratching, wearing, and color loss due to wet or dry abrasion, by simulating everyday wear from cleaning actions or general use. The test is either used as a "pass or fail" test by testing to a specified number of strokes or defining the minimum number of strokes at which a coating fails by checking at regular intervals. Abrasion scrub/ washability Test to perform an abrasion and washability test on coated panels to define the resistance of paint, varnish or related products to scratching, wearing and colour loss due to wet or dry abrasion. Simulating everyday wear from cleaning actions or general use. The test is either used as a "pass / fail" test by testing to a specified number of strokes or defining the minimum number of strokes at which a coating fails by checking at regular intervals.

# Flexible adaptation to many tests

The Scrub Abrasion and Washability Tester allows for the most flexible adaptation of the wide range of scrub, abrasion and washability tests that are in use. First the base apparatus has to be selected from two models. The Scrub Abrasion and Washability Tester Basic (Art. Nr. AB6010) without pumps for dry tests, and the Scrub Abrasion and Washability Tester (Art. Nr. AB6000) with pumps for dry and wet tests. Each base unit is completely flexible and allows for easy exchange of the tools used for testing.

A variety of tests are possible, with just small modifications to make the device suitable for other tests. This modular system significantly decreases the costs for laboratories to comply to many standards.

# In order to choose the right parts we refer to the Ordering Matrix and a Standards Configuration Table in this datasheet.

# State-of-the-art-technology

The Scrub Abrasion and Washability Tester is driven by a micro-step controlled electro motor which allows precise and steady speed and sinus wave form control. Operation is intuitive by means of a jog-dial switch and a multi-lingual operating menu on a large illuminated display.

Operating is very easy with the Triple i operating interface. This unique system guides the operator through the interface of TQC Sheen lab-machines. At each step of the multilingual operating menu the interface detects which buttons are active and indicates these by means of an illuminated red centre. This results in a very intuitive operating system which is enhanced with information on the machine's display.

# ♠ Features

- · Preset range option
- Easy intuitive operating interface with Triple i Control (Intelligent Illumination Interface)
- · Full color display
- Easy to update software
- · Manual movement
- · Compatible with a large range of accessories

# Standards

DIN 53778, ASTM D2486, ASTM D4213, ASTM D4828, ASTM D3450, ISO 11998, ASTM F1319, ISO 105X12, Renault D431010, GME 60269, ECCA T11, EN 13523-11, EN 60730-1 and EN 13300.

# Scope of Supply

#### Standard supplied:

- 24V adapter + Power Cable
- Manual

#### Only supplied with AB6000:

- Scrub Abrasion and Washability Tester
- Tubing
- · Fluid containers

#### Only supplied with AB6010:

Scrub Abrasion and Washability Tester Basic



# Specifications

#### **Technical Data**

Traverse speed: 1 - 60 cycles per minute

Traverse speed accuracy: + / - 1% of set speed

Stroke length: 20 - 300 mm / 0.39 - 11.81 in

Stroke length accuracy: +/-0.01 mm

Pump flow rate: 0.0 - 3.0 ml per minute / 0.0 - 0.79 GPH

Max. panel width: 70 mm / 2.76 in
Max. panel length: 350 mm / 13.78 in
Max. panel height: 35 mm / 1.38 in

#### **Dimensions and Weight**

 Depth:
 490 mm / 19.3 in

 Depth with pumps:
 530 mm / 20.87 in

 Width:
 640 mm / 25.2 in

 Height:
 235 mm / 9.24 in

Mass: 30 - 35 kg / 66.14 - 77.16 lbs

(depending on model)

#### **Basic Unit**

Power Supply: 24 VDC / 100 - 240 V / 50 - 60 Hz

Power consumption: max. 90 Watt

Display: 480 x 272 pixel TFT display
Control: 5-key navigation switch
(Mouse Keyboard optional)

Menu languages: English, Spanish, Chinese, Polish,

German, French, Italian, Japanese, Russian, Turkish

# (i) Ordering Information

AB6000 Scrub Abrasion and Washability Tester
AB6010 Scrub Abrasion and Washability Tester Basic

# Accessories

Choose your parts with the Ordering Matrix and the Standards Configuration Table.

# Use

The Scrub Abrasion and Washability Tester has a Tripple i controlled running operation. Check the manual for full details.

# **Special Care**

- · Always clean the instrument after use
- · Do not use compressed air to clean the instrument.
- Never perform repairs or service to the instrument yourself. This should be done by TQC Sheen or selected distributors.

# **Safety Precautions**

- · Always make sure the instrument is connected to an earthed socket.
- Maintenance and inspection should be carried out at the correct intervals.
- Operating personnel should be informed before starting with maintenance or repair work.
- Always make sure the instruments power is turned off and the instrument is not connected to a socket while adjusting any electrical component whenever maintenance, inspection or repair work is done.
- Do not open the instrument. In case of malfunction always consult the manufacturer.

#### Disclaimer

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