The typed label (see rear of unit) contains technical data, type, and serial number of your unit. Please always indicate this data when ordering spare parts or in case of any questions.

Please enter here the technical data of your device:

- type: __________________________
- s/n : __________________________
- date: __________________________
- class: __________________________
- volt: __________________________
- amp: __________________________

1 HINTS ON USING THIS MANUAL

This Operation Manual is designed to help you understand the function and the operation of your equipment.

Before you switch the equipment on for the first time, please read thoroughly this manual and pay special attention to all safety instructions, so that endangering for the user and the patient is precluded.
Please always store this manual with the equipment.

Please pay attention to those sections, which are emphasized by the following signs:

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2 DESCRIPTION OF THE EQUIPMENT

The equipment you have purchased features a state-of-the-art color CCD camera which was especially designed for use with endoscopic applications. In combination with the built-in high-intensity xenon illumination, the device offers the user a compact unit for optimal image quality in nearly every endoscopic discipline.

**CCD camera**

Full digital signal processing ensures true color reproduction. The camera consists of a control unit and a complete watertight camera head. Located at the front of the ergonomically shaped camera head, there is a C-Mount-Thread adaptation, where you can connect usual lenses, vario-focus TV-couplers or other couplers to connect the endoscope. Located inside the camera head is the CCD-chip, which takes the image and converts it into electric signals. These signals are conducted through the camera cable to the control unit.

Inside the control unit, the image data is processed and is provided either as Standard-FBAS-Signal (BNC-connector, VHS-standard) or as Hosiden-Signal (Y/C-signal, Mini-DIN-connector, S-VHS-standard) on the rear panel for displaying on the monitor and/or other devices, such as videoprinter, videorecorder, etc.).

The image-brightness is controlled by an electronic shutter, which is working with a shutter-cycle at minimum of 1/2.000.000 sec., so that even when the image is totally irradiated a well-balanced video picture is delivered to the monitor. If the image is extremely dark illuminated, the shutter cycle becomes so high, that it is impossible to display a flicker-free picture. In this case, the videosignal is emphasized electronically by max. +30dB.

This electronic emphasis is called AGC (Automatic Gain Control). It has to be taken into account that the noise on the picture is increased when the AGC is working.

**xenon lightsource**

The built-in xenon illumination features a high-intensity xenon lamp, which is installed in a reflector. The lamp designed is optimized for endoscopic applications. The color temperature equals daylight quality with a color temperature of 5.700 K.
3 GENERAL HINTS / SIGNS AND SYMBOLS

3.1 extent of delivery

Please verify immediately after having unpacked the equipment whether the delivery is complete. The standard extent of delivery includes the following:

- control unit
- camera head with cable and plug
- power supply cord
- user manual
- video cable Y/C (S-VHS)

3.2 explanation of symbols

![Warning sign]
please read accompanying documents

![Man symbol]
type BF equipment

![Electric sign]
Attention, hazardous voltage

![Ground symbol]
Alternate electrical ground connector conductor

![Alternating voltage]
alternating voltage

3.3 safety

- Always connect all wires before switching on the equipment. Therefore refer to chapter 5.
- The main plug may only be connected to a protectively earthed wall socket.
- The equipment must not be used in areas where there are dangerous flammable gases.
- The control unit is equipped with a fitting according to DIN 42801 for the connection of a potential equalization conductor. When running the equipment in rooms which comply to class 1 or 2E according to MedGV, the control unit must be joined to the central potential equalization of the operating room or of
the equipment trolley by means of a grounding cable.

- If the camera is used in conjunction with HF-coagulators, it is imperative that you use insulated endoscopes, couplers and lightguides. (breakdown voltage at minimum 4.5 kV).
- The equipment may only be connected to devices which also comply to the demands of the IEC 601-1.
- Never directly observe the lightbeam, the instrument side of the lightguide, or the lightbeam coming from the endoscope. This could severely damage the retina of the eye.
- Any modifications and changes to the device may only be carried out by the manufacturer of the equipment. The instructions made in this operation manual have to be followed, otherwise we refuse any liability.
- In order to protect the lightguide and the patient, there is a heat reflecting filter installed which reflects the heat radiation produced by the Xenon-lamp. Always check before switching on the equipment and especially after every transport of the equipment whether this filter is unbroken. Otherwise, the heat radiation is emitted to the patient at the distal end of the attached endoscope and burning of the skin surface can occur.
- Naturally, the built-in xenon bulb produces apart from the light output a certain amount of heat, which is carried off by fan cooling. In order to ensure that the heat flow is not hindered, the following precautions must be observed. Otherwise, the lightsource will be seriously damaged and there is a risk of fire hazard!
  - Never cover the louver type slots!
  - The cooling is most efficient when the lightsource is placed on a table where the air flow at the rearpanel is not hindered in any way.
  - If it is unavoidable that the lightsource has to be placed in an equipment trolley, make sure that the trolley allows sufficient air flow at the rearpanel.
  - **Never place the lightsource in a partition of the equipment trolley which is closed at the rear!**
- We strictly refuse any liability for damages which result from inadequately placement of the lightsource.
- The equipment is designed for indoor use.
4 POSITION OF CONTROL ELEMENTS

4.1 control elements on the front panel

![Control Elements Diagram](image)

1. main switch
2. connector for lightguide
3. connector for camera head
4. push-button “WHITEBALANCE”
5. push-button “WINDOW”
6. push-button “increase intensity”
7. push-button “decrease intensity”

**main switch**

The control unit is turned on by switching the main switch 1.

The main switch has two different switching positions:

- I switched on
- O switched off

When the control unit is switched on, the green light illuminates inside the switch.

**connector for lightguide**

This connector is used to connect and adjust the lightguide to the lightsource.

There is an interchangeable adapter screwed in. The adapter used has to match the lightguide fitting you are using. Several adapters for all types of lightguides are available. Most of these adapters have an automatic snap-in for the lightguide.
**connector for camera cable**

This connector is used for attachment of the plug of the camera cable. The plug can only be plugged in a certain position. This is achieved by a small nose on the top of the plug. The red mark on the 14-pin-plug must correspond with the red mark on the socket to install the plug. The plug fastens automatically when completely plugged in. To unfasten the plug; grip the knurled part of the plug and pull the plug out of the socket.

**push-button “WHITEBALANCE”**

The WHITEBALANCE is done by pressing the corresponding push button. Therefore, aim the camera head on a homogeneously illuminated white sheet of paper or a well-illuminated multi-color object. Simultaneously, press the push button once. The button then will flash until the WHITEBALANCE is finished. The current WHITEBALANCE is stored in memory and is also saved, when the camera is switched off. Take notice, that the paper-sheet or the multi-color object is not irradiated, that means, e.g. that the grain-structure of the paper is visible on the monitor.

If WHITEBALANCE is done correctly, a natural color reproduction is guaranteed.

**push-button “WINDOW”**

The WINDOW-function is turned on and off by pressing the corresponding push button. The WINDOW-function carries out a light measurement that only affects a central window of the picture. That means, that in contrast to standard measurement, where the average brightness is integrated over the entire picture size, only a center part of the image is taken to evaluate the average brightness, outer margins are disregarded.

To activate the WINDOW-function, push the corresponding button. If the WINDOW-function is activated, a yellow light inside the push button is illuminated and a light-gray rectangle appears on the monitor for a short time. That represents the area that is taken for brightness evaluation.

If the object to be regarded is in the center of the picture, you should activate the WINDOW-function. The object itself is displayed correctly illuminated
on the monitor and the outer margins of the screen are displayed proportionately darker or brighter.

A new pressing of the button deactivates the WINDOW-function.

**push-button “decrease intensity”**
Use this button to decrease the output intensity of the light source. When the lowest possible setting is reached, the light inside the button will illuminate.

**push-button “increase intensity”**
Use this button to increase the output intensity of the light source. When the highest possible setting is reached, the light inside the button will illuminate.
4.2 connectors on the rear panel

![Diagram of connectors on the rear panel]

fig. 2: connectors on the rear panel

8 video output terminal / S-VHS
9 video output terminal / VBS
10 Alternate electrical ground connector
11 main terminal device
12 main fuses / voltage selector

**video output terminals**
You can attach external output-devices such as monitor, videorecorder or videoprinter to the VIDEO-OUT connectors.
The videosignal is provided in two different standards.
1. The BNC-terminal provides the videosignal as VBAS-signal (compost-
signal, VHS-standard).
2. The 4-pin-Y/C-terminal provides the videosignal as Hosiden-signal
   (separate conductors for chroma- and luminance-signal, S-VHS-standard).
Both video outputs are available simultaneously so that both standards can
be used at one time.
It is preferred to use the Y/C-signal than VBS-signal if possible. You will
achieve a much better image quality in contrast to VHS-standard.

**Alternate electrical ground connector**
The control unit is protectively earthed by the 3-pin power supply cord when it is connected to a grounded wall socket, as prescribed.
When running the equipment in rooms which comply to class 1 or 2E accord-
ing to MedGV, the control unit must be joined to the central potential equalization of the operating theater or of the equipment trolley by means of a grounding cable.

**main terminal device**
The plug of the power supply cord is connected to the main terminal device (11).

**main fuses / voltage selector**
This little drawer (12) right above the main terminal device contains the main fuses. The window inside the drawer shows the currently selected main voltage. You have to control whether your main voltage corresponds with the selection shown in the window. If you need to change the main voltage, please refer to chapter 7.2.
5 CONNECTING THE EQUIPMENT

**ALWAYS INSTALL ALL CONNECTIONS BEFORE SWITCHING ON THE EQUIPMENT !**

**CONNECT THE POWER SUPPLY CORD** !
Use the delivered protectively grounded power supply cord to connect the control unit to a grounded wall socket. Please check whether the current voltage selection matches your local voltage.

**CONNECT THE CAMERA CABLE** !
Install the plug of the camera cable in the corresponding socket on the front-panel as described above.
You can connect all lenses and endoscope couplers to the camera head, which are equipped with a C-Mount-Thread or CS-Mount-Thread. When you use objectives with CS-Mount-Thread, an additional intermediate ring is necessary.
Your dealer supplies various lenses and couplers for your special requirements.

**CONNECT THE EXTERNAL OUTPUT DEVICES** !
As described before, there are several standards of videosignals available on the rearpanel.
Here you can connect external output devices such as monitor, videorecorder, videoprinter, etc.
If you are using standard VBS-signal (BNC-terminal), please always apply high-quality 75Ω-coaxial cables.
If the external output device has a switchable 75Ω-termination resistor, you should switch this on.
If you connect several devices in a row, only the last device in the line needs to be terminated by the termination resistor.
If the external device does not provide such a termination resistor, you should connect the coaxial cable via a T-connection-adapter. The open end of the T-connection adapter is then terminated with the 75Ω-resistor.
We recommend the use of the delivered S-VHS-cable.
CONNECT THE ALTERNATE GROUND CONNECTOR!
Join the Alternate Electrical Ground Connector on the rearpanel with a central grounding point in the operating theater or to the equipment trolley.

CONNECT THE LIGHTCABLE
Connect the lightguide to the lightsource using a suitable adapter.
6 OPERATING THE EQUIPMENT

6.1 preparing for operation

After having installed all connections, the camera can be set to work.
Switch on the control unit using the main switch on the frontpanel 🔄.
The green lamp inside the switch lights up.
If all other devices are switched on, a picture appears on the monitor.
The lamp ignites after 5 sec. and will reach it’s full intensity within a few seconds. Set a median intensity of illumination using the corresponding push button 🎯 and 🎯.
Now proceed with the WHITEBALANCE. To achieve WHITEBALANCE aim the camera head towards an illuminated white sheet of paper and simultaneously press the push-button once and wait until the button stops flashing.
Take notice that the paper-sheet is not irradiated, that means e.g. that the grain-structure of the paper is visible on the monitor.
Now the regarded image is displayed correctly illuminated and true-colored on the monitor. (If the colored-adjustment of the monitor is set to a neutral value.)
7 SERVICE AND MAINTENANCE

7.1 cleansing and disinfection

before initiating of cleansing:

PULL OUT THE MAIN PLUG

All parts of the outer surfaces of the unit (housing, front- and rearpanel) are totally insensitive to all the usual cleaning and disinfecting materials, so that you can use any of these without limitation. In order to avoid scratches on the surfaces and be able to control the amount of liquid, apply liquids using a soft cloth or a soft blotting paper. Cleaning or disinfecting liquids should not be sprayed directly onto the housing and then spread. With flammable liquids like alcohol, you should apply with a cloth. Do not let any liquid get into the equipment. After cleaning with flammable liquids, leave the equipment to dry for one hour before it is switched on again. There is danger for example that an alcohol-air explosive mixture could form after cleansing!

For medical applications, the camera is delivered with a watertight camera cable and camera head.
This cable can be immersed into a disinfecting liquid.

The camera cable must not be autoclaved!

Before immersing the camera cable, you have to screw the sealing-cap onto the plug. Take care of correct position of the thick red sealing.

7.2 Exchanging the main fuses

main fuses are located on the rearpanel of the control unit, right above the main terminal device in a small drawer.

You want to change the voltage settings, you have change the fuses to the corresponding rating.

1. Pull out the main plug!
2. Loosen the drawer by unfastening the two clamps located to the left and to the right of the drawer with a peaked tool and pull out the drawer.
3. Take out the two fuses.
4. Check the fuses. A blown fuse is indicated by the blackened glass cylinder or the visibly melted fuse conductor. If necessary, check the fuse with an ohmmeter.
5. If you need to change the voltage selection, take out the white insert inside the fuse drawer, turn it around 180° and re-insert it. Now the voltage selector shows another voltage.
6. Install the corresponding fuses. You will find the right fuse ratings in chapter 8. They are printed as well on the rearpanel.
7. Re-install the fuse-drawer.
8. Switch on the equipment. If you have exchanged a defective fuse against a new one and the fuse blows again; the unit has an error. In this case, you must return the device to your dealer for testing and repair.

7.3 Exchanging the lamp

The only part subject to wastage in the equipment is the lamp. The manufacturer of this lamp estimates the minimum life expectancy as 500 hours. After that, the quoted light wattage reduces drastically and there may be difficulties in igniting. In order to secure safe operation of the equipment, the lamp should be changed after the expire of the operation time.

Since the lamp used is a high pressure Xenon-lamp, whose small combustion chamber is high pressure, the bulb can explode if you handle it incorrectly (danger of glass splinters)!

The lamp may only be changed by qualified personnel, and following the prescribed safety precautions. Therefore, send for the qualified person when it is necessary to replace the lamp.

1. If the lightsource was under operation right before lamp change, the lamp is still very hot. Allow the lamp to cool down before handling.
2. When handling the lamp, protective goggles and gloves which also protect the arteries must be worn!
3. The lamp must be stored in the original packing, when outside the equipment, never left lying around!
4. Never interfere with the contacts, the electrodes, or the electrode connections, or exert pressure or stronger action on other parts of the lamp!
5. Self disposal: Wrap old lamps in a thick cloth and crush it into small pieces with a hammer on a firm base. The gas in the lamp (Xenon) is completely non-poisonous.

6. Never throw used, undestroyed lamps into the rubbish: Dangerous for playing children or other innocent parties who may not be aware of the danger!

If you observe the safety precautions, there is absolutely no danger and you can proceed to easily change the lamp in the following manner:

- Pull out the main plug!
- Loosen the 4 screws of the cover located on the left and the right side of the unit. Take off the cover and place it beside the unit.
- Attention: If the machine has been operating shortly beforehand, the lamp could be very hot.
- All remaining currents in the electronics will be, in a few seconds after switching off the equipment, completely safely discharged. There is no danger in handling the equipment here.
- Disconnect lamp connector plug. Push the two clamps of the plug. Open the knurled head screw of the lamp holder, lift up the lamp guard and pull out the lamp.
- Insert a new lamp and close the lamp guard again. Fasten the lamp guard with the knurled head screw. For correct positioning of the lamp, refer to fig. 3.
- The lamp is thus automatically and correctly adjusted.

Re-connect the plug. You cannot mix up the connectors due to its non-symmetric design.
7.4 Further maintenance in conjunction with lamp change

After 500 hours of operation, dust may have been sucked through the fan blades into the equipment due to the conditions in the environment. This dust should be removed from the equipment with a vacuum cleaner using a small nozzle attachment. Dust can sometimes cling quite firmly to the fan blades. This should then be cleaned with a cloth and a little alcohol/spirits. Likewise dust settles on the heat protective filter and should also be cleaned with a soft cloth or blotting paper and pure alcohol or spirits.

Concerning use of flammable liquids, pay attention to safety precautions in chapter 7.1

After that:
Re-install the cover and fasten it with the 4 screws.

After the drying time has expired, switch on the lightsource and check if it is working.
8 TECHNICAL DATA

TV-system

1. PAL
2. NTSC

resolution

active pixels:

1. 752 H x 582 V
2. 768 H x 494 V

TV resolution

1. 470 lines
2. 470 lines

video-output

1 x VBS (1Vpp/75Ω), BNC
1 x Hosiden (Y/C), Mini-DIN-connector

WHITEBALANCE

automatically, with data-hold

shutter

automatically, shutter-speed from
1/50 to 1/2.000.000 sec.

AGC

automatically, max. emphasis +30dB

light measurement

Integral (Standard)

power supply

1. 230 VAC ± 10%
2. 115 VAC ± 10%

power consumption

170 W

main fuses

fine fuses, 5x20mm

1. 2x T1,25 A
2. 2x T2,5 A

lightguide connector

all lightguides connectable using
interchangeable adapters

lamp

high-pressure xenon gas discharge lamp
with reflector

certificates

BF, CE

dimensions

control unit 355x110x320 mm (WxHxD)
camera head Ø 29mm, length 56 mm

weight

control unit 5,5 kg
camera head approx. 70 g (without cable)
9 SPARE PARTS

lamp
XBO R100/W45C, manufacturer: Osram

fuses
fine fuses, 5x20 mm
main fuses
230 VAC: 2x T 1,25A
115 VAC: 2x T 2,5A
internal fuse
1x T 0,4A
10 GENERAL HINTS

Protection against Damage
Protection against damage is only guaranteed if the unit is adequately operated, maintained, and installed safely.
The unit needs to be protected against humidity, dirt, flammables or explosives.
In order to ensure a good convection of the heat that is produced during the operation of the equipment, never put any covers over the housing.

Never cover the louver type slots!

Maintenance
In order to avoid faults resulting from aging or wear-and-tear, the unit including its accessories are to be checked at regular intervals and have to be repaired, when necessary (DIN 57750 part 1, VDE 0750 part 1). We recommend annual maintenance.

Service, Repairs and Modifications
In conformity with the international safety regulations valid for medical devices, all activities such as check ups, repairs, modifications, calibrations etc. may only be carried out by the manufacturer or by explicitly authorized personnel.
All services carried out must be entered in the “Technical Service Notes” at the back of the user manual.

Liability
As manufacturer of the device, we only consider ourselves liable for safety, reliability, and performance of the unit, if:
• assembly, re-adjustment, modifications or repairs are performed by persons authorized by ESS.
• the electric installation of the respective room corresponds to the regulations of VDE 0107
• the instructions found in the user manual are strictly observed when operating the unit.

Warranty
1 year according to our warranty conditions.
The warranty for this equipment will be null and void in the event that the equipment has been altered, repaired, or tampered with by any person or persons not expressly authorized to do so by Endoscopy Support Services, Inc. (except operations as directed in the operations manual such as lamp change, etc.) Warranty conditions are not applicable for wearing parts (for instance lamp, etc.).
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