

EZPlus Autoclave Operating Instructions

Keep these instructions with or near your autoclave for easy reference.

For detailed operating instructions refer to EZPlus Operators Manual.

Turn the unit on by setting the rocker switch mounted on the right side of the front panel to the "On" position.

NOTE: The EZ11Plus has an automatic pre-heating mode which activates automatically in the "Wrapped Instruments, Pouches", "Handpieces", and "Custom A" cycles. Use caution since pre-heating will make the bottom of the chamber hot. (This feature is not active in the EZ9Plus.)

Open the door when "System Ready" is displayed on the screen, by following these steps:

- Place your thumb on the plastic door cover and the other fingers in the handle pocket.
- Pull the handle until the latch of the door is released.

NOTE: This machine is equipped with an electronic door lock. The door will not open when the sterilizer is running a cycle, when the power is off, or when the display screen does not read "System Ready".

Fill the reservoir by pouring steam distilled water, gently, into the front funnel until it reaches the **top** of the blue area on the level gauge. This reservoir is designed with an overflow and filling the reservoir above the safe level as indicated on the Front Fill Funnel will cause excess water to spill out below the machine onto the counter.

Select a program to run by using the "UP" or "DOWN" arrow keys. (Programs can only be selected when the door is open.)



Unwrapped
Instruments
270°F



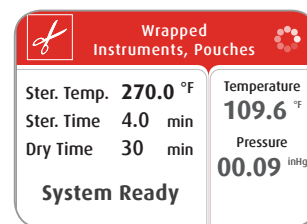
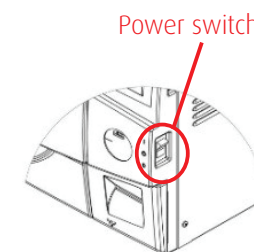
Wrapped
Instruments,
Pouches
270°F



Unwrapped
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250°F



Handpieces
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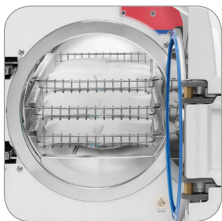


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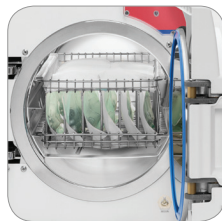
NOTE: Adding extra dry time can be done if the default drying time is not adequate. Press the **UP/DOWN** keys simultaneously for 1-2 seconds then select “Add extra dry time” from the Quick Options Menu by pressing the **START/STOP** key. Use the **UP/DOWN** keys to select the amount of additional dry time and press the **START/STOP** key (see sec 7.1.1 in the Operator’s Manual for more details).

Load the autoclave properly according to instructions in sec. 10 of the Operator’s Manual. Separate instruments of dissimilar metal, don’t overload the unit, observe maximum weight limits. Using a pouch rack with wrapped instruments will improve efficiency. Some proper loading options include:

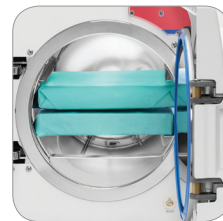
EZ9Plus



EZ9Plus loaded with 3 stainless steel trays

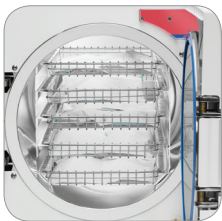


EZ9Plus loaded with 2 stainless steel trays and optional pouch rack



EZ9Plus loaded with 2 full and 2 half cassettes

EZ11Plus



EZ11Plus loaded with 5 stainless steel trays



EZ11Plus loaded with 4 stainless steel trays and pouch rack

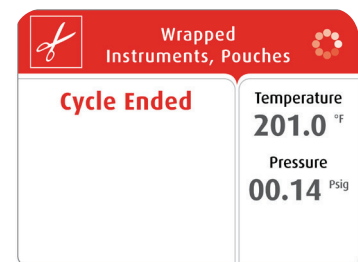


EZ11Plus loaded with 4 full and 4 half cassettes (must load vertically)

Close the door by holding the handle in the open position while pushing the door until it comes to the closed position, then releasing the handle. The “Door Open” symbol will be replaced with “**System Ready**” on the screen once the door is closed. Should the Door Open symbol remain on the screen, gently pressing on the door will engage the lock and secure the door.

Start the cycle by pressing the **START/STOP** key.

At the end of a successful cycle, the screen shows the “Cycle Ended” message and the door is automatically unlocked.



Open the door and use the tray handle or wear heat-resistant gloves to remove the load from the autoclave.

On completion of the cycle, the load should be visually inspected to ascertain that the load is dry, and that sterilization indicators have made the required color change.

Use only FDA cleared chemical & biological indicators designed for steam sterilization that are compatible with the particular sterilization cycle temperature and exposure time being monitored. At least once a week use a biological spore test (*Bacillus Stearothermophilus*) in any load to insure proper sterilization (be aware testing standards may vary; contact appropriate state/local agencies for specific sterilization guidelines for your office). Always follow the spore test manufacturer’s instruction.

Be sure to follow all maintenance instructions as outlined in section 12 of the Operator’s Manual.

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