

# **SM Titrino 702**

Series 29 ...

Instructions for Use 8.702.1033



#### **Mode Selection**

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Press key < mode > until the desired mode is displayed, press < enter >, select desired measured quantity with < select >, and confirm with < enter >. Or:

Recall method from user memory with <user meth>. Select method with < select> or by entering its name.

3 user meth

MET pH, U, Ipol, Upol SET pH, U, Ipol, Upol MEAS pH, U, Ipol, Upol, T CAL Monotonic Equivalence Point Titration.
Set Endpoint Titration.
MEASuring.
pH CALibration.

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## Calculations and Data Output Definitions

Initial values are printed in **bold face**.

Display	Meaning	Input range
>fgraula RS?	Input of formula. Enter result number.	19
RS1=EP1*C01/C00	Enter formula by means of 3 <sup>rd</sup> functions of keyboard and < enter > . Calculation constants have 2 digits such as C01. C00 stands for sample size.	
RS1 text RS1 decimal places RS1 unit:	Text for result output.  Number of decimal places for result output.  Select result unit.  Enter values of calculation variables with < C-fmla > .	RS1 or up to 8 ASCII char. 125 %, ppm, g/l, mg/ml, mol/l, mmol/l, g, mg, ml, mg/pc, no unit or up to 6 ASCII characters
)com.var. C3?=	Allocations of common variables C3X. Enter number of common variable and result RS# or mean MN#.	19 and RSX, MNX, EPX, CXX
>report report:	Selection of report blocks for data output.  Depends on selected mode. If you wish several reports, use ";" as separator.	full, short, curve, calc, param, calib, mplist, ff
>menn MN?=	Allocations for statistics. Enter mean number and result RS#.	19 and <b>RSX</b> , EPX, CXX

c **1** C-fmla

#### **Calculation Variables**

Display	Meaning	Input range
схх	All CXX (XX = 119) which are used in the formulas are displayed and can be inputted.	0±999 999

parameters

#### **Parameters for MET**

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Display	Meaning	Input range
>titration parameters		
V step	Volume increment.	0 <b>0.10</b> 9.999 ml
titr.rate	Dosing rate for increments.	0.01150 ml/min, max.
signal drift	Drift criterion for measured value acquisition.	pH, U: 0.5 <b>50</b> 999 mV/min, OFF
•		I: 0.05 <b>50</b> 99.9 uA/min, OFF
equilibr.time	Waiting time for measured value acquisition.	1269999 s, OFF
start V:	Type of start volume: absolute, relative or none.	abs., rel., OFF
start V	Volume for absolute start volume.	0999.99 ml
factor	Factor for calculation of <b>relative</b> start volume:	0 ± 999 999
	factor * smpl size.	_
dos.rate	Dosing rate for start volume.	0.01150 ml/min, <b>max.</b>
	Waiting time, e.g. after start volume.	0999 999 s
pause		1, 2, diff.
meas.input:	Measuring input for MET pH and MET U or	1, 2, uiii.  -127 <b>1</b> 127 uA
[I(pol)]	polarization current for MET I/(o)) in stans of 10 m// and	-1270 <b>400</b> 1270 mV
[U(po1)]	polarization voltage for MET U(pol) in steps of 10 mV and	
[electrode test]	test for polarized electrodes.	ON, <b>OFF</b>
temperature	Titration temperature.	-170.0 <b>25.0</b> 500.0 °C
>stop conditions		
stop V:	Type of stop volume: absolute, relative or none.	abs., rel., OFF
stop V	Volume for <b>absolute</b> stop volume.	0 <b>99.99</b> 9999.99 ml
factor	Factor for calculation of <b>relative</b> stop volume:	0 ± 999 999
	factor * smpl size.	
stop pH	Stop at measured value pH, U, I.	pH: 0.00 ± 20.00, <b>OFF</b>
000p p	otop at modeling value pri, e, ii	U: 0 ± 2000 mV, <b>OFF</b>
		I: 0.0 ± 200.0 uA, <b>OFF</b>
stop EP	Stop after a number of EP's have been found.	19, OFF
filling rate	Filling rate after the titration.	0.01150 ml/min, <b>max.</b>
	Thing rate after the titration.	0.01100 (m/mm, max.
>statistics		
status:	Status of statistics calculation.	ON, OFF
mean n=	Number n of single values for statistics calculation.	220
res.tab:	Result table for statistics calculation.	original, delete n, delete all
delete n=	Delete data from sample number n.	120
>evaluation		1
EPC	Endpoint criterion.	pH: 0.10 <b>0.50</b> 9.99
		U: 1 <b>30</b> 999 mV
		l: 0.1 <b>2</b> 99.9 uA
EP recognition:	Type of EP recognition: all EP's, only greatest EP, only	all, greatest, last, window, OFF
	last EP, only EP's in windows, no evaluation. If "window"	
	is selected, lower and upper limits of windows are	
	inquired.	
fix EP1 at pH	Interpolation of volume at given pH, U, or I, resp. Up to 9	pH: 0.00 ± 20.00, <b>OFF</b>
-	fix EP's.	U: 0 ± 2000 mV, <b>OFF</b>
		I: 0.0 ± 200.0 uA, <b>OFF</b>
pK/HNP;	Evaluation of pK or HNP	ON, OFF
>preselections		
req.ident:	Request of identifications after start of titration.	id1, id1 & 2, all, <b>OFF</b>
-	Request of sample size after start of titration.	value, unit, all, OFF
req.smpl size:	Pulse output on remote line "activate".	
activate pulse:	r use output on remote line activate.	ON, <b>OFF</b>

## parameters

#### **Parameters for SET**

Go to next inquiry with <parameters > and <enter >.

Initial values are printed in bold face.

Display	Meaning	Input range
<b>&gt;SET1</b> EP at pH	Individual parameters for EP1. Preset EP1 at pH, U, or I, resp.	pH: 0.00 ± 20.00, <b>OFF</b> U: 0 ± 2000 mV, <b>OFF</b>
dyna∎ics	Distance from EP where constant dosing should stop and controlling begins. OFF means no constant dosing.	l: 0.0 ± 200.0 uA, OFF pH: 0.0120.00, OFF U: 12000 mV, OFF l: 0.1200.0 uA, OFF
max.rate	Maximum dosing rate.	0.01 <b>10</b> 150 ml/min, max.
min.rate	Minimum dosing rate.	0.01 <b>25.0</b> 999.9 ul/min
stop crit:	Type of stop criteria	drift, time
stop drift	Titration stops if stop drift is reached.	1 <b>20</b> 999 ul/min
t(delay)	Titration stops if there is no dosing during t(delay).	0 <b>10</b> 999 s, INF
stop time	If t(delay) is "INF" stop after a time.	0999 999 s, <b>OFF</b>
>SET2	Individual parameters for EP2. Identical as SET1.	
<pre>&gt;titration parameters    titr.direction:</pre>	General titration parameters. +: Titration to higher pH, voltage, or current. auto: Direction is set automatically.	+, -, auto
start V:	Type of start volume: absolute, relative or none.	abs., rel., OFF
start V	Volume for <b>absolute</b> start volume.	0999.99 ml
factor	Factor for calculation of <b>relative</b> start volume:	0 ± 999 999
i ac to:	factor * smpl size.	
dos.rate	Dosing rate for start volume.	0.01150 ml/min, max.
pause	Waiting time, e.g. after start volume.	0999 999 s
meas.input:	Measuring input for SET pH and SET U or	1, 2, diff.
[I(pol)]	polarization current for SET Ipol or	-127 <b>1</b> 127 uA
[U(pol)]	polarization voltage for SET U(pol) in steps of 10 mV and	-1270 <b>400</b> 1270 mV
[electrode test]	test for polarized electrodes.	ON, OFF
temperature	Titration temperature.	-170.0 <b>25.0</b> 500.0 °C
>stop conditions		
stop V:	Type of stop volume: absolute, relative or none.	abs., rel., OFF
stop V	Volume for absolute stop volume.	0 <b>99.99</b> 9999.99 ml
factor	Factor for calculation of <b>relative</b> stop volume:	0 ± 999 999
filling rate	factor * smpl size. Filling rate after the titration.	0.01150 ml/min, <b>max.</b>
>statistics status	Status of statistics calculation.	ON, OFF
mean n=	Number n of single values for statistics calculation.	220
res.tab:	Result table for statistics calculation.	original, delete n, delete all
delete n=	Delete data from sample number n.	120
>preselections conditioning:	Automatic conditioning of titration vessel.	ON, <b>OFF</b>
display drift:	Display of drift during conditioning.	ON, OFF
req.ident:	Request of identifications after start of titration.	id1, id1 & 2, all, <b>OFF</b>
req.smpl size:	Request of sample size after start of titration.	value, unit, all, OFF
activate pulse:	Pulse output on remote line "activate".	first, all, cond., OFF

## smpl data

## Sample Data

Go to next inquiry with <smpl data > and <enter>.

Initial values are printed in **bold** face.

Display	Meaning	Input range
	Inquiries with silo = OFF (LED "silo" is OFF):	
id#1 or C21	Sample identifications. Can be used as sample	
id#2 or C22	specific calculation constants.	up to 8 ASCII characters
id#3 or C23	) opositio suisatation sonstanto.	
smpl size	Sample size.	_999 999 <b>1</b> 999 999
smpl unit:	Unit of sample size.	g, mg, ml, ul, pc, no unit

configuration

## Configuration

Go to next inquiry with
<configuration > and
<enter >.

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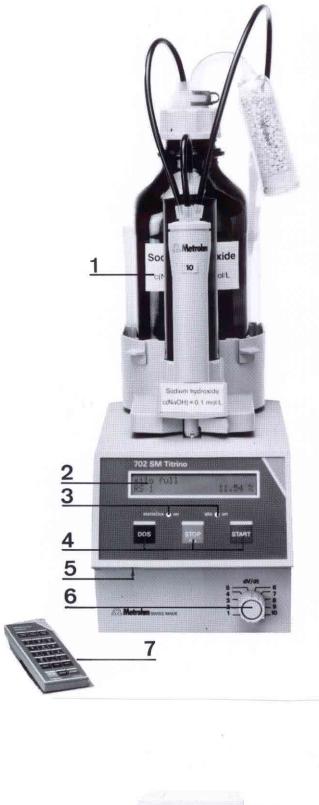
		lace.
Display	Meaning	Input range
>peripheral units		
send to:	Selection of character set, depends on printer.	Epson, Seiko, Citizen, HP, IBM
balance:	Selection of balance.	Sartorius, Mettler, Mettler AT, AND, Precisa
record:	Selection of record type to be outputted at the analog. output. U(rel) is the controlling deviation in SET titrations.	U, dU/dt, V, dV/dt, U(rel), T
>auxiliaries		
dialog:	Selection of dialog language.	english, deutsch, français, español, portuguese, italiano, svenska
date		YYYY-MM-DD
time		HH:MM
run nu <b>m</b> ber	Current run number for result output.	09999
auto start	Automatic starts of titrations ("number of samples").	19999, <b>OFF</b>
start delay	Waiting time before start of titration.	<b>0</b> 999 999 s
device label	Device label to identify instrument for remote control.	up to 8 ASCII characters
program	Program version.	no input
>RS232 settings		
baud rate:	Baud rate.	300, 600, 1200, 2400, 4800, 9600
data bit:	Data bit.	7, 8
stop bit:	Stop bit.	1, 2
parity:	Parity.	even, odd, <b>none</b>
handshake:	Handshake.	HWs, HWf, SWline, SWchar, none
RS control:	Receiving of commands via RS; "OFF" means no reception.	ON, OFF
>com.var.	Common variables.	
C30	Value of common variable C30.	0 ± 999 999
: C39		0 ± 999 999

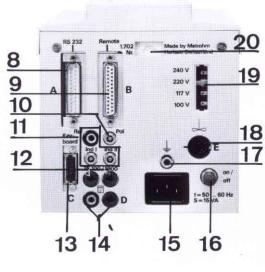
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## 1. Overview

#### Front view of instrument:

1 Exchange Unit

(2) Display

Indicator lamps

"statistics on": Lamp is on when the "statistics" function (calculation of mean value

and standard deviation) is switched on.

"silo on": Lamp is on when silo memory (for sample data) is switched on.

Control keys of SM Titrino

DOS: Dispensing is performed as long as < DOS > is pressed. Used to

prepare the Exchange Unit. The dispensing rate can be set with

potentiometer 6 .

STOP/FILL: - Stops procedures, e.g. titration, conditioning.

- Fill command after < DOS > to prepare the Exchange Unit.

Identical with the <STOP > key of the separate keypad.

START: Starts procedures, e.g. titration, conditioning.

Identical with the <START> key of the separate keypad.

5 Setting of the display contrast

6 Control of the dispensing rate in dispensing with < DOS > and in subsequent filling

(7) Separate keypad

#### Rear view of instrument:

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#### **RS232 Interface**

for the connection of a printer and balance or a computer

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#### Remote lines (input/output)

for the connection of a sample changer, robot, etc.

(10)

#### Connection for polarized electrodes

for the measured quantities Ipol and Upol

(11)

#### Connection for potentiometric electrodes

for the measured quantities pH and U (voltage). 2 measuring inputs which can be used either separately or as a single differential potentiometric input for non-aqueous titrations, see also page 115.

Important: If work is performed in the same measuring vessel with both measuring inputs, the same reference electrode must be used.

(12)

#### Connection for temperature sensor

Pt100 or Pt1000

(13)

#### Connection for the separate keypad

(14)

#### Analog output

for the connection of a recorder

(15)

#### Mains connection

With mains supplies where the mains voltage is subject to severe HF disturbances, the SM Titrino should be operated via an additional mains filter, e.g. Metrohm 615 model.

(16)

#### Mains switch

(17)

#### **Earthing socket**

The SM Titrino must be earthed properly and effectively, if need be via the earthing socket.

(18)

#### Connection for Magnetic Stirrer, Rod Stirrer or Ti Stand

Supply voltage: +9 VDC (I≤200 mA)

(19)

#### Display of the set mains voltage

Before switching on for the first time, check that the set mains voltage matches the voltage of your power supply. If this is not the case, disconnect mains cable and change voltage.

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#### Rating plate

with fabrication, series and instrument number

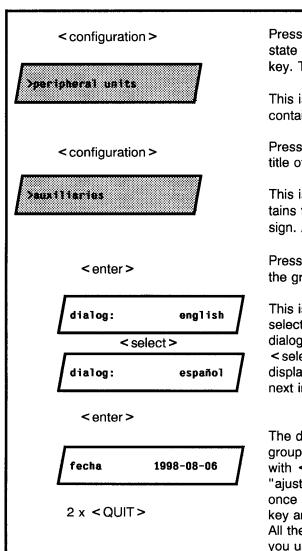
## 2. Manual operation

## 2.1 Getting started; a short operating course with examples

Your instruments are already set up. If not, see pages 108 ff.

We can thus make a start and first take a look at the fundamentals for the entry of data. As an example we set the dialog language just for fun to Spanish. How do you like a Spanish dialog?

#### 2.1.1 Entering data, setting the dialog language



Press <STOP>. You are now in the inactive standby state of the instrument. Then press the <configuration> key. The display shows:

This is the title of the group "peripheral units". This group contains various inquiries about peripheral units.

Press the < configuration > key once more. You see the title of a new group of inquiries:

This is the title of the "auxiliaries" group. This group contains the inquiry for the dialog language. Note the ">" sign. All titles are prefixed by this sign.

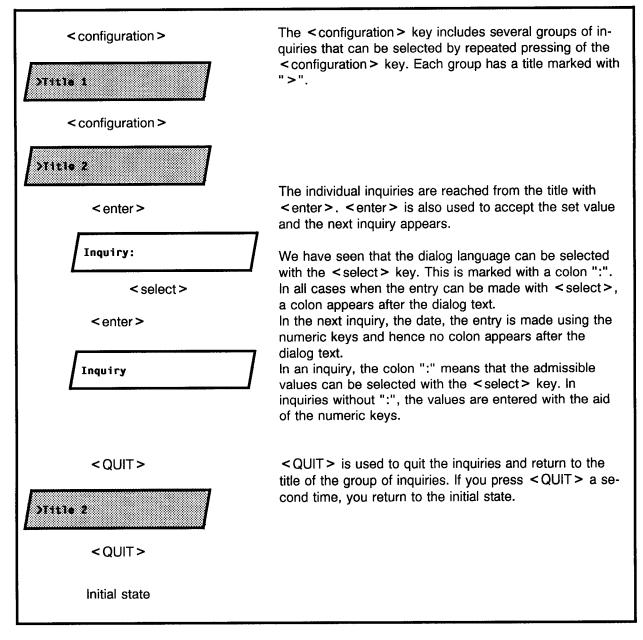
Pressing the <enter> key takes you to the inquiries of the group "auxiliaries". The display shows

This is the first inquiry of the "auxiliaries" group: the selection of the dialog language. You select the various dialog languages with the <select > key. Press <select > repeatedly until "español" appears in the display. Accept the new "value" with <enter > and the next inquiry appears.

The date in Spanish. Other inquiries of the <auxiliaries> group are not of interest at the moment. Exit the inquiries with <QUIT>. You are again shown the title of the group "ajustes varios" (auxiliaries in Spanish). Press <QUIT> once again to exit the inquiries of the <configuration> key and return to the standby state.

All the dialog texts will now be displayed in Spanish. Do you understand anything? You may want to change the dialog language back to English because this is still easier, isn't it? Proceed as before and select "english".

#### Summary

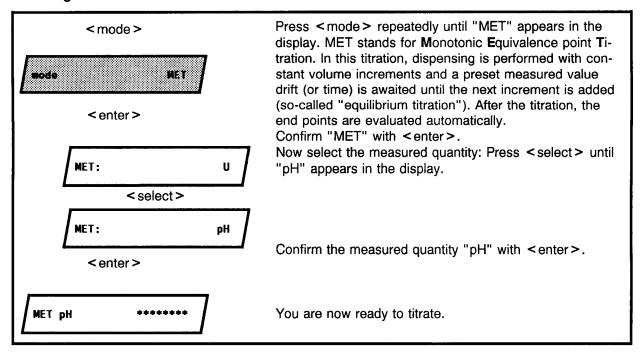


All data entries follow this principle.

Now perform your first titration.

## 2.1.2 Development of a method, titration of an acid

#### Selecting the mode



For the titration you need an Exchange Unit with NaOH, c = 0.1 mol/L.

Plug a combined pH glass electrode into measuring input 1 ("Ind I"). (Setting up the titration vessel, see page 114.)

Pipette 2 mL HCl, c  $\approx$  0.1 mol/L into your titration vessel, dilute it with ca. 20 mL dist. water, adjust the stirrer and press < START>.

During the titration the first line of the display shows the current measured value and the volume already dispensed:

As soon as the instrument has found an end point, this is shown on the second line:

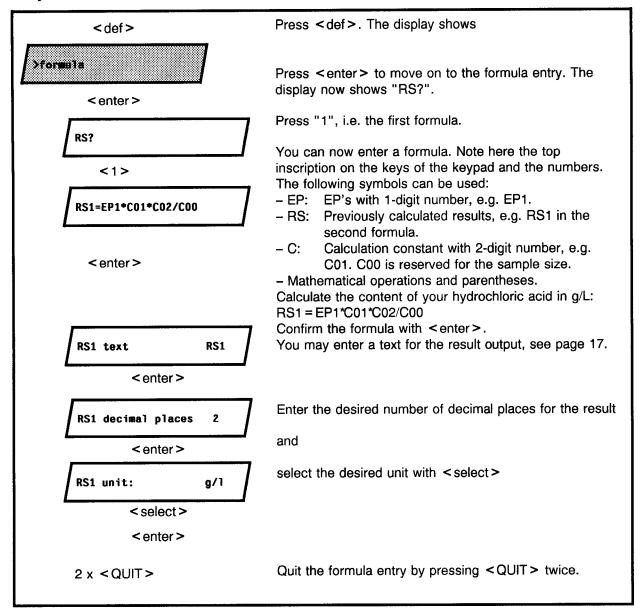
Let the titration continue for a short while, e.g. until ca. pH 11.50. Now stop it with <STOP>.

The first line now shows the mode "MET pH". Of interest is the second line, which shows the end point found:

If more than one end point has been found, the others can be viewed with <enter>.

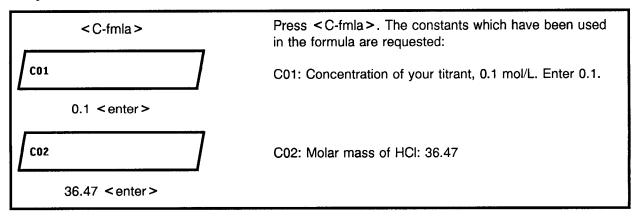
With this end point a result can be calculated:

#### Entry of a formula



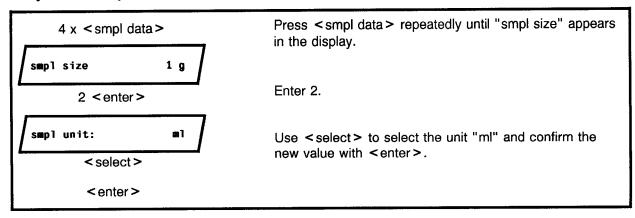
Now enter the calculation constants:

#### Entry of the calculation constants



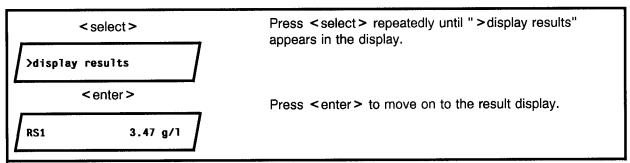
You now need the sample size to perform the calculation:

#### Entry of the sample size



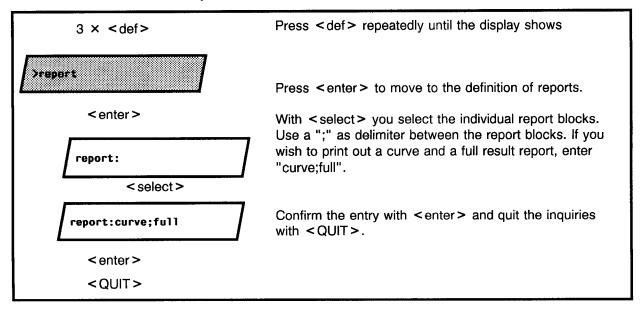
The result is now calculated and can be displayed in place of the end point. If your method already includes a formula at the end of the titration, the calculated result is displayed directly following the titration. As we have entered the formula later, we now have to select the result display:

#### Display of the result

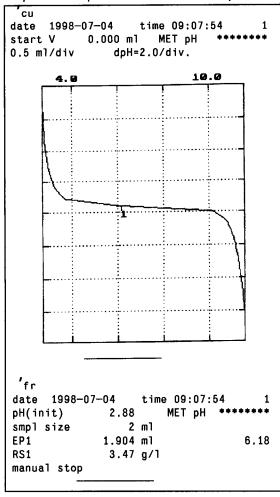


If you have a printer connected, you probably wish to have the curve and a result report printed out automatically at the end of a titration. If you are operating the printer for the first time, see page 109.

#### Selection of the automatic report



Press < print > < reports > < enter > . Your printout will look like the following:

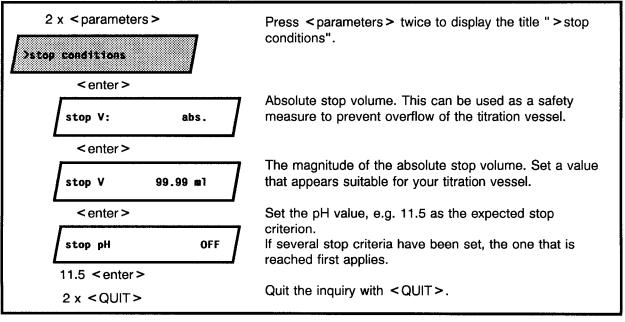


- Identification of the report type
- Start volume and method with identification
- Scaling of curve axis

- Identification of the report type
- Initial pH and method with identification
- Volume and pH value of EP1
- Calculated result

So that you do not have to stop your titration manually each time, let us add an automatic stop criterion for the titration.

#### Entry of a stop criterion



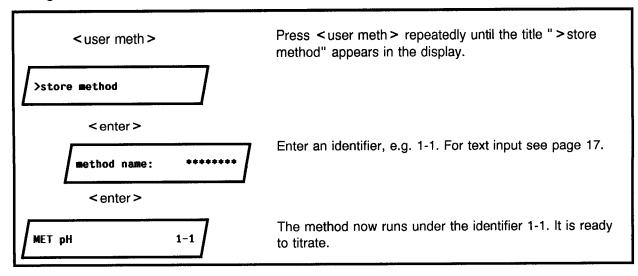
The development of your method is now complete. Before we store it in the method memory, you should check it again. Prepare a fresh sample and restart the titration with <START>.

If everything appears to be in order, you can now store the method in the method memory.

## 2.1.3 Method memory, storage and loading of methods

Now store the method you have just developed in the method memory.

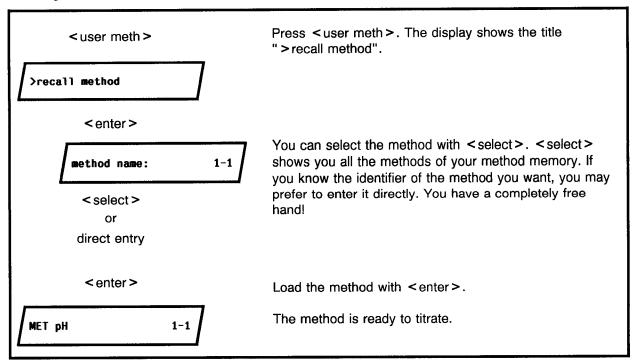
#### Storage of a method



If you have a printer connected, you can print out the contents of your method memory. Key sequence <print > < user meth > < enter >

Stored methods can be loaded at any time.

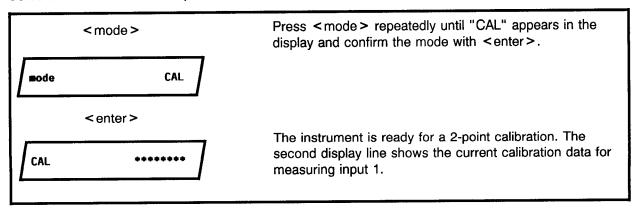
#### Loading a method from the method memory



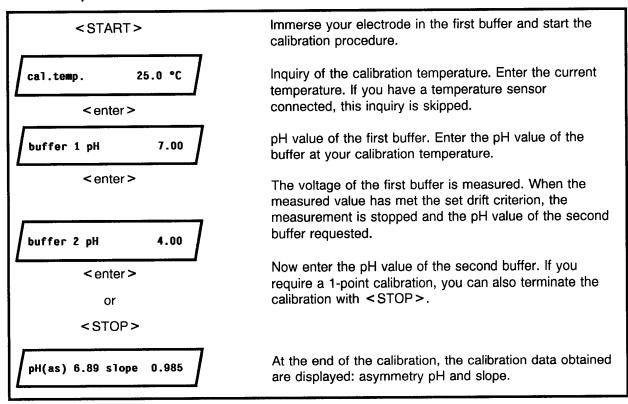
#### 2.1.4 pH calibration

pH calibrations are not a requirement for pH titrations when the end point is determined from a curve. For endpoint titrations, however, where titration is performed to a fixed, specified pH value, a calibration should be performed.

#### Selection of the CAL mode, calibration



#### Calibration procedure



The calibration data can be viewed at any time under the <cal.data > key. Our calibration is stored under ">input 1".

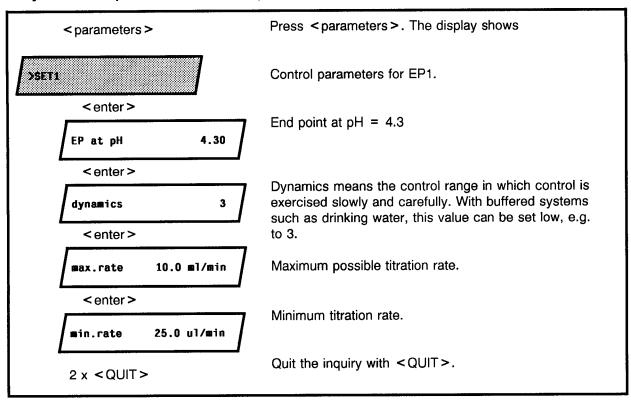
## 2.1.5 Statistics, acid capacity of drinking water (end-point titration)

Let us now determine the acid capacity of drinking water. For this, the SET (Set End-point Titration) is used to titrate to pH = 4.3.

First select the mode SET pH (keys < mode > and < select > ).

Now set the end point.

#### Entry of the end point and the control parameters



Mount an Exchange Unit with HCl, c = 0.1 mol/L as titrant. Add 25 mL drinking water as sample and start the titration with <START>. During the titration the first line of the display shows the measured value and dispensed volume. The "c" in pHc shows that the electrode assembly has been calibrated. The second line shows a "control bar", which indicates the control deviation of the current measured value from the set end point.



If the titration runs too slow or too fast, you can change the control parameters during the titration. If you wish to titrate faster, you can make the following changes:

- dynamics: lower (Warning: titration can overshoot)
- max. rate: greater
- min.rate: greater

You will find further details of the control parameters on page 35.

After the titration, end-point volume and pH value at the end point are displayed.

Now enter the formula for calculation of the m value (<def> key): RS1 = EP1\* C01\* C02.

With the calculation constants (< C-fmla > key):

- C01 Concentration of the titrant x 10: 1
- C02 Factor for the sample size: 4

If you have a printer connected, select the automatic titration report (<def> key): "report:full". You can print out the results of the previous titration with keys

If the previous titration has run to your satisfaction, you can start thinking about performing statistics calculations. Have you already added a new sample to the titration vessel? If you are no longer certain, you can find out immediately.

#### Rapid measurement between titrations

Press < meas/hold > . The pH value of your sample is displayed. You can stop the measurement with < meas/hold > .

#### Statistics calculations

Now switch on the statistics calculations. Press < statistics > . The "statistics" LED is on. Duplicate determinations are now performed.

Perform 2 titrations.

After the second titration you receive a printout with statistics calculations:

EP1 0.628 ml RS1 5.02	SET pH ******* 4.26	
EP1 0.628 ml RS1 5.02	4.26	
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illedii( <i>L)</i>	+/-s s/%	
RS1 5.04 0	.028 0.56	
=========		

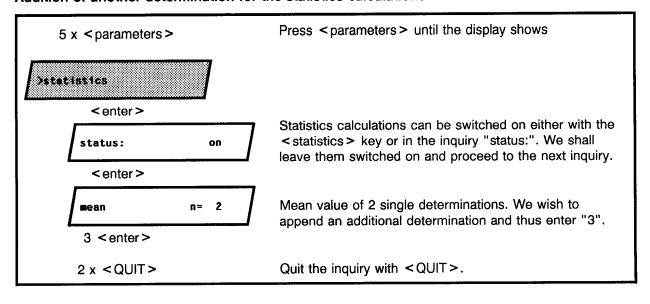
If you have no printer connected, you can view the mean value and standard deviation:

Press <select > until "display mean" appears in the display. With <enter > you obtain the mean value. A second <enter > displays the number of single values which have been used for the mean calculation.

If you press <select > again, the display "display std.deviation" appears. Once again, you can view this value by pressing <enter >.

Perhaps you have noticed that the two values differ too greatly? In any case, we shall perform a third determination with the same sample. The result of this determination will be another value which is incorporated in the statistics calculations.

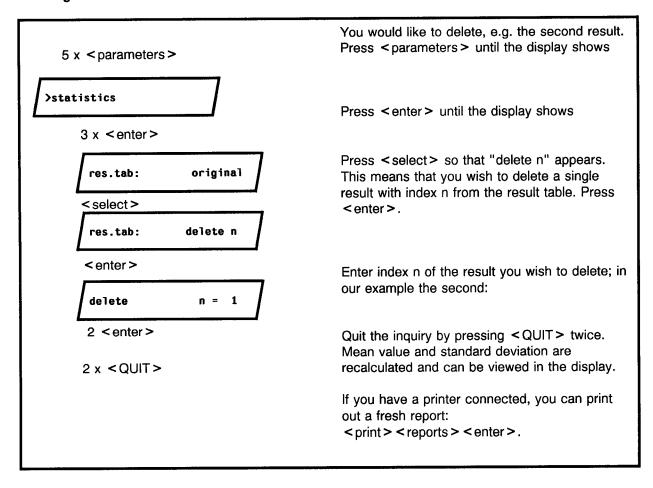
#### Addition of another determination for the statistics calculations



Perform another titration.

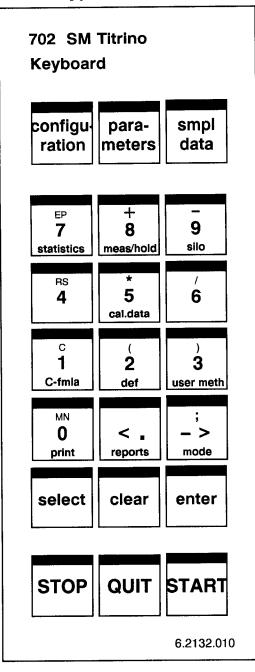
You can now decide which of the results is an "outlier". You can delete it from the statistics calculation.

## Deleting a result from the statistics calculation



## 2.2 Detailed description

### 2.2.1 Keypad



<configuration >: Configuration

<parameters >: Parameters

<smpl data>: Sample data

<statistics>: On/off switching of statistics

calculations (see page 44)

<meas/hold>: On/off switching of

measurements between titrationsthe hold function during titrations

<silo>: On/off switching of the silo memory

for sample data (see page 51 ff)

<al.data>: Calibration data (see page 49)

<C-fmla>: Calculation constants (see page 43)

<def>: Formulas and information for result

output (see page 42 ff)

<user meth>: Method memory (see page 48)

<print>:
Printing of reports (see page 47)

<reports>: Result output: <print> +

<reports> + <enter>

<mode>: Mode selection

<clear>: - clears entries

- sets special values, e.g. "OFF"

<enter>: - accepts values and advances

rolling inquiries

 branches to the individual inquiries of the inquiry groups

">"

- closing of command sequences

<STOP>: Stops methods

<QUIT>: Exit from

- rolling inquiries; leads to the next

higher level
- waiting times

- printing

<START>: Starts methods

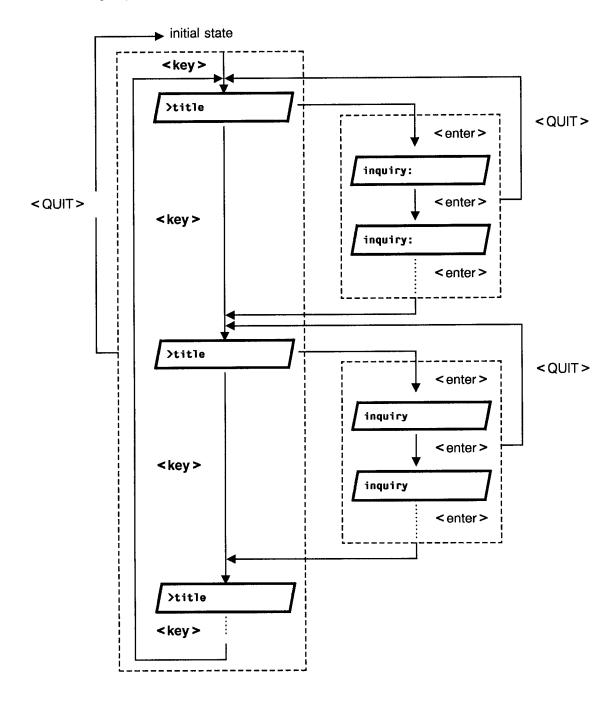
The third functions (topmost inscriptions) on the keys of the keypad are used for formula entry.

## 2.2.2. Keys with rolling inquiries

Inquiry keys are organised as rolling inquiries, i.e.

- The inquiries are collected into groups. Repeated pressing of these keys fetches the title of these groups into the display. All titles are marked with the symbol ">" before the dialog text. <enter> is used to branch to the individual inquiries.
- Displayed values of these inquiries are accepted with <enter> and the next inquiry appears.
- Entries can be performed either with the numeric keys or by selecting from preallocated values with the <select > key. All entries in which the <select > key can be used are marked with a colon ":" after the dialog text.
- <QUIT> can be used to exit the inquiries. The next higher level appears, i.e. return to the title of the inquiry group or the initial state.

The organisation of the rolling inquiries is shown schematically below:



## 2.2.3 Input of texts, > and < keys





The > and < keys serve to select characters and write texts.

#### Writing of texts

- 1. Press the < key as first key for input of a new text.
- 2. The blinking postion can be selected. Move the characters with keys > and < until the desired character appears.
- 3. Confirm the character with <enter>.
- 4. Select the character for the next position and confirm it with <enter>... etc.
- 5. If your text is ok and shorter than the whole writing space in the display (8 or 5 characters), press <QUIT> to leave the text input mode, then <enter> to store the text.
  If your text fills up the possible writing space, press just <enter> to store the text.
- If you made a spelling mistake, you can erase one position backwards pressing <clear>. If you press <clear> repeatedly, one position after the other is cleared.

#### Correction of stored texts

You can add characters to stored texts or correct them as follows:

- 1. Press the > key as first key for correction of an old text. The stored text appears, the last position is blinking and can be re-selected.
- 2. If you wish to correct another position, press <clear > until this position is blinking and can be corrected.

Texts can be inputted for the following entries:

RSX text	In key <def>, &gt;formula: Result name for display and report (up to 8 characters)</def>
RSX unit:	Result unit for display and report (up to 6 characters) A choice of result units can also be selected with < select >.
method name:	In key <user meth=""> and in silo memory:  Method name (up to 8 characters)  The method name can be selected with  <select> . All the user methods can be selected.</select></user>
idX or C2X	In key <smpl data=""> and in silo memory: Sample identifications (up to 8 characters)</smpl>
smpl unit:	Sample size unit (up to 5 characters) The unit can also be selected with < select >.
electr.id	In key <parameters>, &gt; calibration parameters in mode CAL:  Electrode identification (up to 8 characters)</parameters>
device label	In key <configuration>, &gt;auxiliaries: Device label (up to 8 characters)</configuration>

## 2.2.4 Configuration, < configuration > key

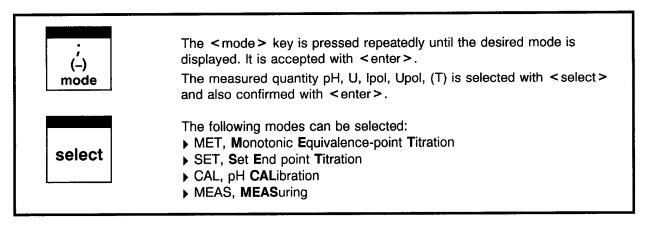
configuration The <configuration > key serves to enter data specific to the instrument. The key is organised as a rolling inquiry. The set values apply to all modes. The values shown in the displays "\_\_\_\_\_\_\_" are the default values.

>peripheral enits	Settings for peripheral devices
send to: IBM	Selection of the printer type/character set (Epson, Seiko, Citizen, HP, IBM) "Epson", for Epson mode "Seiko", e.g. for DPU-411 "Citizen", e.g. for iDP 560 RS "IBM" for all printers with IBM character set Table 437 and IBM graphics, as well as for the data transmission to a computer or a data system.
balance : Sartorius	Selection of the balance type (Sartorius, Mettler, Mettler AT, AND, Precisa) Sartorius: Models MP8, MC1 Mettler: Models AM, PM and balances with 011 and 016 interfaces Mettler AT: Model AT AND: Models ER-60, 120, 180, 182, FR- 200, 300 and FX-200, 300, 320 Precisa: Models with RS232C interface
record: U	Selection of the curve for the output at the analog output (U, dU/dt, V, dV/dt, U(rel), T) U: Voltage dU/dt: Measured value drift V: Volume dV/dt: Volume drift U(rel): Control deviation with SET
>auxiliaries	Various settings
dialog: english	Selection of the dialog language (english, deutsxh, francais, español, portuguese, italiano, svenska)
date 1998-08-11	Current date (YYYY-MM-DD) Format: Year-month-day, entry with leading zeros.

time 08:13	Current time (HH-MM) Format: Hours-minutes, entry with leading zeros.
run number 1	Current sample number (09999) The sample number is set to 0 when the instrument is switched on.
auto start OFF	Automatic, internal instrument start (19999, OFF)  Number of automatic starts ("number of samples"). Used for instrument interconnections in which the external instrument does not initiate a start. Not advisable in connections with the 664 Control Unit and Sample Changer.
start delay 0 s	Start delay (0999 999 s)  Delay time after the start before the method starts. The delay time can be aborted with < QUIT > .
device label	Device label for the individual identification of devices in the instrument network (up to 8 ASCII characters)
program 702.0020	Display of program version
>RSZ32 settings	Settings for the RS232 interface see also page 89 - Characteristics of the RS232 interface
baud rate: 9600	Baud rate (300, 600, 1200, 2400, 4800, 9600)
data bit: 8	Data bit (7, 8)
stop bit: 1	Stop bit (1, 2)
parity: none	Parity (even, odd, none)

handshake: HWs	Handshake (HWs, HWf, SWline, SWchar, none) see pages 87ff
RS control: ON	Control via RS232 interface (OFF, ON) "OFF" means that the receipt of commands via the RS232 interface is blocked. Data output is possible.
>comon variables	Values of the common variables

## 2.2.5 Selection of the mode, < mode > key



All modes are loaded with a set of default parameters and are thus ready for immediate use. (With SET an end point has to be set.)

## 2.2.6 Parameters, < parameters > key



## 2.2.6.1 Parameters for MET

2.2.6.1 Parameters for MET	
>titration parameters	Titration parameters
V step 0.10 ml	Size of the volume increment (09.999 mL) Dispensing step. Small volume increments are needed to determine blank values or to assure accuracy with highly unsymmetrical curves. Selection of the size of the increment, see page 26. If "V step = 0" is set, measured values are stored as a function of time.
titr.rate max. ml/min ** titr.	Dispensing rate for volume increments (0.01150 mL/min, max.) < clear > sets "max".  The maximum rate depends on the Exchange Unit: Exchange Unit max. 5 mL 15 mL/min 10 mL 30 mL/min 20 mL 60 mL/min 50 mL 150 mL/min
signal drift 50 mV/min ** titr.	Drift for the measured value acquisition (input range depends on the measured quantity: pH, U, Ipol: 0.5999 mV/min, OFF Upol: 0.0599.9 uA/min, OFF) < clear > sets "OFF".  This type of measured value acquisition is often called an equilibrium titration.  "OFF" means that the measured value is acquired after an equilibration time. This may be useful for slow titration reactions or when the response of the electrode assembly is slow.
equilibr.time 26 s  ** titr.	Equilibration time (19999 s, OFF) <clear> sets "OFF".  If no new equilibration time has been entered, the SM Titrino calculates an equilibration time appropriate to the drift, see page 26. The measured value is acquired as soon as the first criterion (drift or time) has been met.</clear>

start V: OFF	Type of start volume (OFF, abs., rel.) "OFF": start volume switched off "abs": absolute start volume in mL "rel.": start volume relative to sample size.
start V 0.00 ml factor 0	If "abs." is set:  Absolute start volume (0999.99 mL)  If "rel" is set:  Factor for the calculation of the relative start volume (0 ± 999 999).  Calculated as:  start V in mL = factor * sample size
dos.rate max. ■1/min **titr.	Dispensing rate for the start volume (0.01150 mL/min, max.) < clear > sets "max.".  The maximum rate depends on the Exchange Unit: Exchange Unit max.  5 mL 15 mL/min 10 mL 30 mL/min 20 mL 60 mL/min 50 mL 150 mL/min
pause 0 s ** titr.	Pause (0999 999 s) Waiting time, e.g. for equilibration of the electrode after the start or reaction time after the dispensing of a start volume. The delay time can be aborted with < QUIT >.
Meas.input: 1   Or   I(pol)   1 uA   Or   U(pol)   400 mV     electrode test: OFF	Measuring input (1, 2, diff.) Inquiry only with measured quantities pH and U. Measuring input 1 or 2 or differential amplifier; connection of electrodes, see page 115.  With polarized electrodes, instead of the measuring input the polarisation current (-127127 uA) or the polarisation voltage (-12701270 mV, in steps of 10 mV) is inquired. Electrode test (OFF, ON) Test for polarized electrodes. Performed on changeover from the inactive standby state to a measurement. "OFF" means that the test is not performed.
temperature 25.0 °C	Titration temperature (-170.0500.0 °C)

#### Conditions for titration termination >stop conditions If several stop conditions have been set, the criterion which is met first applies. Type of stop volume (abs., rel., OFF) stop V: abs. "abs": absolute stop volume in mL "rel.": stop volume relative to sample size. \*\*titr. "OFF": stop volume switched off. Stop volume is not monitored. If "abs." is set 99.99 #1 stop V Absolute stop volume (0...9999.99 mL) \*\*titr. If "rel." is set: Factor for the calculation of the relative stop 999999 factor volume (0... ± 999 999) Calculated as: \*\*titr. Stop V in mL = factor \* sample size Stop measured value (input range dependent on measured variable: stop pH OFF pH: 0... ± 20.00, OFF U, Ipol: 0... ± 2000 mV, OFF \*\*titr. Upol: 0... ± 200.0 uA, OFF) <clear > sets "OFF". "OFF" means that the criterion is not monitored. Stop after a certain number of end points has stop EP **OFF** been found (1...9, OFF) <clear > sets "OFF". \*\*titr. "OFF" means that the criterion is not monitored. Filling rate after the titration filling rate max. ml/min (0.01...150 mL/min, max.) <clear > sets "max.". \*\*titr. The maximum rate depends on the Exchange Unit: Exchange Unit max. 15 mL/min 5 mL 10 mL 30 mL/min 20 mL 60 mL/min 150 mL/min 50 mL

<b>&gt;statistics</b>	Statistics calculation Mean value, absolute and relative standard deviation, see also page 44.
status: OFF	On/off switching of statistics calculations (OFF, ON) If the statistics calculation is switched off, the following inquiries regarding the statistics do not appear.
mean n= 2	Mean value calculation from n single results (220)  Result table for the statistics (original, delete n,
res.tab: original	delete all)  "original": The original table is used.  Deleted results are again incorporated in the evaluation.  "delete n": Deletion of single results with
	index n. "delete all ": The entire table is deleted.
delete n= 1	Index n of the result to be deleted (120) The deleted result is removed from the statistics calculation.
>avaluation	End point evaluation See also page 26 ff.
EP crit. 0.50	End point criterion (input range depends on the measured quantity: pH: 0.109.99 U, lpol: 1999 mV Upol: 0.199.9 uA) Threshold for the size of the jump, see page 27.
EP recognition: all	End point recognition (all, greatest, last, window, OFF) Selection of end point recognition: "all": All end points are recognized. "greatest": Only the greatest end point is
	recognized.  "last": Only the last end point is recognized.  "window": Only EP's in specified windows
	are recognized.  "OFF": Evaluation switched off.

If "window" has been selected, the following inquiries appear: -20.00 Lower limit of window 1 low limit 1 pH and upper limit of window 1 (Input ranges for both inquiries depend on the up limit 1 pH 20.00 measured quantity): pH: 0... ± 20.00, OFF 0... ± 2000 mV, OFF U, Ipol: 0... ± 200.0 uA, OFF) Upol: <clear > sets "OFF". Only end points are recognized which lie within the set lower and upper limits. The end point numbering is defined with the windows, see page 28. Window inquiries continue until the lower limit is set to "OFF". Up to 9 possible windows. Always set both limits to ≠ OFF for a valid window. Fix end points (input range depends on the fix EP1 at pH 0FF measured quantity: pH: 0... ± 20.00, OFF U, Ipol: 0... ± 2000 mV, OFF 0... ± 200.0 uA, OFF) Upol: <clear > sets "OFF". If a fix end point has been set, the volume value for the inputted measured value is interpolated from the curve, see also page 28. The volume values are available as C5X. Fix EP's are inquired until "OFF" is set. Up to 9 fix EP's. Evaluation of pK or HNP (ON, OFF) pK/HNP: **OFF** see page 28. Preselections for the titration sequence >preselections Inquiry of sample identifications after the start of req.ident: OFF the titration (id1, id1 & id2, all, OFF) After the start, sample identifications can be inquired automatically: Only id1, id1 & id2, all three id's or no inquiries. Inquiry of sample size after the start of the titrareq.smpl size: **OFF** tion (value, unit, all, OFF) Output pulse on the control line "activate" of activate pulse: **OFF** the remote socket (ON, OFF) see page 120.

### **Titration sequence of MET**

<START>

(Output activating pulse)

(Start delay)

(Inquiry of ident)

(Inquiry of sample size)

(Start conditions)

Titration:
Dispense increments
Acquire measured value

Stop conditions

EP evaluation

Data output

Before the titration, first the preparatory steps then the start conditions are executed. The start volume is dispensed without measured value acquisition. Then the pause is waited out.

During the titration the volume increments are dispensed and after every increment a measured value is acquired.

A prerequisite for good accuracy is the correct size of the volume increments. A good value is given by V step =  $1/20 \text{ V}_{EP}$  ( $V_{EP}$  = volume of the end point).

In any case, the increment size should always be between  $1/10~V_{EP}$  and  $1/100~V_{EP}$ ; with steep jumps preferably in the region of  $1/100~V_{EP}$  and with flat jumps preferably in the region of 1/10. The accuracy of the evaluation can not be increased by dispensing small increments as the changes in the measured value would then be of the same order of magnitude as the noise. This can produce "ghost end points"!

The measured value acquisition is either drift controlled ("equilibrium titration") or after a fixed equilibration time. If you have not intentionally changed the equilibration time, it is calculated according to the formula:

Equilibration time (in s) = 
$$\frac{150}{\sqrt{\text{Drift} + 0.01}}$$
 + 5

The criterion which is first met applies. This avoids "infinite" titrations. If you enter the equilibration time yourself, this remains valid. If the parameter "signal drift" is set to "OFF", the measured values are acquired after a fixed equilibration time. If "signal drift" and "equilibration time" are set to "OFF", the measured value is acquired immediately.

In the case of the stop conditions, the criterion which is first met applies.

Finally, the EP is evaluated, see below, and the data outputted. If you have a printer connected, see page 46.

#### End point evaluation

The end points are localised with an algorithm which is based on Fortuin and has been adapted by METROHM for numeric procedures. (METROHM Bulletin  $\underline{2}$ , No. 10, 1971). Here, the greatest change in the measured value is sought ( $\Delta_n$ ). The exact end point is determined with an interpolation factor, which depends on the delta values before and after  $\Delta_n$ :

$$V_{EP} = V_0 + \rho \cdot \Delta V$$

V<sub>EP</sub>: End point volume

 $V_0$ : Total dispensed volume before  $\Delta_n$ 

ΔV: Volume increment

ρ: Interpolation factor (Fortuin)

The evaluation can be repeated at any time after the titration in a "dry run" with changed evaluation criteria. The old titration data are not deleted until a new titration is started.

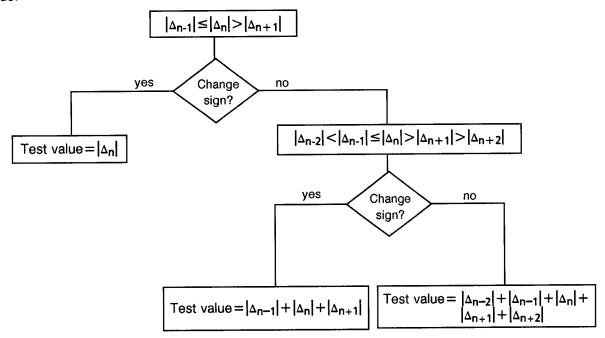
#### EP criterion

Its value is a measure of the size of the jump. For most cases, the default values suffice to suppress noise maxima and to recognise the actual jumps. The current test value of each jump is compared with the set value. The end point is recognised only when the test value is larger than the set value. The test value of the EP criterion can be calculated as follows with the aid of the measuring point list:

- Search the greatest change in the measured value  $\rightarrow \Delta_n$
- Use the measured value changes before and after  $\Delta_n$  to set up the series

$$\Delta_{n-2}$$
  $\Delta_{n-1}$   $\Delta_n$   $\Delta_{n+1}$   $\Delta_{n+2}$ 

- Use the following scheme to decide how many  $\Delta$  values your series needs for the calculation of the test value:



 Enter a value for the parameter "EP criterion" somewhat higher than your calculated test value if you wish to suppress an end point. Conversely, if you wish to record a non-recognised end point, set a value for the "EP criterion" parameter somewhat less than the calculated test value.

#### EP recognition

The parameter "EP recognition" offers you a range of possibilities to ensure selection of the end point you are interested in: If the desired jump is very large, you can select the "greatest". You thus always obtain just one end point, EP1, per titration.

If you wish to determine the sum of different components (e.g. acid or base numbers), the "last" jump can be the correct one.

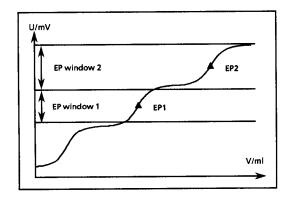
And finally you can set a "window" for each expected end point.

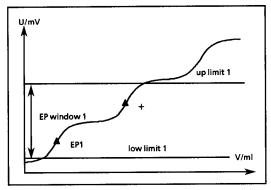
#### **EP windows**

#### EP windows are used

- to suppress disturbing influences and end points which are not needed.
- to increase the liability for the calculation of the results. The EP windows make an unequivocal assignment of
  the EP's possible: per window one EP is recognised; the numbering of the end points is defined by the
  windows so that even if end points are missing, the calculations are still performed with the correctly
  assigned EP volumes.

An EP window defines the range in which an end point is expected. End points outside these ranges are not recognised. Windows are defined on the measured value axis.





2 EP's are recognised. Their numbering is defined by the windows:

Window 1 → EP1

Window 2 → EP2

If more than 1 EP is expected, a window must be set for each EP.

Windows must not overlap. They may only touch each another.

The first jump is recognised as EP1, the second is not recognised. EP1 is marked as EP1 + to indicate that more than one EP has been found in the set window.

#### Fix EP's

Fix EP's allow determination of the associated volume value for every inputted measured value on the titration curve. This function is useful for performing standard methods such as TAN/TBN determinations. For the evaluation of fix EP's, the pH calibration is advisable. The volume values of the fix EP's are available for the calculation as C5X:

Fix EP1 → C51

Fix EP1 → C51

Fix EP9 → C59

Maximum 9 fix EP's are possible.

#### pK and HNP evaluation

The following relation (Henderson-Hasselbalch), derived from the law of mass action, exists between the activities of a conjugate acid-base pair in aqueous solutions:

$$pH = pK + log (a_B/a_A)$$

When the activities  $a_B = a_A$ , then pH = pK is valid. This value corresponds to the pH at the half neutralization point and can be taken from the titration curve. For pK determinations, a careful pH calibration is necessary. The pK value determined is an approximate value owing to the fact that the ionic strength of the solution has not been taken into account. For more exact values, titrations must be performed with decreasing ionic strength and the results extrapolated to zero ionic strength.

The evaluation of pK's in aqueous solutions is limited to

pK>3.5 due to the levelling effect of strong acids in aqueous solutions

pK<10.5 because for weaker acids no inflection points can be found aqueous solutions.

pK evaluation for polybasic acids and for acid mixtures is also possible.

In non-aqueous solutions, the half neutralization potential (HNP) is often used instead of pK. The HNP is evaluated accordingly.

A start volume must be smaller than half of the equivalence point volume of the first EP.

The pK/HNP values are available for calculation as C6X.

## 2.2.6.2 Parameters for SET

XSET 1	Control parameters for the first end point, EP1
EP at pH OFF ** titr.	First end point, EP1 (input range depends on the measured quantity: pH: 0 ± 20.00, OFF U, Ipol: 0 ± 2000 mV, OFF Upol: 0 ± 200.0 uA, OFF) <clear> sets "OFF". If EP1 is "OFF", no further inquiries under SET1 appear.</clear>
dynamics OFF  ** titr.	Dynamics (control range, input range depends on the measured quantity: pH: 0.0120.00, OFF U, lpol: 12000 mV, OFF Upol: 0.1200.0 uA, OFF) <clear> sets "OFF". "OFF" means largest control range, i.e. low titration. Outside the control range, dispensing is performed continuously, see also page 35.</clear>
max.rate 10 ml/min  ** titr.	Maximum titration rate (0.01150 mL/min, max.) <clear> sets "max.".  This parameter determines primarily the addition rate outside the control range, see also page 35.  The maximum rate depends on the Exchange Unit:  Exchange Unit max.  5 mL 15 mL/min 10 mL 30 mL/min 20 mL 60 mL/min 50 mL 150 mL/min</clear>
min.rate 25.0 ul/min ** titr.	Minimum possible titration rate (0.01999.9 uL/min)  This parameter determines the addition rate right at the start and the end of the titration, see also page 35.  This parameter influences the titration speed and therefore its accuracy very strongly: A smaller min.rate results in a slower titration.

stop crit: drift	Type of stop criterion (drift, time)
** titr.  stop drift 20 ul/min	Switch off titration when end point and stop drift are reached (1999 uL/min)
** titr.  t(delay) 10 s  ** titr.	Switch-off delay time (0999 s, INF) <clear> sets "INF" Switch off when the end point is reached and the set time after the last dispensing has elapsed. If "INF" is set, an inquiry regarding the stop time appears.</clear>
stop time OFF s  ** titr.	Stop time (0999 999 s, OFF) <clear> sets "OFF".  Stop after expiry of the set time after the start of the titration. "OFF" means no stop, i.e. titration for an "infinitely" long time.</clear>
>SET2	Control parameters for the second end point, EP2 They are identical to those under SET1.
>titration parameters	Titration parameters Apply globally for the entire titration.
titr.direction: auto	Titration direction (+, -, auto) auto: The direction is defined automatically by the SM Titrino. +: In the direction of higher pH, higher voltage (more "positive"), larger currents: In the direction of lower pH, lower voltage, smaller currents.

start V: OFF	Type of start volume (OFF, abs., rel.) "OFF": start volume switched off "abs.": absolute start volume in mL "rel.": start volume relative to sample size.  If "abs." is set:
factor 0	Absolute start volume (0999.99 mL)  If "rel." is set: Factor for the calculation of the relative start volume (0 ± 999 999).  Calculated as: start V in mL = factor * sample size
dos.rate max. ml/min **titr.	Dispensing rate for the start volume (0.01150 mL/min, max.) <clear> sets "max.". The maximum rate depends on the Exchange Unit: Exchange Unit max. 5 mL 15 mL/min 10 mL 30 mL/min 20 mL 60 mL/min 50 mL 150 mL/min</clear>
pause 0 s ** titr.	Pause (0999 999 s) Waiting time, e.g. for equilibration of the electrode after the start or reaction time after the dispensing of a start volume. The equilibration time can be aborted with <quit>.</quit>
meas.input: 1  Or  I(pol) 1 uA  Or  U(pol) 400 mV	Measuring input (1, 2, diff.) Inquiry only with measured quantities pH and U. Measuring input 1 or 2 or differential amplifier; connection of electrodes, see page 115.  With polarized electrodes, instead of the measuring input the polarisation current (-127127 uA) or the polarisation potential (-12701270 mV, in steps of 10 mV) is inquired. Electrode test (OFF, ON) Test for polarized electrodes. Performed on changeover from the inactive standby state to a measurement. "OFF" means that the test is not performed.
temperature 25.0 °C	Titration temperature (-170.0500.0°C).

>stop conditions	Conditions for titration termination If this is not "normal", i.e. after attainment of the end point.
stop V: abs. **titr.	Type of stop volume as a safety volume (abs., rel., OFF)  "abs.": absolute stop volume in mL.  "rel.": stop volume relative to sample size.  "OFF": stop volume switched off. Stop volume is not monitored.
stop V 99.99 ml	If "abs." is set: Absolute stop volume (09999.99 mL)
**titr.    factor 999999	If "rel." is set:  Factor for the calculation of the relative stop volume (0 ± 999 999)  Calculated as:  Stop V in mL = factor * sample size
filling rate max. ml/min **titr.	Filling rate after the titration (0.01150 mL/min, max.) <clear> sets "max.". The maximum rate depends on the Exchange Unit: Exchange Unit max. 5 mL 15 mL/min 10 mL 30 mL/min 20 mL 60 mL/min 50 mL 150 mL/min</clear>
>statistics	Statistics calculations  Mean value, absolute and relative standard deviation, see also page 44.
status: OFF *cond.	ON/OFF switching of statistics calculations (OFF, ON). If the statistics calculation is switched off, the following inquiries regarding the statistics do not appear.
mean n= 2 *cond.	Mean value calculation from n single results (220)

Result table for the statistics (original, delete n, res.tab: original delete all) "original": The original table is used. \*cond. Deleted results are again incorporated in the evaluation. "delete n": Deletion of single results with the index n. "delete all": The entire table is deleted. Index n of the result to be deleted (1...20) The deleted result is incorporated in the delete 1 n= statistics calculation. \*cond. Preselections for the titration sequence >preselections Conditioning (ON, OFF) OFF conditioning: If conditioning is "on", between the titrations the titration solution is constantly maintained at the (1st) end point. When conditioning is performed, the volume drift can be displayed during the conditioning: Drift display (ON, OFF). display drift: ON Volume drift. \*cond. Inquiry of sample identifications after the start of **OFF** req. ident: the titration (id1, id1 & id2, all, OFF) After the start, sample identifications can be inquired automatically: Only id1, id1 & id2, all three id's or no inquiries. Inquiry of sample size after the start of the **OFF** req. smpl size: titration (value, unit, all, OFF) Output pulse on the control line "activate" of activate pulse: **OFF** the remote socket (first, all, cond., OFF) see pages 129, 130.

### Titration sequence of SET

The titration sequence can be configured to match the application. The following parameters determine the sequence (see schematic diagram below):

- Start delay
- Conditioning (on, off)
- Inquiry of the sample identifications and the sample size after the start of titration
- Start conditions: start volume and pause

<START>

(Output activating pulse)

(Start delay)

(Preconditioning) (<START>) (Output activating pulse) (Start delay)

(Inquiry of ident)

(Inquiry of sample size)

(Start conditions)

Titration:
1st end point
2nd end point

Data output

(Reconditioning)

If conditioning is switched on, after the first start the titration vessel is brought to the (1st) end point. If the conditioning is at an end, the display shows, e.g. /SET pH conditioning/ or when the drift display is switched on, drift ok 5 ul/min/. The instrument is ready for titration. If the drift display is switched on, the volume drift is displayed continuously during conditioning. After the titration, conditioning is again performed to the (1st) end point.

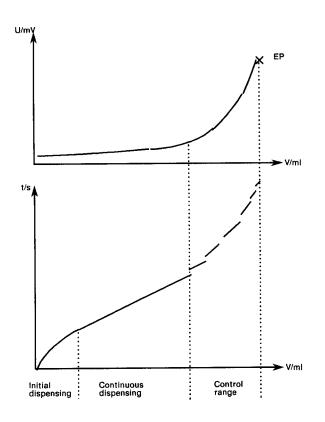
Before the actual start of the titration, the preparatory steps are executed: "activate pulse" is outputted (possibilities to activate pulse, see page 121), "Start delay" is waited out, "req.ident" and "req.smpl size". The start conditions are then executed. During dispensing of the start volume, no control is exerted. The pause is then allowed to elapse and the titrations performed to the first then to the second end point.

At the end, the data are outputted. If you have a printer connected, see page 46.

### **Control parameters**

The control parameters can be set separately for each end point. Optimize your control parameters for routine analyses for samples with a rather low content.

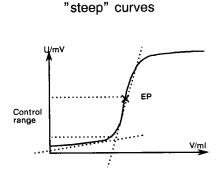
During the titration, reagent dispensing occurs in 3 phases:

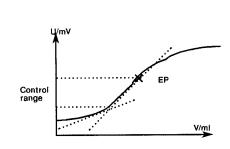


- Initial dispensing:
   During this phase, the dispensing rate increases constantly. It starts at the set "min.rate" and continues up to the allowed "max.rate".
- 2) Continuous dispensing:
  Dispensing is performed at the maximum rate "max.rate" until the control range (dynamics) is reached.
- 3) Dynamics (control range)
  In this range, dispensing is performed in single steps. The last dispensing steps are controlled by the "min.rate" parameter.

#### Trial settings for the size of the control range

Set a large control range for steep curves. Relatively flat curves, on the other hand, need a smaller control range. You can get an initial, good approximation for the start of the control range from the intersection point of the tangents:



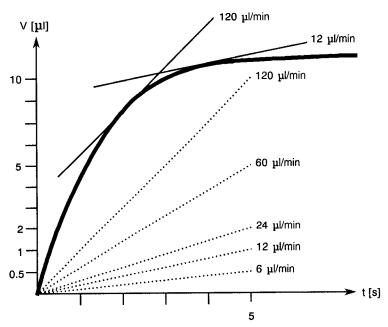


"flat" curves

### Relation between the stop criteria "time" and "drift"

The stop criterion "time", t(delay), means that the end point must be exceeded for a certain period of time. In other words, after the last dispensed increment, time t is allowed to elapse before the titration is stopped. The size of this last increment depends on the volume of the Exchange Unit used. With a 20 mL Exchange Unit, the smallest possible increment is  $2\mu$ L. With a t(delay) = 5 s, the last  $2\mu$ L reagent must thus suffice for 5 s or longer. This results in a drift of  $\leq 2\mu$ L/5 s = 24  $\mu$ L/min (the drift can be less than 24  $\mu$ L/min as it is not known whether the last increment would also suffice for 10 s). If you have been working up to this point with a 20 mL Exchange Unit and a t(delay) = 5 s, you can set a value of  $\leq$  24  $\mu$ L/min as stop drift. The following Table shows several values for the maximum stop drift.

min. increment (Exchange Unit)	5 s	10 s	20 s
0.5 µl (5 ml)	6 µl/min	3 µl/min	1.5 µl/min
1 μl (10 ml)	12 µl/min	6 μl/min	3 µl/min
2 μl (20 ml)	24 µl/min	12 µl/min	6 µl/min
5 μl (50 ml)	60 μl/min	30 μl/min	15 µl/min



Same t(delay) with a range of extremely small volume increments means different switch-off points. When the stop criterion "drift" is used, on the other hand, the switch-off point remains the same.

If you have entered the end point and the control range (dynamics), the default values for the other control parameters should suffice for the first titration. If you encounter difficulties in optimizing your titration, the following Table will be of use:

### How to proceed if ...

Problem	Possible causes and corrective measures
Dispensing at the end too long and with too small increments. "Never	<ul> <li>Increase "min.rate". Perform an experiment with a much higher min.rate.</li> </ul>
ends!"	<ul> <li>Change switch-off criterion. Attempt, e.g. to increase the stop drift or use a shorter t(delay) as stop criterion.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Possibly pass an inert gas through the titration vessel.</li> </ul>
"Overshoots". Titration is not controlled, i.e. at the end single pulses are not dispensed.	- Lower "max.rate".
	- Set larger control range.
	- Set "min.rate" much lower.
	<ul> <li>Optimize arrangement of electrode and burette tip and improve stirring, see page 114. This is particularly important with very fast titration reactions and with steep curves.</li> </ul>
Titration time is too long.	<ul><li>Set higher "min.rate".</li></ul>
	- Set higher "max.rate".
	- Lower "dynamics".
Scatter in titration results is too great.	- Set "min.rate" lower.

## 2.2.6.3 Parameters for MEAS

>measuring parameters	Measurement parameters
signal drift OFF mV/min	Drift for the measured value acquisition (input range depends on the measured quantity: pH, U, Ipol, T: 0.5999 mV/min, OFF Upol: 0.0599.9 uA/min, OFF) < clear > sets "OFF".  "OFF" means that the measured value is acquired after a fixed equilibration time.
equilibr.time OFF s	Equilibration time (19999 s, OFF) <clear> sets "OFF".  If no new equilibration time has been entered, the SM Titrino calculates an equilibration time appropriate to the drift, see page 25. The measured value is acquired as soon as the first criterion (drift or time) has been met.  If drift and time are set to "OFF", measurement is continued indefinitely.</clear>
meas.input: 1   Or   I(pol)	Measuring input (1, 2, diff.) Inquiry only with measured quantities pH and U. Measuring input 1 or 2 or differential amplifier; connection of electrodes, see page 113.  With polarized electrodes, instead of the measuring input the polarisation current (-127127 μA) or the polarisation potential (-12701270 mV, in steps of 10 mV) is inquired. Electrode test (OFF, ON) Test for polarized electrodes. Performed on changeover from the inactive standby mode to a measurement. "OFF" means that the test is not performed.
temperature 25.0 °C	Measurement temperature (-170.0500.0C).

>statistics	Statistics calculations  Mean value, absolute and relative standard deviation, see also page 44.
status: OFF	ON/OFF switching of statistics calculations (OFF, ON). If the statistics calculation is switched off, the following inquiries regarding the statistics do not appear.
mean n= 2	Mean value calculation from n single results (220)
res.tab: original	Result table for the statistics (original, delete n, delete all). "original": The original table is used. Deleted results are again incorporated in the evaluation.
	"delete n": Deletion of single results with the index n.
	"delete all": The entire table is deleted.
delete n= 1	Index n of the result to be deleted (120). The deleted result is removed from the statistics calculation.
>preselections	Preselections for the measurement sequence
req. ident: OFF	Inquiry of sample identifications after the start of the titration (id1, id1 & id2, all, OFF)  After the start, sample identifications can be inquired automatically: Only id1, id1 & id2, all three id's or no inquiries.
req.smpl size: OFF	Inquiry of sample size after the start of the titration (value, unit, all, OFF)
activate pulse: OFF	Output pulse on the control line "activate" of the remote socket (ON, OFF) see page 120.

## 2.2.6.4 Parameters for CAL

>Calibration parameters	Calibration parameters
meas.input: 1	Measuring input (1, 2, diff.) Measuring input 1 or 2 or differential amplifier; Connection of electrodes, see page 115.
cal.temp. 25.0 °C	Calibration temperature (-20.0 120.0 °C) The calibration temperature can also be inputted during the calibration sequence.
buffer 1 pH 7.00  buffer 2 pH 4.00  buffer 3 pH non	pH value of first buffer (0 ± 20.00)  The pH value of the buffers can also be inputted during the calibration sequence. pH value of second and the following buffers (0 ± 20.00, OFF) <clear> sets "OFF".  Buffers are requested until "OFF" is set. This gives an n-point calibration. Up to 9 buffers.</clear>
signal drift 2 mV/min	Drift for measured value acquisition (0.5999 mV/min, OFF) <clear> sets "OFF". "OFF" means that the measured value is acquired after an equilibration time.</clear>
equilibr.time 110 s	Equilibration time (19999 s, OFF) <clear> sets "OFF".  If a new equilibration time has not been entered, the SM Titrino calculates an equilibration time appropriate to the drift, see page 26. The measured value is acquired as soon as the first criterion (drift or time) has been met.  If drift and time are both set to "OFF", the measured value acquisition is immediate.</clear>
electr.id	Electrode identification (up to 8 ASCII characters).
sample changer cal: OFF	Calibration with sample changer (ON, OFF) In calibrations with a sample changer, there are no hold points in the calibration sequence for inputs. Calibration temperature and pH values of the buffers (which are temperature dependent) must therefore be entered in advance.
activate pulse: OFF	Output pulse on the control line "activate" of the remote socket (all, first, OFF) See pages 120, 121.

>atatistics

statistics see page 39

### Calibration sequence

	Immerse electrode in first buffer solution.
<start></start>	Start calibration.
(Output activate pulse)	Before the calibration, possibly an activate pulse is outputted and a start delay is waited out.
(Start delay)	
Measure cal. temp. or input cal. temp.	Then the calibration temperature is measured or if no temperature sensor is connected, it must be entered. Confirm value with <enter> or advance with <start>.</start></enter>
Buffer 1 pH	Entry of the pH value of the 1st buffer. Accept value with <enter> or advance with <start>.</start></enter>
Measure buffer 1	The first buffer is measured.
Buffer 2 pH	Entry of the pH value of the 2nd buffer. Accept value with <enter> or advance with <start>. or quit the calibration with <stop> → 1-point calibration.</stop></start></enter>
(Measure buffer 2)	The second buffer is measured.
etc.	As many buffers appear as have been specified under the <pre><pre><pre><pre><pre><pre><pre><pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre>
Data output	The calibration data appear in the display. If you have a printer connected, see page 46.

The calibration data are available for calculation:

C46: pHas

C47: Electrode slope

Calibration data can be viewed at any time with the <cal.data > key (see page 49) and the calibration report printed out using the key sequence <print > <cal.data > <enter >.

### 2.2.7 Result calculations

### Formula entry, <def> key

**2** def

With the <def > key, you can enter formulas for the result calculation. The formulas are specific to a method and are stored in the method memory.

>foraula	Formula entry
RS?	Result number ? (19) You can calculate up to 9 results per method. Enter a number 19.
RS1=EP1*C01/C00	Formula entry Example: RS1 = EP1*C01/C00 When you enter a formula, note the third function on the keys of the keypad. Here you will find operands, mathematical operations and parentheses. Operands require a number as an identification. You can use the following operands: EPX: EP's. X = 19 RSX: Results which have already been calcul- dated with previous formulas. X = 19. CXX: Calculation constants. XX = 0069. The constants have the following mea- ning: C00 Sample size C01 Method-specific operands, see 1 page 43. Are stored in the method C19 Sample-specific operands, 1 see page 50ff. C23 C30 Common variables which have 1 been determined by other methods, see page 45. C40 Initial measured value of the sam- ple C41 Titration end volume (with MET, SET) C42 Titration time C43 Volume drift at start of the titration (only in the case of SET with con- ditioning) C44 Titration temperature C45 Start volume (with MET, SET) C46 Asymmetry pH, pH <sub>as</sub> C47 Electrode slope C51 Volumes of the fix end points 19 (with MET) C59 C61 pK/HNP values 19 (with MET)

	<ul> <li>Rules:</li> <li>Calculation operations are performed in the algebraic hierarchy: * and / before + and</li> <li>Store formula with <enter>.</enter></li> <li>Overwrite formula with <clear> and new formula.</clear></li> <li>Delete formula with <clear> + <enter>.</enter></clear></li> <li>If a formula is stored with <enter>, the inquiries regarding the text, decimal places and the unit follow.</enter></li> </ul>
RS1 text RS1	Text for result display and report (up to 8 characters) Text input see page 17.
RS1 decimal places 2	Number of decimal places for the result (05)
RS1 unit: %	Unit for the result (%, ppm, g/l, mg/ml, mol/l, mmol/l, g, mg, ml, mg/pc, no unit or up to 6 characters).
RS?	The next formula can now be entered, e.g. for RS2.

### Entry of the method-specific operands, < C-fmla > key



With the <c-fmla > key, you can enter the values for operands C01...C19. Only those constants are inquired which you have used in the formulas.

The entries are specific to a method and are stored in the method memory.

The calculation report can be printed out with the key sequence <print> < select> (press key repeatedly until "calc" appears in the display) < enter>.

#### 2.2.8 Statistics calculations

Mean values, absolute and relative standard deviations are calculated.

### Allocations for the statistics calculations, <def> key

**2** def

The <def > key is used to allocate results for statistics calculations.

The entries are specific to the method and are stored in the method memory.

)mean	Allocations for statistics calculations
MN?=	Mean value number ? (19) You can perform statistics calculations using up to 9 results. For MN1, the default value RS1 is entered.
MN2=	Enter a number 19.
MN2=RS2	Allocation of a result (RSX, EPX, CXX).  Delete allocation: <clear> + &lt; enter&gt;.</clear>

### How do you obtain statistics calculations?

- 1) Enter the allocations for the statistics calculations, see above.
- 3) If need be, change the number of the individual values n under "mean n".
- Perform at least 2 titrations. The statistics calculations are constantly updated and outputted. The values are printed out in the short and full result report or you can view them in the display: Press < select > until the display shows "display mean". You can view the mean values with < enter >. Proceed in the same manner for the absolute standard deviations.

#### Rules:

- Recalculated results are incorporated in the statistics calculation.
- If a result of a particular titration can not be calculated, no results for this determination are incorporated in the statistics calculation. However, the sample counter is still operative, i.e. the statistics calculations start afresh when the number of required individual determinations has been performed.
- If the statistics are switched off ("statistics" LED no longer on), results are no longer entered in the statistics table. But the table remains unchanged. When the statistics are switched on again, you can immediately continue working from where you last left off.
- If you delete results (see page 14), all results of the determination with index n are removed from the statistics evaluation.
- On method change, the old statistics table is cleared and the statistics instructions of the new method followed.
- Old results in the statistics table no longer needed can be deleted with "delete all" (under < parameters > key, " > statistics", "res.tab:").
- The individual results of the statistics table can be printed out with <print> < statistics > < enter>.

#### 2.2.9 Common variables

A common variable can be useful for, e.g. the following applications:

- Determination of a titer with a method A. This titer is stored as C3X. The operand C3X can then be used in various other methods like any other operand.
- Determination of a blank value with a method A. Use of this blank value in various other methods.
- Determination of a result with method A. Reconciliation of this result in various other methods.

### Allocations for common variables, <def> key



With the <def > key, results or mean values are allocated for common variables.

The entries are specific to the method and are stored in the method memory.

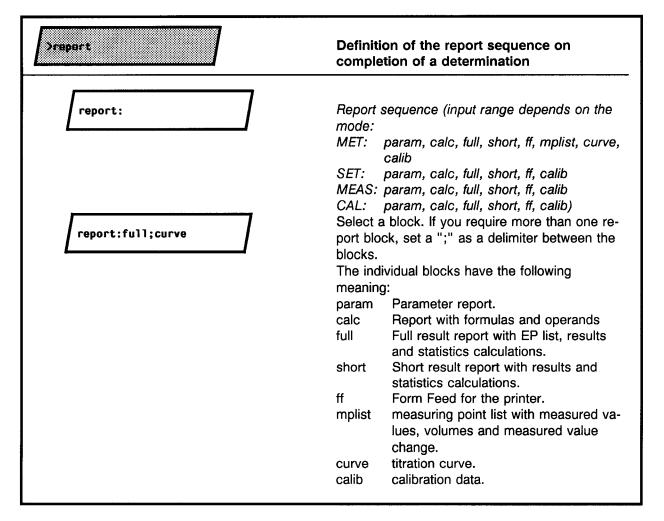
>common variables	Allocation for common variables
C3?=	Common variable C3? (09) Common variables are stored as C3X (X = 09).
C30=	Enter a number.
C30=RS1	Allocation of a result (RS1RS9), mean value (MN1MN9), EPX or CXX  The values of the common variables remain in force for all methods until they are overwritten or deleted. They can be viewed under the <configuration> key, see page 20.  Delete allocation: <clear> + &lt; enter &gt;.</clear></configuration>

### 2.2.10 Data output

# Definition of the report sequence for a printer on completion of the determination, <def > key

2 def With the <def > key, the report sequence at the end of the determination is defined.

The entries are specific to the method and are stored in the method memory.



Original reports which are outputted automatically at the end of the titration can be printed out with recalculated values at any time. Key sequence:

<print> < reports > < enter >

Original reports have double dashes = = = at the end, whereas recalculations are marked by single dashes ----.

Report outputs can be stopped with <QUIT>.

### Additional possibilities for report outputs

In addition to the reports which are printed out at the end of the titration, various other reports can be outputted. There are 2 possibilities to select the reports:

1) <print > < select > < enter > < select > is pressed repeatedly until the desired report appears in the display.

The following list provides an overview of the report possibilities:

Report	Display with <print> &lt; select &gt;</print>	<key x=""></key>
Configuration report	configuration	configuration
Parameter report	parameters	parameters
Current sample data	smpl data	smpl data
Statistics report with the individual results	statistics	statistics
All sample data from the silo memory	silo	silo
Calibration data	cal.data	cal.data
Operands C01C19	C-fmla	C-fmla
Contents of the <def> key: formulas, allocations for statistics calculations and common variables and definition of the report sequence</def>	def	def
Contents of the method memory with details of the memory requirements of the individual methods and the remaining bytes	user methods	user methods
Calculation report with formulas and operands	calc	-
Full result report	full	_
Short result report	short	_
Measuring point list (with MET)	mplist	_
Titration curve (with MET	curve	-
All reports	all	_
Complete report sequence as defined under the <def> key</def>	-	reports

### Result display without printer

Results can also be viewed in the display. With the <select > key, the appropriate section (end points, results, etc.) can be selected and <enter > can be used to view the individual end points, results, etc.

<select>: display</select>	<enter>: display</enter>	Remarks
>display results	RS1RS9	calculated results
>display EP's	EP1EP9	end points
>display fix EP's	C51C59	fix EP's (with MET)
> display mean	m(RS1)m(RS9), n	mean values and number of individual values
>display std.deviation	s(RS1)s(RS9)	absolute standard deviation
>display messages		various (error) messages
>display meas.val	C40	with MEAS

## 2.2.11 Method memory, <user meth > key

3 user meth The <user meth > key is used to manage the method memory.

Method identifications can be entered directly or selected with the <select > key from the memory contents.

>recall method	Recall method
method name:	Load method from the method memory into the working memory (entry of a method identification contained in the memory).  If a method identification is entered which is not found in the method memory, the inputted value flashes.
>store mathod	Store method
method name:	Store method from the working memory in the method memory (entry of up to 8 ASCII characters).  If a method is already stored under the inputted identification, you are asked if you wish to overwrite the old method. With <enter> it is overwritten, with <quit> you return to the entry of the method identification.</quit></enter>
>delete mathod	Delete method
method name:	Delete method from the method memory (entry of a method identification contained in the memory).  For safety's sake, you are again asked if you really wish to delete the method. With <enter> it is deleted, with <quit> you return to the working memory.  If a method identification is entered which is not found in the method memory, the inputted value flashes.</quit></enter>

You can print out the contents of the method memory with the key sequence <pri><print > < user meth > < enter >.

Document your methods! With a PC and program 6.6009.100, you should carry out a complete method backup from time to time.

## 2.2.12 Calibration data, < cal.data > key

5 cal.data With the <cal.data > key, the current pH calibration data of all measuring inputs can be viewed. Calibration data are entered here automatically on completion of a calibration.

>Input 1	pH calibration data of measuring input 1
pH(as) 7.00	Asymmetry pH (0 ± 20.00) Entered automatically after a calibration with measuring input 1.
slope 1.000	Slope (0 ± 9.999) Entered automatically after a calibration with measuring input 1.
temp. 25.0 °C	Calibration temperature (-170500 °C) Entered automatically after a calibration with measuring input 1.
cal.date	Date of the last calibration (no entry possible) If the calibration data "pH(as)" and/or "slope" are changed by a manual entry, the date entry is deleted.
electr.id	Electrode identification of the electrode that has been calibrated (no entry possible)  If an electrode identification has been entered in the CAL mode, this entry is entered here automatically after the calibration.
>input 2	pH calibration data of measuring input 2 Identical to that with measuring input 1.
>input diff.	pH calibration data of the differential measuring input Identical to that with measuring input 1.

The calibration report with the data for the current measuring input can be printed out at any time with the key sequence

<print > < cal.data > < enter > .

### 2.2.13 Current sample data, < smpl data > key

smpl data The <smpl data > key can be used to enter the current sample data. The contents of this key change when the silo memory is switched in, see page 52.

id#1 or C21  id#2 or C22  id#3 or C23	Sample identification 13 or sample-specific operand C21C23 (up to 8 ASCII characters). Sample identifications or sample-specific operands can be entered using the keypad or via a balance with a special input device (see page 110).
smpl size 1 g	Sample size (6-digit number: ± X.XXXXX) Entry using keypad or via a balance (see page 110).
s∎pl unit: g	Unit of the sample (g, mg, mL, uL, pc, no unit). Selection with < select > .

### 2.2.14 Silo memory for sample data

In the silo memory or pushup storage, sample data (method, identifications and smpl size) can be stored. This is useful, e.g. when you work with sample changers and other automatic sample addition systems.

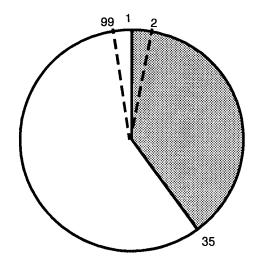


The <silo > key is used to switch the silo memory on and off. The status LED "silo" is on when the silo memory is switched on. The silo memory works by the FIFO principle (First In, First Out).

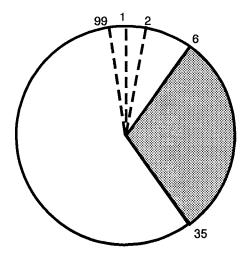
If the silo memory is switched on, sample data are routed to the last free line of the silo memory. If no new value is inputted, the value from the last line is automatically copied. In this manner, data can be simply taken over when they remain unchanged.

When the instrument is started, the sample data are fetched from the next silo line.

### Organisation of the silo memory



Silo memory contains 35 lines. Next free line is 36.



6 of the 35 lines have been processed. Free lines from 36 to 99 and from 1 to 6.

1 silo line needs between 72 and 78 bytes memory capacity.

If the silo memory is filled from the balance, you must ensure that there is sufficient space in the silo memory for the required number of silo lines!

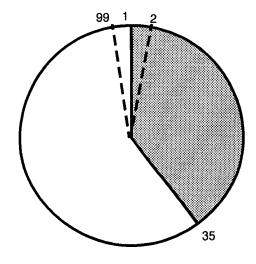
## <smpl data > key with the silo memory switched on

Sedit Silo linus	Entry of sample data in the silo memory
silo line 1	Silo line (199) The next free line is displayed automatically. Lines already occupied can be corrected.
method:	Method with which the sample is processed (method identification from the method memory) If no method identification has been entered, the sample is processed with the method in the working memory.  The method can be selected with < select > or entered directly.
id#1 or C21 id#2 or C22 id#3 or C23	Sample identifications or sample-specific oper- ands (up to 8 ASCII characters)
smpl size 1 g	Sample size (6-digit number: ± X.XXXXX) When the sample data have been entered from a balance, the transfer of the sample size is taken as the end of the silo line.
smpl unit: g	Unit of the sample (g, mg, ml, ul, pc, no unit)
>delete silo lines	Delete individual silo lines
delete line n OFF	Delete individual silo lines (199, OFF) <clear> sets "OFF".  Deleted lines remain in the silo memory. Access is blocked during the processing. To show that a line has been deleted, the inquiry "method*" appears. The symbol * indicates that the line has been deleted.  Deleted lines can be reactivated when the appropriate line is reedited.</clear>

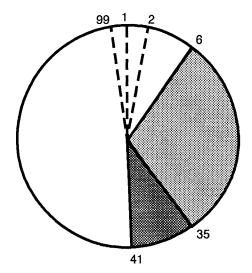
>delate all silo linus	Deleting the entire silo memory
delete all: no	Delete all silo lines (yes, no) When all silo lines are deleted, the silo is completely empty: The line numbering starts again with 1.
cycle lines: OFF	Data cycling (ON, OFF) Data cycling "on" is useful if you constantly have to process the same sample data. In such a case, the processed silo line is not deleted, but copied to the next free line, see below. When you work in this mode, you should not enter any new silo lines during the determinations.

If the silo memory is filled from the balance, a new silo line is established when transfering the weight. For mixed operation, manual entry and entry from a balance, the values from the balance are sent into the line in which editing just takes place. They must be confirmed with <enter> at the 702 SM Titrino.

### Silo memory with data cycling "on"



Silo memory contains 35 lines. Next free line is 36.



- 6 of 35 lines have been proces-
- the processed lines have been copied to the end of the silo memory: your silo is filled up to line 41.

# 3. Operation via RS232 interface

### 3.1 General rules

The 702 SM Titrino has an extensive remote control facility that allows full control of the titrator via the RS232 interface, i.e. the titrator can receive data from an external controller or it can send data to an external controller.  $C_R$  and  $L_F$  are used as terminators for the data transfer. 702 SM Tirino sends  $2xC_R$  and  $L_F$  as termination of a <u>data block</u>, to differentiate between a <u>data line</u> which has  $C_R$  and  $L_F$  as terminator. The controller terminates its commands with  $C_R$  and  $L_F$ . If the controller sends more than one command per line, the character ";" is used as separator between the commands.

The commands are grouped logically and are simple to understand. Thus, e.g. for the selection of the MET mode the command

#### &Mode.Select "MET"

must be sent, but only the boldface characters need be inputted, thus

#### &M.S"MET" .

All quantities of the 702 SM Titrino are collected in groups. For example, the entries for the configuration are in the group

#### &Config

The "Config" group contains subgroups, e.g. for the setting of the RS interface parameters (RS Settings)

#### &Config.RSSet

This subgroup in turn contains the individual inquiries for the settings, e.g. the inquiry regarding the baud rate

#### &Config.RSSet.Baud

or regarding the setting of the parity

#### &Config.RSSet.Parity

The commands have a hierarchial structure (tree structure). The quantities that appear in this tree are called **objects** in what follows. The baud rate is an object that is called up with the command

#### &Config.RSSet.Baud

If one is at the desired location in the tree, the value of the appropriate object can be queried, e.g. in the case of the inquiry regarding the baud rate:

#### &Config.RSSet.Baud \$Q Q for Query

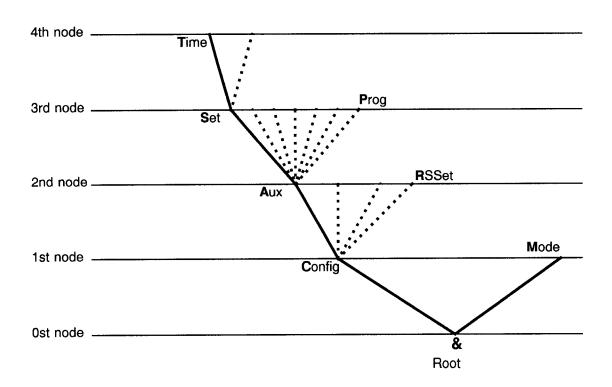
\$Q triggers the output of the value from the 702 SM Titrino. Entries that are introduced with the character dollar (\$) trigger something. They are thus called **triggers** in what follows.

Values of objects can not only be requested, however, they can also be modified. Values are always entered in quotation marks ("), e.g.

&Config.RSSet.Baud "9600"

### 3.1.1 Call up of objects

All objects of the SM Titrino are grouped hierarchically. They have a tree structure. A section of this tree is shown below:



Rules:

- The root of the tree is designated with &.
- For the call up of an object the nodes (levels) of the tree are marked with a point (.).
- The call up of the objects requires as many letters as necessary to ensure unequivocal assignment of the object. If the call is not unequivocal, the first object in the series is recognised.
- Upper- or lowercase letters can be used
- An object can be assigned a value. Each value is marked at the beginning and end with quotation marks ("). A value can contain up to 24 characters. Numeric values can include up to 6 digits, a negative sign and a decimal point. Numbers with more than 6 digits will not be accepted; more than 4 decimal places are rounded off (5 decimal places for smpl size). With numbers <1, it is necessary to enter leading zeros.</p>
- If a new object is not called up, the old object remains current.

Examples:

Call up of the time: &Config.Aux.Set.Time or &C.A.S.T

&C.A.S.T or &c.a.s.t

Entry of "08:10" for the time &C.A.S.T "08:10"

Correct entries of numbers: "-31.2273"
"0.1"
incorrect entries:
"1,5" or " + 3" or ".1"

Entry of a different time: "08:15"

 New objects can also be addressed relative to old objects:

A preceding point moves one node forwards in the tree.

More than one preceding point moves one node backwards in the tree. n nodes backwards require n + 1 preceding points.

If a jump is to be made back to the root, a preceding & is entered.

From the root to the node 'Aux': **&C.A** 

Forwards from the node 'Aux' to

'Set': **.S** 

Jump from 'Set' onto the node 'Aux' and selection of a new object

at this node 'Prog': ..P

Jump from the object 'Prog' over the node 'Aux' to the node 'Config' and to

the new node 'RSSet': ...R

Change from the node 'RSSet' via the root into the node 'Mode': &M

### 3.1.2 Triggers

Triggers initiate an action at the SM Titrino, e.g. starting of a mode or sending of data. Triggers are marked with the introducer: \$

The following triggers are possible:

\$G	Go:	Starts operations, e.g. start of the titration or setting of the RS232
		interface parameters
\$S	Stop:	Stops operations, e.g. titration
\$H	Hold:	Holds operations, e.g. titration
\$C	Continue:	Continue after "Hold"
\$Q	Query:	Used for inquiry of all information from the current node in the tree upwards up to and including the values
\$Q.P	Path:	Used for inquiry of the path from the root of the tree up to the current node
\$Q.H	Highest index:	Used for inquiry of the number of son nodes of the current node
\$Q.N"i"	Name:	Used for inquiry of the name of the son node with index i, i = 1n
\$D	Detailed Info:	Used for inquiry of the detailed status
\$U	qUit:	Used to abort the data flow of the 702 SM Titrino, e.g. after \$Q

The triggers \$G, \$S and \$H, \$C are linked to objects, see overview table, pages 60ff.

The other triggers, however, can be used at any time and at all locations on the object tree.

#### Examples:

Inquiry of the value of the baud rate: &Config.RSSet.Baud \$Q Inquiry of all values of the node 'RSSet': &Config.RSSet \$Q Inquiry of the path of the node 'RSSet': &Config.RSSet \$Q.P

Start of the current mode: &Mode \$G Inquiry of the detailed status: \$D

### 3.1.3 Status conditions, error messages

In order to have an efficient control by an external control device, it must also be possible to query status conditions; they provide information on the status of the SM Titrino. The trigger \$D initiates output of the status. Status messages consist of the global status, the detailed status and eventual error messages, e.g. \$S.Mode.MET;E20. The global status informs on the activity of the process, while the detailed status conditions show the exact activity within the process.

The following global status conditions are possible:

\$G Go: The SM Titrino is executing the last command.

\$H Hold: The SM Titrino has been holded (\$H, key <meas/hold > or by an error

which effects the hold status)

\$C Continue: The SM Titrino has been restarted actively after hold

\$R Ready: The SM Titrino has executed the last command and is ready

\$S Stop: A process has been stopped in an "unnatural manner".

#### **Detailed status conditions**

#### Status conditions of the global \$G:

\$G .Mode.MET .Inac: Instrument at the beginning or the end of a titration.

\$G .Mode.MET .Req .ld1: Instrument in the MET mode, requesting ld1 after titration start.

.ld2: Instrument in the MET mode, requesting ld2 after titration start.

.ld3: Instrument in the MET mode, requesting ld3 after titration start.

.Smpl: Instrument in the MET mode, requesting sample size after titration start.

.Unit: Instrument in the MET mode, requesting unit of sample size after

titration start.

.Start: Instrument in the MET mode, processing the start conditions.

.Titr: Instrument in the MET mode, titrating.

\$G .Mode.SET .Inac: Instrument at the beginning or the end of a titration.

.Req .ld1: Instrument in the SET mode, requesting ld1 after titration start.

.ld2: Instrument in the SET mode, requesting ld2 after titration start.
.ld3: Instrument in the SET mode, requesting ld3 after titration start.

.Smpl: Instrument in the SET mode, requesting sample size after titration start.
.Unit: Instrument in the SET mode, requesting unit of sample size after titration

start.

Start: Instrument in the SET mode, processing the start conditions.

.SET1: Instrument in the SET mode, titrating to the first end point.
.SET2: Instrument in the SET mode, titrating to the second end point.

.Cond.Ok: Instrument in the SET, conditioning, end point reached (after the first

startup from the standby mode).

.Cond.Prog: Instrument in the SET mode, conditioning, end point not reached

(Conditioning progressing).

\$G .Mode.MEAS.lnac: Instrument at the beginning or the end of a titration.

.Req .ld1: Instrument in the MEAS mode, requesting ld1 after start.

.ld2: Instrument in the MEAS mode, requesting ld2 after start. .ld3: Instrument in the MEAS mode, requesting ld3 after start.

.Smpl: Instrument in the MEAS mode, requesting sample size after start.

.Unit: Instrument in the MEAS mode, requesting unit of sample size after start.

.Meas: Instrument in the MEAS mode, measuring.

\$G .Mode.CAL .lnac: Instrument at the beginning or the end of a calibration

.Req.Temp: Instrument in the CAL mode, requesting calibration temperature. .Meas.Temp: Instrument in the CAL mode, measuring calibration temperature.

.Req.Buf1: Instrument in the CAL mode, requesting pH of buffer 1.

.Meas.Buf1: Instrument in the CAL mode, measures buffer1.

.Reg.Buf2: Instrument in the CAL mode, requesting pH of buffer 2.

.Meas.Buf2: Instrument in the CAL mode, measures buffer2.

etc.

\$G .Assembly.Bur .Fill: Burette in filling process

.ModeDis: Burette in Dis mode

#### Status conditions of the global \$H:

\$H .Mode.MET .lnac: Instrument in the MET mode, has been holded at the beginning.

.Start: Instrument in the MET mode, has been holded during the start

conditions.

.Titr: Instrument in the MET mode, has been holded during titration.

\$H .Mode.SET .lnac: Instrument in the SET mode, has been holded at the beginning.

.Start: Instrument in the MET mode, has been holded during the start

conditions.

.SET1: Instrument in the SET mode, has been holded during titration to the first

endpoint.

.SET2: Instrument in the SET mode, has been holded during titration to the

second endpoint.

.Cond: Instrument in the SET mode, has been holded during conditioning.

\$H .Mode.MEAS.Inac: Instrument in the MEAS mode, has been holded at the beginning.

.Meas: Instrument in the MEAS mode, has been holded during measurement.

\$H .Mode.CAL .Inac: Instrument in the CAL mode, has been holded at the beginning.

.Meas.Buf1: Instrument in the CAL mode, has been holded during measurement of

buffer 1.

.Meas.Buf2: Instrument in the CAL mode, has been holded during measurement of

buffer 2.

etc.

\$H .Assembly.Bur.ModeDis: Burette has been holded in the Dis mode.

#### Status conditions of the global \$C:

The status conditions of the global \$C are identical with the ones of the global status \$G. They appear when the process has been restarted actively from the status "Hold" (\$C, key <meas/hold> or automatically after elimination of an error).

#### Status conditions of the global \$R:

\$R .Mode.XXXX.QuickMeas: Quick manual measurement from the initial status in mode XXXX.

\$R .Mode.MET .Inac: Instrument in the MET mode, inactive. \$R .Mode.SET .Inac: Instrument in the SET mode, inactive.

.Cond.Ok: Instrument in the SET mode, conditioning, endpoint reached. .Cond.Prog: Instrument in the SET mode, conditioning, endpoint not reached.

\$R .Mode.MEAS.Inac: Instrument in the MEAS mode, inactive.
\$R .Mode.CAL .Inac: Instrument in the CAL mode, inactive.
\$R .Assembly.Bur .ModeDis: Burette in the Dis mode, inactive.

#### Status conditions of the global \$S:

\$S .Mode.XXXX.QuickMeas: Quick manual measurement from the initial status in mode XXXX.

The instrument gives the status from which it has been stopped.

#### **Error messages:**

Error messages are added to the status messages and separated from them by the sign ";".

E20 Check exchange unit

Exit: Mount Exchange Unit (properly).

E21 Check electrode, short circuit

Exit: Rectify fault or &m \$S.

E22 Check electrode, break

Exit: Rectify fault or &m \$S.

E23 Division by zero.

Exit: The error message disappears on next startup or on recalculation.

E26 Manual stop.

Exit: The error message disappears on next startup.

E27 Stop V reached in SET.

Exit: The error message disappears on next startup.

E28 Wrong object call up

Exit: Send correct path for object. Start path at root.

E29 Wrong value or no value allowed.

Exit: Send correct value or call up new object.

E30 Wrong trigger, this trigger is not allowed or carrying-out of action not possible.

Exit: Send correct trigger (exception: \$D) or call up new object.

E31 Command is not possible in active status. Repeat command in inactive status.

Exit: Send new command.

E32 Command is not possible during titration. Repeat command during the conditioning phase or in inactive status.

Exit: Send new command.

E33 Value has been corrected automatically.

Exit: Send new command.

E34 Instrument at the end of the titration and sample data is edited; the instrument at rest or

editing during filling.

Exit: &m \$S.

#### RS receive errors:

E36 Parity \ Exit: <QUIT > and ensure settings of appropriate parameters at both

E37 Stop Bit devices are the same.

E38 Overrun error. At least 1 character could not be read.

Exit: < QUIT >

E39 The internal receive buffer of the SM Titrino is full (>82 characters).

Exit: < QUIT >

#### RS send errors:

E40 DSR = OFF No proper handshake for more than 1 s.

E41 DCD = ON Exit: < QUIT>

E42 CTS = OFF J Is the receiver switched on and ready to receive?

E43 The transmission of the SM Titrino has been interrupted with XOFF for at least 3 s.

Exit: Send XON or < QUIT >

E44 The RS interface parameters are no longer the same for both devices. Reset.

E45 The receive buffer of the 702 SM Titrino contains an incomplete command (L<sub>F</sub> missing). Sen-

ding from the SM Titrino is therefore blocked.

Exit: Send L<sub>F</sub> or <QUIT>.

E120 Overrange

Exit: Correct error or &m \$S.

E121: Measuring point list overflow (more than 500 measuring points).

Exit: The error message disappears on next startup.

E122: EP overflow.

Exit: The error message disappears on next startup or on recalculation.

E123: Missing EP for calculation.

Exit: The error message disappears on next startup or on recalculation.

E124: Number of EP's does not correspond with the set windows.

Exit: The error message disappears on next startup or on recalculation.

E125: Missing fix EP for calculation, has not been defined.

Exit: The error message disappears on next startup or on recalculation.

E126: Fix-EP outside of measuring point list.

Exit: The error message disappears on next startup or on recalculation.

E128: No new mean.

Exit: The error message disappears on next startup or on recalculation.

E129: No new common variable, old value remains.

Exit: The error message disappears on next startup or on recalculation.

E130: Wrong sample. For SET with preset titration direction the first measured value lies behind the endpoint.

Exit: The error message disappears on next startup.

E131: No EP set for SET.

Exit: The error message disappears on next startup.

E132: Silo empty and it has been started with open silo or empty silo has been opened.

Exit: Send a silo entry.

E133: Silo full.

Exit: Send new command.

E134: No method. A method, which is required from the silo memory, does not exist in the method memory.

Exit: The error message disappears on next startup.

E135: Check Temp.Sensor in MEAS T.

Exit: Correct error or &m \$S.

E136: Same buffer in CAL. Measured value of the second buffer differs less than 6 mV from the measured value of the first buffer.

Exit: Correct error or &m \$S.

E137: XXX Bytes are missing so that the method or the silo line could not be stored.

Exit: Send new command.

# 3.2 Remote control commands

## 3.2.1 Overview

Object	Function	Input range	see
& Mode   QuickMeas   Select	Root Mode Quick measurement in inactive state Selection of the mode	\$G, \$S, \$H, \$C \$G, \$S MET, SET,	3.2.2.1 3.2.2.2
.DETQuantity .METQuantity .SETQuantity .MEASQuantity .Name .Parameter*	no meaning Measured quantity for MET Measured quantity for SET Measured quantity for MEAS Name of the current method Parameters of the current method, depend see pages 63 to 65	MEAS, CAL pH, U, Ipol, Upol pH, U, Ipol, Upol pH, U, Ipol, Upol, T read only/read + write on the mode,	3.2.2.3 3.2.2.3 3.2.2.3 3.2.2.3 3.2.2.4
.Def  .Formulas  .1  .Formula	Definitions for the data output Calculation formulas For result 1 Calculation formula	special	3.2.2.5
.TextRS .Decimal .Unit	Text for the result designation Decimal places Unit for the result up to 9 results	up to 8 ASCII char 05 up to 6 ASCII char	3.2.2.5 3.2.2.5 3.2.2.5
.ComVar  .C30  .Report	Assignment of common variables Common variable C30 up to C39 Data output at the end of titration	RSX, MNX, EPX, CXX	3.2.2.6
.Assign .Mean   .1   .Assign	Assignment Assignments for statistics calculations Mean value 1, MN1 Assignment for MN1	depends on mode	3.2.2.7
.CFmla     1   1.Value	up to 9 assignments  Calculation constants Calculation constant C01 Value for C01 up to C19	0 ± 999 999	3.2.2.9
UserMeth   .FreeMem   .Recall   .Name   .Store   .Name   .Delete   .Name   .DelAll   .List   .1	Management of the method memory Memory still available Recall method Method identification Store method Method identification Delete method Method identification Delete all methods List of all methods in the method memory Method 1	read only \$G up to 8 ASCII char \$G up to 8 ASCII char \$G up to 8 ASCII char \$G	3.2.2.10 3.2.2.11 3.2.2.11 3.2.2.11 3.2.2.11 3.2.2.11 3.2.2.11
.Name .Mode .Quantity .Bytes .Checksum	Name of the method Mode Measured quantity Bytes used from the mewthod memory Checksum of the method for all the methods	read only read only read only read only read only	3.2.2.12 3.2.2.12 3.2.2.12 3.2.2.12 3.2.2.12

Object	Function	Input range	see
*Parameter	Tree part "Parameters for MET"		
.TitrPara  .VStep  .DosRate  .SignalDrift  .UnitSigDrift  .EquTime	Titration parameters Volume increment Dispensing rate for increments Drift for measured value acquisition Unit of the measured value drift Equilibr. time for meas. value acquisition	09.999 0.01150.0, max. depends on meas quant. read only 09999, OFF	3.2.2.13 3.2.2.14 3.2.2.15 3.2.2.15 3.2.2.15
.StartV   .Type   .V   .Factor   .Rate   .Pause   .Measinput   .Ipol   .Upol   .PolElectrTest   .Temp	Start volume Type of start volume Volume for the absolute start volume Factor for the relative start volume Dispensing rate Waiting time Measuring input Polarisation current Polarisation potential Test for polarized electrodes Titration temperature	abs., rel., OFF 0999.99 0 ± 999 999 0.01150, max. 0999 999 1, 2, diff. 0 ± 127 0 ± 1270 ON, OFF -170.0500.0	3.2.2.16 3.2.2.16 3.2.2.16 3.2.2.17 3.2.2.18 3.2.2.18 3.2.2.18 3.2.2.18 3.2.2.18 3.2.2.19
.StopCond  .VStop   .Type  .V  .Factor  .MeasStop  .UnitMStop  .EPStop  .FillRate	Stop conditions Stop volume Type of stop volume Volume for the absolute stop volume Factor for the relative stop volume Stop measured value pH, U, I Unit of the stop measured value Stop after a number of end points Filling rate after the titration	abs., rel., OFF 09999.99 0 ± 999 999 depends on meas quant. read only 19, OFF 0.01150.0, max.	3.2.2.20 3.2.2.20 3.2.2.20 3.2.2.21 3.2.2.21 3.2.2.22 3.2.2.23
.Statistics  .Status  .MeanN  .ResTab  .Select	Statistics calculations Status of the statistics Number of individual determinations Result table	ON, OFF 220 original, delete n,	3.2.2.24 3.2.2.24 3.2.2.24
.DelN	Deletion of individual results	delete all 120	3.2.2.24
.Evaluation  .EPC   .Recognition   .Select	Evaluation EP criterion EP recognition Type of EP recognition	depends on meas quant.	3.2.2.25 3.2.2.25 3.2.2.25
. <b>W</b> indow	Window	window, OFF	<b>2</b> 1
.FixEP	Lower limit window 1 Upper limit window 1 up to 9 windows Fix end points Fix EP1	depends on meas quant. depends on meas quant.	
.Value	Measured value for fix EP1 up to 9 fix EP's	depends on meas quant.	3.2.2.25
.pK	pK or HNP evaluation	ON, OFF	3.2.2.25
.Presel  .IReq  .SReq  .ActPulse	Preselections Request of Id's after start Request of sample size after start Output of a pulse	id1, id1&2, all, OFF value, unit, all, OFF ON, OFF	3.2.2.26 3.2.2.26 3.2.2.27

Object	Function	Input range	see
*Parameter	Tree part "Parameters for SET"		
I.SET1	Control parameters for EP1		
1. <b>E</b> P	End point 1	depends on meas quant.	3.2.2.28
.UnitEp	Unit of the end point EP1	read only	3.2.2.28
. <b>D</b> yn	Dynamics	depends on meas quant.	3.2.2.29
	Unit of dynamics	read only	3.2.2.29
.UnitDyn	Maximum dispensing rate	0.01150, max.	3.2.2.29
.MaxRate	Minimum dispensing rate	0.01999.9	3.2.2.29
.MinRate	Titration stop	0.01000.0	0.2.2.20
.Stop	Type of stop criterion	drift, time	3.2.2.30
. <b>T</b> ype	Stop drift	1999	3.2.2.30
.Time	Switch-off delay time	0999, inf	3.2.2.30
.Time .StopT	Stop time	0999 999, OFF	3.2.2.30
. <b>S</b> top1	Stop time	J000 500, O. 1	0.2
.SET2	Control parameters for EP2, identical to SET1		
.TitrPara	Titration parameters		
I.Direction	Titration direction	+, -, auto	3.2.2.31
.StartV	Start volume	, ,	
. <b>T</b> ype	Type of start volume	abs., rel., OFF	3.2.2.16
.v'	Volume for the absolute start volume	0999.99	3.2.2.16
.Factor	Factor for the relative start volume	0 ± 999 999	3.2.2.16
.Rate	Dispensing rate	0.01150, max.	3.2.2.16
.Pause	Waiting time	0999 999	3.2.2.17
.MeasInput	Measuring input	1, 2, diff.	3.2.2.18
.lpol	Polarisation current	0 ± 127	3.2.2.18
. <b>Up</b> ol	Polarisation potential	0 ± 1270	3.2.2.18
.PolElectrTest	Test for polarized electrodes	ON, OFF	3.2.2.18
.Temp	Titration temperature	-170.0500.0	3.2.2.19
. <b>St</b> opCond	Stop conditions		
J.VStop	Stop volume		
.Type	Type of stop volume	abs., rel., OFF	3.2.2.20
.Typo	Volume for the absolute stop volume	09999.99	3.2.2.20
.Factor	Factor for the relative stop volume	0 ± 999 999	3.2.2.20
.FillRate	Filling rate after the titration	0.01150.0, max.	3.2.2.23
i.Fiiinate	I ming rate after the thickness.	0.0	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
.Statistics	Statistics calculations		
.Status	Status of the statistics	ON, OFF	3.2.2.24
.MeanN	Number of individual determinations	220	3.2.2.24
.ResTab	Result table		
I.Select	riodak tabio	original, delete n,	3.2.2.24
		delete all	
.DelN	Deletion of individual results	120	3.2.2.24
.Presel	Preselections		
I.Cond	Conditioning	ON, OFF	3.2.2.32
. <b>D</b> riftDisp	Display of the drift during conditioning	ON, OFF	3.2.2.32
.IReq	Request of Id's after start	id1, id2, all, OFF	3.2.2.26
. <b>S</b> Req	Request of sample size after start	value, unit, all, OFF	3.2.2.26
. <b>A</b> ctPulse	Output of a pulse	first, all, cond., OFF	3.2.2.27
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Object	Function	Input range	see
*Parameter .Measuring .SignalDrift .UnitSigDrift .EquTime .MeasInput .Ipol .Upol .PolElectrTest .Temp	Tree part "Parameters for MEAS" Measurement parameters Drift for measured value acquisition Unit of measured value drift Equilibr. time for meas. value acquisition Measuring input Polarisation current Polarisation potential Test for polarized electrodes Measurement temperature	depends on meas quant. read only 09999, OFF 1, 2, diff. 0 ± 127 0 ± 1270 ON, OFF -170.0500.0	3.2.2.33 3.2.2.33 3.2.2.33 3.2.2.34 3.2.2.34 3.2.2.34 3.2.2.35
.Statistics  .Status  .MeanN  .ResTab  .Select	Statistics calculations Status of the statistics Number of individual determinations Result table	ON, OFF 220 original, delete n, delete all	3.2.2.24 3.2.2.24 3.2.2.24
.DelN	Deletion of individual results	120	3.2.2.24
.Presel   .IReq   .SReq   .ActPulse	Preselections Request of Id's after start Request of sample size after start Output of a pulse	id1, id2, all, OFF value, unit, all, OFF ON, OFF	3.2.2.26 3.2.2.26 3.2.2.27
*Parameter	Tree part "Parameters for CAL" Calibration parameters		
. MeasInput . CalTemp . Buffer	Measuring input Calibration temperature pH value of the buffers Buffer 1	1, 2, diff. -20.0120.0	3.2.2.36 3.2.2.37
. <b>V</b> alue	pH value of buffer 1 Buffer 2	0 ± 20.00	3.2.2.38
.Value	pH value of buffer 2 up to 9 buffers	0 ± 20.00, OFF	3.2.2.38
.SignalDrift .EquTime .Electrodeld .SmplChanger .ActPulse	Drift for measured value acquisition Equilibr. time for meas. value acquisition Electrode identification Calibration at sample changer Output of a pulse	0.5999, OFF 09999, OFF up to 8 ASCII char ON, OFF first, all, OFF	3.2.2.39 3.2.2.39 3.2.2.40 3.2.2.41 3.2.2.42
.Statistics   .Status   .MeanN   .ResTab	Statistics calculations Status of the statistics Number of individual determinations Result table	ON, OFF 220	3.2.2.24 3.2.2.24
.Select	i iosuit tabio	original, delete n, delete all	3.2.2.24
. <b>D</b> elN	Deletion of individual results	120	3.2.2.24

Object	Function	Input range	see	
&	Root			
Config	Configuration			
<b>P</b> eriphUnit	Selection of external devices			
.CharSet	Selection of the character set	Epson, Seiko, Citizen, IBM, H	P 3.2.2.43	
<b>.B</b> alance	Selection of the balance	Sartorius, Mettler, Mett-		
		ler AT, AND, Precisa	3.2.2.44	
.Plot	Sel. of the curve at the analog output	Ú,dU/dt,V,dV/dt,U(rel),T	3.2.2.44	
.Aux	Setting of various auxiliary functions			
Language	Selection of the dialog language	english,deutsch,francais,		
Language	Colocion of the dialog language	espanol,etc.	3.2.2.45	
l l l.Set	Setting of date and time	\$Ġ	3.2.2.46	
Date	Date	XXXX-XX-XX	3.2.2.46	
.Time	Time	XX:XX	3.2.2.46	
-RunNo	Current sample number	09999	3.2.2.47	
.AutoStart	Internal automatic start	19999, OFF	3.2.2.48	
.StartDelay	Start delay	0999 999	3.2.2.49	
.DevName	Device name	up to 8 ASCII char	3.2.2.50	
	Program version	read only	3.2.2.51	
<b>.P</b> rog	Program version	read offiny	0.2	
.RSSet	Settings for RS232	\$G	3.2.2.52	
I.Baud	Baud Rate	special (3009600)	3.2.2.53	
.DataBit	Data Bit	7,8	3.2.2.53	
.StopBit	Stop Bit	1,2	3.2.2.53	
Parity	Parity	even,odd,none	3.2.2.53	
.Handsh	Handshake	HWs,HWf,SWchar,	<b>.</b>	
<b>.n</b> andsn	Hallushake	SWline,none	3.2.2.53	
ComVar	Values of the common variables	Svanile, none	0.2.2.00	
.ComVar  .C30	Value of C30 up to C39	0 ± 999 999	3.2.2.54	
SmplData	Sample data			
.Status	Status of the silo memory	ON, OFF	3.2.2.55	
.OFFSilo	Current sample data (Silo = OFF)			
	Sample identification 1	up to 8 ASCII char	3.2.2.56	
.ld2	Sample identification 2	up to 8 ASCII char	3.2.2.56	
	Sample identification 3	up to 8 ASCII char	3.2.2.56	
.ValSmpl	Sample size	± X.XXXXX	3.2.2.56	
. <b>U</b> nitSmpl	Unit of the sample size	up to 5 ASCII char	3.2.2.56	
.ONSilo	Sample data in the silo memory (Silo =			
I.Counter	Counters for the silo memory	·		
I.MaxLines	Maximum possible number of lines	read only	3.2.2.57	
.FirstLine	First occupied line	read only	3.2.2.57	
.LastLine	Last occupied line	read only	3.2.2.57	
.EditLine	Edit silo lines	•		
	1st silo line			
.Method	Method used to process sample	up to 8 ASCII char	3.2.2.58	
	Sample identification 1	up to 8 ASCII char	3.2.2.58	
	Sample identification 2	up to 8 ASCII char	3.2.2.58	
.ld3	Sample identification 3	up to 8 ASCII char	3.2.2.58	
.ValSmpl	Sample size	± X.XXXXX	3.2.2.58	
. <b>U</b> nitSmpl	Unit of sample	up to 5 ASCII char	3.2.2.58	
	up to max. 99 lines	- F		
. <b>D</b> elLine	Delete silo line	\$G	3.2.2.59	
LineNum	Line number	199, OFF	3.2.2.59	
.DelAll	Delete entire silo memory	\$G	3.2.2.60	
.CycleLines	Data cycling	ON, OFF	3.2.2.61	
i i i i.CycleLines	Data Cycling	J.1, J	J ( )	

Object	Function	Input range	see
&	Root	· ·	
•			
Info .Report .Select	Information Send formatted reports Selection of the reports	\$G configuration, parameters, smpl data statistics, silo, calib, C def, user method, cald short, ff, mplist, curve all	C-fmla, c, full,
.CalibrationDa	ata pH calibration data	\$G	3.2.2.63
inp1 ipHas iSlope iTemp iDate iElectro	For measuring input 2, ider	ntical to 1	3.2.2.63 3.2.2.63 3.2.2.63 3.2.2.63 3.2.2.63
Diff	For differential input, identi-	cal to 1	
.Checksums .MPList .ActualMet	Checksums Checksum of the measure hod Checksum of the current n		3.2.2.64 3.2.2.64 3.2.2.64
.DetermData .Write .ExV .MPList	Determination data Read/write of meas.point li Volume of exchange unit Measuring point list Measuring point 1	ist and C4X ON, OFF read only/read + write	3.2.2.65 3.2.2.65
Attril .X		read only/read + write read only/read + write alue read only/read + write	3.2.2.65
.TitrResults	Results of the determina Calculated results Result 1	ition	
.Valu		read only	3.2.2.66
.Mea	Volume coordinate s Measured value coordinate		3.2.2.66 3.2.2.66 3.2.2.66
.Var  .C40  .C41  .C42  .C43  .C44  .C45  .C45  .C46  .C47	Initial measured value Titration end volume Titration time Volume drift Titration temperature Start volume Asymmetry pH Slope of the electrode Fix end points	read only/read + write read only read only	3.2.2.66 3.2.2.66 3.2.2.66 3.2.2.66
	Fix EP 1, up to C59, volunge Volume value  pK or HNP values pK1 or HNP1, up to C69	read only	3.2.2.67
		read only	3.2.2.67

Object	t.	Function	Input range	see
		Doot		
<b>.</b> &		Root Information, continued		
	StatisticsVal	Statistics values		
	.ActN	Number of results in statistics table	read only	3.2.2.68
	.1	Data of MN1 Mean value	read only	3.2.2.68
1 1 1	.Mean .Std	Absolute standard deviation	read only	3.2.2.68
	.RelStd	Relative standard deviation	read only	3.2.2.68
	i.neiota	up to 9 mean values	rodd orny	0.11.100
.4	 ActualInfo	Current information		
	.Inputs	I/O inputs		
	.Status	Status of the lines	read only	3.2.2.69
111	.Change	Change in the status of the lines	read only	3.2.2.69
	.Clear	Clears the change byte	\$G	3.2.2.69
111	. <b>O</b> utputs	I/O outputs		0.0.00
	.Status	Status of the lines	read only	3.2.2.69
	.Change	Change in the status of the lines	read only	3.2.2.69
	.Clear	Clears the change byte	\$G	3.2.2.69
	.Assembly	Regarding branch &Assembly	road only	3.2.2.70
	.CyclNo	Cycle number	read only	3.2.2.70
	.Counter	Counter in assembly	read only	3.2.2.71
	l l.V	Volume counter Clears above counter	\$G	3.2.2.71
	l .Clear .Meas	Measured value	read only	3.2.2.72
	.Titrator	Regarding the titrator	road only	0.2.2
	.CyclNo	Cycle number	read only	3.2.2.73
	I .V	Volume	read only	3.2.2.73
	Meas	Measured value	read only	3.2.2.73
	.dVdt	Volume drift dV/dt	read only	3.2.2.73
	.dMeasdt	Measured value drift	read only	3.2.2.73
	.dMeasdV	1st derivative of the titration curve	read only	3.2.2.73
	.ERC	no meaning	,	
111	.MeasPt	Entry in the measuring point list		
	.Index	Index of the input	read only	3.2.2.74
	l.X	X-coordinate (volume, time)	read only	3.2.2.74
	. <b>Y</b>	Y-coordinate (measured value)	read only	3.2.2.74
	. <b>E</b> P	Entry of an EP		
	.Index	Index of the input	read only	3.2.2.74
	.X	X-coordinate (volume)	read only	3.2.2.74
	<sup> </sup> .Y	Y-coordinate (measured value)	read only	3.2.2.74
	.Display	Display		
	.L1	1st line	up to 24 ASCII char	3.2.2.75
	.L2	2nd line	up to 24 ASCII char	3.2.2.75
	A <b>s</b> sembly	Assembly		
"	.CycleTime	Cycle time	read only	3.2.2.76
	.ExV	Volume of the Exchange Unit	read only	3.2.2.76

Object	Function	Input range	see
<b>.</b> &	Root		
Assembly   .Bur   .Rates	Basic elements of the assembly Burette Rates In direction "expel"		
	Type of rate control Digital rate In direction "aspirate"	digital, analog 0150,max.	3.2.2.77 3.2.2.77
	Type of rate control Digital rate Filling Dispensing mode Type of dispensing control Volume to be dispensed Time of dispensing	digital, analog 0150,max. \$G, \$H, \$C \$G, \$S, \$H, \$C volume, time 0.00019999 0.2586400 0.00019999,OFF	3.2.2.77 3.2.2.78 3.2.2.79 3.2.2.79 3.2.2.79 3.2.2.79 3.2.2.79 3.2.2.79
. <b>VS</b> top . <b>A</b> utoFill	Limit volume Filling after every increment	0.00019999,OFF ON, OFF	3.2.2.79
.Meas   .Status   .MeasInput	Measurement On/off switching of measurement Selection of the measuring input	ON, OFF 1, 2, Diff., Ipol, Upol, Temp	3.2.2.80 3.2.2.80
.lpol .Upol	Polarisation current Polarisation potential	0 ± 127 0 ± 1270	3.2.2.80 3.2.2.80
.Outputs  .AutoEOD  .SetLines  .L1	I/O outputs Output of pulse End Of Determination Set I/O lines Signal on line 1	ON, OFF \$G active, inactive, pulse, OFF	3.2.2.81 3.2.2.81 3.2.2.81
lup to L3 .ResetLines	Reset I/O outputs	\$G	3.2.2.81
Setup   I.Keycode   I.Tree	Setting the operation mode Send key code of pressed key	ON,OFF	3.2.2.82
.Short .ChangedOnly .Trace	Only necessary characters Only changed values Message when values change	ON,OFF ON,OFF ON,OFF	3.2.2.83 3.2.2.83 3.2.2.84
.Lock .Keyboard .Config .Parameter .SmplData	Disable key functions Disable all keys of 702 Disable the <configuration> key Disable the <parameters> key Disable the <smpl data=""> key</smpl></parameters></configuration>	ON,OFF ON,OFF ON,OFF ON,OFF	3.2.2.85 3.2.2.85 3.2.2.85 3.2.2.85
.UserMeth .Recall .Store .Delete .Display	Disable "recall" in key <user meth=""> Disable "store" in key <user meth=""> Disable "delete" in key <user meth=""> Disable display service of 702</user></user></user>	ON,OFF ON,OFF ON,OFF ON,OFF	3.2.2.85 3.2.2.85 3.2.2.85 3.2.2.85
.Mode .StartWait .FinWait	Sets waiting intervals Waiting after start Waiting after end	ON,OFF ON,OFF	3.2.2.86 3.2.2.86

			Input	
Obje	ct	Function	range	see
&		Root		
		Setting the operation mode, cont.		
	.SendMeas  .SendStatus  .Interval  .Select	Automatic transmission of meas. data On/off switching of transmission Time interval for transmission Selection	ON,OFF 0.0816200, MPList Assembly, Titrator	3.2.2.87 3.2.2.87 3.2.2.87
	.Assembly .CyclNo .V .Meas .Titrator .CyclNo .V .Meas	Values from &Assembly Cycle number Volume Associated measured value Values from titrator Cycle number Associated volume Associated measured value	ON,OFF ON,OFF ON,OFF ON,OFF ON,OFF	3.2.2.88 3.2.2.88 3.2.2.88 3.2.2.89 3.2.2.89 3.2.2.89 3.2.2.89
	.dVdt .dMeasdt .dMeasdV .ERC	Associated volume drift Associated measured value drift Associated 1st derivative titr. curve no meaning	ON,OFF ON,OFF ON,OFF	3.2.2.89 3.2.2.89
	.AutoInfo  .Status  .P	Automatic message on status changes Global switch for set AutoInfos When power is switched on	ON,OFF ON,OFF	3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90
	T.R.G.C.S.B.F.E.H.C.O.N.R.S.M.P.C.I.O.	From titrator When instrument in "ready" status When instrument is started. After Go Command. When instrument in "stop" status Begin of titration End of titration On error message When instrument in "hold" status Continue after hold Conditioning OK. Conditioning Not OK. When in request after titration start When silo memory empty Entry in measuring point list Entry in EP list Recalculation On change of an I/O input On change of an I/O output	ON,OFF	3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90 3.2.2.90
	.Graphics   .Grid   .Frame   .Scale   .Recorder	Change of the curve output Grid over the curve Frame surrounding curve Type of curve scaling of meas.value axis	ON,OFF ON,OFF Full, Auto	3.2.2.91 3.2.2.91 3.2.2.91
	.Right   .Feed .PowerOn .Initialise   .Select	Length of the measured value axis Length of the volume axis Simulation "power on" Set values to default settings Selection	0.21.00 0.011.00 \$G \$G ActMeth,Silo,Calib,Setup Config, Assembly, All	3.2.2.91 3.2.2.91 3.2.2.92 3.2.2.93 3.2.2.93
	.RamInit .InstrNo .Value	Initialisation, see page 106 Device id Input of device id	\$G \$G 8 ASCII characters	3.2.2.94 3.2.2.95 3.2.2.95

# 3.2.2 Description of the remote control commands

3.2.2.1 **M**ode \$G, \$S, \$H, \$C

Start and stop (\$G, \$S) or hold of the current method (3.2.2.3) with \$H and continue with \$C. \$G also serves to continue after inquiries of identifications and sample size after the start of titration (see 3.2.2.26) as well as after inquiries of calibration temperature and pH values of buffers (see 3.2.2.37 and 3.2.2.38).

### 3.2.2.2 Mode.QuickMeas

\$G, \$S

Start and stop of a measurement in the basic mode with the parameters (measured quantity, measuring input) of the current method. Corresponds to the <meas/hold> key.

With an ongoing measurement, the current mode can be started. This stops the measurement automatically.

3.2.2.3 Mode. Select

Mode.METQuantity Mode.SETQuantity Mode.MEASQuantity MET, SET, MEAS, CAL
pH, U, Ipol, Upol
pH, U, Ipol, Upol
pH, U, Ipol, Upol, T

Selection of the standard mode. Mode <u>and</u> the measured quantity belong to the complete selection. If a method is selected from the method memory, the nodes &Mode.Select and &Mode.XXXQuantity are overwritten with mode and measured quantity of the corresponding user method.

### 3.2.2.4 Mode.Name

read only/read + write

Name of the current method in the working memory. \$Q sends 8 ASCII characters. Standard methods carry the name \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*.

3.2.2.5 Mode.Def.Formulas.1.Formula

Mode.Def.Formulas.1.TextRS Mode.Def.Formulas.1.Decimal Mode.Def.Formulas.1.Unit Mode.Def.Formulas.2.Formula etc. up to .9 EPX, CXX, RSX, +, -, \*, /, (, )
up to 8 ASCII characters
0...2...5
up to 6 ASCII characters

Entry of formulas. Rules for formula entry, see page 42.

Example: "(EP2-EP1)\*C01/C00"

In addition to the formula, a text for result output, the number of decimal places and a unit for the result output can be selected. "No unit" is selected with the blank string.

In place of "RSX", a result name may be entered (.TextRS). This name is outputted in the full and short result report. It is used for the result and the corresponding mean value.

3.2.2.6 Mode.Def.ComVar.C30 Mode.Def.ComVar.C31

RSX, MNX, EPX, CXX

etc. up to .C39

Assignment of common variables. Results RS1...RS9 or Mean values MN1...MN9 can be assigned. The values of the common variables are to be found in &Config.ComVar. They can be viewed and entered there, see 3.2.2.54.

full, short, ff, curve, mpList, calc, param, calib Mode.Def.Report.Assign MET: 3.2.2.7

full, short, ff, calc, param, calib SET: full, short, ff, calc, param, calib MEAS: full, short, ff, calc, param, calib CAL:

Definition of the report sequence, which is outputted automatically at the end of the determination. Entries

of more than one block have to be separated with ":".

3.2.2.8 Mode. Def. Mean. 1. Assign Mode. Def. Mean. 2. Assign RSX, EPX, CXX

etc. up to .9

Assignment of the statistics calculations. Valid assignments are a requirement for statistics calculations. In addition, the statistics calculation must be switched on, see 3.2.2.24. Rules for statistics calculations see page 44.

Mode.CFmla 3.2.2.9

> Mode. CFmla. 1. Value Mode.CFmla.2.Value etc. up to .19

0... ± 999 999

Calculation constants specific to a method. Stored in the method memory of the Titrino. Operands specific to the sample (3.2.2.56 and 3.2.2.66) and values of common variables (3.2.2.54) on the other hand are not stored with the methods.

3.2.2.10 UserMeth.FreeMem

read only

\$G

Memory space, available for user methods or silo lines. \$Q sends the number of free bytes, e.g. "4928".

UserMeth.Recall 3.2.2.11

up to 8 ASCII characters UserMeth.Recall.Name \$G

UserMeth.Store

up to 8 ASCII characters UserMeth.Store.Name

\$G UserMeth.Delete

up to 8 ASCII characters UserMeth.Delete.Name \$G

UserMeth.DelAll

Management of the method memory from the Titrino: Loading, storage and deletion of methods. An action is performed if "\$G" is sent to the corresponding node just after entering the name.

Do not use preceding or succeeding blanks in method names!

.DelAll: Deletes all methods in the user memory.

UserMeth.List.1.Name 3.2.2.12

read only read only UserMeth.List.1.Mode read only UserMeth.List.1.Quantity read only UserMeth.List.1.Bvtes read only UserMeth.List.1.Checksum

for every method

List of the methods in the user method memory with the following characteristics:

Name of the method .Name:

.Mode: Mode

.Quantity: Measured quantity

Number of bytes of the user memory used by the method .Bytes:

Checksum of the method, see 3.2.2.64. .Checksum:

# 3.2.2.13 Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.VStep

0...0.10...9.999

Parameter for MET: Volume increment in mL. With "0", there is no dispensing and measured values vs. time are entered in the measuring point list.

# 3.2.2.14 Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.DosRate

0.01...150, max.

Parameter for MET: Dispensing rate for the volume increments in mL/min. Max. means maximum possible dispensing rate with the Exchange Unit in current use.

3.2.2.15 Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.SignalDrift

pH, U, Ipol: 0.5...50...999, OFF 0.05...50...99.9, OFF Upol:

Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.UnitSigDrift Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.EquTime

read only 0...26...9999, OFF

Parameter for MET: Criteria for the measured value acquisition. Measured value drift in mV/min (with pH, U, Ipol) or µA/min (with Upol), equilibration time in s. OFF means that the corresponding criterion is switched off. If both criteria are OFF, the measured values are acquired immediately after dispensing. If the equilibration time has never been edited, it is automatically calculated by the instrument to match the drift, see page 26. After it has been edited once, it remains in force with the set value.

Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.StartV.Type 3.2.2.16

Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.StartV.V

Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.StartV.Factor Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.StartV.Rate

O... ± 999 999 0.01...150, max.

abs., rel., OFF

0...999.99

Parameter for MET and SET: Start volume.

If an absolute start volume (abs.) has been selected, the volume in mL is valid.

A relative start volume (rel.) is dispensed as a function of the sample size:

Start volume in mL = smpl size\* factor

The factor is valid.

The dispensing rate in mL/min applies to both cases. Max. means maximum possible dispensing rate with the Exchange Unit in current use.

# 3.2.2.17 Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.Pause

0...999 999

Parameter for MET and SET: Pause time in s. Expires after the dispensing of the start volume.

Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.MeasInput 3.2.2.18

Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.Ipol

Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.Upol

Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.PolElectrTest

1, 2, diff. -127...1... + 127 -1270...**400**... + 1270

ON, OFF

Parameter for MET and SET:

Selection of the measuring input; valid with measured quantities pH and U. "diff." means differential amplifier, see page 115.

With Ipol, the inquiries for the polarisation current in µA (Ipol) and .PolElectrTest are valid.

With Upol, the inquiry for the polarisation voltage in mV (Upol) is valid. Entry in steps of 10 mV.

Besides .PolElectrTest is valid.

If the test for polarized electrodes is switched on, it is performed on changeover from the inactive state to an active state (titration or conditioning).

### 3.2.2.19 Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.Temp

-170.0...**25.0**...500.0

Parameter for MET and SET: Titration temperature in °C. If a Pt100 or Pt1000 is connected, the temperature is measured after the start of a method and the parameter .Temp updated. The temperature is used for the temperature correction in pH measurements.

3.2.2.20 Mode.Parameter.StopCond.VStop.Type Mode.Parameter.StopCond.VStop.V Mode.Parameter.StopCond.VStop.Factor

**abs.**, rel., OFF 0...**99.99**...9999.99

0... ± 999 999

Parameter for MET and SET: Stop volume.

If an <u>absolute</u> stop volume (abs.) has been selected, the volume in mL is valid. A <u>relative</u> stop volume (rel.) is dispensed as a function of the sample size:

Stop volume in mL = smpl size\* factor

The factor is valid.

OFF means that the criterion is not monitored.

3.2.2.21 Mode.Parameter.StopCond.MeasStop

pH: 0... ± 20.00, **OFF** U: 0... ± 2000, **OFF** 

l: 0...200.0, **OFF** 

Mode.Parameter.StopCond.UnitMStop

read only

Parameter for MET: Stop when a measured value is reached. Entry as pH value, in mV (with U and Ipol) and in  $\mu$ A (with Upol). The appropriate unit can be viewed with .UnitMStop. OFF means that the criterion is not monitored.

# 3.2.2.22 Mode.Parameter.StopCond.EPStop

1...**9**, OFF

Parameter for MET: Stop when a certain number of EP's has been found. OFF means that the criterion is not monitored.

# 3.2.2.23 Mode.Parameter.StopCond.FillRate

0.01...150, max.

Parameter for MET and SET: Filling rate after the titration in mL/min. Max. means maximum possible filling rate with the Exchange Unit in current use.

3.2.2.24 Mode.Parameter.Statistics.Status

ON, OFF 2...20

Mode.Parameter.Statistics.MeanN Mode.Parameter.Statistics.ResTab.Selected

original, delete n, delete all

Mode.Parameter.Statistics.ResTab.DelN

1 20

Entries for the statistics calculations.

.Status: On/off switching. Requirement for statistics calculations is a valid assignment, see

3.2.2.9.

.MeanN: Number of individual results for statistics calculations.
.ResTab.Select: Selection of the table for the statistics calculations.

original: Original table. The original table is (again) set up, i.e. any individual results which have

been deleted are reincorporated in the statistics calculations.

delete n: Single result lines are removed from the statistics calculation. All results of the

corresponding line in the statistics table are deleted. Specification of the line number in

.ResTab.DelN.

delete all: Clear entire statistics table. The results can not be reactivated.

.ResTab.DelN: Specification of the line number to be deleted.

Mode.Parameter.Evaluation.EPC 3.2.2.25

0.1...0.50...9.99 :Ha 1...30...999 U, Ipol: Upol: 0.1...2...99.9

all, greatest, last, window, OFF pH: 0... ± 20.00, **OFF** 

U, Ipol: 0... ± 2000, OFF Upol: 0... ± 200.0, OFF

Input range as LowLim

Mode.Parameter.Evaluation.Recognition.Window.1.UpLim

Mode.Parameter.Evaluation.Recognition.Window.1.LowLim

Mode.Parameter.Evaluation.Recognition.Selected

etc. up to 9 windows

Mode.Parameter.Evaluation.FixEP.1.Value

0... ± 20.00, OFF U; Ipol: 0... ± 2000, OFF

Upol: 0... ± 200.0, OFF

ON, OFF

etc. up to 9 fix EP's

Mode.Parameter.Evaluation.pK

Parameters for MET: Evaluation of the EP's, see page 26.

.EPC: EP criterion in pH, in mV (with U and Ipol) or in μA (with Upol).

.Recognition.Selected: EP recognition.

all: All end points found are recognised.

great: Only the largest EP is recognised.

last: Only the last EP is recognised.

window: Only EP's that lie within set windows are recognised.

OFF: The EP evaluation is switched off.

.Recognition.Window.1.LowLim: Lower limit for window in pH, mV (with U and Ipol) or µA (with Upol).

.Recognition.Window.1.UpLim: Upper limit for window in pH, mV (with U and Ipol) or µA (with Upol).

Windows are opened until the lower limit is set to OFF.

For every expected EP, an individual window must be set, see page 27.

.FixEP.1.Val: Fix-EP's in pH, mV (bei U, Ipol) resp. µA (bei Upol). Fix EP's are evaluated until the setting OFF is found.

.pK: pK or HNP evaluation. Possible only in pH and U titrations.

3.2.2.26 Mode.Parameter.Presel.IReq Mode.Parameter.Presel.SReq

id1, id1&2, all, OFF value, unit, all, OFF

Parameter for MET SET and MEAS: Automatic inquiry after the start of the determination. From such an inquiry, the determination continues if the requested entry/entries is/are made, e.g. &SmplData.OFFSilo.ld1 (see 3.2.2.56) or with &M \$G, siehe 3.2.2.1.

Mode.Parameter.Presel.ActPulse 3.2.2.27

MET: ON, OFF

SET:first, all, cond., OFF MEAS: ON, OFF

Parameters for MET, SET, and MEAS: Output of a pulse on the I/O line "activate", see pages 120 and

Mode.Parameter.SET1.EP 3.2.2.28

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pH: 0... ± 20.00, OFF

U, Ipol: 0... ± 2000, OFF

Upol: 0... ± 200.0, OFF

read only Mode.Parameter.SET1.UnitEp

Parameter for SET: Setting of the 1st end point as a pH value, in mV (with U and Ipol) or µA (with Upol). The corresponding unit can be read with .UnitEP.

If the value is on "OFF", there are no further nodes of SET1 appearing.

3.2.2.29 Mode.Parameter.SET1.Dyn

pH: 0.01... ± 20.00, **OFF** U, lpol: 1... ± 2000, **OFF** Upol: 0.1... ± 200.0, **OFF** 

Mode.Parameter.SET1.UnitDyn Mode.Parameter.SET1.MaxRate Mode.Parameter.SET1.MinRate read only 0.01...10...150, max. 0.01...25.0...999.9

Parameters for SET: Control parameters, see page 35.

.Dyn:

Dynamics, control range in pH, mV (with U and Ipol) or µA (with Upol). The corresponding

unit can be read with .UnitDyn.

.MaxRate:

Maximum allowed titration rate in mL/min. Max. means maximum possible rate with the Ex-

change Unit in current use.

.MinRate:

Minimum titration rate in µL/min.

3.2.2.30 Mode.Parameter.SET1.Stop.Type

Mode.Parameter.SET1.Stop.Drift Mode.Parameter.SET1.Stop.Time Mode.Parameter.SET1.Stop.StopT **drift**, time 1...20...999 0...10...999, inf 0...999 999, **OFF** 

Parameter für SET: Type and size of the stop criterion of the titration.

.Type: Type of stop criterion - after stop drift or switch-off delay time.

.Drift: Stop drift in  $\mu$ l/min. Applies when "drift" has been selected.

.Time: Switch-off delay time in s. Applies when "time" has been selected. "inf" means infinite.

.StopT: Stop time in s. Applies when "time" has been selected and the value of .Time is set to "inf.".

## 3.2.2.31 Mode.Parameter.TitrPara.Direction

+ , -, auto

Parameter for SET: Titration direction.

"auto" means the titration direction is determined automatically by the instrument. If 2 EP's have been set, the titration direction is given by the two EP's. The entry of the titration direction is then invalid.

3.2.2.32 Mode.Parameter.Presel.Cond

ON, OFF

Mode.Parameter.Presel.DriftDisp

ON, OFF

Parameter für SET:

.Cond: On/off switching of conditioning.

.DriftDisp: On/off switching of drift display during conditioning.

3.2.2.33 Mode.Parameter.Measuring.SignalDrift

pH, U, Ipol, T: 0.5...999, **OFF** 

Upol:

read only

Mode.Parameter.Measuring.UnitSigDrift Mode.Parameter.Measuring.EguTime

0...9999, OFF

0.05...99.9, OFF

Parameters for MEAS: Criteria for the measured value acquisition. Measured value drift in mV/min (with pH, U, Ipol, T) or pA/min (with Upol), equilibration time in s. OFF means that the corresponding criterion is switched off. If both criteria are OFF, the measurement continues indefinitely. For measuring point lists with measured value vs. time, see 3.2.2.13.

If the equilibration time has never been edited, it is automatically calculated by the instrument to match the drift, see page 26. After it has been edited once, it remains in force with the set value.

3.2.2.34 Mode.Parameter.Measuring.MeasInput
Mode.Parameter.Measuring.Ipol
Mode.Parameter.Measuring.Upol

Mode.Parameter.Measuring.PolElectrTest

1, 2, diff. -127...1... + 127 -1270...**400**... + 1270 ON, **OFF** 

Parameter for MEAS:

Selection of the measuring input; valid with measured quantities pH and U. "diff." means differential amplifier, see page 115.

With Ipol, the inquiries for the polarisation current in µA (Ipol) and .PolElectrTest are valid.

With Upol the inquiry for the polarisation voltage in mV (Upol) is valid. Entry in steps on 10 mV.

Besides .PolElectrTest is valid.

If the test for polarized electrodes is switched on, it is performed on changeover from the inactive state to the measurement.

# 3.2.2.35 Mode. Parameter. Measuring. Temp

-170.0...**25.0**...500.0

Parameter for MEAS: Measurement temperature in °C. If a Pt100 or Pt1000 is connected, the temperature is measured after the start and the parameter .Temp updated.

The temperature is used for the temperature correction in pH measurements.

# 3.2.2.36 Mode.Parameter.Calibration.MeasInput

1, 2, diff.

Parameter for CAL: Selection of the measuring input. "diff." means differential amplifier, see page 115.

## 3.2.2.37 Mode.Parameter.Calibration.CalTemp

-20.0...**25.0**...120.0

Parameter for CAL: Calibration temperature in °C. If a Pt 100 or Pt1000 is connected, the temperature is measured.

3.2.2.38 Mode.Parameter.Calibration.Buffer.1.Value Mode.Parameter.Calibration.Buffer.2.Value etc. up to 9 buffers

-20.00...**7.00**... + 20.00 -20.00...**4.00**... + 20.00, OFF

Parameter for CAL: pH of buffers. The first buffer which is set to "OFF" determines the number of buffers in the calibration.

3.2.2.39 Mode.Parameter.Calibration.SignalDrift Mode.Parameter.Calibration.EquTime

0.5...**2**...999, OFF 0...**110**...9999, OFF

Parameter for CAL: Criteria for measured value acquisition. Measured value drift in mV/min, equilibration time in s. OFF means that the corresponding criterion is switched off. If both criterions are on OFF, the measured value is acquired immediately.

If the equilibration time has never been edited, it is automatically calculated by the instrument to match the drift, see page 26. After it has been edited once, it remains in force with the set value.

## 3.2.2.40 Mode.Parameter.Calibration.Electrodeld

up to 8 ASCII characters

Parameter for CAL: Electrode identification. It is classified under calibration data, see 3.2.2.63.

#### 3.2.2.41 Mode.Parameter.Calibration.SmplChanger

ON, OFF

Parameter for CAL: Calibration at sample changer.

With "ON", there are no hold points in the calibration sequence for entries, the first buffer is measured directly.

#### 3.2.2.42 Mode.Parameter.Calibration.ActPulse

first, all. OFF

Parameter for CAL: Output of a pulse on the I/O line "activate", see pages 120 and 121.

# 3.2.2.43 Config.PeriphUnit.CharSet

Epson, Seiko, Citizen, HP, IBM

Selection of the character set and the graphics control characters.

IBM means the IBM character set following character set table 437 and IBM graphics control characters. Select 'IBM' for work with the computer.

3.2.2.44 Config.PeriphUnit.Balance Config.PeriphUnit.Plot

Sartorius, Mettler, Mettler AT, AND, Precisa U, dU/dt, V, dV/dt, U(rel), T

Selection of the balance type and the signal for the output at the analog output.

3.2.2.45 Config.Aux.Language

english, deutsch, francais, espanol, portuguese, italiano, svenska

Selection of the dialog language.

3.2.2.46 **C**onfig.**A**ux.**S**et

Config.Aux.Set.Date Config.Aux.Set.Time \$G YYYY-MM-DD HH:MM

Date and time.

Input format of the date: Year-month-day, enter leading zeros.

Input format for the time: Hours:minutes, two-digit, enter leading zeros.

Date and time have to be set with &Config.Aux.Set \$G just after entry of the value.

# 3.2.2.47 Config.Aux.RunNo

0...9999

Current sample number.

Set to 0 on power on and initialisation. After 9999, counting starts again at 0.

#### 3.2.2.48 Config.Aux.AutoStart

1...9999, **OFF** 

Number of automatic, internal starts.

# 3.2.2.49 Config.Aux.StartDelay

0...999 999

Start delay time in s. During this time, the data of the preceding determination are retained.

# 3.2.2.50 Config.Aux.DevName

bis 8 ASCII-Zeichen

Name of the instrument for connections with several units. It is advisable to use only the letters A...Z (ASCII Nos 65...90), a...z (ASCII Nos 97...122) and the numbers 0...9 (ASCII Nos 48...57) when the function Setup.AutoInfo (3.2.2.90) is used at the same time.

### 3.2.2.51 Config.Aux.Prog

read only

Output of the program version.

The Titrino sends "702.0020" on requests with \$Q.

3.2.2.52 Config.RSSet

\$G

\$G sets all RS settings. The changes are performed only if the instrument is inactive. After the setting of the interface parameters, wait at least 2 s to allow the components to equilibrate.

3.2.2.53 Config.RSSet.Baud

300, 600, 1200, 2400, 4800, 9600

Config.RSSet.DataBit

1, 2

Config.RSSet.StopBit

even, odd, none

Config.RSSet.Parity
Config.RSSet.Handsh

HWs, HWf, SWchar, SWline, none

Settings of the values for the data transmission via the RS interface: baud rate, data bit, stop bit, parity and type of handshake, see also page 89 ff.

The setting of the values must be initiated with \$G immediately after entry of the values, see 3.2.2.52.

3.2.2.54 **C**onfig.**C**omVar.**C30** 

0... ± 999 999

etc. up to .C39

Values of the common variables C30 to C39. The common variables can either be entered or written directly from the experimental results of the methods, see 3.2.2.6.

3.2.2.55 SmplData.Status

ON, OFF

On/off switching of silo memory. When the silo memory is switched on, the sample data are fetched from the lowest valid silo line.

3.2.2.56 SmplData.OFFSilo.Id1

up to 8 ASCII characters

SmplData.OFFSilo.Id2

up to 8 ASCII characters

SmplData.OFFSilo.Id3

up to 8 ASCII characters

SmplData.OFFSilo.ValSmpl

6-digit number with sign and decimal point

SmplData.OFFSilo.UnitSmpl

up to 5 ASCII characters

Current sample data.

The identifications Id1...Id3 can be used in formulas as sample-specific calculation constants C21...C23. If "no unit" is desired for the unit of the sample size, the blank string must be entered.

3.2.2.57 SmplData.ONSilo.Counter.MaxLines

read only

SmplData.ON Silo. Counter. FirstLine

read only

SmplData.ONSilo.Counter.LastLine

read only

Information on silo memory.

.MaxLines: Maximum possible number of silo lines.

.FirstLine: Lowest valid silo line.

.LastLine: Last occupied silo line.

3.2.2.58 SmplData.ONSilo.EditLine.1.Method

SmplData.ONSilo.EditLine.1.Id1 SmplData.ONSilo.EditLine.1.Id2 SmplData.ONSilo.EditLine.1.Id3

SmplData.ONSilo.EditLine.1.ValSmpl SmplData.ONSilo.EditLine.1.UnitSmpl up to 8 ASCII characters 6-digit number with sign and decimal point

up to 5 ASCII characters

up to 8 ASCII characters

up to 8 ASCII characters

up to 8 ASCII characters

etc. up to .99

Contents of a silo line.

.Method: Method used to process the sample, from the method memory.

.ld: The identifications ld1...ld3 can also be used as sample-specific calculation constants

C21...C23 in formulas.

.UnitSmpl: If "no unit" is desired for the sample size, the blank string must be entered.

### 3.2.2.59 SmplData.ONSilo.DelLine

\$G

SmplData.ONSilo.DelLine.LineNum

1...99, OFF

Deletion of a silo line. The line # is deleted with &SmplData.ONSilo.DelLine \$G. If a formerly deleted line is edited again, it becomes valid (function "undelete").

# 3.2.2.60 SmplData.ONSilo.DelAll

\$G

Deletes the entire silo memory. Must be triggered with \$G.

# 3.2.2.61 SmplData.ONSilo.CycleLines

ON, OFF

Silo data cycling.

With "ON", executed lines are copied to the next free silo lines, see page 53. Exercise caution if you edit the silo memory during the determinations!

3.2.2.62 Info.**R**eport \$6

Info.Report.Select configuration, parameters, smpl data, statistics, silo, calib, C-fmla, def, user method, calc, full, short, ff, mplist, curve, all

\$G sends the selected report:

configuration: Configuration report. Is not accessible during a running determination.

parameters: Parameter report of the current method. During a running determination only "live"-

parameters are accessible.

smpl data: Current sample data.

statistics: Statistics table with the individual results.

silo: Contents of the silo memory.

cal.data: Calibration data of the measuring input in the current method.

C-fmla: Contents of the < C-fmla > key.

def: Contents of the < def > key.

user method: Contents of the method memory.

calc: Calculation report of the current method.

full: Full result report of the last completed determination. short: Short result report of the last completed determination.

ff: Form feed on printer.

mplist: Measuring point list of the running determination (with MET).

curve: Titration curve of the last determination (with MET).

all: All reports.

Reports which are sent from the Titrino are marked with space (ASCII32) and 'at the beginning. Then an individual identifier for each report follows. Reports which are triggered by RS232 (\$G) have the same introducer but without preceding space, i.e. they start with '.

3.2.2.63 Info.CalibrationData

Info.CalibrationData.Inp1.pHas Info.CalibrationData.Inp1.Slope Info.CalibrationData.Inp1.Temp Info.CalibrationData.Inp1.Date Info.CalibrationData.Inp1.Electrodeld \$G -20.00...**7.00**... + 20.00 -9.999...**1.000**... + 9.999 -170.0...**25.0**... + 500.0 read only read only

pH calibration data for measuring input 1. After the calibration, the data are entered automatically together with the date of the calibration and the electrode identification, see 3.2.2.40.

Calibration data can be entered. They are accepted with &Info.CalibrationData \$G. If calibration data are entered, the calibration date is deleted.

3.2.2.64 Info.Checksums

Info.Checksums.MPList Info.Checksums.ActualMethod

identical for .lnp2 and .Diff

\$G read only read only

The checksums can be used to identify the content of a file unequivocally, e.g. files with identical content have identical results of the checksums. An empty file has checksum "0". The calculation of the checksums is triggered with \$G.

.MPList: Result of the checksum of the current measuring point list.

.ActualMethod: Result of the checksum of the current method in the working memory. Identical

methods with different method names have the same results of the checksum.

3.2.2.65 Info.DetermData

Info.DetermData.Write

ON. OFF

\$G

Info.DetermData.ExV
Info.DetermData.MPList.1.Attribute

read only/read + write read only/read + write read only/read + write

Info. DetermData. MPList. 1.X Info. DetermData. MPList. 1.Y

for every measuring point

read only/read + write

Determination data in hexadecimal format. A measuring point list is available in mode MET. Recalculation of the measuring data is triggered with \$G.

.Write: With "ON" .MPList as well as the variables C4X , X = 0...5, in node &Info.TitrResults.Var

can be entered.

.Attribute: Attribute

.MPList.X: X coordinate, volume

.MPList.Y: Y coordinate, measured value

3.2.2.66 Info.TitrResults.RS.1.Value

read only

etc. up to .9

Info.TitrResults.EP.1.V Info.TitrResults.EP.1.Meas Info.TitrResults.EP.1.Mark read only read only

etc. up to .9

Info.TitrResults.Var.C40

read only/read + write

etc. up to .C47
.RS: Values of the calculated results.

.EP: Endpoints with MET and SET:

- Volume coordinate in mL, e.g. "1.234"
- Measured value coordinate in pH "5.12", mV (with U and Ipol) "-241" or µA (with Upol) "43.7".
- Marking in the case of MET with EP windows when more than 1 EP has been found per window: " + ". In regular operation or when no window has been set, a blank string "" is sent.

.Var: Various variables.

C40: Initial measured value in pH "5.12", mV (with U and Ipol) "-241", µA (with Upol) "43.7" or "C (withT) "25.0".

C41: Titration end volume with MET and SET in mL, "12.536".

C42: Titration time from start to end in s, "62".

C43: Volume drift on start of a SET titration from the conditioning in  $\mu$ L/min, "3.5".

C44: Titration temperature in °C, "23.2". Measured after the start and used for the temperature correction in pH measurements.

C45: Start volume with MET and SET in mL, "2.800".

C46: Asymmetry pH of CAL, "6.89".

C47: Relative electrode slope of CAL, "0.995".

# 3.2.2.67 Info.TitrResults.FixEP.51.Value

read only

etc. up to .59

Info.TitrResults.pK.61.Value

read only

etc. up to .69

Volume coordinate of the fix end points with MET in mL. C5X corresponds to the fix end point X, X = 1...9.

pK or HNP in mV with MET. C6X corresponds to the pKX or HNPX, X = 1...9.

# 3.2.2.68 Info.StatisticsVal.ActN Info.Statistics.1.Mean

read only read only

Info.Statistics.1.Std Info.Statistics.1.RelStd read only

etc. up to .9

The current values of the statistics calculation.

\$Q sends, e.g.

ActN: Current value of the individual results

"3"

Data for MN1:

Mean: Mean value (decimal places as in result)
Std: Standard deviation (1 decimal place more than in result)

"3.421" "0.0231"

Std: Standard deviation (1 decimal place more than in result) RelStd: Relative standard deviation (in %, 2 decimal places)

"0.14"

# 3.2.2.69 Info.ActualInfo.Inputs.Status

read only read only \$G

Info.Actualinfo.Inputs.Change Info.Actualinfo.Inputs.Clear Info.Actualinfo.Outputs.Status Info.Actualinfo.Outputs.Change Info.Actualinfo.Outputs.Clear

read only read only

Status sends the current status of the I/O lines, Change sends the information regarding whether a change in status of a line has taken place since the last clearing, Clear clears the change byte. For the output, the

byte is converted from binary to decimal, e.g.

Line No. 7 | 6 | 5Output:  $2^1 + 2^3 = "10"$ 

0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

1 means ON or change; 0 means OFF or no change.

The lines are assigned as follows (see also pages 118ff):

# Inputs: Outputs:

0	Start (pin 21)	0	Ready (pin 5)
1	Stop (pin 9)	1	Cond. ok (pin 18)
2	Enter (pin 22)	2	Titration (pin 4)
3	Clear (pin 10)	3	EOD (pin 17)
4	Smpl Ready (pin 23)	4	Freely selectable (pin 3)
5	pin 11	5	Error (pin 16)
6	pin 24	6	Activate (pin 1)
7	pin 12	7	Pulse for recorder (pin 2)

# 3.2.2.70 Info.ActualInfo.Assembly.CyclNo

read only

\$Q sends the current cycle number of the voltage measurement cycle, e.g. "127". From the cycle number and the cycle time (see 3.2.2.76), a time frame can be set up.

The cycle number is set to 0 on switching on the instrument and it is always incremented as long as the instrument remains switched on.

# 3.2.2.71 Info.ActualInfo.Assembly.Counter.V Info.ActualInfo.Assembly.Counter.Clear

read only \$G

\$Q sends the volume. With the function \$Info.Assembly.Counter.Clear \$G, the volume counter is set to zero.

# 3.2.2.72 Info.ActualInfo.Assembly.PistonPos Info.ActualInfo.Assembly.Meas

read only read only

Piston position and measured value in mV from assembly. Piston position:

0 = initial position (filled) 10 000 = end position (empty)

# 3.2.2.73 Info.ActualInfo.Titrator.CyclNo

read only read only read only

Info.ActualInfo.Titrator.V Info.ActualInfo.Titrator.Meas Info.ActualInfo.Titrator.dVdt Info.ActualInfo.Titrator.dMeasdt Info.ActualInfo.Titrator.dMeasdV Info.ActualInfo.Titrator.ERC

read only read only read only read only

\$Q sends the current values in the following formats:

	MET	SET	MEAS	CAL
Cycle number	127	127	127	127
Volume (ml)	1.2345	1.2345	NV	NV
Meas.value: pH U, lpol (mV) Upol (uA) T (°C)	3.456 -345.6 -12.5 -	-345.6 (mV) -345.6 -12.5	3.456 -345.6 -12.5 25.0	3.456 - - -
Volume drift (ul/s)	NV	2.5	NV	NV
Meas.value- pH, U, lpol (mV/s) drift: Upol (uA/s) T (°C/s)	0.7 0.7 –	0.7 0.7 -	0.7 0.7 0.7	0.7 - -
1st derivative (mV/ul)	NV	10.6326	NV	NV
ERC	NV	NV	NV	NV

NV: Not valid. If the signal drift is OFF in modes MET, MEAS, and CAL, the signal drift is NV. OV will be sent for "overrange".

A time frame can be set up from the cycle number and the cycle time (see 3.2.2.76). The cycle number is set to 0 at the start of a method and it is incremented until the end of the method.

3.2.2.74 Info.ActualInfo.MeasPt.Index

read only read only Info.Actualinfo.MeasPt.X read only Info.ActualInfo.MeasPt.Y read only Info.ActualInfo.EP.Index read only Info.Actualinfo.EP.X read only Info.ActualInfo.EP.Y

\$Q sends the last entry into the measuring point list (.MeasPt) with MET or the last entry into the list of EP's with MET and SET.

&Info.ActualInfo.EP \$Q sends e.g.

EP1 .lndex"1"

Volume coordinate of the EP ..X"1.234"

Measured value coordinate of the EP ..Y"5.34"

3.2.2.75 Info.ActualInfo.Display.L1

Info.ActualInfo.Display.L2

up to 24 ASCII characters up to 24 ASCII characters

1st or 2nd line of the display. The display can be written to from the computer.

The display is not operated by the Titrino if 'Setup.Lock.Display' is set to ON, see 3.2.2.84.

\$Q sends the contents of the corresponding display line.

3.2.2.76 Info. Assembly. Cycle Time

read only

Info.Assembly.ExV

read only

Inquiries regarding basic variables of the assembly: Cycle time in s, volume of the Exchange Unit in mL.

3.2.2.77 Assembly.Bur.Rates.Forward.Selected

digital, analog 0...150, max.

Assembly.Bur.Rates.Forward.Digital Assembly.Bur.Rates.Reverse.Selected

digital, analog

Assembly.Bur.Rates.Reverse.Digital

0...150, max.

Expel and aspirating rate.

Digital or analog control. With digital control, the inputted value applies (in mL/min). "max." means maximum possible rate with the Exchange Unit in current use.

Analog means rate control with the analog potentiometer on the Titrino.

3.2.2.78 Assembly.Bur.Fill

\$G, \$H, \$C

\$G starts the 'FILL' mode of the burette function.

Assembly.Bur.Rates.ModeDis 3.2.2.79

\$G, \$S, \$H, \$C

Assembly.Bur.Rates.ModeDis.Selected Assembly.Bur.Rates.ModeDis.V Assembly.Bur.Rates.ModeDis.Time

volume, time 0.0001...**0.1**...9999

Assembly.Bur.Rates.ModeDis.VStop Assembly.Bur.Rates.ModeDis.AutoFill

0.25...1...86400 0.0001...9999, OFF

ON, OFF

Dispensing mode with parameters. The dispensing mode can only be started and stopped via the RS Control. During a running dosification, no method can be started at the Titrino.

Dispensing of volume increments or during a preset time. .Selected:

Size of the volume increments or entry of time. .Volume, .Time:

Limit volume for the dispensing. .VStop:

.AutoFill: ON means automatic filling after every dispensing. 3.2.2.80 Assembly. Meas. Status

Assembly.Meas.MeasInput

Assembly.Meas.lpol

Assembly.Meas.Upol

ON, **OFF**1, 2, Diff., Ipol, Upol, Temp
-127...1... + 127
-1270...**400**... + 1270

active, inactive, pulse, OFF

Measurement in assembly. The measuring function can only be started via RS Control. When the measuring function is switched on, no method can be started at the Titrino.

.Input: Selection of the potentiometric measuring input 1, 2, diff., polarized electrodes or temperature.

.lpol: Polarisation current in µA.

.Upol: Polarisation potential in mV, entry in steps of 10 mV.

3.2.2.81 Assembly.Outputs.AutoEOD

Assembly.Outputs.SetLines

Assembly.Outputs.SetLines.L1

up to L3

Assembly.Outputs.ResetLines

\$G

ON, OFF

Setting the I/O output lines.

.AutoEOD: The automatic output of the EOD (End of Determination) at the end of the determination

can be switched off. Thus, for example, in conjunction with a sample changer several determinations can be performed in the same beaker. Before AutoEOD is switched on, line

2 must be set to "OFF".

.SetLines: With \$G, lines 1 and 2 are set.

.SetLines.L1: Set the freely forcible line 1. "active" means setting of a static signal, "inactive" means

resetting of the signal, "pulse" means output of a pulse of app. 150 ms, "OFF" means the

line is not operated, see also page 120.

.SetLines.L2: Line of EOD. Exercise caution in combinations with AutoEOD "ON": A statically active line

2 is set by the EOD pulse to "inactive".

.ResetLines: Lines 1 and 2 are set to the inactive status (=high).

#### 3.2.2.82 Setup. Keycode

ON. OFF

ON means the key code of a key pressed on the Titrino is outputted. The key code comprises 2 ASCII characters; table of the keys with their code, see page 99. A keystroke of key 11 is sent as follows:

The beginning of the message is marked by a space (ASCII 32).

3.2.2.83 Setup.Tree.Short

Setup.Tree.ChangedOnly

ON, OFF

ON, OFF

Definition of the type of answer to \$Q. Enables rapid data transfer.

.Short: With "ON", each path is sent with only the necessary amount of characters in order to

be unequivocal (printed in bold in this manual).

A combination of .Short and .ChangedOnly is not possible.

.ChangedOnly: Sends only the changed values, i.e. values which ave been edited. All paths are sent

absolute, i.e. from the root &. ChangedOnly works properly in the following branches

of the tree: &Mode &User

&User &Config &SmplData

A combination of .Short and .ChangedOnly is not possible.

# 3.2.2.84 **Setup.Tra**ce

ON, OFF

The Titrino automatically reports when a value has been confirmed with < enter > at the Titrino. Message, e.g.:

&SmplData.OFFSilo.ld1"Trace"

The beginning of the message is marked by a space (ASCII 32).

ON, OFF 3.2.2.85 Setup.Lock.Keyboard ON, OFF Setup.Lock.Config ON, OFF Setup.Lock.Parameter ON, OFF Setup.Lock.SmplData ON, OFF Setup.Lock.UserMeth.Recall ON, OFF Setup.Lock.UserMeth.Store ON, OFF Setup.Lock.UserMeth.Delete ON, OFF Setup.Lock.Display

ON means disable the corresponding function: Disable all keys of the Titrino .Keyboard: Disable the < configuration > key .Config: Disable the < cparameter > key .Parameter: Disable the < smpl data > key .SmplData: .UserMeth.Recall: Disable "recall" in <user meth > key

Disable "store" in <user meth > key .UserMeth.Store: .UserMeth.Delete: Disable "delete" in <user meth > key

Disable the display, i.e. it will not be written to by the device program of the Titrino and .Display:

can be operated from the computer.

#### 3.2.2.86 Setup.Mode.StartWait Setup.Mode.FinWait

ON, OFF ON, OFF

ON means the automatic transmission of measured values (see 3.2.2.88 and 3.2.2.89) in .SendStatus:

the inputted interval is active.

Time interval (in s) for the automatic transmission of associated measured values defined .Interval:

under points 3.2.2.88 and 3.2.2.89. The inputted value is rounded off to a multiple of 0.08. The smallest possible time interval depends on the number of measured values which have

to be sent, on the baud rate, on the load on the interface and on the type of device connection.

With "MPList" the measured values are sent at the time of their entry into the measured

point list (in mode MET; in the modes SET, MEAS, CAL nothing is being sent).

The automatic transmission is switched on/off with 'SendStatus'.

#### Setup.SendMeas.SendStatus 3.2.2.86

ON. OFF

Setup.SendMeas.Interval

0.08...4...16200, MPList

Holding points in the method sequence. With "ON", the method stops until "OFF" is sent. Switching the instrument on sets both nods to "OFF".

Stops right after starting the method (after AutoInfo !".T.GC") .StartWait:

Stops at the end of the method (after AutoInfo !"T.F") .FinWait:

#### Setup.SendMeas.Select 3.2.2.88

Assembly, Titrator

Setup.SendMeas.Assembly.CyclNo Setup.SendMeas.Assembly.V

ON. OFF ON, OFF

Setup.SendMeas.Assembly.Meas

ON, OFF

Selection of the values from Assembly for the output in the set time interval (see 3.2.2.86):

Cycle number of the potential measurement. Together with the cycle time (3.2.2.75), a time .CyclNo:

frame can be set up.

The cycle number is set to 0 on switching on the instrument and it is always incremented as

long as the instrument remains switched on.

.V: Volume

Measured value associated to the cycle number. .Meas:

The unit "assembly" must be preset (see 3.2.2.87).

3.2.2.89	Setup.SendMeas.Titrator.CyclNo	ON, <b>OFF</b>
3.2.2.03	Setup.SendMeas.Titrator.V	ON, <b>OFF</b>
	Setup.SendMeas.Titrator.Meas	ON, <b>OFF</b>
	Setup.SendMeas.Titrator.dVdt	ON, OFF
	Setup.SendMeas.Titrator.dMeasdt	ON. OFF
		ON. OFF
	Setup.SendMeas.Titrator.dMeasdV	014, 011

Selection of the values from the titrator which are sent in the set time interval (see 3.2.2.86, formats see 3.2.2.73):

.CyclNo:

Cycle number. Together with the cycle time (3.2.2.75), a time frame can be set up. The other data belong to the corresponding cycle number. The cycle number is set to 0 at the

start of a method and it is incremented until the end of the method.

associated volume. .V:

associated measured value. .Meas: associated volume drift. .dVdt:

associated measured value drift. .dMeasdt:

associated1st derivative of the titration curve. .dMeasdV:

The unit "titrator" must be preset (see 3.2.2.87).

3.2.2.90	Setup.AutoInfo.P Setup.AutoInfo.P Setup.AutoInfo.T.R Setup.AutoInfo.T.G Setup.AutoInfo.T.GC Setup.AutoInfo.T.S Setup.AutoInfo.T.B Setup.AutoInfo.T.F Setup.AutoInfo.T.E Setup.AutoInfo.T.H Setup.AutoInfo.T.C Setup.AutoInfo.T.C Setup.AutoInfo.T.N Setup.AutoInfo.T.N Setup.AutoInfo.T.N Setup.AutoInfo.T.N Setup.AutoInfo.T.Si Setup.AutoInfo.T.M Setup.AutoInfo.T.M Setup.AutoInfo.T.M Setup.AutoInfo.T.RC Setup.AutoInfo.T.RC Setup.AutoInfo.T.RC	ON, OFF ON, OFF
	Setup.AutoInfo.O	ON, <b>OFF</b>

ON means that the Titrino reports automatically the moment the corresponding change occurs.

Global switch for all set AutoInfo. .Status:

PowerOn: Simulation of power on. Not from mains. P.

Messages from node .T, Titrator: .T.R Ready: Status 'Ready' has been reached.

Go: Instrument has been started. .T.G

Go Command: Right after the Go command. .T.GC

Stop: Status 'Stop' has been reached. .T.S

Begin of titration. .T.B

Final: End of determination, the final steps will be carried out. .T.F Error. Message together with error number, see page 64. .T.E

Hold: Status 'Hold' has been reached. H.T.

Continue: Continue after hold. .T.C

Conditioning OK in SET with conditioning. .T.0 Conditioning Not OK in SET with conditioning. .T.N

Request: In the inquiry of an identification or the sample size after start of titration. .T.Re SiloEmpty: Silo empty, i.e. the last line has been removed from the silo memory. .T.Si

MeasList: Entry in the measuring point list (with MET). .T.M

EPList: Entry into EP list (with MET and SET) .T.EP

Recalculation of results. .T.RC

Messages for changements in the I/O lines. If the changements are made simultaneously, there is 1 message. Pulses receive 2 messages: one message each for line active and inactive.

.I Input: Change of an input line.

.O Output: Change of an output line (except 7, pin 2, for recorder pulses).

If a change occurs that requires a message, the Titrino sends space (ASCII 32) and ! as an introducer. This is followed by the name of the device (see 3.2.2.50). Special ASCII characters in the device name are ignored. If no device name has been entered, only ! is sent. Finally the Titrino sends the information which node has triggered the message.

Example: !John".T.Si": The message was triggered from instrument "John", node .T.Si

3.2.2.91 **Setup.Graphics.Grid** 

Setup.Graphics.Frame Setup.Graphics.Scale Setup.Graphics.Recorder.Right Setup.Graphics.Recorder.Feed ON, OFF Full, Auto 0.2...0.5...1.00 0.01...0.05...1.00

ON. OFF

Change in the appearance and the format of the curve for the output:

.Grid: On/off switching of grid over curve.

.Frame: On/off switching of frame surrounding the curve. If grid and frame are switched off, the curve is printed faster as the print head does not have to move to the end of the paper.

.Scale: Type of scaling of the measured value axis:

Full means that the scale runs from the smallest up to the greatest measured point. With auto, the smallest measured value is taken and the next smaller tick defines the beginning of the scale; the next greater tick to the greatest measured value is the end of the scale.

.Right: Relative specification of the width of the output medium (e.g. paper width) for the length of the measured value axis. 1 means the measured value axis is plotted over the entire width of the paper (largest possible width). In extrme cases, the writing of the right tick may lie outside.

Feed: Length of the volume axis referred to the burette cylinder volume, V(B) per cm (0.1 means, e.g. 1 mL/cm with a 10 mL Exchange Unit). Depending on the printer, the measure in cm may

not always be correct.

The settings can be made without a PC:

Press < configuration > key on switching on the instrument.

# 3.2.2.92 Setup.PowerOn

\$G

Simulation of 'power on'. The device has the same status as after power on: The cylinder is filled, error messages deleted and the current sample number set to 0. The method last used is ready for operation.

3.2.2.93 Setup.Initialise

\$G

Setup.Initialise.Select

ActMeth, Silo, Calib, Config, Assembly, Setup, All

Setting of default values for the following areas:

ActMeth: Current method. Parameters, calculations, and assignments for the data output, operands

C01...C19.

Silo: The silo memory is deleted. Same function as delete entire silo.

Calib: pH calibration data for all measuring inputs.

Config: All values under &Config.
Assembly: All values under &Assembly.
Setup: All values under &Setup.

All: Values of the entire tree (except silo and method memory).

The action must be triggered with &Setup.Initalise \$G.

# 3.2.2.94 Setup.RamInit

\$G

Initialises instrument as in the diagnosis, see page 106. All parameters are set to their default value and error messages are cleared.

# 3.3. Characteristics of the RS232 interface

# 3.3.1 Data transfer protocol

The Titrino is configured as DTE (Data Terminal Equipment).

The RS232 interface has the following technical specifications:

Data interface in accordance with the RS 232C standard. RS parameters can be selected, see page 19.

Max. line length:

80 characters + CR LF

Control characters:

C<sub>R</sub> (ASCII DEC 13) L<sub>F</sub> (ASCII DEC 10)

XON (ASCII DEC 17) XOFF (ASCII DEC 19)

Cable length:

max. ca. 15 m

	Start	7 or 8 data bit	parity bit	1 or 2 stop bit
_		L		

For interconnections of the Titrino with non-Metrohm units, only a shielded data cable (e.g. METROHM D.104.0201) may be used. The cable shielding must be faultlessly earthed at both units (pay attention to current loops; always use star-head earthing). Only connectors with adequate shielding may be used (e.g. METROHM K.210.0001 with K.210.9004).

# 3.3.2 Handshake

## 3.3.2.1 Software handshake, SWChar

Handshake inputs at the Titrino (CTS, DSR, DCD) are not checked.

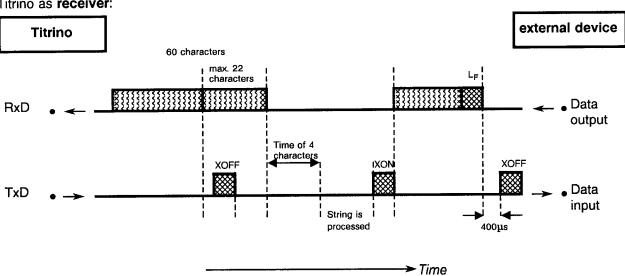
Handshake outputs (DTR, RTS) are set by the Titrino.

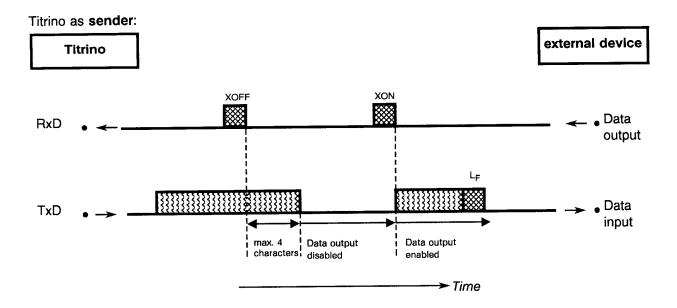
As soon as a LF is recognised, the Titrino sends XOFF. It can then receive 6 extra characters and store them.

However, the Titrino also sends XOFF if its input buffer contains 60 characters. After this, it can receive maximum 22 extra characters (incl. L<sub>F</sub>).

If the transmission is interrupted for the time of 4 characters after the Titrino has sent XOFF, the string received earlier is processed even if no LF has been sent.

### Titrino as receiver:

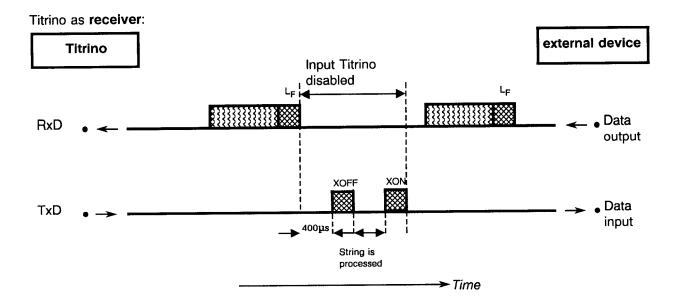


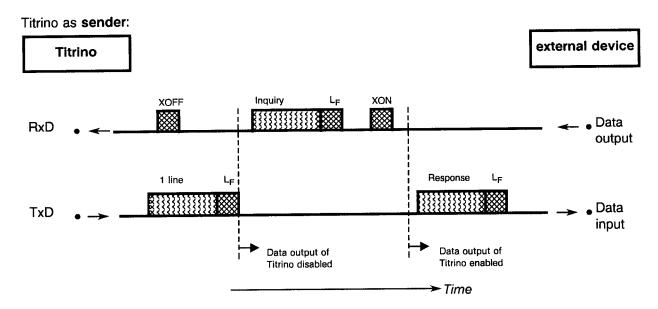


# 3.3.2.2 Software-Handshake, SWline

Handshake inputs at the Titrino (CTS, DSR, DCD) are not checked. Handshake outputs (DTR, RTS) are set by the Titrino.

The Titrino is equipped with an input buffer that can accommodate a string of up to 80 characters +  $C_RL_F$ . As soon as an  $L_F$  is recognised, the Titrino sends XOFF. After this, it can receive maximum 6 extra characters and store them. The string sent previously is now processed by the Titrino. Afterwards, the Titrino sends XON and is again ready to receive.

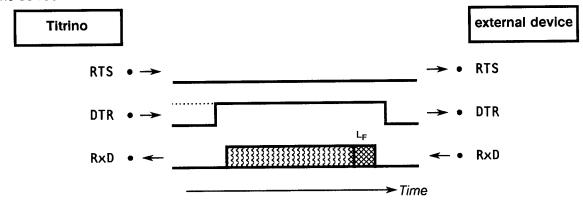




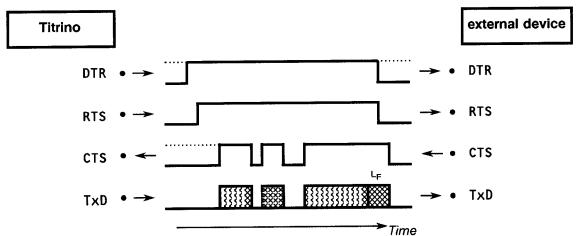
The transmission of the Titrino can be stopped by the external device with XOFF. After receipt of XOFF, the Titrino completes transmission of the line already started. If the data output is disabled for more than 3 s by XOFF, E43 appears in the display.

# 3.3.2.3 Hardware handshake, HWs

Titrino as receiver:



Titrino as sender:

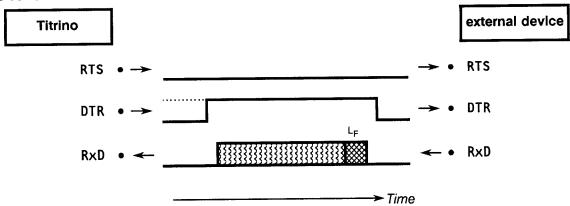


The data flow can be interrupted by deactivation of the CTS line.

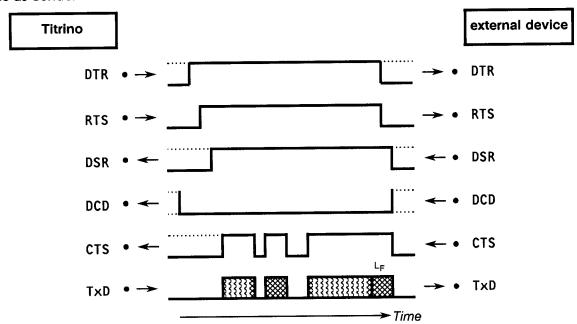
# Hardware handshake, HWf

All handshake inputs are checked at the Titrino, handshake outputs are set.

# Titrino as receiver:

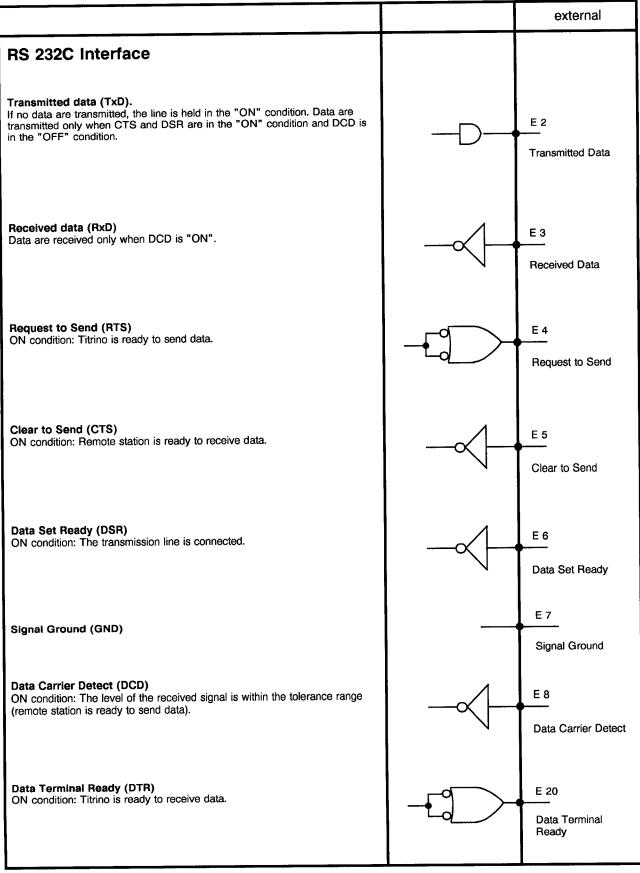


# Titrino as sender:



The data flow can be interrupted by deactivation of the CTS line.

# 3.3.3 Pin assignment



RS 232C (continued)	
1	
Protective earth Direct connection from cable connector to protective earth of instrument.	
Polarity allocation of the signals  Data lines (TxD, RxD) Voltage negative (<-3 V): signal status "ONE" Voltage positive (> + 3 V): signal status "ZERO"  Control or message lines (CTS, DSR, DCD, RTS, DTR) Voltage negative (<-3 V): OFF status Voltage positive (> + 3 V): ON status  In the transition region from + 3 V to - 3 V the signal status is undefined.	
Driver 14C88  In compliance with EIA RS 232C specification  Receiver 14C89	
Contact arrangement at connector (female) for RS 232 C socket (male)	
Ordering numbers: View from solder side of K.210.9004 und K.210.0001 connector	

# 3.4 What can you do if the data transfer does not work?

Problem	Questions for remedial action
No characters can be received on a connected printer	<ul> <li>Are the instruments and the connection cables plugged in properly?</li> <li>Is the printer set to "on-line"?</li> <li>Are baud rate, data bit and parity settings the same for both devices?</li> <li>Is the handshake set properly?</li> <li>If everything appears to be in order, try to print out a report with the key sequence <pri>printed out correctly, check whether under the key <def>, &gt; report a report is preselected.</def></pri></li> </ul>
No data transmission occurs and the display of the Titrino shows an error message	<ul> <li>E40-42: Transmission error. Is the cable used properly wired and connected? Is the printer switched on and set to "on-line"?</li> <li>E43: Data output of the Titrino disabled for longer than 3 s by XOFF.</li> <li>E36-39: Receive error. Are the settings of the RS232 data transmission parameters the same for both devices?</li> </ul>
The received characters are garbled	<ul> <li>Are the data bit and the parity settings the same for both devices?</li> <li>Is the baud rate setting the same for both devices?</li> <li>Has the correct printer been selected?</li> <li>Data transfer has been interrupted on the hardware side during the printout of a curve. Re-establish connections and switch printer off/on.</li> </ul>
Wrong line spacing	The printout of a curve has been interrupted with <quit>. After the next completely finished curve printout, the line spacing will be okay again or switch printer off/on.</quit>
Printout of titration curve is not ok. Other reports are printed ok	<ul> <li>Handshake is necessary for the printout of a titration curve.</li> <li>Is your cable correctly wired? (The DTR of the printer has to be connected to the CTS of the Titrino.)</li> <li>Set "HWs" for the handshake at the Titrino. Configure the printer such that its DTR is set (normally with DIP switches).</li> </ul>

# 4. Error messages, troubleshooting

"Clicking" of the Cause: Stopcock switch mechanism bouncing.

Exchange Unit Press the stopcock switch lever manually into the end position. Do not rotate the

stopcock when the SM Titrino is switched on!

Data transfer inoperative See measures on page 94A.

# 4.1 Error and special messages

XXX bytes missing XXX more bytes are needed to store a method or a silo line.

Exit: <QUIT>. Delete methods no longer needed or use fewer silo lines.

check electrode With polarized electrodes. There is a break or short circuit. Possible causes and rec-

tification of the fault:

the electrode is not plugged in → plug it in

- the electrode is not immersed in the solution → immerse it

- the electrode is defective → use new electrode.

The electrode test can be switched off under the parameters > key, ">titration pa-

rameters" or ">measuring parameters", see pages 22, 31 and 38.

Exit: Rectify fault or <STOP>.

check exchange unit The Exchange Unit is not mounted (properly).

Exit: Mount Exchange Unit (properly) so that the coupling engages.

check temp.sensor In MEAS T, no temperature sensor has been connected.

Exit: Connect Pt100 or Pt1000 or <STOP>.

data set reevaluation

Reevaluation of titration data which have been recharged into the Titrino.

division by zero

The result could not be calculated as a divisor in the formula was equal to zero.

Exit: Enter appropriate value.

EP overflow In a

In a MET titration, more than 9 EP's have been found. The first 9 EP's are listed.

Corrective measure: Recalculate data with higher EP crit.

manual stop

The determination has been terminated manually.

meas.pt list overflow

In MET titrations, maximum 500 measured points can be stored. Corrective measure: Use start V or add larger volume increments.

missing EP
missing fix EP

An EP needed in a formula for calculation purposes is missing. In a formula, a fix EP is required which has not been defined.

No.EP not corresponding

In an MET titration, the number of EP's actually found does not match the set wind-

ows: Exactly 1 EP per window has not been found.

no EP set

In a SET titration, no EP has been set.

Exit: <STOP> and set EP.

no method

The method required by the sample data from the silo memory is not available in the

method memory.

Exit: < clear > .

no new com.var.

The common variable could not be assigned as the result or the mean value could

not be calculated. The old value is retained.

no new mean

No new mean value has been calculated as at least one result of this determination

designated for mean value calculations could not be calculated.

no titration data

In a MET titration, no curve can be printed out as no titration data are available.

not valid

Value not existing.

outside

In a MET titration, the set fix EP is outside the measurement range.

overrange

The measurement range of  $\pm 2$  V has been exceeded.

Exit: Rectify error, <STOP > or <meas/hold >.

same buffer

In the calibration routine, the potential difference between the first and the second

buffer is < 6 mV.

Exit: <QUIT> and change buffer or <STOP> (stop calibration).

silo empty

The silo memory is switched on and empty and a titration has been started. Corrective measure: Fill at least 1 silo line before you start the first titration.

Exit: < clear > .

silo full The silo memory is full.

Corrective measure: If you have assigned less than 99 silo lines, you can create mo-

re space by deleting old methods you no longer need. 1 silo li-

ne requires 72 ... 78 bytes.

Exit: <clear>.

stop EP reached A MET titration has been terminated as the stop criterion "stop EP" has been rea-

ched.

stop meas.val.reached A MET titration has been terminated as the stop measured value pH, U or I has been

reached.

stop time reached A SET titration, (pH) stat, has been terminated as the stop time has been reached.

stop V reached The titration has been terminated as the stop volume has been reached.

system error 3 Instrument adjustment data have been overwritten.

Exit: <clear>. Standard adjustment data are set. The error message appears after

every switching on of the instrument until it is re-adjusted (Metrohm service).

wrong sample In a SET titration with preset titration direction (or with 2 set EP's), the first measured

value is already past the end point.

# Error messages in connection with the data transfer

If neither a computer nor a printer is connected, the report output at the end of the titration must be switched off:

Receive errors:

E36 Parity Stop bit S

E38 Overrun error. At least 1 character could not be read.

Exit: <QUIT>

The receive buffer of the SM Titrino is full (>82 characters).

Exit: <QUIT>

Send errors:

E40 DSR = OFF No proper handshake for 1 s or longer.

E41 DCD = ON  $\Rightarrow$  Exit: < QUIT >

E42 CTS = OFF Is the receiver switched on and ready to recei-

ve?

The transmission of the SM Titrino has been interrupted with XOFF for at least 3 s.

Exit: <QUIT>.

The RS interface parameters are no longer the same for both devices. Reset.

E45 The receive buffer of the SM Titrino contains an incomplete character string (LF

missing). Transmission of the SM Titrino is thus blocked.

Exit: Send L<sub>F</sub> or < QUIT >.

# 4.2 Diagnosis (for 5.702.001X Program)

The SM Titrino is a very precise and reliable instrument. Thanks to its rugged construction it is virtually impossible for external mechanical or electrical influences to have an adverse effect on its functions.

Although the occasional fault in the instrument can not be excluded completely, it is certainly much more likely that malfunctions are caused by wrong operation or handling or through improper connections and operation with non-Metrohm instruments.

It is thus advisable in each case to isolate the fault with the rapid and easy to perform diagnostic tests. The customer thus need not call METROHM service until there is a true fault in the instrument. In addition, with the aid of the numbering in the diagnostic program he can provide the service engineer with much more accurate information.

In inquiries always quote the manufacturing (page 3) and program number (see configuration, page 18) and specify possible error displays.

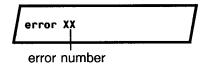
#### **Procedure**

- The diagnostic steps must be performed in sequence and compared with the reactions of the 702
   SM Titrino (indented). In the "yes" case, continue with the next instruction.
- If the instrument does not show the expected reaction ("no" case), the appropriate diagnostic step
  must be repeated to exclude an operating error. With repeated wrong reactions, however, there is a
  strong possibility that a malfunction exists.
- The diagnostic steps marked with a triangle (≥) allow re-entry into the test routine for repetition if the following display appears:

If the instrument is in a subprogram of the diagnostic routine: Press the <clear > key.

If need be, switch the power off then on again after a few seconds. At the same time press key "9" until the above display appears.

- If the <clear> key is pressed during the display of 'diagnose press key 0...9', the instrument jumps back into the user program.
- Error display: An error is shown in the display as follows:



 If a fault causes the burette drive to stick at the top or bottom end of the cylinder, see point 13, page 104.

# **Equipment required:**

- voltage calibrator, e.g. Metrohm pH Simulator 642<sup>1</sup>
- Highly insulated interconnection cable 6.2108.060
- Resistor switch-box, class 0.1% (or resistor 14.3 k 0.1%)
- 3.496.5070 Cable<sup>2</sup>
- Exchange Units, if possible with different cylinder volumes (or 3.496.0070 Dummy Exchange Unit)
- Stop watch or watch with second hand
- 6.2132.010 Keypad
- Digital or analog voltmeter (if need be, connect a calibrated recorder)

Necessary only if external functions should also be checked:

- 3.496.8510 Test Plug (at 'Remote' connector)
- 3.496.8480 Test Plug (at 'RS 232' connector)

# ▶ 1. Prepare instruments for diagnostic test

Power off

Disconnect all external connections (cables at rear) except mains cable and keypad.

Remove Exchange Unit

Power on and immediately press and hold the <9> key until the powerup test pattern disappears.

diagnose press key 0...9

# **>** 2. Perform display test

Press <2>

display test

Press <enter>.

After the <enter> key has been pressed, characters for a visual check of the display are generated on both lines.

Test sequence:

- Display is cleared and overwritten from the left with a dot pattern.
- Display is cleared and both lines are written into with the letters A, B, C...Z.
- The complete character set (see Fig. 4-1) is shown as a moving display. At the same time
  with the moving display, the LED lamps 'statistics' and 'silo' are switched on and off.

The test sequence can be held at any time with the <5> key and then continued.

Block 2 is quit with the <clear > key.

<sup>1</sup> If no suitable voltage calibrator is available: Use any stable voltage source and connect a precise DVM in parallel.

If no suitable cable is available: Remove indicator electrode from cell. Connect switch-box or resistor combination with laboratory cable and test clips carefully to the platinum wires of the indicator electrode. (Warning: Do not bend platinum wire!)

Fig. 4-1: Character set

# ≥ 3. Keypad test

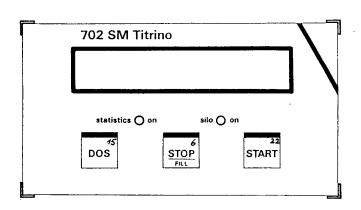
Press <1>

keys test

Press < enter >

keys test matrix code

If any key is now pressed (on the 6.2132.010 Keypad or on the front panel of the 702), the appropriate matrix code appears in the display (0...31).



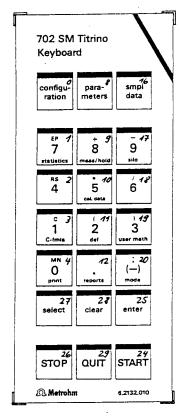


Fig. 4-2 Matrix code table

Block 1 is quit by pressing the <clear > key twice.

#### ≥ 4. Cylinder code, date, time

Press < 0 >

date/time cylinder code

Press <enter>

date XX-XX-XX<sup>1</sup> XX:XX:27<sup>2</sup>
check exchange unit

Check date and time. If deviations are found, enter new date and/or time, see page 17 and 18. Insert Exchange Unit (or dummy)

date XX-XX-XX<sup>1</sup> XX:XX:XX<sup>2</sup> code: XX m1<sup>3</sup>

For the sake of completeness, different Exchange Units can be inserted to verify their ml code.

If desired, the Exchange Unit can be removed again.

Press < clear >

diagnose press key 0...9

# >> 5. Check analog output

A voltage can be set at the analog output (sockets at D) using the keypad. But this should not exceed  $\pm 2000$  mV. This voltage can also be used for the calibration of a connected recorder.

Connect a voltage measuring instrument (voltmeter, DVM, recorder) to the analogue output(14)

Press key <3>

analog output-1 test

<enter>

analog output-1 test
V-out = XX<sup>4</sup> mV

Enter a voltage value in the range (±)2000 mV using the keypad. After the <enter> key has been pressed, this value appears as a voltage at the analog output.

Read off value on the connected voltmeter and compare with the mV value on the display. (Tolerance  $\pm 2$  mV)

Exit: < QUIT >

Disconnect voltmeter.

- 1 acurrent date
- 2 current time
- 3 Check that mL code of Exchange unit used is displayed
- 4 This value is incidental, but can be accepted with <enter>.

#### ≫ 6. Motortimertest

<6>

motor-timer test

<enter>

pot.meter dV/dt  $\rightarrow$  10 ?

Turn knob 'dV/dt' to the right stop

<enter>

motor-timer test

Test sequence

- In a first step, the frequency of the RC oscillator (analog rate) is tested over a period of 1 second.
- In a second step, the frequency of the quartz oscillator (digital rate) is tested over a period of 1 second.

After ca. 3 s, the text 'o.k' appears in the display.

<clear>

diagnose press key 0...9

### > 7. Analog input test

Press <7>

analog input test 1...5

### 7.1 Examination of highly insulated measuring inputs

Connect 'Ind I' measuring input (11) to a voltage calibrator (e.g. Metrohm 642 pH simulator) by means of a highly insulated cable (e.g. 6.2108.060). Set calibrator to 0 V.

<1>

Input 1 0.0 mV

Tolerance: ± 0.5 mV

Set the calibrator voltage to different values (e.g. + 1500 mV) and compare with the displayed value.

Tolerance (with ±1500 ÷ 2000 mV) ±1 mV

(Be aware of the calibrator's tolerance.)

Set simulator to high ohmic condition (with 642 = 1000 M $\Omega$ ).

The displayed reading may vary slightly only (with 1500 mV ≤1 mV)

<clear>

analog input test 1...5

Disconnect simulator from 'Ind I' input and connect to 'Ind II' input (11):

<2>

Carry out the same measurements as with Input I and compare the displayed value.

<clear>

Short-circuit input 'Ind I' (e.g. with cable 3.496.5070)

<3>

The differencial voltage between inputs 'Ind I' and 'Ind II' is displayed.

Example: 0 - (+)1500 mV = -1500 mV

<clear>

### 7.2 To check Pt 100 / 1000 connection

Connect a Pt 100 or Pt 1000 sensor, a resistor switch-box or a single resistor of 100  $\Omega$  or 1 k $\Omega$ , respectively, to sockets 'Pt 100/1000' (12) by means of short cables.

<4>

Tolerance: ±0.5 °C

(Note also tolerance of resistor switch-box.)

The sensor allows automatic displaying of the room temperature. (The resistances correspond to  $0 \, ^{\circ}\text{C}$ .)

<clear>

Remove resistor switch-box.

#### 7.3 Polarizer test

Press <5>

Polarizer test

<enter>

dummy resistor 14.3 k $\Omega$ ?

Connect resistor switch-box (or suitable resistor 14.3 k /0.1%) using 3.496.5070 Cable<sup>3</sup> to 'Pol' socket(10). Switch-box to 14.3 k.

<enter>

polarizer test ——An asterisk flashes during the test

The test runs automatically. If no error is found, after about 15 s 'polarizer test o.k' appears. If not, an error message appears. (If the switch-box is not connected, Error 100 appears.)

Iln case of an error: depress < clear > several times until all error numbers are indicated.

<clear>

analog input test 1...5

<clear>

diagnose press key 0...9

Remove cable and resistor switch-box.

### ≫ 8. External inputs and outputs

This test is meaningful only if the 702 SM-Titrino is used interconnected with other instruments via the 'Remote' connection. In addition, a 3.496.8510 Test Plug normally used in the repair service is required for this test. However, this plug can also be purchased by customers under the above number.

For the sake of completeness, the procedure is described here. (If a diagnostic test of the external inputs and outputs is not required, continue with point 9.)

	Plug 3.49	6.8510	
PIN	PIN	PIN	PIN
1 ——	_ 24	5 ——	
2 ——	<b>–</b> 12	9 ——	18
3 ——	23	10 ——	17
4	_ 22	11	16

Fig. 4-3 Connections in the 3.496.8510 Test Plug

Press key <4>

extern input/output test

If cable not available see page 96.

<enter>

I/O-test-connector?

Insert the 3.496.8510 Test Plug in port B 'Remote' (9) (do not switch off instrument, pay attention to alignment of the plug!).

#### <enter>

The test runs automatically. If no error is found, 'extern input/output o.k.' appears. Otherwise, an error message is displayed. If no test plug is connected, 'error 50 01 HEX' appears.

Remove test plug

<clear>

diagnose press key 0...9

### > 9. RS 232 Test

This test is meaningful only if the SM Titrino 702 is used interconnected with other instruments via the 'RS 232' connection. In addition, a 3.496.8480 Test Plug normally used in the repair service is required for this test. However, this plug can also be purchased by customers under the above number.

For the sake of completeness, the procedure is described here.

(If a diagnostic test of the RS232 interface is not required, continue with point 10.)

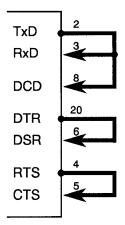


Fig. 4-4 Connections in the 3.496.8480 Plug

Press key <5>

RS232 test

<enter>

RS232 test-connector?

Insert 3.496.8480 Plug in 'RS 232' port (do not switch off instrument, pay attention to alignment of the plug!).

#### <enter>

The test runs automatically. If no error is found, 'RS 232 test o.k.' appears after ca. 3 s. Otherwise, an error message is shown. If no test plug is connected, 'error 68' appears.

Remove test plug

< clear >

diagnose press key 0...9

### > 10. Spindle drive and stopcock changeover

<clear>

Titrino fills (only if an exchange unit is inserted).



X = according to the selected method

Remove Exchange Unit (if still inserted).

Check spindle zero position, see Fig. 4-5

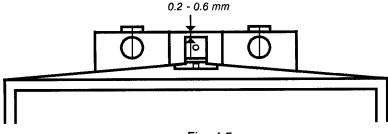


Fig. 4-5

The spindle must be 0.2 - 0.6 mm below the edge of the sliding plate.

The bar of the stopcock coupling must be exactly parallel to the lateral edges of the Titrino



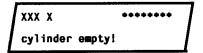
Reinsert Exchange Unit.

Titrino fills

The display of before reappears.

(Knob 'dV/dt' to right stop)

Press the < DOS > key (on instrument) until the piston rod reaches the top and at the same time measure the time from start to end.



mind selected language!

Spindle remains at maximum position.

The transit time of the spindle is 20 s.

Measure spindle height (can be performed only if the 3.496.0070 Dummy Exchange Unit is inserted or the locking switch (in right hole) is carefully operated with a screwdriver after removal of the Exchange Unit).

From the start point, the spindle travels 80 mm.

Instead of the spindle height, the expelled volume can be measured (corresponds to max. vol. of Exchange Unit used).

Press <FILL> and simultaneously measure the time until the Titrino is again in the 'ready' position.

Times for filling: per stop cock cycle 1 s

for filling 20 s (tolerance 10%)

The following generally holds:

Spindle and stopcock must move at a constant speed (noise!).

In the filling setting, the stopcock coupling must position the lever of the Exchange Unit correctly at the left stop (with virtually no play and without sticking).

Set potentiometer 'dV/dt' to left stop.

Press < DOS > at same time and use a stopwatch to measure the time for 1/10 of the cylinder volume to be expelled. The time should be ca. 76 ... 126 s.

set potentiometer 'dV/dt' to right stop.

<FILL>

End of test.

### 11. Setting up original arrangement

Reconnect all peripherals disconnected at the start of the diagnostic routine and perform a short function test with these.

### > 12. Initialise and test RAM

On the odd occasion large disturbing signals (e.g. mains spikes, lightning, etc.) can have an adverse effect on the processor functions and hence lead to a system crash. After such a crash the RAM area must be initialised. Although the basic instrument data remain stored, the RAM initialisation should be performed only when necessary since the stored user data (configuration, parameters, calculation variables, etc.) are cleared as a result.

Perform point 1 of the diagnostic routine.

Press <8>

RAM init.

<enter>

RAM init. passed

RAM is tested and initialised.

The lost data of the user memory must now be reentered.

Perform point 11.

If 'system error 3' appears in the display, <clear > can be used to exit to the instrument program. The initialisation values are loaded automatically. The instrument thus remains capable of measurement. However, possibly a small loss in accuracy must be anticipated. A new optimum adjustment can be performed by Metrohm service. The error message 'system error 3' always appears after the instrument is switched on until this adjustment has been performed.

### ⇒ 13. Releasing a locked spindle with inserted Exchange Unit

The burette drive may very occasionally jam at the top or bottom end of the cylinder. If jamming occurs at the top or when the drive is out of function, the Exchange Unit can no longer removed. In this case, it is necessary to proceed as follows:

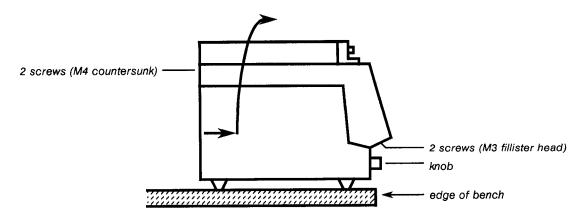
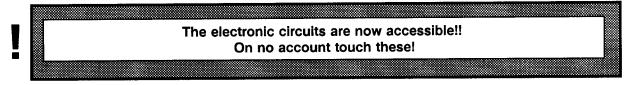


Fig. 4-6

- Disconnect instrument from power supply!
- Remove control knob
- Place instrument over edge of bench to allow the M3 screws to be removed (Fig. 4-6)
- Remove M4 screws
- Lift off top part of instrument together with Exchange Unit in the manner shown by the arrow



- Remove spindle from mechanical stop by turning the large gear wheel. (In case that the motor is inoperative, position spindle by hand to zero position.)

### Overview of the key assignment in the diagnostic tests

via key <9> with power on→ diagnose press key 0...9

For repeat observations and special applications, it may be an advantage to enter a particular check directly. In what follows, the numeric assignment is thus given.

			page	point
Key	0	Display of date and time and the cylinder code	98	 4
Key	1	Keypad test	97	 3
Key	2	Display test	96	 2
Key	3	Analog output test	98	 5
Key	4	External input/output test	101	 8
Key	5	RS232 interface test	102	 9
Key	6	Motor timer test	99	 6
Key	7	Polarizer test	99	 7
Key	8	Test and initialise RAM	104	 12
Kev	9	not used		

# 5. Preparations

Ensure that the set operating voltage corresponds to the mains voltage before switching on the instrument. The mains cables supplied with the instrument are three-core and equipped with a plug with an earthing pin. If a different plug has to be fitted, the yellow/green lead must be connected to the protective earth. If no socket with earthing is available, the instrument must be connected to a perfect earthing conductor via its earthing socket. Each break in the earthing inside or outside the instrument can make it a hazard.

When the instrument is opened or if parts of it are removed, certain components may be live if the instrument is connected to the mains. The mains cable must therefore always be unplugged when certain adjustments are made or parts replaced.

# 5.1 Setting up and connecting the instruments

### 5.1.1 SM Titrino with Magnetic Stirrer

The instruments are set up and connected as shown in Fig. 5-1.

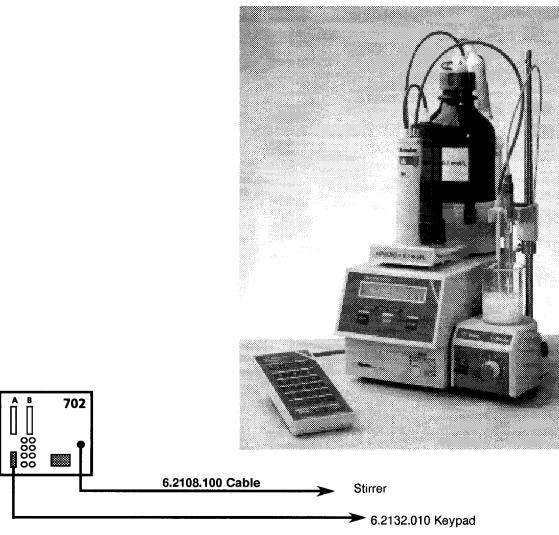


Fig. 5-1: Setting up the SM Titrino and connection of the stirrer

The 722 Rod Stirrer or the 703 Ti Stand can also be connected instead of the 728 Magnetic Stirrer.

### 5.1.2 Connection of a printer

A variety of printers can be connected to the RS232 interface of the 702 SM Titrino. If you connect a printer other than one of those mentioned below, ensure that the Epson mode is emulated or that it uses the international character set following the IBM Standard Table 437 and IBM-compatible graphics control characters.

If a **balance** is connected at the same time as a printer, the 6.2125.030 Adapter must be used. The printer must be plugged into the "data out" receptacle of the adapter. It can be operated only with the simple hardware handshake (HWs) or without handshake.

The connection of a selection of printers is facilitated by the following Table:

Printer type	Cable	Settings at SM Titrino		Setting	s at printer		
Citizen IDP560 RS	6.2125.050	data bit: stop bit: parity: e handshake: H	600 7 1 ven IWs zen	4 off 5 on 6 - 7 off 8 on	9600 baud 7 bit even	Jumper 1 open 2 open 3 open 4 open 5 close	} USA char.set
Seiko DPU-411	6.2125.020	data bit: stop bit: parity: e <sup>i</sup> handshake: H	600 7 1 ven lWs eiko	DIP swint DIP01 1 off 2 off 3 on 4 on 5 off 6 off 7 on 8 on Set print	serial no auto LF 40 characters character style zero represent.  USA -character set ter to on-line	DIP02 1 off 2 off 3 off 4 off 5 off 6 off	7 bit even parity 9600 baud

The following printers can also be connected:

Printer	Cabel	Settings at SM Titrino	Settings at printer
Epson Printer with 6-pin circular connector 1)	6.2125.040	send to: Epson data bit: 8 parity: none handshake: HWs	8 bit no parity
Epson Printer with #8148 interface	6.2125.050	send to: Epson data bit: 7 parity: even handshake: HWs	7 bit even parity
HP: Think Jet	6.2125.050	send to: Epson baud rate: 9600 data bit: 7 parity: even handshake: HWs	Switches:

Printer	Cabel	Settings at SM Titrino	Dip switches at printer
HP: Quiet Jet 1)	6.2125.050	Send to: IBM baud rate: 9600 data bit: 8 parity: none handshake: HWs	A:
Kodak Diconix 180 si	6.2125.050	send to: Epson baud rate: 9600 data bit: 7 parity: even handshake: HWs	Epson emulation 7 bit even parity

<sup>1):</sup> When connecting a balance at the same time, which only is capable to work with 7 bit, set "parity space" on the balance, while Printer and Titrino work on 8 bit, no parity.

### 5.1.3 Connection of a balance

The following balances can be connected to the RS232 output of the SM Titrino:

Balance		Cable
Sartorius	MP-8, MC1	6.2125.070
Mettler	AM, PM	From Mettler: ME 33995: Green lead to pin 2, brown to pin 3, white to pin 7, yellow to pin 20 of the 25-pin connector.
	Interface 016:	Cable in scope of delivery of interface 016: Red lead to pin 3, white lead to pin 7 of the 25-pin connector
	Interface 011 or 012	6.2125.020
Mettler AT		From Mettler: ME 33995: Green lead to pin 2, brown to pin 3, white to pin 7, yellow to pin 20 of the 25-pin connector.
AND	Models ER-60, 120, 180, 182 Models FR-200, 300 Models FX-200, 300, 320 with RS232 interface (OP-03)	6.2125.020 6.2125.020 6.2125.020
Precisa	Balances with RS232C interface	6.2125.080

The balance type must be preselected at the SM Titrino with the <configuration > key. Balance and printer can be connected at the same time with the aid of the 6.2125.030 Adapter. The balance must then be plugged into the "data in" receptacle of the adapter.

The weight is transferred as a number with up to 6 digits, sign and decimal point. Units and control characters sent by the balance are not transmitted.

With the aid of a special input unit supplied by the balance manufacturer, in addition to the weight identifications and methods can be inputted from the balance. For this, the address of the identifications and method, resp. must be preselected on the input unit.

Balance	Method	ld#1	ld#2	ld#3
Sartorius	METH or 27	ID.1 or 26	ID.2 or 24	C-20 or 23
Mettler (AT)	D (Mthd)	C (ID#1)	B (ID#2)	A (c20)

## 5.1.4 Connection of a sample changer

The sample changer is connected as follows:

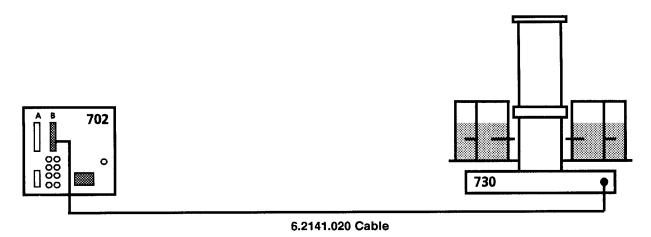


Fig. 5-2: Connection of a sample changer

- The "remote" socket allows not only connection of a sample changer but also additional control functions.
   Pin assignment of the "remote" socket and control possibilities, see page 118.
- If a calibration has to be performed with the sample changer, the calibration parameter "sample changer:" must be set to "ON".
- In connections with the sample changer, "auto start" should be set to "OFF" in the <configuration > key. The start command is given by the Sample Changer when the sample beaker is at the processing station.

### 5.1.5 Connection of a recorder

The recorder is connected to the analog output of the SM Titrino:

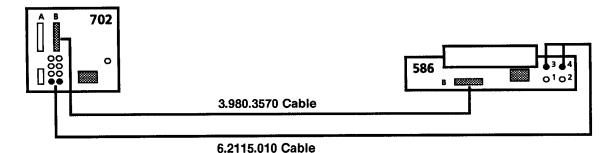


Fig. 5-3: Connection of a recorder

If the connection is set up with the 3.980.3570 cable, the chart feed axis of the recorder becomes the volume axis, i.e. the signal at the analog output is plotted against volume. The chart length per  $V_{burette}$  corresponds to the set chart speed on the recorder in mm. For 400 mm/min and 200 mm/min the maximum dosing rate  $v_{max}$  has to be reduced to  $\frac{1}{4}$   $v_{max}$ , or  $\frac{1}{2}$   $v_{max}$ , respectively.

If the connection is not set up with the 3.980.3570 cable, the chart feed axis of the recorder becomes the time axis and the signal at the analog output is plotted against time. For such curves, another laboratory recorder can be connected instead of the 586 Labograph.

The signal at the analog output can be preselected on the SM Titrino (<configuration key>, ">peripheral units", "record:"). The following are available:

Preselection at SM Titrino	Meaning	Resolut Signal at anal	*
U	Voltage	pH = 0.00: pH = 7.00: pH = 14.00: U = +1 mV: U = -1 mV: I = +1 uA: I = -1 uA: T = 0 °C: T = +1 °C: T = -1 °C:	-700 mV 0 mV +700 mV +1 mV -1 mV +10 mV -10 mV 0 mV +10 mV -10 mV
dU/dt	Measured value drift	1 mV/min: 1 °C/min: 1 uA/min:	1 mV 1 mV 10 mV
V	Volume	1 cylinder volume:	2000 mV
dV/dt	Volume drift	100 µl/min:	1000 mV
ΔU	Control deviation	ΔpH = 1: ΔU = 1 mV: ΔI = 1 uA:	100 mV 1 mV 10 mV

## 5.1.6 Connection of a computer

The computer is connected as follows:

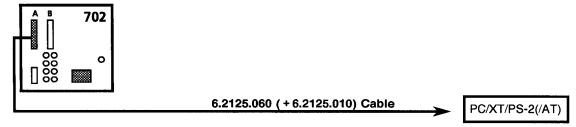


Fig. 5-4: Connection of a computer

For the connection of IBM® AT computers, the 6.2125.010 Adapter is also needed.

Preselections on SM Titrino:

RS232 settings: depend on the control program of the computer

Send to: IBM

Program package for the data transfer SM Titrino ↔ computer,

 $5\frac{1}{4}$ " and  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " diskettes, in PASCAL and BASIC 6.6009.100

# 5.2 Installation of the titration vessel, connection of electrodes

### 5.2.1 Setting up the titration vessel

The titration vessel is set up as shown in Fig. 5-5. During a titration, it is important to ensure that the solution in contact with the electrode is thoroughly mixed. This is achieved by

- efficient stirring. But it should not be too fast, otherwise the stirrer vortex will suck in air bubbles and CO<sub>2</sub> or O<sub>2</sub> can disturb the titration.
- positioning the burette tip as centrally as possible, above the stirring bar.

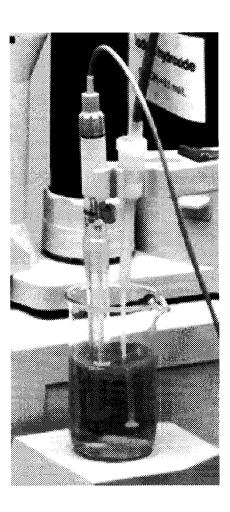


Fig. 5-5: Setting up the titration vessel

### 5.2.2 Connection of the sensors

Separate reference electrode. Input is free when a Ref: Rear panel combined electrode is used. Pol: Connection for polarized electrodes. If measured quan-Ref Pol tity Ipol or Upol is selected, this measuring input is automatically active. Indicator electrode I. (pH, redox, ISE electrodes). Com-Ind I: bined or separate electrode. If "meas. input: 1" is selected under the <parameters > key, this measuring input is active. Ind II: Indicator electrode II: "meas. input: 2" must be selected. Important: Pt100/1000 The two measuring inputs Ind I and Ind II have a com mon reference. They can be used as a differential amplifier, see below. However, only 1 reference electrode can be used in the same analysis solution. Pt100 or Pt1000 temperature sensor. If a temperature Pt100/1000: sensor is connected, the temperature correction in pH measurements and the parameter "temperature" are updated when starting a method. This measuring input

Fig. 5-6: Connection of electrodes

### Differential potentiometry

In potentiometric measurements in media of low conductivity, e.g. in organic solvents, high-impedance electrode assemblies such as pH electrodes record noise voltages which arise from stray electrostatic and electromagnetic fields. Particularly high field strengths occur through friction at insulators such as plastic floors, synthetic clothing, etc; conditions which can appear in every normal laboratory environment. These disturbing voltages are superimposed on the measurement signal and when titration curves are recorded can lead to "ghost end points", which make an automatic evaluation virtually impossible.

is active in the "MEAS T" mode.

Problems of this type can be solved by measurement using a differential amplifier. Here, the indicator and reference electrode are each connected to a high-impedance measuring input. It is important to ensure that both electrodes have identical shielding and are thus symmetrical with regard to the recording of noise signals. An auxiliary electrode provides the electrical connection between the reference point of the amplifier circuit and the measurement solution.

#### Recommended electrodes:

Measuring input	Manual determinations	Determinations at sample changer
Ind I	6.0102.102 pH glass electrode	6.0104.100 pH glass electrode
Ind II	6.0729.100 double-shielded Ag/AgCl reference elecrode	6.0729.110 double-shielded Ag/AgCl reference electrode
Ref	6.0301.100 auxiliary elecrode	6.0302.110 auxiliary electrode

#### Practical tips

- Glass electrodes should be preconditioned in the solvent used for ca. 1 hour.
- If the potential jump after the first dispensing step is too large, a small start volume may help.
- As an "auxiliary electrode", the 6.1808.030 burette tip with earthing may be used in some cases tips without anti-diffusion valve!

# 6. Appendix

# 6.1 Technical specifications

Modes MET: Monotonic Equivalence point Titration

SET: Set End point Titration

MEAS: **MEAS**urement pH **CAL**ibration

Measuring input 2 high-impedance measuring inputs for pH, redox and ISE

electrodes

1 reference input for a separate reference electrode

May also be used as a differential amplifier.

1 measuring input for polarized electrodes

1 measuring input for temperature sensor Pt100 or Pt1000

Measuring range

 $\begin{array}{lll} \text{pH value (pX)} & 0... \pm 20.00 \\ \text{Voltage} & 0... \pm 2000 \text{ mV} \\ \text{Current} & 0... \pm 200.0 \text{ } \mu\text{A} \\ \text{Temperature} & -150.0... \pm 450.0 \text{ } ^{\circ}\text{C} \\ \end{array}$ 

Error of measurement of instrument (without sensors)

at 25 °C and with a warmed-up Titrino

pH value  $\pm 0.02$  Voltage  $\pm 2 \text{ mV}$ 

Temperature ≤ 0.2 °C in the range of 0... + 100 °C

as a function of the ambient

temperature

pH value, voltage typical 40 µV/K Temperature typical 40 µV/K

Measuring amplifier

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{Input resistence} & > 10^{13}\Omega \\ \text{Offset current} & < 3 \cdot 10^{-13} \text{ A} \end{array}$ 

Deviation of offset voltage as a

function of the ambient temperature 15 µV/K

Polarizer lpol: 0...  $\pm$  127  $\mu$ A

Upol: 0... ± 1270 mV, in 10 mV steps

Dosification

Volume of a burette cylinder 1, 5, 10, 20 or 50 ml

Resolution 10 000 steps per burette cylinder

Materials

Housing polybutyleneterephthalate (PBTP)

Keypad covers polycarbonate (PC)

Display LCD, 2 lines of 24 characters each

Height of characters 5 mm

RS232 interface for printer and balance connection

or

computer connection: completely remote controllable from

external

Conventional input/output lines

Input lines **Output lines** 

for connection of sample changer or robot Start, Stop, Enter, Clear, Sample Ready Ready, Conditioning ok, Titration, End of titration, Error,

Activate, lines to be set via RS232 Control

Analog output

Output signal

Signal at analog output

-2000 ... 2000 mV

depending on preselection:

U (measuring value)

dU/dt (measured value drift)

V (volume)

dV/dt (volume drift)

U(rel) (control deviation at SET) 1 mV (12 bit), see also page 112

Resolution

Ambient temperature Nominal operational range

Storage, transport

5 ... 40 °C

- 20 ... 70 °C

Safety specifications

Designed and tested in accordance to IEC publication 348, safety class I. This manual contains some information and warnings which have to be followed by the user to ensure safe operation and to retain the apparatus in safe condition.

Mains connection

Voltage

Frequency Power consumption

**Fuse** 

100, 117, 220, 240 V ± 10% (switchable)

50 ... 60 Hz 15 VA

Thermal fuse

Dimensions with Exchange Unit

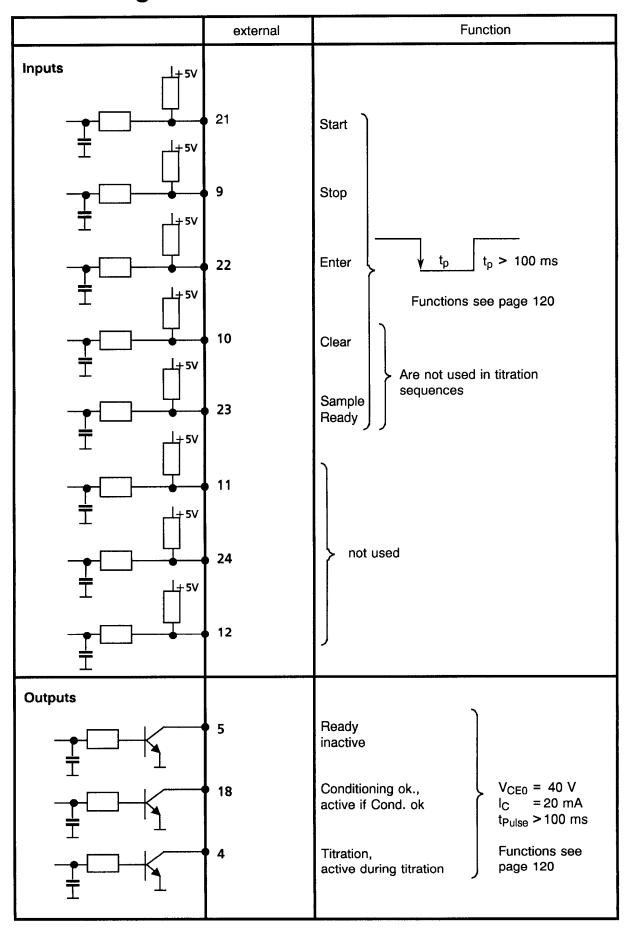
Width Height Depth

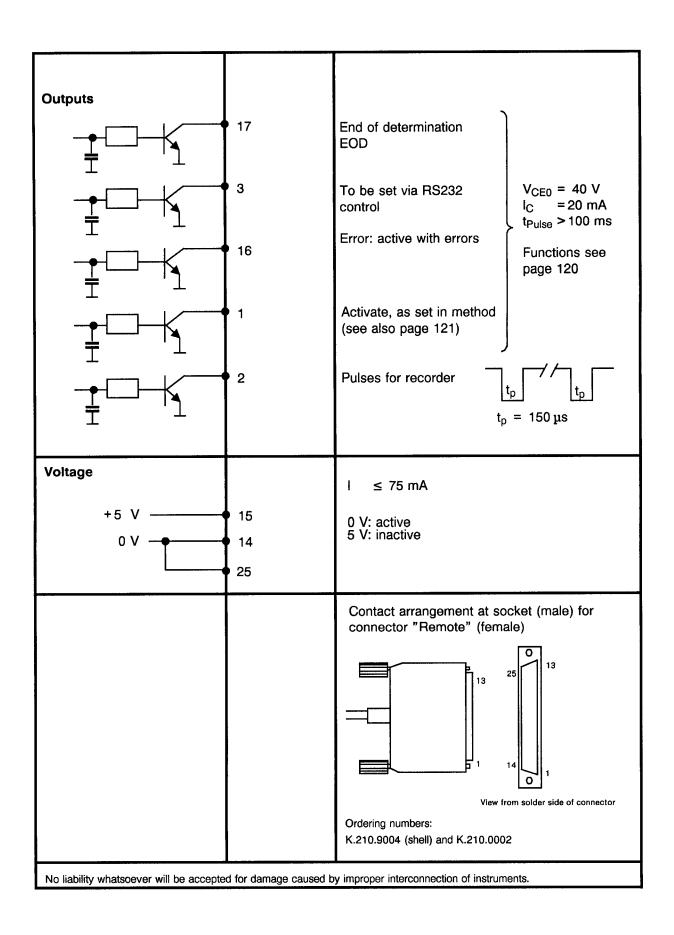
150 mm 450 mm 275 mm

Weight, incl. keypad

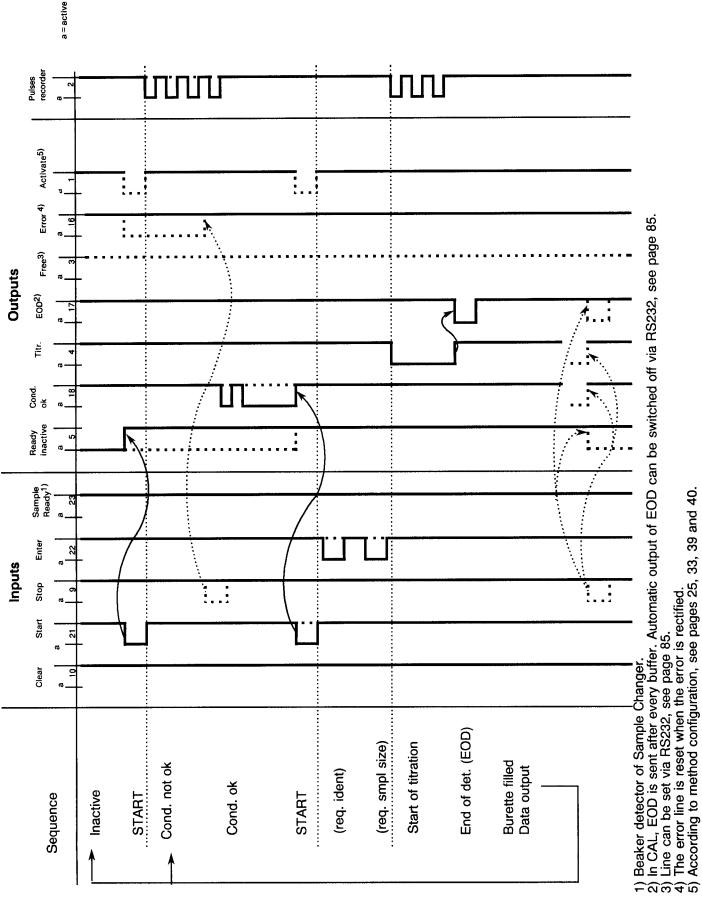
app. 3.4 kg

# 6.2 Pin assignment of the "Remote" socket

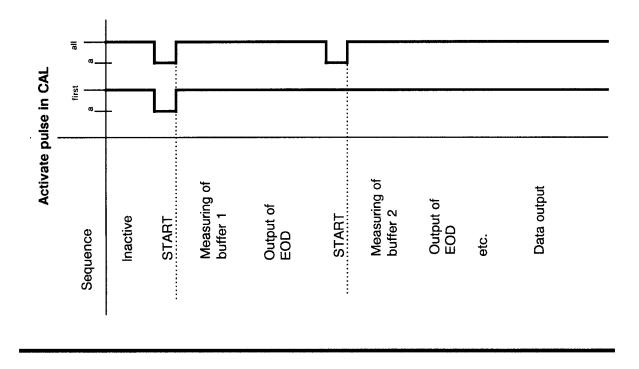


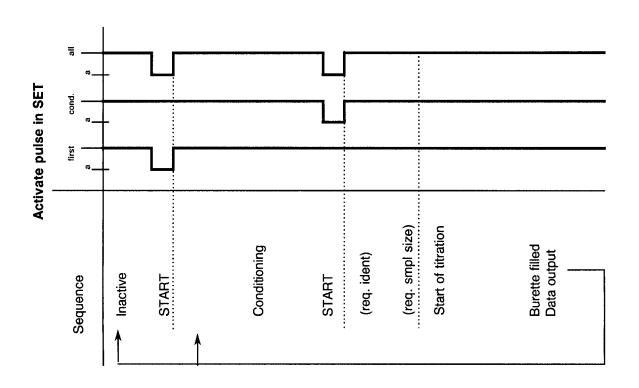


### 6.2.1 Lines of the "Remote" socket during the titration



## Possible configurations of the activate pulse in SET and CAL





### 6.3 User methods

### 6.3.1 General

The methods are stored ready for use in the user memory. They can be loaded, modified and overwritten. Depending on sample and instrument configuration, the methods should be completed with the following settings:

- For some methods the molar mass, blank value etc. should be entered under key < C-fmla >, see page 43.
- Stop volumes or other stop conditions should be entered depending on sample.
- If a printer is connected, the methods should be completed with report instructions, see pages 8 and 46.

### 6.3.2 "Titer"

The titer is calculated as a factor without dimension out of 5 determinations.

Electrode: 6.0202.100 combined pH glass electrode, at measuring input 1.

Titrant: NaOH, c = 0.1 mol/L (free of carbonate)

Sample: Weigh in app. 300 mg potassium hydrogen phthalate (PHP). Dried 2 h at 105 °C, diluted

in 40 mL dist. water (free of carbonate).

Reference: Metrohm Application Bulletin No. 206

```
'pa
                   time 09:07:54
date 1998-07-04
MET pH
                     Titer
parameters
>titration parameters
                      0.10 ml
 V step
                      max. ml/min
 titr.rate
 signal drift
                       50 mV/min
  equilibr.time
                        26 s
  start V:
                       OFF
                        0 s
  pause
 meas.input:
                         1
                      25.0 °C
  temperature
>stop conditions
  stop V:
                      abs.
  stop V
                     20.00 ml
  stop pH
                       0FF
  stop EP
                         9
  filling rate
                      max. ml/min
>statistics
                        ON
  status:
                  n =
                         5
                  original
  res.tab.:
>evaluation
                       0.50
 EPC
  EP recognition:
                        all
  fix EP1 pH
                        OFF
>preselections
                       OFF
  req.ident:
  req.smpl size:
                      value
                       OFF
  activate pulse:
 'fm
date 1998-07-04
                    time 09:07:54
MET pH
                     Titer
>calculations
Titer=C00*C01/C02/EP1;4;
C00=
                        1.0
                      10000
C01=
                    204.23
0.02 =
          _____
```

Result as a digit without dimension Sample size potassium hydrogen phthalate (PHP) in g Theoretical consumption for 1 mol PHP Molar mass PHP

### 6.3.3 "Peroxide"

Determination of the peroxide number in edible oils and fats.

Electrode: 6.0415.100 combined massive Pt electrode, at measuring input 1.

Titrant:  $Na_2S_2O_3$ , c = 0.01 mol/L, to be prepared daily from 0.1 mol/L.

Sample: Weigh app. 5 g sample into an Erlenmeyer flask and dissolve in 50 mL glacial acetic

acid/chloroform 3:2. Add 1 mL saturated KI solution, shake for 5 s and store in the dark for 1 min. Rinse solution into the titration vessel with dist. water and titrate immediately.

Same treatment for blank sample.

Remarks: The sample must be stirred well during the titration, in order to obtain a good emulsion.

Reference: Metrohm Application Bulletin No. 141

```
'pa
date 1998-07-04
                    time 09:07:54
MET U
                   Peroxide
>titration parameters
                       0.10 ml
  V step
  titr.rate
                       max. ml/min
  signal drift
                         50 mV/min
  equilibr.time
                         26 s
  start V:
                        OFF
  pause
                          0 s
  meas.input:
                          1
  temperature
                       25.0 °C
>stop conditions
  stop V:
                       abs.
  stop V
                      99.99 ml
                        OFF mV
  stop U
  stop EP
                          1
  filling rate
                       max. ml/min
>statistics
  status:
                        OFF
>evaluation
  EPC
                         30 mV
  EP recognition:
                        a11
  fix EP1 U
                        OFF mV
>preselections
  req.ident:
                        OFF
  req.smpl size:
                      value
                        OFF
  activate pulse:
 'fm
date 1998-07-04
                    time 09:07:54
MET U
                   Peroxide
>calculations
Perox.No=C01*(EP1-C02)/C00;2;
C00=
                        1.0
C01=
                         10
C02=
                          0
```

Result in milli-equivalent O<sub>2</sub>/kg Sample size in g Calculation factor Consumption of the blank sample in mL

### 6.3.4 "Br-Index"

Determination of the bromine index in petroleum hydrocarbons according to ASTM D 2710-72. The bromine index is defined as the quantity of mg bromine which reacts with 100 g sample.

Electrode: 6.0308.100 double Pt electrode, at measuring input "Pol".

Titrant: Solution of bromide/bromate, c(bromate) = 0.05 mol/L. Dilute 5.1 g KBr and 1.4 g KBrO<sub>3</sub>

separately and make up to 1 L.

Solvent: 714 mL glacial acetic acid, 134 mL CCl<sub>4</sub>, 134 mL methanol and 18 mL sulphuric acid (di-

luted 1 + 5).

Sample: app. 3 g sample in 20...100 mL solvent. Titrate blank sample in the same way.

Remarks: The bromine index can be determined easily by endpoint titration (SET), see Application

file for 702 SM Titrino.

Reference: Metrohm Application Bulletin No. 177

```
'pa
date 1998-07-04
                       time 09:07:54
                  r-Index
MET Ipol
>titration parameters
  V step
                        0.05 ml
  titr.rate
                        max. ml/min
  signal drift
                        OFF mV/min
  equilibr.time
                         20 s
  start V:
                        OFF
  pause
                           0 s
  I(pol)
                           1 uA
                        OFF
  electrode test:
  temperature
                        25.0 °C
>stop conditions
  stop V:
                       abs.
                       10.00 ml
  stop V
  stop U
                           5 mV
  stop EP
                           9
  filling rate
                        max. ml/min
>statistics
                         OFF
  status:
>evaluation
                          30 mV
  EPC
  EP recognition: greatest
  fix EP1 U
                         OFF mV
>preselections
                        0FF
  req.ident:
  req.smpl size:
                       value
  activate pulse:
                        OFF
 'fm
date 1998-07-04
                    time 09:07:54
                   Br-Index
MET Ipol
>calculations
Br-Index=(EP1-C01)*C02*C03/C00;1;mg
C00=
                         1.0
C01=
                           0
C02=
                        0.05
C03=
                        7990
```

Result in mg bromine/100g Sample size in g Consumption of blank sample in mL Normality of the titrant (0.05 \* titer) Calculation factor

### 6.3.5 "TAN/TBN"

Determination of the acid or base number in petroleum products according to ASTM D 2896-80 (DIN 51 596).

Electrode: 6.0102.102 pH glass electrode at measuring input 1 ("Ind I")

6.0729.100 Ag/AgCI reference electrode (outer electrolyte solution LiCl in sat. ethanol)

at measuring input 2 ("Ind II")

6.0301.100 Pt electrode at measuring input "Ref"

Differential input

TAN titrant: TBAOH (tetrabutylammoniumhydroxide), c = 0.1 mol/L in isopropanol

TBN-Titriermittel: HClO<sub>4</sub>, c = 0.1 mol/L in acetic acid

TAN solvent: Isopropanol/chlorbenzene 1:2
TBN solvent: Acetic acid/chlorbenzene 1:2

Sample: 0.5...4 g sample in 50 mL solvent.

Remarks: -Store glass electrode in dist. water over night. Before titrating, precondition it in sol-

vent during 10...30 min.

-ASTM requires an equilibration time of 100 s between volume increments. In most ca-

ses it is possible to titrate with shorter equilibration times.

-ASTM uses 100 mL solvent. Our tests have shown that 50 mL are usually sufficient.

-If fix endpoints are evaluated, the voltage value to be set has to be determined with

buffers.

Reference: Metrohm Application Bulletin No. 80

```
'pa
date 1998-07-04
                    time 09:07:54
                    TAN-TBN
MET U
>titration parameters
 V step
                       0.10 ml
  titr.rate
                       max. ml/min
                        aus mV/min
  signal drift
                         50 s
  equilibr.time
  start V:
                        OFF
                        100 s
 pause
                      diff.
 meas.input:
                       25.0 °C
  temperature
>stop conditions
  stop V:
                       abs.
  stop V
                      10.00 ml
                        OFF mV
  stop U
  stop EP
                          g
                       max. ml/min
  filling rate
>statistics
                        OFF
  status:
>evaluation
                         20 mV
  EPC
  EPrecognition:
                        last
                        OFF mV
  fix EP1 U
>preselections
                        OFF
  req.ident:
  req.smpl size:
                         ON
                        OFF
  activate pulse:
 'fm
date 1998-07-04
                    time 09:07:54
MET U
                    TAN-TBN
>calculations
TAN/TBN=(EP1-C01)*C02*C03/C00;2;mg
C00=
                        1.0
                          0
C01=
C02=
                         0.1
C03=
                     56.106
```

Differential potentiometry, see page 115

Makes sure that the sum value is evaluated

Result in mg KOH pro g sample Sample size in g Consumption of blank sample in mL Normality of the titrant (0.1 \* titer) Molar mass of KOH

### 6.3.6 "Diazo"

Diazotation of sulfonamides and primary amines.

Electrode: 6.0413.100 combined gold cap electrode

Titrant: NaNO<sub>2</sub>, c = 0.1 mol/L

Solvent: 30% HBr

Sample: Dilute 0.2...0.5 mmol of the substance to be determined in 30 mL solvent and add 20 mL

dist. water. Titrate immediately.

```
'pa
date 1998-07-04
                   time 09:07:54
MET U
                     Diazo
>titration parameters
                      0.10 ml
 V step
 titr.rate
                      max. ml/min
 signal drift
                      OFF mV/min
                        20 s
  equilibr.time
                      abs.
  start V:
                       0.5 ml
  start V
                      max. ml/min
  dos.rate
                        80 s
  pause
  meas.input:
                         1
                      25.0 °C
  temperature
>stop conditions
  stop V:
                       abs.
  stop V
                       6.00 ml
                       OFF mV
  stop U
  stop EP
                      max. ml/min
  filling rate
>statistics
                       OFF
  status:
>evaluation
                        30 mV
  EPC
  EP recognition: greatest
  fix EP1 U
                       OFF mV
>preselections
                       OFF
  req.ident:
  req.smpl size:
                    value
                        OFF
  activate pulse:
 'fm
date 1998-07-04
                 time 09:07:54
MET U
                      Diazo
>calculations
Content=EP1*C01*C02*C03/C00;2;%
C00=
                        1.0
C01=
                          1
C02=
                        0.1
C03=
```

Sample size in g Molar mass of the substance to be determined Normality of the titrant (0.1 \* titer) Factor for %

# 6.4 Warranty

The warranty regarding our products is limited to rectification free of charge in our workshops of defects that can be proved to be due to material, design or manufacturing faults which appear within 12 months from the day of delivery. Transport costs are chargeable to the orderer.

For day and night operation, the warranty is valid for 6 months.

Glass breakage in the case of electrodes or other glass parts is not covered by the warranty. Checks which are not a result of material or manufacturing faults are also charged during the warranty period. For parts of outside manufacture insofar as these constitute an appreciable part of our instrument, the warranty stipulations of the manufacturer in question apply.

With regard to the guarantee of accuracy, the technical specifications in the Instructions for Use are authoritative.

Concerning defects in material, construction or design as well as the absence of guaranteed features, the orderer has no rights or claims except those mentioned above.

If damage of the packaging is evident on receipt of a consignment or if the goods show signs of transport damage after unpacking, the carrier must be informed immediately and a written damage report demanded. Lack of an official damage report releases METROHM from any liability to pay compensation.

If any instruments and parts have to be returned, the original packaging should be used if at all possible. This applies above all to instruments, electrodes, burette cylinders and PTFE pistons. Before embedment in wood shavings or similar material, the parts must be packed in a dustproof package (for instruments, use of a plastic bag is imperative). If open assemblies are enclosed in the scope of delivery that are sensitive to electromagnetic voltages (e.g. data interfaces etc.) these must be returned in the associated original protective packaging (e.g. conductive protective bag). (Exception: assemblies with built-in voltage source belong in a nonconductive protective packaging). For damage which arises as a result of non-compliance with these instructions, no warranty responsibility whatsoever will be accepted by METROHM.

# 6.5 Scope of delivery and ordering designations

702 SM Titrino including the following accessories:	2.702.0010
<ul> <li>1 Keypad to 702 SM Titrino</li> <li>1 Key for exchange units</li> <li>1 Mains cable with cable socket, type CEE(22),V</li> <li>Cable plug to customer's specifications:</li> </ul>	6.2132.010 6.2739.010
type SEV 12 (Switzerland) type CEE(7),VII (Germany) type NEMA/ASA (USA)  1 Instructions for Use for 702 SM Titrino	6.2122.020 6.2122.040 6.2122.070 8.702.1033
1 Application file	8.702.0003
Options Accessories to separate order and on payment of extra charge:	
728 Magnetic Stirrer Magnetic Stirrer 728	2.728.0040
703 Ti Stand Magnetic stirrer, stand, siphoning device for waste solvent, addition of fresh solvent.	2.703.0010
Titration equipment Titration vessel, volumes	
1 50 mL	6.1415.110
5 70 mL	6.1415.150
10 90 mL	6.1415.210 6.1415.220
20 90 mL 50 150 mL	6.1415.250
70 200 mL	6.1415.310
Thermostatable titration vessel, volumes	
1 50 mL	6.1418.110
5 70 mL 20 90 mL	6.1418.150 6.1418.220
50 150 mL	6.1418.250
Titration vessel upper half for electrodes and burette tips (5 openings)  Magnetic stirring bars, length	6.1414.010
12 mm	6.1903.010
16 mm	6.1903.020 6.1903.030
25 mm	0.1903.000
Exchange Units	
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V = 1ml, PTFE stopcock	6.3014.133 6.3013.153
V = 5ml, ceramic stopcock V = 5ml, PTFE stopcock	6.3014.153
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Cable 702 SM Titrino - Citizen printer iDP560 RS	6.2125.050
Seiko printer DPU-411, 220 V	2.141.0014
Seiko printer DPU-411, 120 V	2.141.0015
Cable 702 SM Titrino – Seiko Printer DPU 411	6.2125.020
Cable 702 SM Titrino - EPSON printer with 6 pin plug	6.2125.040
Cable 702 SM Titrino - EPSON printer with RS interface #8148	6.2125.050
Cable 702 SM Titrino - HP Think Jet, HP Quiet Jet	6.2125.050
Cable 702 SM Titrino - Kodak Diconix 150 Plus	6.2125.050
Adapter for simultaneous connection of printer and balance	6.2125.030
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### **Balance connection**

Sartorius balance MP8, connecting cable	6.2125.070
Mettler AT, PM balances and balances with interface 016	Cable from Mettler
Mettler balances with interface 011 or 012	6.2125.020
AND balances (with RS232 interface OP-03), connecting cable	6.2125.020
Precisa balances, connecting cable	6.2125.080
Adapter for simultaneous connection of printer	6.2125.030

# PC connection, control via RS232 C interface Coble 702 SM Titring – IRM® PC/XT/PS-2 or compatible

FC Connection, Control via Hozoz o interiace	
Cable 702 SM Titrino - IBM® PC/XT/PS-2 or compatible	6.2125.060
Cable 702 SM Titrino - IBM® AT	6.2125.060 + 6.2125.010
RS232 C extension cable	6.2125.020
Program package for the data transfer 702 SM Titrino – IBM® PC or	
compatible, 5½" and 3½" diskettes, PASCAL and BASIC	6.6009.100
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# Analog recorder

Arialog recorder	
Labograph 586, 50 Hz	2.586.0012
Labograph 586, 60 Hz	2.586.0013
Cable 702 SM-Titrino – Labograph 586	3.980.3570 + 6.2115.010

### Sample Changer

Sample Changer	
730 Sample Changer with 1 tower, 1 pump, 1 valve	2.730.0010
730 Sample Changer with 1 tower, 2 pumps, 2 valves	2.730.0020
730 Sample Changer with 2 towers, 2 pumps, 2 valves	2.730.0110
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## **EC Declaration of Conformity**

The METROHM AG company, Herisau, Switzerland hereby certifies, that the instrument:

### **702 SET/MET Titrino**

meets the requirements of EC Directives 89/336/EWG and 73/23/EWG.

### **Source of the specifications:**

EN 50081-1 Electromagnetic compatibility, basic specification

**Emitted Interference** 

EN 50082-1 Electromagnetic compatibility, basic specification

Interference Immunity

EN 61010 Safety requirements for electrical laboratory measurement and control

equipment

### **Description of the instrument:**

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