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FILES

#	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>FCT:</u>	
1	PAGE	E7	Data and page parameters
2	SYSTM	E3	1x, 2x, 3x, Bx
3	I/O	51	I/O parameters
4	ASCII	56	General purpose
5	PPARM	41	Page parameters
6	OPARM	42	Operating parameters
7	CO2	45	CO ₂ calibration list
8	FLOW	46	Flow calibration list
9	RH	47	Cal list
10	SENSR	E2	0x, Cx
11	SFORM	D8	System format
12	UFORM	D9	User format
13	KEYS	E1	User key definitions
14	KBUFF	ED	Key buffer
15	VWSEQ	EC	Miniview sequence
16	PROG	E8	Log key program

EXEC LISTS

40	**SETUP**	50	**COMM**
41	set pg parms	51	set I/O parms
42	set opr parm	52	terminal
43	set clock	53	dump pages
44	set QNTM cal	54	binary dump
45	set CO2 cal	55	binary load
46	set FLOW cal	56	ascii capture
47	set RH cal	57	ascii dump
48	zero FLOW	58	binary index
49	CO2 ref	59	
4A	leaf area	5A	
4B	aux data	5B	
4C		5C	
4D		5D	
4E		5E	
4F		5F	
D0	***MEM***	E0	**CONFIG**
D1	delete fiels	E1	set keys
D2	renum files	E2	set sensors
D3	mem status	E3	set sys prog
D4	file status	E4	reset E2, E3
D5	file index	E5	recompute
D6	STORE PAD	E6	CLEAR PAD
D7	edit loop	E7	view
D8	set sys fmt	E8	program
D9	set user fmt	E9	log
DA	view labels	EA	sys reset
DB		EC	set mini view
DC		DE	set kbuff
DD		ED	set kbuff
DE		EE	EXEC KBUFF
DF	clear mem	EF	SWAP TERM

PREOPERATION

1. Work through the SETUP execute list (**SETUP**, or **FCT 40**), which covers the following:
 - Page parameters
 - Operating parameters
 - Set the clock
 - Quantum sensor cal constant
 - CO₂ analyzer cal list
 - Flowmeter cal list
 - RH sensor cal list
 - Set analyzer reference
2. Check each sensor to make sure it is responding as expected:
 - Quantum sensor
 - Air and leaf temp matched?
 - IRGA temp
 - Flowmeter
 - CO₂ concentration
 - Relative humidity
3. Set the ZERO and SPAN for the CO₂ analyzer.
4. ZERO the flowmeter (**FCT 48**).
5. Check the humidity sensor against a standard you can trust.
6. Check system for leaks.
7. Desiccant test (K Test).

REMINDERS

EVERY 10 -15 MINUTES...

- Shake the desiccant tube

EVERY 30 - 60 MINUTES...

- Zero the flowmeter
- Check the CO₂ analyzer zero
- Test the desiccant (K Test)

EVERY DAY...

- Preoperation procedure
- Clean chambers
- LI-6250 fan filter
- Re-charge used batteries

EVERY FEW WEEKS...

- Check soda lime
- LI-6250 filter #2

EVERY YEAR...

- LI-6250 filter #3
- LI-6250 internal soda/desiccant

OR

- Return to factory for complete recalibration

USER FORMAT CODES

HDR	Entire header
PAG	Page number
DAY	Day (numeric)
MON	Month (numeric)
HOU	Hour
MIN	Minute
SEC	Second
TIM	Time in HH:MM:SS
DAT	Date in DD MMM
NOB	# observations
SYS	System number
APR.n	nth auxiliary data prompt
AXD.n	nth auxiliary data
EOL<.n>	End of line (or n EOLs)
SPA<.n>	Space (or n spaces)
Ax	Parameters (AA thru AF)
1x.n	nth sample of channel 1x
1x.nM	nth mean obs of channel 1x
1x.nR	nth range of obs of channel 1x
2x.n	nth obs of channel 2x
3x.n	nth obs of channel 3x
OB.n	nth observation #
LOOP...ENDLOOP	Use * for obs.

0x CHANNELS

00	LOW	reserved
01	LOW TA	Chamber temp (mV)
02	LOW TL	Leaf temp (mV)
03	LOW RH	Relative humidity (mV)
04	LOW TC	IRGA temp (mV)
05	HIGH C2	CO ₂ signal (mV)
06	LOW QN	Qntm (mV)
07	LOW FL	Flowmeter signal (mV)
08	OFF	Spare channel 1 (mV)
09	OFF	Spare channel 2 (mV)
0A	OFF	Spare channel 3 (mV)
0B	OFF	Spare channel 4 (mV)
0C	OFF	Spare channel 5 (mV)
0D	OFF	Spare channel 6 (mV)
0E	LOW BA	Battery Voltage (V)
0F	LOW	reserved

Accessed by **FCT E2**.

2x CHANNELS

20		Unused							
21	W	12 65	75	A1	64	6D	2F	18	A0
22	FRACT	16	A5	65					
23	FW/S	16	21	64	A1	65	C2	65	
24	K	A2 65	A6 6D	22 25	64 66	63 23	19 64	64 67	2F
25	E	25 65	A7	64	23	62	C1	21	63
26	GS	13 79	74	18	25	A0	A4	A3	76
27	DC	A2 25	A0 64	64 62	1A	64	2F	65	15
28	A	23 63	15 64	64 63	27	C1	21	22	64

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2F (RTS)

Accessed by FCT E3.

3x CHANNELS

30	PHOTO	B0	28	64						
31	COND	B1	26	64						
32	CINT	26	A4	A3	76	7A	25	15	28	
			7B							
33	RS	12	75	A0	65	26	64	6D	34	
		66	B2	64						
34	CS	34	B3	64						
35 - 3F										Unused

Accessed by **FCT E3**.

Ax CONSTANTS

A0	P(mb)
A1	A(cm2)
A2	Vt(cc)
A3	BC(mol)
A4	STM RAT
A5	Fx(μmol)
A6	Vg(cc)
A7	Kabs
A8	A8
A9	A9
AA	AUX DATA 1
AB	AUX DATA 2
AC	AUX DATA 3
AD	AUX DATA 4
AE	AUX DATA 5
AF	AUX DATA 6

Ax constants are accessed by **FCT 41**, or by **FCT Ax**.

Bx CONSTANTS

B0	1.00	Photo multiplier
B1	1.00	Cond multiplier
B2	1.00	RS multiplier
B3	1.00	CS multiplier
B4	0.0	Unused
B4	0.0	Unused
B5	0.0	Unused
B6	0.0	Unused
B7	0.0	Unused
B8	0.0	Unused
B9	0.0	Unused
BA	0.0	Unused
BB	0.0	Unused
BC	0.0	Unused
BD	0.0	Unused
BE	0.0	Unused
BF	0.0	Unused

Bx constants are accessed by **FCT E3**, or by **FCT Bx**.

Cx CONSTANTS

C0	0.0	Unused
C1	1.0	Unused
C2	100.0	Unused
C3	0.012207	Thermistor
C4	0.00226	Thermocouple C1
C5	0	Unused
C6	??	Quantum cal
C7	0.024414	Humidity
C8	??	Flow zero
C9	0	CO ₂ ppm
CA	0	CO ₂ mV
CB	1.00	CO ₂ gain factor
CC	0.1790	Quantum gain
CD	0.0	Unused
CE	0.0	Unused
CF	44.64	Flow

Cx constants are accessed by **FCT E2**, or by **FCT Cx**.

6x STACK OPERATORS

60	\leftrightarrow	Swap top 2 entries
61	\rightarrow	Drop top entry off stack
62	+	Add top two entries
63	-	Subtract top two entries
64	\times	Multiply top two entries
65	\div	Divide top two entries
66	1/x	Invert top entry
67	-x	Change Sign of top entry
68	x^2	Square top entry
69	x^3	Cube top entry
6A	\sqrt{x}	Square Root of top
6B	\leftarrow	Duplicate top entry
6C		Fetch previous 1x, 0x value
6D		Store top entry to ____
6E		Fetch range obs of 1x
6F		Slope channel flag

7x STACK OPERATORS

- 70 Time since pad cleared.
Initial Stack: ● ● (top)
Final Stack: ● time (s) ● (top)
- 71 CO₂ calibration function.
I: ● Signal (mV) ● Temp (C) ●
F: ● CO₂ (ppm) ●
- 72 Flow calibration function.
I: ● Signal (mV) ● Temp (C) ●
F: ● Std Flow (cm³ s⁻¹) ●
- 73 RH Lookup Table.
I: ● Measured RH (%) ●
F: ● True RH (%) ●
- 74 Saturation Vapor Pressure
I: ● Temp (C) ●
F: ● Vapor pressure (mb) ●
- 75 $8.314 \times (T + 273)$
I: ● T ●
F: ● $8.314 \times (T + 273)$
- 76 Boundary Layer Correction
I: ● Stmrat ● BC ●
F: ● Corrected BC ●

7x STACK OPERATORS cont'd

- 77 CO₂ Reference
I: ● Ref (ppm) ● Temp (C) ● P (mb) ●
F: ● Ref (ppm) ● Ref (mV) ● Gain Factor ●
- 78 CO₂ Slope
I: ● Signal (mV) ● Temp (C) ●
F: ● Cal Function Slope ●
- 79 Stomatal Conductance
I: ● SL ● ea ● E ● P ● BC ●
SL = Sat vap press of leaf (mb)
ea = Vap press of air (mb)
E = Transpiration (mol m⁻² s⁻¹)
P = Pressure (mb)
BC = Bound. layer cond (mol m⁻² s⁻¹)
F: ● Cond (mol m⁻² s⁻¹) ●
- 7A Cond. to CO₂
I: ● g ● BC ●
g = Stom. cond. (mol m⁻² s⁻¹)
BC = Bound. layer cond (mol m⁻² s⁻¹)
F: ● Cond CO₂ (mol m⁻² s⁻¹) ●
- 7B Intercellular CO₂
I: ● g ● E ● C ● A ●
g = Stom. cond. (mol m⁻² s⁻¹)
E = Transpiration (mol m⁻² s⁻¹)
C = Ambient CO₂ (ppm)
A = Assim. rate (μmol m⁻² s⁻¹)
F: ● C_i (ppm) ●

7x STACK OPERATORS cont'd

- 7C Density Factor
I: ● Temp (C) ● P (mb) ●
F: ● $(TP_0)/(T_0P)$ ●
- 7D 5th Order Polynomial
I: ● a ● b ● c ● d ● e ● f ● x ●
F: ● $a+bx+cx^2+dx^3+ex^4+fx^5$ ●
- 7E DeltaT (Energy Balance)
I: ● BC ● Ta ● TW ● E ● Rn ●
BC = Bound. layer cond ($\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$)
Ta = Chamber air temp (C)
TW = Chamber wall temp (C)
E = Transpiration ($\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$)
Rn = Net radiation (W m^{-2})
F: ● $(T_{\text{leaf}} - T_{\text{air}})$ ●
- 7F Transpiration (Energy Balance)
I: ● BC ● Ta ● Tl ● TW ● Rn ●
BC = Bound. layer cond ($\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$)
Ta = Chamber air temp (C)
Tl = Leaf temp (C)
TW = Chamber wall temp (C)
Rn = Net radiation (W m^{-2})
F: ● Transpiration ($\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$) ●

CONVERSIONS

Photosynthesis

$$\begin{aligned}\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1} \times 0.044 &= \text{mg m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1} \\ \mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1} \times 1.584 &= \text{mg dm}^{-2} \text{hr}^{-1} \\ \text{mg m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1} \times 36 &= \text{mg dm}^{-2} \text{hr}^{-1}\end{aligned}$$

Transpiration

$$\begin{aligned}\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1} \times 18,000 &= \text{mg m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1} \\ \text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1} \times 44,100 &= \text{W m}^{-2}\end{aligned}$$

Conductance

$$\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1} \times 2.5 = \text{cm s}^{-1}$$

Pressure

$$\begin{aligned}\text{mm Hg} \times 1.333 &= \text{millibar} \\ \text{kPa} \times 10 &= \text{millibar}\end{aligned}$$

TROUBLESHOOTING

Conductance Too Low

- Humidity reading too low.
- Flowmeter reading too low. (Re-zero?)
- Leaf area too high.
- Volume too low (if not steady state conditions).
- Bad contact between leaf thermocouple and leaf, with $T_{\text{leaf}} < T_{\text{air}}$.
- Did humidity rise during the measurement?
Use a higher flow rate if possible.

Conductance Too High or Negative

- Humidity reading too high.
- Flowmeter reading too high. (Re-zero?)
- Desiccant not adequate.
- Volume too high (if not steady state conditions).
- Leaf area too low. If it is low enough to make the leaf resistance come out smaller than the boundary layer resistance, then the stomatal resistance (and conductance) will be negative.
- Bad contact between leaf thermocouple and leaf, with $T_{\text{leaf}} > T_{\text{air}}$.
- Did humidity fall during the measurement?
Use a lower flow rate.

TROUBLESHOOTING, Cont'd

Photosynthesis Too Low (High)

- CO₂ analyzer calibrated correctly? Are you sure of your span gas?
- Volume too low (high).
- Leaf area too high (low).
- Pressure parameter too low (high).

Intercellular CO₂ Too Low (High)

- Photosynthesis too high (low).
- Stomatal conductance too low (high).

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