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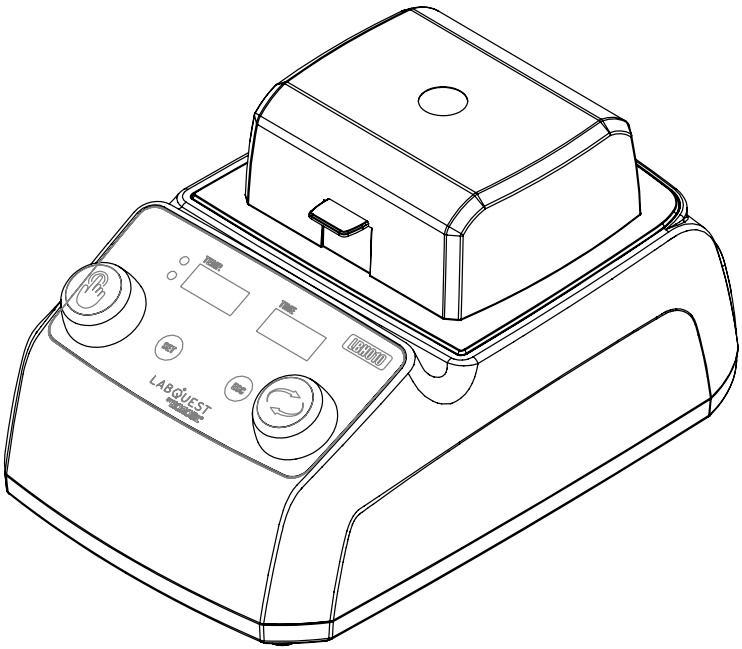
DRY BLOCK HEATER

OPERATING MANUAL
LBH010P



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INTRODUCTION

The manual provides important information regarding the safety information of the dry block. DRY BLOCK HEATER have the block temperature of 130^{0}C with the timer of 99hrs 59mins. The body of the unit is made up of PBT 30% glass filled which will have minimum chemical reaction if the chemical spillage takes place and also has low body thermal conductivity which prevents any accidental heat burns.

Read this manual thoroughly before attempting to operate the Dry Block Heater. All persons operating this piece of equipment should review the Safety Precautions section of this manual.

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PACKING LIST

Sr. No	Description	Quantity
1	LBH010P Unit	01 No.
2	Power Cable	01 No.
3	External Probe	01 No.
4	Knob Handle	02 Nos.

PRODUCT SPECIFICATION

PARAMETERS	LBH010P
Temperature Control	Yes
Time Control	Yes
External Probe	PT100
Temperature Control	PID Control
Block Temperature Range	Ambient to 130^{0}C
Temperature Accuracy	Slow Heating: ± 1 °C Fast Heating: ± 2 °C
Process Timer	99.59 (HH.MM)
Display	7 Segment
Block capacity	Depending upon block (Ref Accessories page)
Vials Capacity	Depending upon block (Ref Accessories page)
Block Material	Aluminium
Interchangeable Block	Yes
Cover for Dry Block	UV Protection
Unit External Dimensions	285x190x156mm
Power Input	230V, 50Hz
Fuse Rating	1.5A
Power Consumptions	200W

CAUTION

- Always use proper protective equipment. (Clothing, gloves, etc.)
- Always follow good hygiene practices.
- Each individual is responsible for his / her own safety.
- Always wear shatter proof eye protection.

SAFETY AND WARNING

- When the **'AUTO RESUME'** feature is Enabled, the unit may start heating or opertaing on power supply.
- Ensure mains are switched off or unplugged when the product is not in use.

Important operating and maintenance instructions. Read the accompanying text carefully.

Potential Electrical Hazards

- Only qualified persons should perform procedures associated with this Symbol.
- Equipment being maintained or serviced must be turned off to prevent possible injury.
- Inadequate earthing at the installation facility can lead to hazardous electrical shocks.
- The manufacturer is not liable for any injury or death resulting from electrical hazards due to faulty earthing in the lab.

Potential Heat Hazards

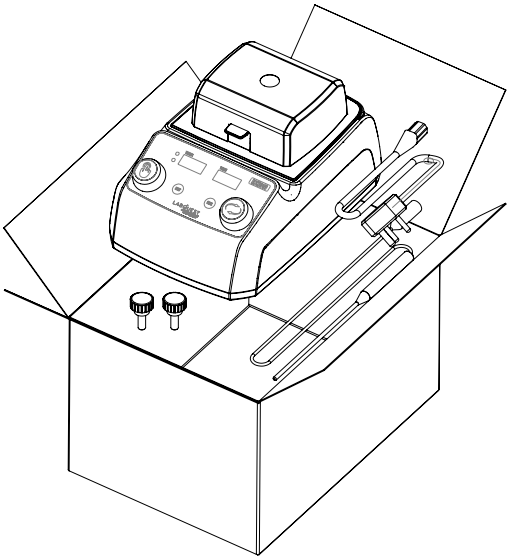
- Only qualified persons should perform procedures associated with this Symbol.
- Do not touch the top of the aluminium block in case of LBH010P directly when the unit is in hot condition.

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

The following precautions should be taken when operating or working near the LBH010P:

- Do not use the product if there is any electrical or mechanical damage.
- Always wear shatterproof eye protection.
- Repair should be performed only by qualified individuals.
- Do not use accessories which are not recommended by the manufacturer as it may affect the performance.
- Do not use the unit in hazardous atmosphere or with hazardous material for which the unit is not designed.
- Always use the unit on a level & stable surface for best performance and maximum safety.
- The instrument is designed to be used in the laboratory environment.
- Clean the unit with a damp cloth using a mild detergent only. Do not use chemical cleaning agents.
- If liquid is spilled on the unit, first disconnect the unit from the external (main) power supply and then clean the unit with damp cloth.

UNBOXING



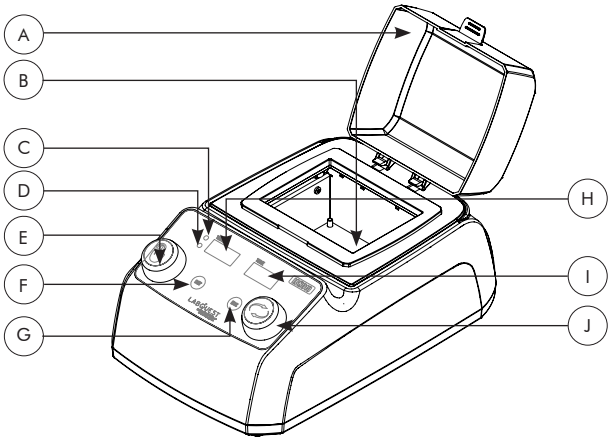
1. Place the carton box in the proper direction.
2. Check the exterior carton for any damages.
3. Unbox the carton box from the top. If there is any physical damage found on the product report to the dealer / delivery agent.
4. Remove the accessories and the unit from the box safely.
5. Compare the in box items with the packaging list and the unboxing image. If any of these items are missing, contact Labquest's Customer Service Department immediately.

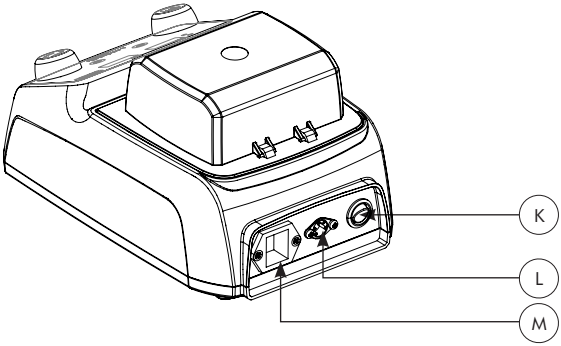
Refer page no. 8 to know what is present in the carton box with respect to the product.

(Read Manual before installation on the lab bench.)

PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

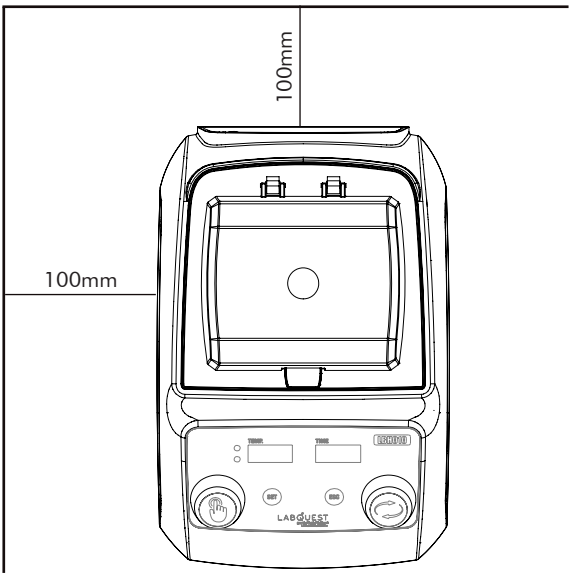
A. TRANSPARENT CAP
B. ALUMINIUM BLOCK 12 POSITION
C. SET INDICATOR (GREEN LED)
D. PROCESS INDICATOR (RED LED)
E. TEMPERATURE KNOB
F. SET KEY
G. ESC/BACK KEY
H. TEMPERATURE DISPLAY
I. TIME DISPLAY
J. TIMER KNOB
K. POWER SWITCH
L. EXTERNAL PROBE CONNECTOR
M. POWER SOCKET



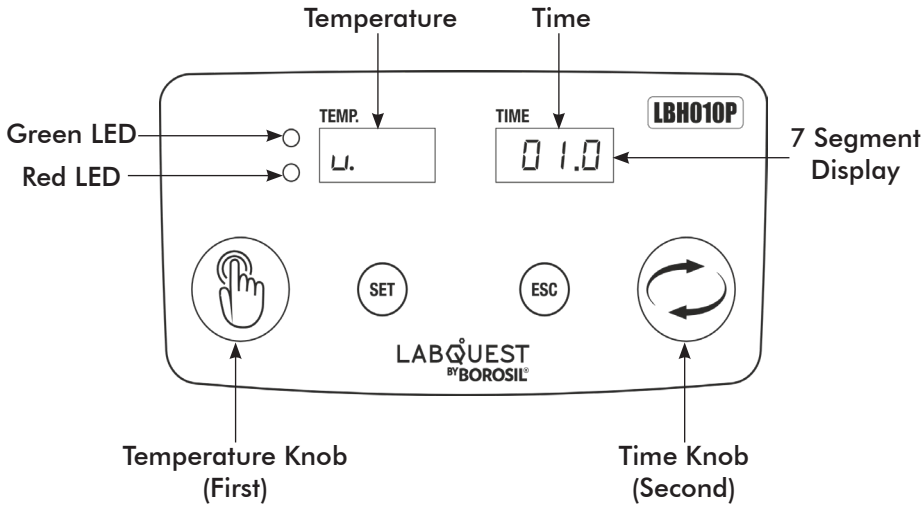


PRODUCT INSTALLATION

- Locate the unit on a level, stable surface near a grounded electrical outlet.
- The surface should be clean and free of dust and also ensure that there are no flammable substances present near the unit.
- Allow sufficient clearance on all sides of the unit for proper ventilation.
- With the power switch in the OFF position, plug the power cord into grounded receptacle and connect the external probe.
- Make sure that a minimum 100 mm gap is maintained between the unit wall and also with other instruments present in the lab as shown in the figure below.
- Please ensure there is a fuse in the fuse holder.
- Connect the male end of the power cable to the wall socket.
- **While using the unit, the external temperature probe should always be inserted into the block.**
- The unit is ready to operate for first usage.



DESCRIPTION FOR KNOB AND LED



1. **TEMPERATURE Knob**
   - Clockwise Rotation
     - » To increment the set Temperature value.
   - Anti Clockwise Rotation
     - » To decrement the set Temperature value.
   - **Single Press** : To select the particular parameters value.
   - **Long Press**: To reset the set parameters, to exit the process and to jump into the settings.
2. **TIME Knob**
   - Clockwise Rotation
     - » To increment the set TIME value.
   - Anti Clockwise Rotation
     - » To decrement the set TIME value.
3. **Red LED**
   - This indicates the current Temperature value and current TIME value.

4. Green LED

- This indicates the set Temperature value and set TIME value.

5. SET Key

- Press the set key and rotate the TIME knob clockwise or counterclockwise to vary and set the time.
- During this time, the TIME display will show set time.
- Single press during the process will display the set parameters.
  - » Set Temperature value on the Temperature display.
  - » Set time on the TIME display.

6. ESC Key

- If the key is pressed once, the Temperature display will show 'stop' and the TIME display will show 'pros' for 5 seconds.
- If the key is pressed again within this duration, the process will stop. If not, the process will resume.

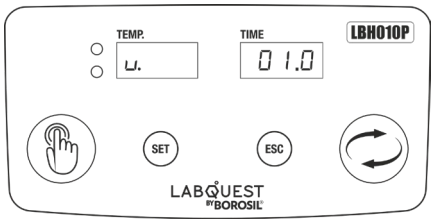
GENERAL OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

- All operating controls are located on the front panel and back panel of the unit.
- The power switch, power socket are located on the back panel.
- Press the power switch, display will Turn **ON** showing the current Temperature of the unit.
- Single press the Temperature knob to enter the **parameter-set** mode.
- Rotate the Temperature knob **clockwise** or **counterclockwise** to vary the set Temperature.
- During this time, the Temperature display will blink and show the set Temperature.
- Press the '**SET**' key and rotate the TIME knob **clockwise** or **counterclockwise** to vary and set the time .
- During this time, the TIME display will show set time.
- Single press the Temperature knob to confirm and fix the set Temperature and TIME, and also to start the process.
- The Green LED will remain ON while adjusting the Temperature and TIME.
- Single press the '**ESC**' key or long press the Temperature knob to return to the home screen.
- Temperature regulation will be **0-130^{0}C** and time regulation will be from **00.01-99.59(HH.MM)**.
- If one rotates the Temperature knob during the process is ON then the Temperature increases or decreases based on the rotation of the Temperature knob.
- Single press of the '**SET**' key during the process will display the set parameters.
- Once the parameter in the unit is set and the process has started then the unit will show the Temperature and time along with the respective display screens.
- If one wants to terminate the process in between then long press the Temperature knob or press the '**ESC**' key until a beep sound occurs stating that the process is terminated.
- Once the time is completed the unit will give a buzzer sound indicating the process is completed.

OPERATIONS

Version Display

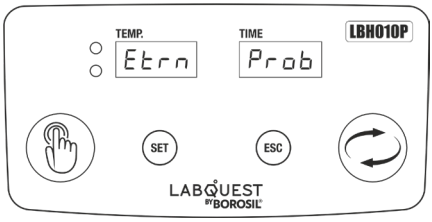
- When the power supply is turned ON, the unit will display the current software version for 2 seconds.
- During this time, both LED's will remain OFF.

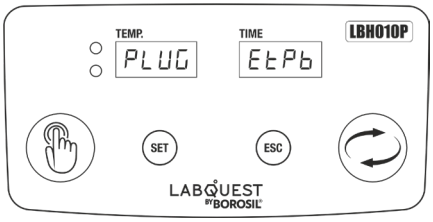


Temperature Probe Status

After the version display, the unit will check the probe status:

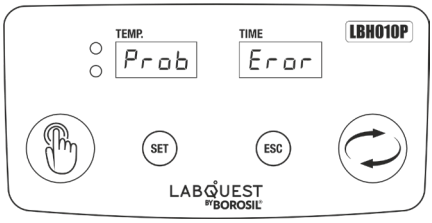
- If the **external probe** is connected, the 1st display will show "**Etrn**", and the 2nd display will show "**prob**" for 2-3 seconds with a buzzer beep.
- If an **external probe** is not connected, the 1st display will blink "**PLuG**", and the 2nd display will blink "**EtPb**" continuously with a buzzer beep till the external probe is connected.
- Both LED's will remain OFF.





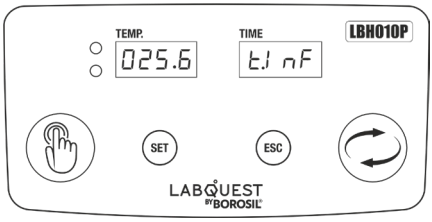
Probe Error

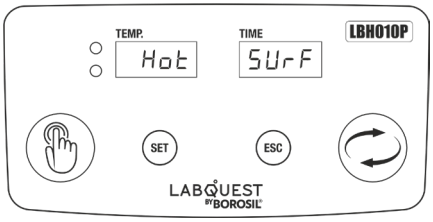
- If the internal probe is not connected or faulty, the 1st display will show "**Prob**" & 2nd display will show "**Eror**" with the display blinking and a buzzer sound.
- Both LED's will remain OFF.



1. HOME SCREEN

- After displaying the probe status, the unit will show the current temperature on the 1st display and the 't.InF' on the 2nd display.
- If the internal probe temperature is greater than **50°C**, then '**Hot SurF**' message will appear frequently to prevent direct contact with the block.
- Both LED's will remain OFF.





2. SET PARAMETER

- Single press the 1st knob to enter the parameter-set mode.
- The Green LED will remain ON while setting the temperature and time.

Set Temperature Value:

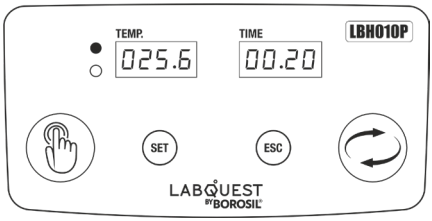
1. Rotate the 1st knob clockwise or counterclockwise to vary the set temperature value.
2. During this time, the 1st display will blink and show the set temperature value.

Set Time:

1. Press the **SET** key and rotate the 2nd knob clockwise or counterclockwise to vary and set the time.
2. During this time, the 2nd display will show the set time.

- If "**Time**" in setting menu is set to **Pros** or **Soac** then user can set time from **00.00 to 99.59 (HH.MM) or infinite (t.inf)** while setting time parameter.

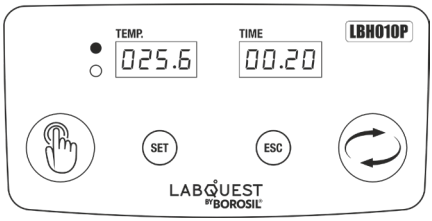
- Single press the 1st knob to confirm and start the process.
- Single press the '**ESC**' key or long press the 1st knob to return to the home screen.



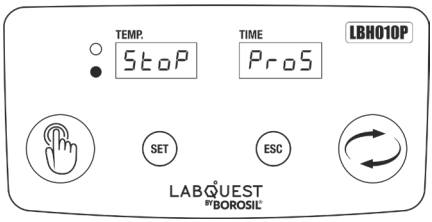
3. PROCESS

In Process:

- The RED LED will remain ON throughout the process.
- Set Temperature Adjustment in Process:
  1. Rotate the 1st knob to change the set temperature during the process.
  2. Single press the knob to confirm the set temperature.
- A single press of the SET key during the process will display the set parameters:
  1. Set temperature on the 1st display.
  2. 't.InF' (for 't.InF') or Set time (for 'Pros'/'Soac' modes) on the 2nd display.
  3. The GREEN LED will remain ON while displaying set parameters.



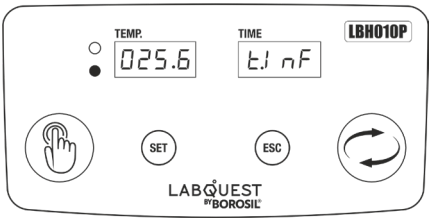
- When the process starts or stops, the buzzer will beep for 2 to 3 seconds as an alert.
- Stopping the Process:
  1. If the ESC key is pressed once, the 1st display will show '**Stop**' and the 2nd display will show '**Pros**' for 5 seconds.
  2. If the ESC key is pressed again within this duration, the process will stop. If not, the process will resume.
  3. If user long press the first knob then Process will get stop.

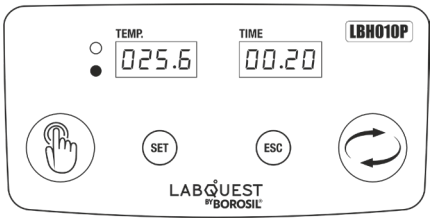


- Time Mode - 'Pros':
  1. If set time is Infinite (t.InF): A count-up timer will start automatically.
  2. If a defined time is set, a countdown timer will start as soon as process starts.

- Time Mode - 'Soac':
  1. If a defined time is set, the **countdown timer** will begin once the **actual temperature** reaches the **setpoint**.

- If no action is taken, the time defaults to 't.InF'.

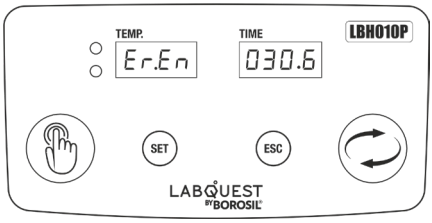




SETTINGS

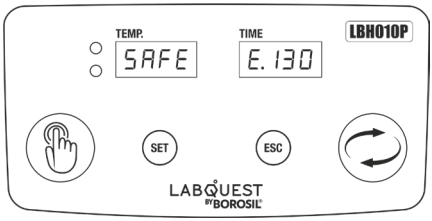
1. SINGLE POINT CALIBRATION

- Long press the 1st knob for 7 seconds on the Home Page to enter the Setting Menu.
- Rotate the 1st knob to select the Calibration Mode.
- The unit will display:
  1. 'Er.En' on the 1st display.
  2. The current temperature will be displayed on the 2nd display.
- Press the 1st knob once to enter the Calibration Mode.
- Rotate the 1st knob to set the master temperature.
- Press the 1st knob again to save the settings and exit.
- Both the LED's will remain off.
- Long press the 1st knob to return to the Home Page.



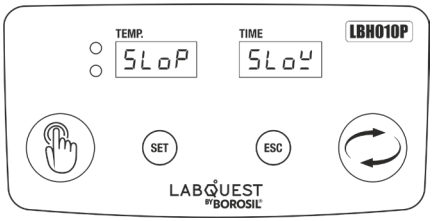
2. SAFE TEMPERATURE

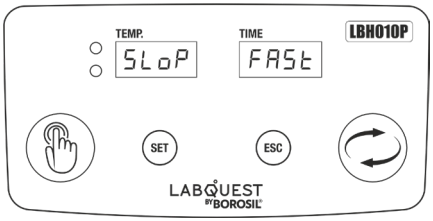
- Rotate the 1st knob to select the Safe temperature mode.
- The unit will show '**SAFE**' on the 1st display and 'E.130' on the 2nd display.
- Press the 1st knob once to enter **SAFE** mode.
- Rotate the 1st knob to vary the safe temperature value.
- Press the 1st knob again to save the safe value and exit.
- Long press the 1st knob to return to the Home Page.



3. SLOPE MODE

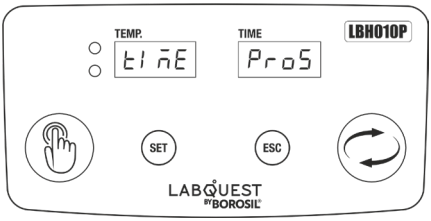
- Rotate the 1st knob to select the SLOP mode.
- The unit will show '**SLOP**' on the 1st display and '**Slow/FASt**' on the 2nd display.
- Press the 1st knob once to enter **SLOP** mode.
- Rotate the 1st knob to choose between '**Slow**' or '**FASt**'.
- Press the 1st knob again to save the selection and exit.
- Long press the 1st knob to return to the Home Page.

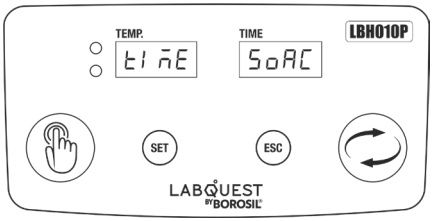




4. TIME MODE

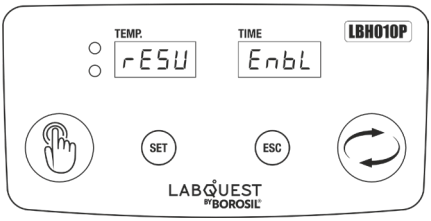
- Rotate the 1st knob to select the Time mode.
- The unit will show '**timE**' on the 1st display and '**ProS/SoAC**' on the 2nd display.
- Press the 1st knob once to enter time mode.
- Rotate the 1st knob to choose between '**ProS**' or '**SoAC**'.
- Press the 1st knob again to save the selection and exit.
- Long press the 1st knob to return to the Home Page.

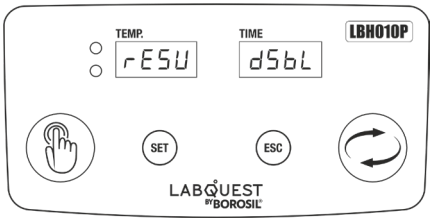




5. AUTO RESTART

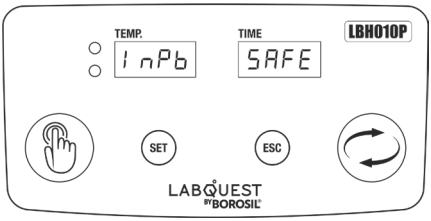
- Rotate the 1st knob to select the Auto restart mode.
- The unit will show '**rESu**' on the 1st display and '**Enbl/dSbl**' on the 2nd display.
- Press the 1st knob once to enter **rESu** mode.
- Rotate the 1st knob to choose between '**Enbl**' or '**dSbl**'.
- Press the 1st knob again to save the selection and exit.
- Long press the 1st knob to return to the Home Page.

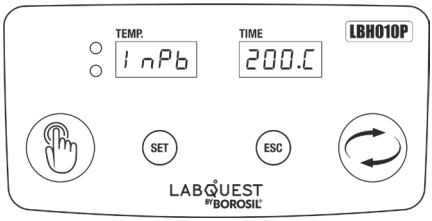




6. INTERNAL PROBE SAFETY TEMPERATURE

- Rotate the 1st knob to select the Internal probe safety mode.
- The unit will show '**InPb**' on the 1st display and '**SAFE**' on the 2nd display.
- Press the 1st knob once to enter '**InPb SAFE**' mode.
- Rotate the 1st knob to vary the safe value.
- Press the 1st knob again to save the value and exit.
- Long press the 1st knob to return to the Home Page.





Note: The internal temperature probe is intended for safety purposes only and cannot be used for process control.

SAFETY ALERT

- Overheating Protection During Process:

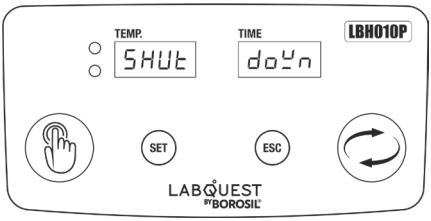
If the internal probe temperature exceeds **240°C** during the process or out of the process due to triac failure, the unit will:

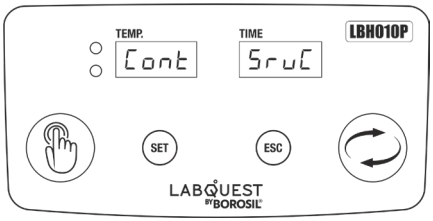
1. Display an alert message: '**shut down**' and '**Cont SrvC**'.
2. Cut off the power supply via the relay to prevent overheating.

- Gradual Temperature Rise Detection:

If the internal probe temperature gradually increases due to triac failure on the home page (out of the process), the unit will:

1. Display an alert message: '**shut down**' and '**Cont SrvC**'.
2. Cut off the power supply via the relay to prevent overheating.

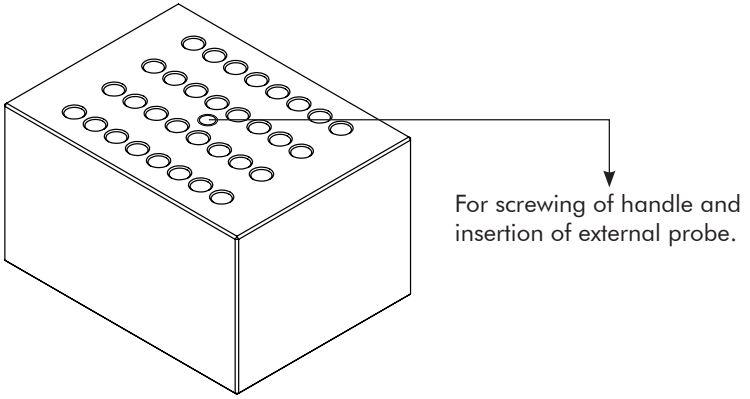




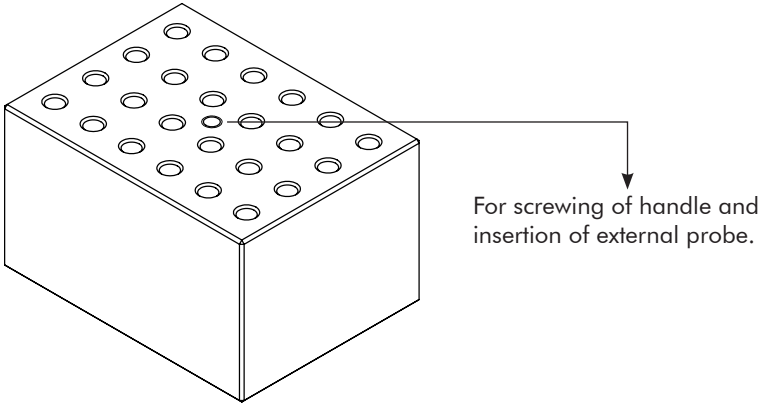
ACCESSORIES

Interchangeable Blocks

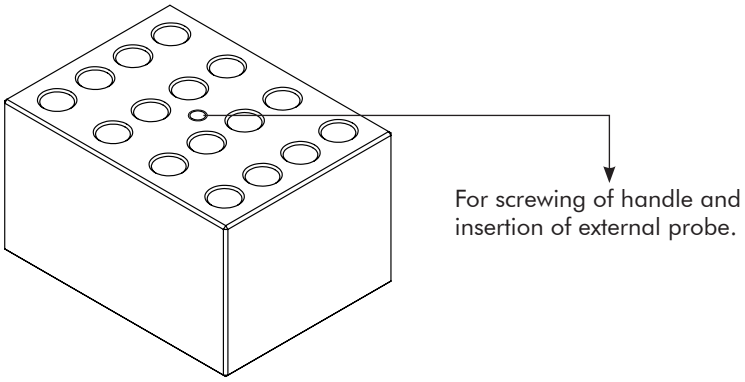
1. BLAALBHPCR3208W004 : 32 wells for PCR strip of 0.2mL tube, Ø6.35mm, depth 19mm



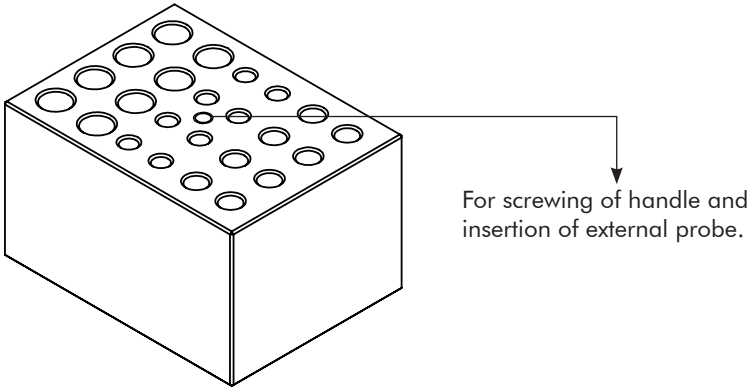
2. BLAALBH0MW2406W004 : 24 wells for 0.5mL tube, Ø8.0mm, depth 25mm



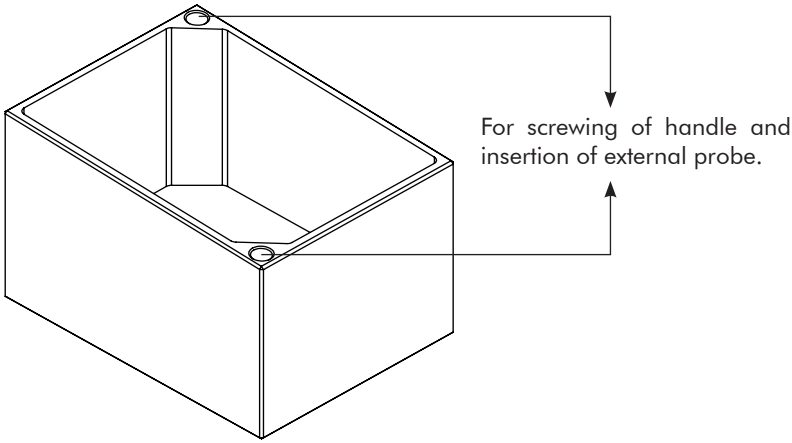
3. BLAALBH0MW1604W004 : 16 wells for 2.0mL or 1.5mL tube, Ø11.0mm, depth 30mm



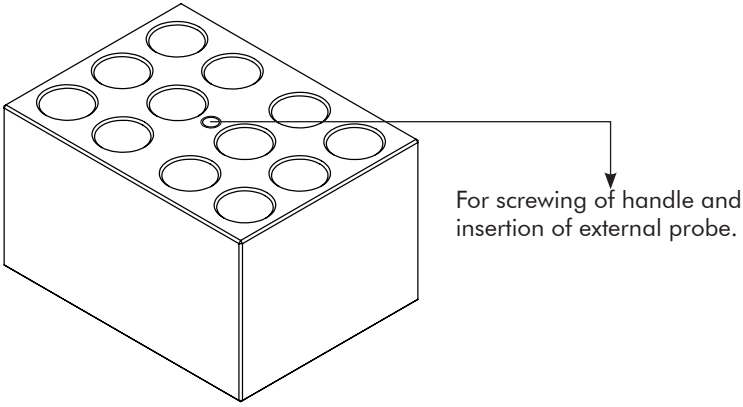
4. BLAALBHVMW0008W004 : Versatile multi well block for 8 wells of 0.2mL tube, 8 wells of 0.5mL tube, and 8 wells of 2.0mL or 1.5mL tube.



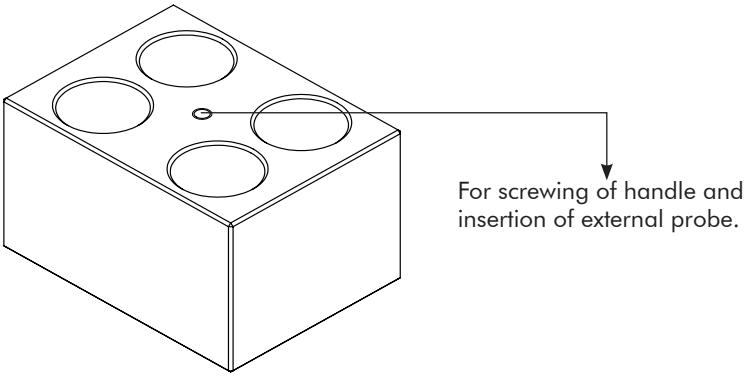
5. BLAALBH0MW000BB004 : Bead bath or water bath block Volume of 300mL.



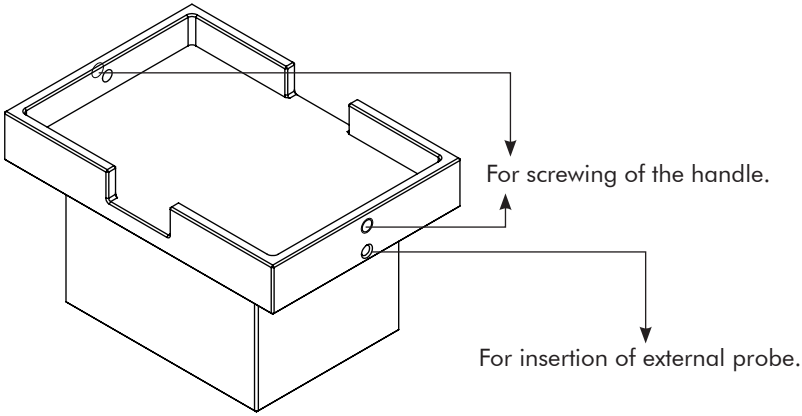
6. BLAALBH0MW1204W004 : 12 wells for 15mL tube, Ø17.3mm, depth 50mm



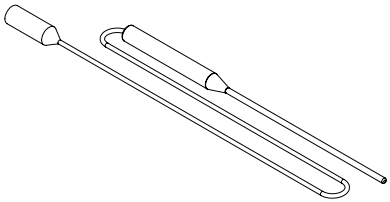
7. BLAALBH0MW0402W004 : 4 wells for 50mL tube, Ø29.2mm, Depth 50mm



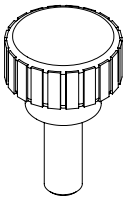
8. BLAALBH0MW0096W004 : Flat 96 well plate block.



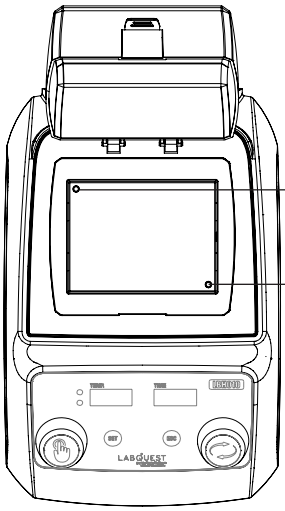
External Probe (PT100)



Knob Used For Installation of Interchangeable Blocks

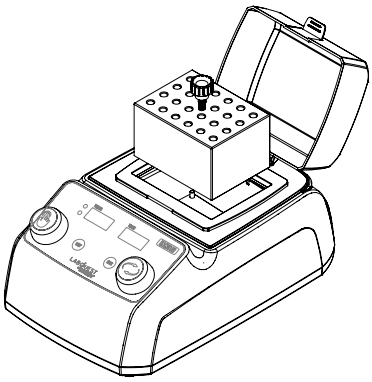


INSTALLATION OF INTERCHANGEABLE BLOCKS

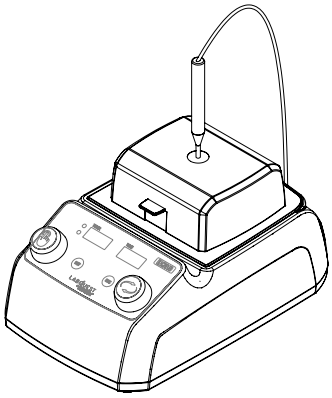


Dual dowel pins for the location of interchangeable blocks.

Locator holes present at the bottom of each interchangeable blocks



Insert the knob in the interchangeable block to lift and place the block on the dry bath heater block.



Close the transparent cap and connect the external probe to the unit and insert the probe inside the interchangable block for tempertaure control.

NOTE: Proper closing of transparent cap in the LBH010P unit can only be done in the following interchangeable blocks that are 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 which are mentioned in page no. 27 to 29.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Sr.No.	PROBLEM	SOLUTION
1.	The unit is not turning ON	• Check the supply in AC mains. • Make sure power cable is inserted to the socket properly. • Check whether the main switch is ON or OFF. • Check if the illuminated switch present in the unit is OFF or ON. • Check if the unit is running and the switch is not illuminating, then the switch needs to be replaced.
2.	If the fuse is blown	• Switch OFF the unit and remove power cable from AC mains. • Pull out the fuse holder located at the bottom of the power socket. • Remove the glass tube fuse. • Check if the fuse is blown. • If the fuse is blown, replace it with a glass tube fuse that is given in the product specification table.

WARRANTY REGISTRATION

Please handover this registration form to the distributor from where you have purchased this product. The warranty is valid only when this warranty registration form is received by us within 30 days from the date of purchase.

Product: LBH010P

Product Sr. No.: _____

Date of Invoice : _____

Invoice No.: _____

Customer name & address

Name : _____

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Address: _____

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Telephone: _____

E-mail: _____

Customer sign & seal

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DRY BLOCK HEATER

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STATEMENT OF WARRANTY

Borosil confirms that this product has been manufactured in accordance with our technical specifications and quality requirements.

- Borosil warrants the product from manufacturing and workmanship defects for a period of 12 months from the date of invoice.
- Warranty void if apparatus is not operated as prescribed in this operating manual.
- To be covered under warranty.
  - Units have to be connected to standard 230V, 50Hz, 5A wall sockets with proper earthing for LBH010P.
  - The units should never be run with wet or dripping glassware.
  - Warranty does not cover replacement of heating element more than once.
  - Warranty does not cover rust and physical damage to metal parts due to corrosive environment in the lab.

Terms:

- In the event of malfunction due to defect, the buyer will have to follow the Borosil's service process.
- Certain units can not be serviced / rectified at the buyer's place and the units may have to be brought to Borosil's service center as advised by Borosil's representatives.
- In no event shall Borosil be liable for consequential or incidental damages.

INVOICE DATE	BUYER	AFFIX SERIAL NUMBER
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Dealer name & address	Dealer sign & seal

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