SciLog ${ }^{\circledR}$ LabTec $^{\text {TM }}$

- intelligent bioprocessing system
- dispensing system


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The SciLog ${ }^{\circledR}$ LabTec $^{\top M}$ is an automated laboratory scale dispensing system by volume, weight or weight ratio.

The LabTec ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ automates, optimizes and documents repetitive liquid dispensing with or without in-line filter sterilization. The LabTec™ models are ideally suited for dispensing sterile solutions in media kitchens and microbiology laboratories. Also widely used in small production runs to fill your final product into vials, bottles, bags, and containers.

The automatic documentation and alarm / pump stop settings allow the user to focus on other tasks while the system is running. Remote control and programmable end points ensure the system starts and stops operating when a given dispense is complete or an interlock condition occurs. When sold with SciDoc software or a printer, documentation capabilities include 7 real-time parameters.

## Features and Benefits

- Rapid, high prevision dispensing by volume, weight or weight ratio
- Self priming
- Reversible flow
- Remote activation
- Accuracy +/- $0.5 \%$ by volume
- Accuracy +/- $0.3 \%$ by weight
- Pressure alarm alerts when in-line filter needs to be replaced
- PC or printer documentation of dispensing


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## Performance Characteristics



| Trial | Sample <br> Weight <br> $(\mathrm{g})$ | Theoretical <br> Diluent <br> Weight <br> (g) | Actual <br> Diluent <br> Weight <br> (g) | Errors <br> $(\mathrm{g})$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 10.0 | 90.0 | 90.0 | 0.0 |
| 2 | 10.0 | 90.0 | 89.9 | -0.1 |
| 3 | 10.0 | 90.0 | 90.1 | +0.1 |
| 4 | 10.0 | 90.0 | 89.8 | -0.2 |
| 5 | 10.0 | 90.0 | 90.1 | +0.1 |
| 6 | 10.0 | 90.0 | 90.0 | +0.1 |
| 7 | 10.0 | 90.0 | 89.9 | -0.1 |
| 8 | 10.0 | 90.0 | 90.2 | +0.2 |
| 9 | 10.0 | 90.0 | 90.1 | +0.1 |
| 10 | 10.0 | 90.0 | 89.8 | -0.2 |



| Dispensed <br> Volume <br> $(\mathrm{ml})$ | Tubing <br> Size | Pump <br> Speed <br> (\%) | Slow <br> Factor <br> (ml) | Typical <br> Precision <br> (\%) | Dispensing <br> Time/ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5.0 | $\# 15$ | $100 \%$ | 2.50 | $1.7 \%$ | 2.1 |
| Aliquot |  |  |  |  |  |
| (sec) |  |  |  |  |  |$|$


| Table 3 - Gravimetric |
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| Solution Dispensing |


| Weight <br> Entered <br> (g) | Averge <br> Dispensed <br> Weight <br> (g) | RSD <br> (\%) | Dispensing <br> Time per <br> Aliquot <br> (sec) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 200.00 | 199.95 | $0.03 \%$ | 16 |
| 150.00 | 150.01 | $0.11 \%$ | 14 |
| 100.00 | 100.01 | $0.11 \%$ | 13 |
| 50.00 | 49.96 | $0.18 \%$ | 12 |
| 25.00 | 25.05 | $0.25 \%$ | 10 |

## Applications

Weighing, Dilution and Sterilization


The LabTec ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ significantly increases the productivity of any microbiology laboratory. The dispensing system automates weighing and diluting of food samples, in preparation for bacteriological analysis. Only an approximate sample size is needed. The LabTec ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ dispenser calculates and rapidly dispenses the media required to achieve a user-selected diluent factor. See Table 1. Costly and timeconsuming autoclaving of media is avoided with in-line filter sterilization of diluents using a filter capsule. A disposable pressure sensor monitors filter backpressure and provides an alarm signal when a failing sterilizing filter (high backpressure) needs to be replaced. An optional printer or PC hook-up automatically documents all sample and diluent weights. The LabTec ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ dispenser improves the speed, precision and accuracy of the entire sample preparation process by automating the weighing, dilution and documentation process.

## Precision Batch Dispensing



The LabTec ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Smart Dispensing System is capable of high speed, high precision batch dispensing. The LabTec $^{\text {TM }}$ comes with a 1082 Tandem peristaltic pump head. Up to 10 different dispensing volumes can be stored and easily retrieved for quick batch volume dispensing. An optional sterilizing filter and disposable pressure sensor provide for in-line buffer sterilization and reliable detection of filter plug-up conditions. Typical performance results including dispensing times are summarized in Table 2. The LabTec $^{\text {M }}$ is easy to calibrate. A stored calibration curve is provided for each pump head/pump tubing combination. From a stored menu, you select the pump tubing you have installed in the LabTec ${ }^{\top}{ }^{\top}$. For high accuracy dispensing applications, you may want to use the LabTec ${ }^{\top M}$ 's single-point re-cal feature.

Fast, Accurate Dispensing and Sterilization


In this configuration, the $\mathrm{LabTec}^{\text {TM }}$ is connected to an electronic scale for high accuracy filling applications. A sterilizing filter and a disposable pressure transducer provide a safe and effective in-line filter sterilization capability. The LabTec ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ continuously monitors the filter backpressure and alarms when a user-defined pressure level has been exceeded, which indicates a filter plug-up condition. See Table 3. The high dispensing accuracy is achieved by reducing the pump rate as final target weight is being approached. The slow-down avoids overshooting the target weight. After slow-down, the LabTec ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ pump stops briefly when $99 \%$ of the final target weight has been dispensed. The electronic scale is allowed to come to a steady-state readout and the LabTec ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ slowly starts up again to dispense the remaining solution.

## Specifications

| Dimension / Weight | Width: $5.75^{\prime \prime}(146 \mathrm{~mm}) \times$ height: $8.5^{\prime \prime}(2126 \mathrm{~mm}) \times$ depth: $11^{\prime \prime}(279 \mathrm{~mm}): 14 \mathrm{lbs}(6.4 \mathrm{~kg})$ |
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| Enclosure \& Rating | 16 Ga, aluminium baked epoxy blue $4-40 \mathrm{dC}, 0-100 \%$ humidity, IP20 |
| Pressure Sensors | Accommodates one disposable pressure sensor. The calibrated pressure range is $0-60$ psi. Any point within this <br> range can be recalibrated using an external pressure reference source. |
| Power | $115 / 220-240 \mathrm{VAC}, 60 / 50 \mathrm{~Hz}, 75 \mathrm{Watts}$, double fused: T1AL 250V (CE: IR35A 250VAC) |
| Motor / Encoder | $8,160,600,3400 \mathrm{RPM}, 30 \mathrm{VDC}, 3.8 \mathrm{~A}, 100 \mathrm{ppr}$ |
| I/O Ports | Male DB9 scale connections (RS-232), female DB9 printer or PC connection (RS-232), external IO DB37 <br> connector, 1 TTL input, 4 TTL output, $34-20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| Operational Mode | Dispense by volume, weight or weight ratio. Store up to 10 programs per mode. Pump re-calibration. |

Example: 200-LABT-1181 - SciLog ${ }^{\circledR}$ LabTecTM $^{\text {TM }} 160$ RPM motor and 1081 head

