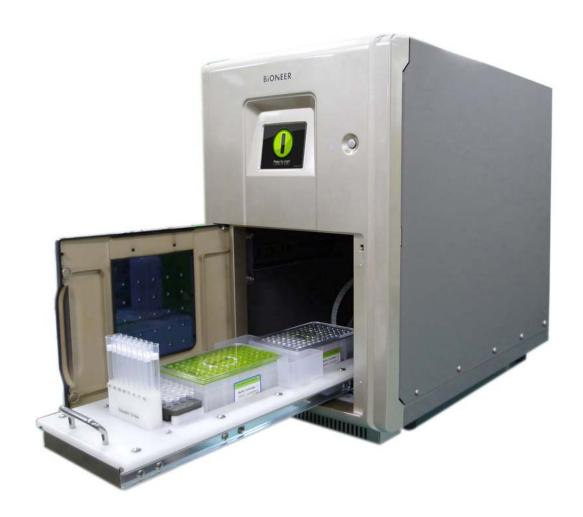
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I. Getting Started

Thank you for purchasing this Bioneer product.

We strive to provide the best results to our customers.

This manual contains practical guidelines and cautions to be taken regarding the instrument.

Please read this manual carefully and thoroughly before using the instrument.

Website

Please visit us online at http://www.bioneer.com to obtain more information about ExiProgen™.

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- *ExiProgen*TM can be use with PC software. Please contact us for details.
- User precaution is recommended when using the UV Lamp. Details can be found in Safety warning and Precautions.

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II. Safety Warnings and Precautions

The warnings and precautions stated below are for the correct and safe operation of the instrument. Please heed all information for your safety. Bioneer Corporation does not assume responsibility for non-compliance with the safety warnings and precautions stated below.

Warning: Hazards or dangerous actions that may result in severe injury.

Caution: Hazards or dangerous actions that may result in minor injury or damage.

Warnings: Hazards or dangerous actions that may result in burn.

Warnings: Hazards or dangerous actions that may result in electronic shock.

1. User and experimental precautions







- 1) Make sure that the power supply (100-240V, ~50/60Hz) is correctly connected to the power adapter and, the power adapter is correctly connected to the instrument. Incorrect connection of the power adapter and the power supply can result in instrument damage or failure to turn on.
- 2) This instrument is intended for nucleic acid extraction and protein expression/purification. Please use the instrument for these purposes only.
- 3) The instrument may stop if the *LCD panel is touched* while the instrument is connected to a PC via LAN cable and operating. If operating the instrument via PC software, please allow for the instrument to finish its programmed movement before operating the LCD panel.
- 4) Do not turn the PC off or disconnect the LAN cable connected to the PC to the instrument. Data communication error can result in instrument malfunction and can affect the results of your experiment.
- 5) Please install the instrument on a flat and level surface.
- 6) Do not operate the instrument with wet hands as this may result in electric shock or instrument malfunction. Please touch the power adapter cord with dry hands.
- 7) If the instrument is stopped either from operator error including improper accessory insertion or manually halting the instrument during normal operation, you must re-initialize the instrument before pulling out the Base Plate. Pulling out the Base Plate without prior initialization can lead to instrument damage from movement interferences such as the Heating Block or other accessories stopped in motion. If Buffer Cartridges are inserted into the Base Plate, please reinitialize the instrument or pull out the Buffer Cartridges to make sure the Heating Block is not in the way of normal Base Plate movement.
- 8) Avoid placing objects in front and rear of the instrument, as fan blockage may reduce the efficiency of the Cooling Block performance.
- 9) Avoid any obstruction or foreign material in front of the lower-front side Cooling Fan mesh. Foreign objects can hinder normal Cooling Fan operation, and it may lead overheating of parts or cause fire.



2. Precautions regarding the operation environment





- 1) If the power plug is loose, do not use the instrument. Loose power plug connections may result in electric shock or fire.
- 2) Do not operate multiple instruments out of a single wall outlet. The load may cause overheating and may cause fire.
- 3) While plugging or unplugging the power adapter cord from a wall outlet, make sure your hands are completely dry. Wet or moist hands may cause electric shock.
- 4) Avoid placing objects in front and rear of the instrument.
- 5) Avoid installing the instrument in a dusty environment. Excessive dust may cause malfunction or damage to the instrument.
- 6) Avoid operating the instrument near heat sources. This can cause fire.
- 7) Avoid operating the instrument near sources of water or damp locations. This can cause electrical shock, fire or instrument malfunction.
- 8) Do not install near sources of flammable or corrosive gas. In a case of a gas leak, do not touch the power plug. Open the window and ventilate the area. Sparks from the power plug can cause fire and/or explosions.
- 9) Do not disassemble or modify the instrument in any way. This can result in fire, electrical shock or malfunction, and also voids the manufacturer's warranty.

3. Precautions and warnings regarding instrument installation

- 1) This instrument is a precision device. Do not install the instrument in a location exposed to direct sunlight.
- 2) Install the instrument on a flat and solid surface that does not move.
- 3) While installing the instrument, make sure at least 15 cm separate the instrument from the nearest
- 4) Take cautions not to damage the cooling fan mesh (located on the front-bottom) while installing.

4. Precautions and warnings regarding instrument operation



- 1) Dust off the power cord and connect to the instrument firmly and securely. Incomplete electrical contacts may cause fire.
- Operate the instrument within ambient temperature range of 15 ℃~30 ℃. Excessive exposure to heat will negatively affected the instrument and the experiment results.
- 3) Operate the instrument within the recommended humidity range (20~80%, no condensation). Humid conditions may cause corrosion or malfunction.
- 4) Do not place any object directly next to or behind the instrument. The instrument may malfunction.



- 5) This instrument contains precisely machined parts. Do not drop and handle with care. Improper handling of the instrument may compromise performance and cause safety hazards.
- 6) While the instrument is not in use for a long period of time, turn the instrument off and unplug from the wall outlet.
- 7) Take caution not to damage the cooling fan mesh located on the lower-front of the instrument. If the mesh is damaged and the Cooling Fan does not work, the Cooling Fan motor and cooling element may overheat and cause fire.
- 8) The instrument automatically turns off the UV lamp and stops operation when the instrument door is open. However, in case this safety measure fails, do NOT expose your eyes or skin to direct UV light.

5. Precautions and warnings regarding product usage and maintenance





- 1) This product should only be used for nucleic acid extraction, protein expression/purification and automatic aliquoting. Do not use the instrument for any other purpose other than explicitly stated in the User Manual.
- 2) Do not modify or delete instrument-related information installed within the instrument.
- 3) Do not use a sharp object to operate the LCD screen.
- 4) The instrument UV lamp will only operate if the door is completely shut. Make sure the door sensor is free of any material or obstruction.
- 5) Do not use powerful detergents or solvents to clean the outside of the instrument. This may cause discoloration of the instrument. If such chemicals are spilled on the instrument, immediately clean with a soft cloth.
- 6) Do not keep the instrument in highly humid environment. Moisture Damage is classified as water damage and is not covered by the manufacturer's warranty. Also, an instrument with moisture damage may not be repairable.
- 7) Disassembly and/or modification of the instrument voids the manufacturer's warranty and a service request may be refused.
- 8) Do not unplug the power adapter from the instrument while the instrument is in use. This may cause damage to the instrument.
- 9) If a burning smell is detected or the instrument seems to be excessively hot during operation, immediately stop using the instrument and call your service representative.
- 10) Do not drop or impact the instrument. This causes direct instrument damage and will void the manufacturer's warranty.
- 11) Always verify that the Heating Block is in initial position before pulling out the Base Plate. If the Base Plate is pulled out while the Heating Block is not in its initial position, the interference in movement can cause Heating Block and other internal component damage and lead to instrument malfunction. Since installed Buffer Cartridges obscure the view, re-initialize the instrument or take out the Buffer Cartridges and visually inspect the position of the Heating Block before pulling out the Base Plate.

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- 12) Take caution not to damage the cooling fan mesh located on the lower-front side of the instrument. If the mesh is damaged and the Cooling Fan does not work, the Cooling Fan motor and cooling element may overheat the instrument and cause fire.
- 13) When there is liquid in the Waste Tray in the equipment, take extra caution to push-in or pull-out the base plate so the liquid does NOT overflow on the surface of the instrument inside. If happens, it may damage the instrument or cause the electrocution.

6. UV Lamp



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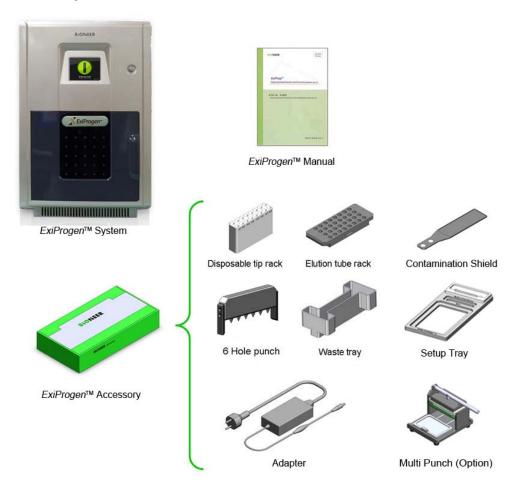
- 1) UV lamp operation may create ozone molecules. For user safety, the instrument is pre-programmed to operate the UV lamp for 5 minutes only. Please do NOT use the UV lamp in excess.
- 2) Ultraviolet (UV) rays can seriously damage your eyes and skin when exposed directly (or even indirectly). When working with the UV lamp, make sure you are wearing proper protective equipment.

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III. System Components and Specifications

1. System Components



Part Name	Cat. No.	Qty.	Check
ExiProgen [™]	A-5041	1 ea	
User's Manual		1 ea	
Waste Tray		1 ea	
Elution Tube Rack		1 ea	
Disposable Tip Rack		1 ea	
Contamination Shield		1 ea	
6 Hole Puncher		1 ea	
Adapter		1 set	
Setup Tray		1 ea	
(Option) Multi Puncher		-	

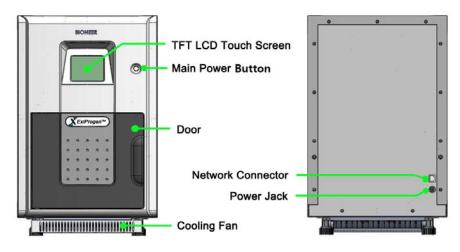
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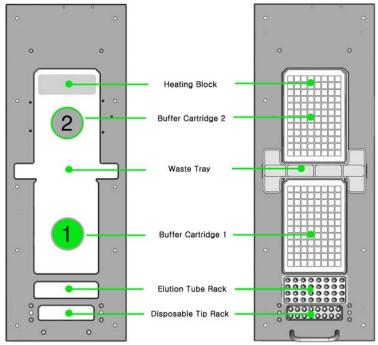


2. Specifications

Dimensions (mm)	320 (W) x 500 (H) x 535 (D)
Weight	27 kg
Operating temperature	15 – 30°C
Operating humidity	20 - 80%, no condensation
Operating system	Standalone or PC
Electrical (Voltage / Frequency)	100- 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz
Network support	TCP/IP protocol
User interface	320 x 240 touch screen TFT LCD, 18 bit color

3. System Views

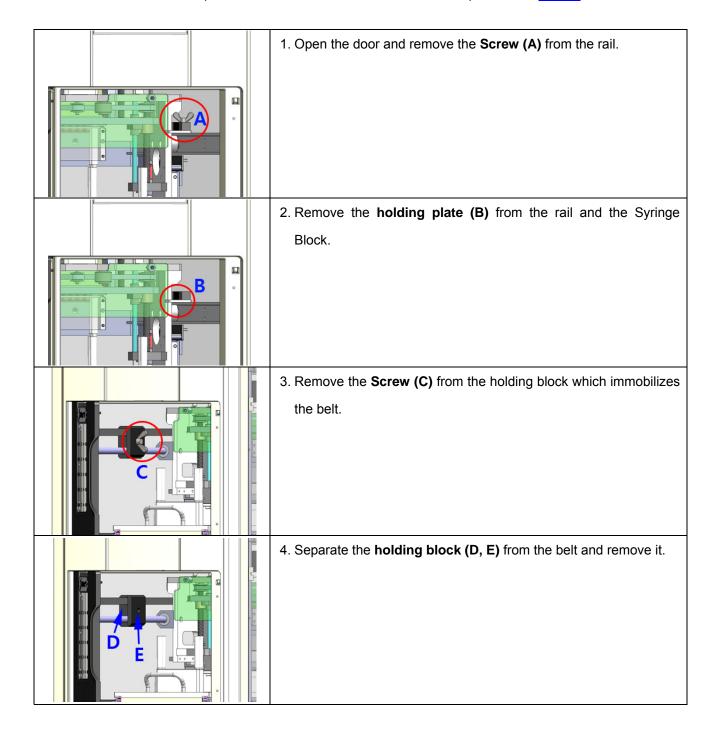






IV. Installing the *ExiProgen*™

- Clear and clean the area where the instrument will be installed.
- Open the instrument door and remove the holding accessories (described below).
- Make sure that all components are included. Refer to the list of components on page 6.







IV. Installing the *ExiProgen*[™] (continued)



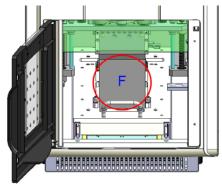
5. Connect the power cable to the rear of the instrument.



6. Turn on the instrument. A power button will display on the LCD touch screen to indicate normal power on.



7. Press the power button on the LCD screen to initialize the instrument. A progress bar on the lower portion of the LCD touchscreen will indicate initialization progress.



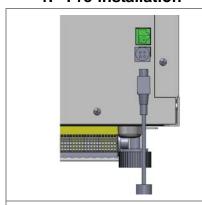
8. Open the door and remove the **Sponge block (F)** from the Base Plate after initialization.





V. Protein Expression/Purification

1. Pre-installation



Connect the power cable to the rear of the instrument.



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Press 'STORE OFF' on the LCD to turn the cooling block on. The Cooling Block maintains the Elution Tube Rack at a low temperature to keep the eluted protein expression/purification kit mix refrigerated

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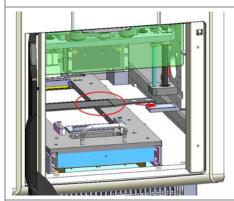
2. Contamination Shield Installation



- 1. From the 'Menu' screen, click 'MISC SET'.
 - This will bring the Syringe block to the front of the instrument for Contamination shield attachment.

A CAUTION

In order to use contamination shield, it must be installed correctly.



- Place the contamination shield on the lower-right side of the Syringe block.
 - Contamination shield has a magnet which can attach itself in the wrong orientation. Please make sure the Contamination shield is attached correctly.

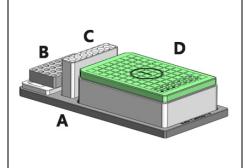


- 3. From the 'Menu' screen, click 'MISC SET'.
 - > The base plate moves back to the initialization position (inside the instrument).

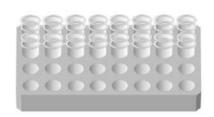
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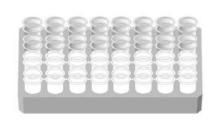
3. Sample Preparation



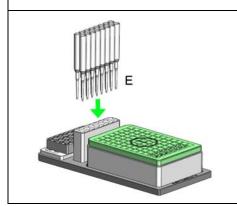
- 1. Place 'Setup tray (A)' on a flat surfaced desk.
- 2. On the Setup tray, place 'Buffer Cartridge (1) (D)', 'Elution tube rack (B), 'Disposable tip rack (C)'.
 - \succ The 'Setup Tray' and 'Tip Rack' are supplied with $ExiProgen^{TM}$.
 - > The 'Buffer Cartridge', 'Disposable Tip' and 'Elution Tube' are supplied in the Protein Expression/Purification Kit.



- 3. Check Protein Expression/Purification Kit for the samples and the proteins to be extracted.
- 4. Place the number of the **Cell Extracts** to be extracted on the **Elution tube rack**.
 - You may cut the strips if necessary to match the number tubes to samples.
 - Make sure front and rear orientation of the Elution tube rack is correct before inserting the tubes.



5. Place the number of the **Elution Tubes** to be extracted in the **Elution tube rack.**



6. Insert **Disposable tips (E)** for the experiment in the Disposable tip rack.





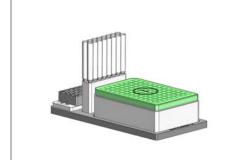
3. Sample Preparation (Continued)



- 7. Punch holes in the sealing film of Buffer Cartridge ① corresponding to the relative location and number of tubes and tips, using the Hole Puncher.
- 8. Punch holes in sealing the film of Buffer Cartridge ② using the punch tool in the same pattern as Buffer Cartridge ①.
- 9. Place the punched Cartridge back on the Setup Tray.



10. Insert the DNA sample including the sequence to be expressed into protein into the 'Sample Loading Well' of Buffer Cartridge②.



11. Complete the preparation for protein expression/purification.





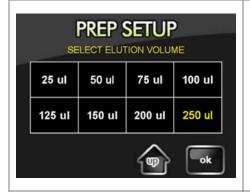
4. RUN



1. Press the 'START' button to access the PREP SETUP screen.



- Refer to the code list within this Manual or purchased Kit Manual to select the three-digit code (<u>page 41</u>) applicable to your desired protein and sample source type.
- 3. Verify the 'Prep Type' and 'Sample SRC' of the three-digit code you have entered.
- 4. Press the **'Enter'** button to access the **'elution volume'** selection menu.



- 5. Select '250ul' from 'select elution volume' of the LCD touchscreen.
- 6. After selecting the desired 'elution volume' press '**ok'** to complete PREP SETUP.



- 7. Open the instrument door and pull out the Base Plate.
- 8. Place all racks and Buffer Cartridges in their respective locations on the Base Plate according to the **CHECK LIST** (page 16) on the LCD touchscreen.





4. RUN (Continued)



- Verify the name of the target protein type and sample source type on the Running Mode screen, and press the 'RUN' button.
 - Progress of the expression/purification run can be checked through the progress bar on the lower portion of the LCD touchscreen.



- You may press the 'STOP' button during the run to terminate the extraction.
 - If you press 'STOP' during an expression/purification run, a popup prompt asking you whether you are sure ('Are you sure?') will appear. Select 'Yes' to terminate the run, or 'No' to cancel the stop and proceed with the extraction run.
 - You may select 'PAUSE' to temporarily stop the run and 'RUN' to resume.



- 11. After the expression/purification run is complete, pull out the Base Plate and remove the Elution tubes, Buffer Cartridges and all racks from the Base Plate. After removing all accessories, push the Base Plate back in completely and close the door.
- 12. You are given three options at this point:
 - > Still remains same work: Repeat the current protocol.
 - ➤ Do other work: Perform an expression/purification run using a different protocol for another nucleic acid and sample source type.
 - > Finish: Finish and exit



- 13. If the automatic UV-sterilization option is enabled, a popup prompt will appear warning you not to open the door as UV sterilization is in progress. Details can be found in page 31.
- 14. Press the 'START' button to initiate sterilization
 - > Select '**SKIP**' if you wish to pass sterilization.
- The sterilization process takes 5 minutes. Progress can be checked through the progress bar.
- 16. Remove the contamination shield.
- 17. Press the 'Store On' button to turn the Cooling Block and cooling fan off.



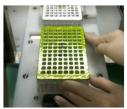


*** Setup process according to the CHECK LIST**



8a. Insert Buffer Cartridge ② on the Base plate.

Make sure the Buffer Cartridge fits snugly and exactly into its place. Misplacement of the Buffer Cartridge may result in instrument break down and malfunction.



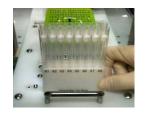
8b. Insert Buffer Cartridge ① on the Base plate.

Make sure the Buffer Cartridge fits snugly and exactly into its place. Misplacement of the Buffer Cartridge may result in instrument break down and malfunction.



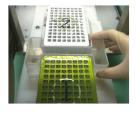
8c. Place the Elution tube rack on the Base plate.

Make sure the direction and location of the Elution tube rack is correct.



8d. Place the Disposable tip rack on the Base plate.

Make sure the direction and location of the Disposable tip rack is correct.



8e. Place the Waste tray into the gap between Buffer Cartridges ① and ②.



8f. Push the Base Plate in completely and close the door.

> Press the 'ok' button to complete.





VI. DNA/ RNA Extraction

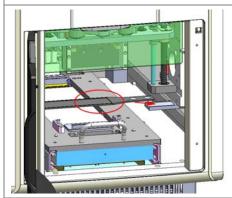
1. Contamination Shield Installation



- 1. From the 'Menu' screen, click 'MISC SET'.
 - > This will bring the Syringe block to the front of the instrument for Contamination shield attachment.

A CAUTION

In order to use contamination shield, it must be installed correctly.



- 2. Place the contamination shield on the lower-right side of the Syringe block.
 - Contamination shield has a magnet which can attach itself in the wrong orientation. Please make sure the Contamination shield is attached correctly.

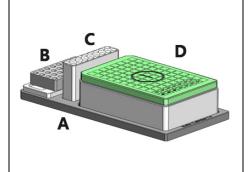


- 3. From the 'Menu' screen, click 'MISC SET'.
 - > The base plate moves back to the initialization position (inside the instrument).

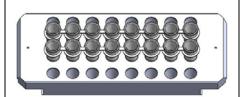
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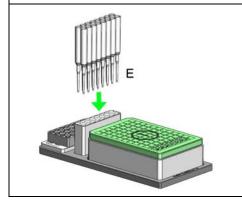
2. Sample Preparation



- 1. Place 'Setup tray (A)' on a flat surfaced desk.
- 2. On the Setup tray, put on the 'Buffer Cartridge ① (D)', 'Elution tube rack (B), 'Disposable tip rack (C)'.
 - \succ The 'Setup Tray' and 'Tip Rack' are supplied with $ExiProgen^{TM}$.
 - ➤ The 'Buffer Cartridge', 'Disposable Tip' and 'Elution Tube' are supplied in the DNA/ RNA Extraction Kit.



- 3. Check DNA/ RNA extraction Kit for the samples and the nucleic types to be extracted.
- 4. Place the number of **elution tubes** to be extracted on the **Elution tube rack**.
 - You may cut the strips if necessary to match the number tubes to samples.
 - Make sure front and rear orientation of the Elution tube rack is correct before inserting the tubes.

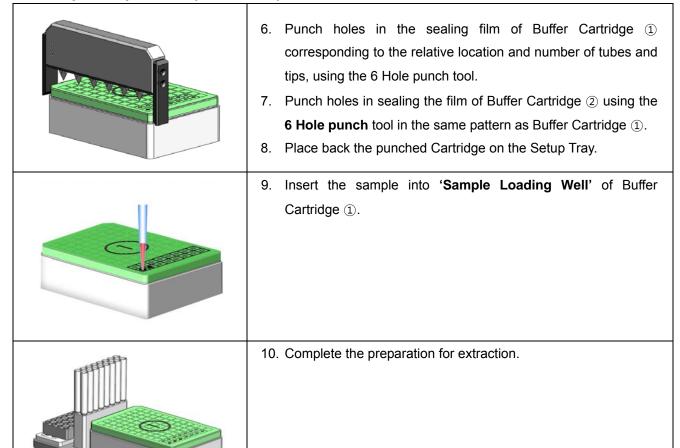


5. Place the **Disposable tip (E)** for the elution on to the Disposable tip rack.





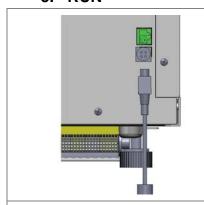
2. Sample Preparation (Continued)







3. RUN



1. Connect the power cable to the rear of the instrument and separate the LAN cable of the instrument.



 Press the 'Store Off' button to turn the Cooling Block and cooling fan on. The Cooling Block maintains the Elution Tube Rack at a low temperature to keep the eluted nucleic aciddiagnostic kit mix refrigerated.



3. Press the 'START' button to access the PREP SETUP screen.



- 4. Refer to the code list within this Manual or purchased Kit Manual to select the three-digit code (page 38) applicable to your desired nucleic acid and sample source type.
- 5. Verify the 'Prep Type' and 'Sample SRC' of the three-digit code you have entered.
- Press the 'Enter' button to access the 'elution volume' selection menu.



3. RUN (Continued)



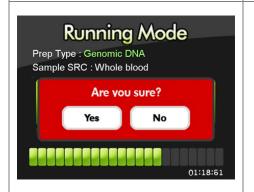
- Select the 'elution volume' from the LCD touchscreen.
- After selecting the desired 'elution volume' press 'ok' to complete PREP SETUP.



- 9. Open the instrument door and pull out the Base Plate.
- Place all racks and Buffer Cartridges in their respective locations on the Base Plate according to the CHECK LIST (page 23) on the LCD touchscreen.



- 11. Verify the name of the target nucleic acid type and sample source type on the Running Mode screen, and press the 'RUN' button.
 - Progress of the extraction run can be checked through the progress bar on the lower portion of the LCD touchscreen.



- 12. You may press the '**STOP**' button during the run to terminate the extraction.
 - If you press 'STOP' during an extraction run, a popup prompt asking you whether you are sure ('Are you sure?') will appear. Select 'Yes' to terminate the run, or 'No' to cancel the stop and proceed with the extraction run.
 - You may select 'PAUSE' to temporarily stop the run and 'RUN' to resume.



3. RUN (Continued)



- 13. After the extraction run is complete, pull out the Base Plate and remove the Elution tubes, Buffer Cartridges and all racks from the Base Plate. After removing all accessories, push the Base Plate back in completely and close the door.
- 14. You are given three options at this point:
 - > Still remains same work: Repeat the current protocol.
 - > **Do other work:** Perform an extraction run using a different protocol for another nucleic acid and sample source type.
 - > Finish: Finish and exit.



- 15. If the automatic UV-sterilization option is enabled, a popup prompt will appear warning you not to open the door as UV sterilization is in progress. Details can be found in page 31.
- 16. Press the 'START' button to initiate sterilization
 - > Select '**SKIP**' if you wish to pass sterilization.
- 17. The sterilization process takes 5 minutes. Progress can be checked through the progress bar.
- Remove the contamination shield. Detail can be found on page
 17.
- 19. Press the 'Store On' button to turn the Cooling Block and cooling fan off.

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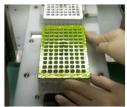


*** Setup process according to the CHECK LIST**



10a. Insert Buffer Cartridge ② on the Base plate.

Make sure the Buffer Cartridge fits snugly and exactly into its place. Misplacement of the Buffer Cartridge may result in instrument break down and malfunction.



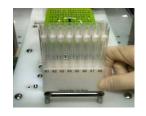
10b. Insert Buffer Cartridge ① on the Base plate.

Make sure the Buffer Cartridge fits snugly and exactly into its place. Misplacement of the Buffer Cartridge may result in instrument break down and malfunction.



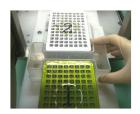
10c. Place the Elution tube rack on the Base plate.

Make sure the direction and location of the Elution tube rack is correct.



10d. Place the Disposable tip rack on the Base plate.

Make sure the direction and location of the Disposable tip rack is correct.



10e. Place the Waste tray into the gap between Buffer Cartridges ① and ②.



10f. Push the Base Plate in completely and close the door.

> Press the 'ok' button to complete.



VII. ExiProgen[™] Setup

1. Main Menu

- Once the initialization has completed successfully, the LCD touchscreen will display the MENU as shown below.
- Please contact Bioneer Customer Service or your local sales representative if the initialization progress bar does not change for over 5 minutes during initialization or if the MENU screen does not appear after initialization.



Main Menu

Icon	Description
	■ Network Connection ➤ This icon allows you to determine if the ExiProgen TM is connected to the PC. If the icon is present, it means that the instrument is connected to the PC via network.
STORE	 Cooling Fan Operation The Cooling Fan icon allows you to determine the status of the cooling fan. 'STORE OFF' means that the cooling fan is not operating, and 'STORE ON' means that the cooling fan is currently running. In order to keep the diagnostic kits or protein kits refrigerated, you must press this icon on the LCD touchscreen.
MISC SET	 Contamination protection accessory installation This icon is to determine the status of the syringe block for setting the contamination shield.
Ü	■ Power ➤ This icon is to be pressed when power rebooting the instrument.





- 1. Main Menu (continued)
 - 1) PREP SETUP





MENU Screen

PREP SETUP Screen

- Selecting 'Start' from the Main Menu for select protein expression/purification, DNA/RNA extraction will bring up the 'PREP SETUP' screen where you can enter the three-digit code for the extraction and sample source type.
- Refer to the code list within this Manual to select the three-digit code (page 38 ~ 41) applicable to your desired nucleic acid and sample source type.



- 1. Main Menu (continued)
- 2) UV sterilization (UV lamp)



MENU Screen

UV Sterilization Screen

- Use the built-in UV-lamp to sterilize the internal cavity of the instrument.
- Press the 'UV lamp' icon to initiate the UV sterilization process. The icon will turn yellow as UV sterilization proceeds.
- The sterilization runs for 5 minutes. The progress can be tracked through the progress bar displayed on the bottom portion of the LCD touchscreen. To cancel the sterilization process, press the 'UV lamp' button again.



1. Main Menu (continued)

3) System setup menu (SETUP)





Main Menu Screen

Setup Screen

Icon	Description
	■ User registration menu
	> You may create new accounts through this menu. Details on
User	account creation can be found in page 28.
	System configuration menu
(0)	> Allows you to restrict non-registered users from accessing
Config	features such as UV sterilization and system preferences. Details
	on system configuration can be found in page 32.
	■ History
	➤ Enabled by selecting the user login option.
History	➤ Allows you to audit up to 99 most recent runs by displaying
	information such as user ID, operation record and the instrument
	status (successful, cancelled) of a particular run.
	Details can be found in page 29.
SELF	■ Self Test
TEST	> This icon is for testing each motor initialization and heater block
	Temperature.
TIP	■ Tip Out
OUT	> This icon is for removing the Disposable Tips from the instrument
	Syringe Block. Pressing this icon will release the tips
	immediately.





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2. Registering a New User

*ExiProgen*TM provides a user login option restricting the use of the instrument to registered users only. Enabling the user login option will limit non-user access to the instrument. Do not forget your user ID if you have enabled the user login option



1. Press the 'Setup' button to access the SETUP menu.



Press the 'User' button to access the User Registration menu.



- 3. Enter a 6-digit user ID using the keypad on the LCD touch screen and press 'Enter' to save the ID.
 - > **Delete**: Delete last number entered.
 - > Clear: Delete all numbers entered.
 - **Enter**: Save the numbers entered.



- 4. Verify the user ID and press '**ok**' to complete the registration.
 - ➤ If the login option is enabled, non-registered use will have limited access to the instrument.
 - Do not forget your user ID.

* Up to 50 users can be registered. You can manage non-used user IDs using the administrator menu (page 33).



3. Viewing Run History

If the login option is enabled, the user ID, process type and run status of each run is saved. Up to 99 most recent runs are saved in memory.



1. Press the 'Setup' button to access the SETUP menu.



2. Press the 'History' button to view the instrument run history.



- 3. The run history contains the following parameters:
 - > No.: Recent runs have a lower number.
 - > User ID: The 6-digit user ID.
 - Work: An abbreviation of sample source and protocol type selected for that run.
 - > Status: Instrument report on whether protein expression/purification or nucleic acid extraction was successfully completed(OK), stopped during the run (Abort), or cancelled by the user (Canceled).



4. Managing the Login Mode

The instrument provides a login mode for restricting non-registered use. Without a user ID, you would have limited access to protein expression/purification, DNA/RNA extraction and instrument functions. Do not forget your user ID.



1. Press the 'Setup' button to access the SETUP menu.



2. Press the 'Config' button to access the System Setup menu.



- 3. Press the 'User' button to enable login mode.
 - If the login mode is enabled, a popup prompt (User Mode
 ON) appears and the user icon will turn blue.
 - Press the 'User' button again to disable user login mode.
 A popup prompt (User Mode OFF) appears and the user icon will turn white.

* Entering an invalid user ID three consecutive times with user login mode enabled will shut down the system. Press the 'Power' icon on the LCD touchscreen to restart.



5. Managing the Automatic UV-Sterilization Mode

The instrument provides an automatic UV-Sterilization mode to sterilize the instrument after every protein expression/purification or DNA/RNA extraction run.



1. Press the 'Setup' button to access the SETUP menu.



2. Press the 'Config' button to access the System Setup menu.



- 3. Press the '**UV lamp**' button to enable automatic UV sterilization.
 - ➢ If automatic UV-sterilization is enabled, a popup prompt (UV Mode ON) appears and the UV lamp icon will turn yellow.
 - Press the 'UV lamp' button again to disable the mode. A popup prompt (UV Mode OFF) appears and the UV Lamp icon will turn white.





6. Configuring the System

Only the single user with a registered administrator ID is able to configure the system. Do not forget the administrator ID.



 Press the 'Config' Button from the System Setup menu to access the System Config menu.











Calibrates the screen position

Adjusts the screen brightness

Manages user IDs as well as administrator ID

Accessible only by authorized engineers



- > Screen: Calibrates the screen position
 - > Calibrate the screen position relative to touching.
 - > Press and hold the **circle** at the upper left corner with a blunt tool for 2 seconds.
 - Press and hold the circle at the bottom right corner with a blunt tool for 2 seconds.



- > **Bright:** Screen brightness adjustment
 - Adjust the brightness of the LCD touchscreen using the '+' and '-' buttons.
 - Press the 'ok' button to save the adjusted brightness level. The previous menu will be displayed when the new brightness setting is successfully applied.
 - > To return to the previous menu without saving the adjustments, press the 'up' button.

* Factory (A/S menu): Only authorized service engineers may access this menu to service the instrument.

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7. Administrator Management



 Press the 'Admin' button from the System Config menu to access the Admin Access menu.



- Enter the 6-digit administrator ID using the keypad on the LCD touchscreen.
- 3. Press the 'Enter' button.



- 4. The Admin Menu screen includes an option to delete user IDs or change the administrator ID.
 - > Select 'User list delete (1)' to delete unused IDs.
 - Select 'Administrator password change (2)' to change the factory default administrator ID.



- > User list delete menu (User List)
 - **Registered User:** Displays the number of registered users.
 - > Select the user ID you wish to delete and press 'ok' to confirm deletion.
 - > Use the 'back' or 'next' buttons to navigate the pages.

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VII. *ExiProgen*™ Setup (continued)

7. Administrator (continued)



> Administrator ID change menu

➤ Enter a new 6-digit administrator ID using the keypad in the middle of LCD touchscreen and press 'Enter' button to save.



- Press the 'ok' button to save new administrator ID after verifying the new administrator ID.
- You may now use the new administrator ID to delete user IDs or setup and configure the system.
- > Do not forget new administrator ID.

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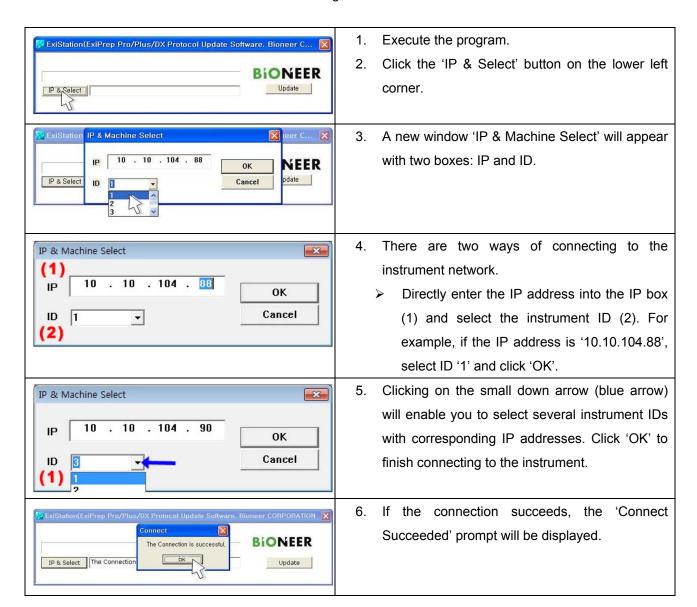


VIII. Updating the ExiProgen™

- Updating software may improve instrument functionality and install up-to-date protocols for protein/nucleic acid extraction.
- Please refer to the FAQ in our homepage or contact Bioneer Service Center if updating does not progress as described below or you have questions.

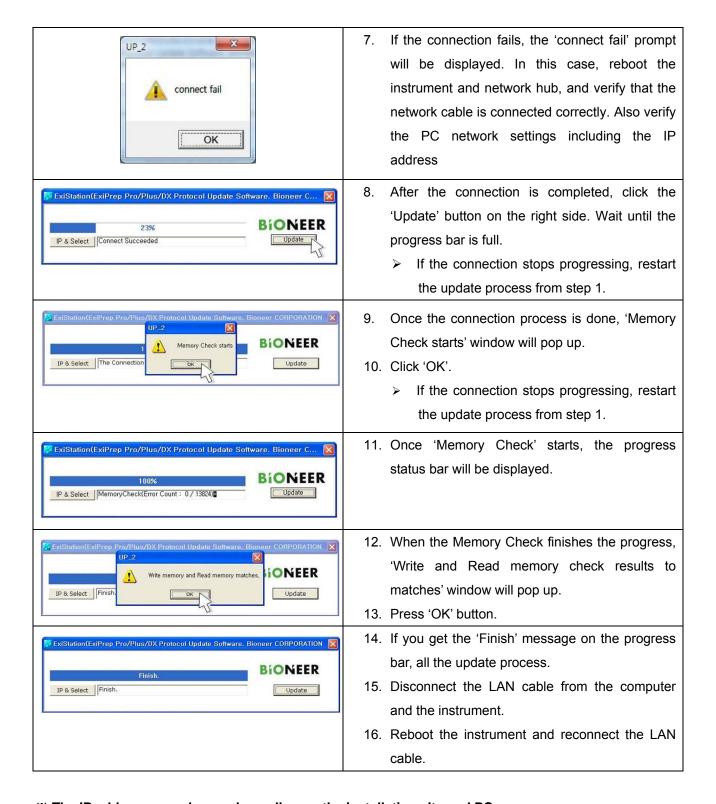
NOTE: This program NOT included with the instrument. If you want to the program, you have to request to us.

- 1. Connect *ExiProgen*[™] to your computer using a **cross-type LAN cable**.
- 2. Start the installation of the downloaded program below.
 - \triangleright The default IP address for *ExiProgen*TM is 10. 10. 104. 88.





VIII. Updating the *ExiProgen*[™] (Continued)



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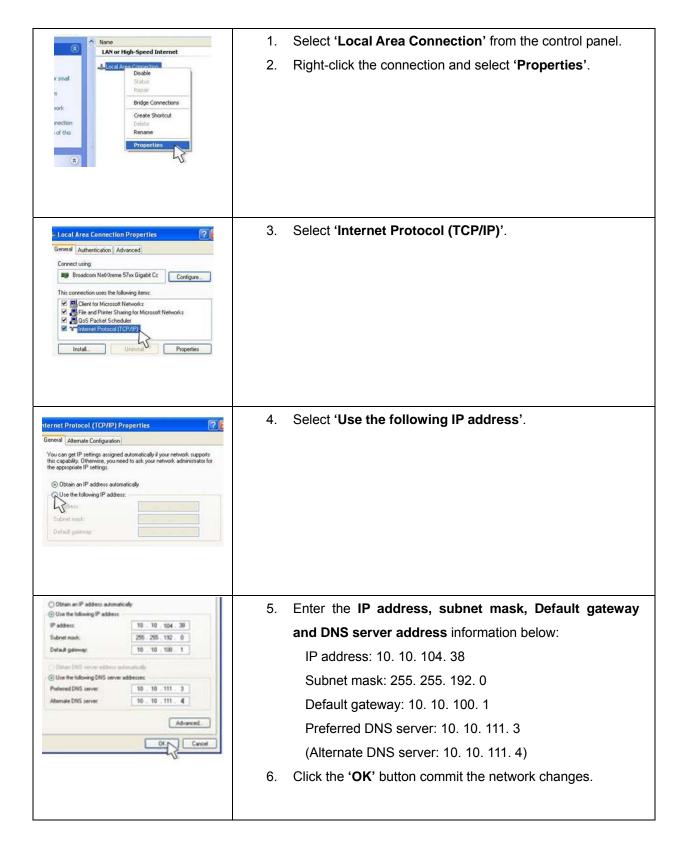
* The IP address may change depending on the installation site and PC.

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* If the PC fails to connect to the instrument, try the following steps.







IX. DNA/ RNA Extraction Program Number List

	No.	Target	Sample source
1	01	Genomic DNA	Whole blood
1	02	Genomic DNA	Animal tissue
1	03	Genomic DNA	FFPE tissue
1	04	Genomic DNA	Plant tissue
1	05	Genomic DNA	Plant seed
1	06	Genomic DNA	Rice
1	07	Genomic DNA	Cultured cell
1	08	Genomic DNA	Gram (+) bacteria
1	09	Genomic DNA	Gram (-) bacteria
1	10	Genomic DNA	Yeast
1	11	Genomic DNA	Fungi
1	12	Genomic DNA	Plasma
1	13	Genomic DNA	Serum
1	14	Genomic DNA	Buffy coat
1	15	Genomic DNA	Sputum
1	16	Genomic DNA	BAL
1	17	Genomic DNA	Saliva
1	18	Genomic DNA	Swab
1	19	Genomic DNA	Urine
1	20	Genomic DNA	Stool
1	21	Genomic DNA	Cell free body fluid
1	22	Genomic DNA	Pleural fluid
1	23	Genomic DNA	CSF
1	24	Genomic DNA	EPS
1	25	Genomic DNA	Respiratory sample
1	26	Genomic DNA	Amniotic fluid
1	27	Genomic DNA	Forensic sample
1	28	Genomic DNA	Bone marrow
1	29	Genomic DNA	Bone
1	30	Genomic DNA	Dried blood spot
1	31	Genomic DNA	Soil
1	32	Genomic DNA	Hair
1	33	Genomic DNA	Cell supernatant

No.		Target	Sample source	
2	01	Total RNA	Whole blood	
2	02	Total RNA	Animal tissue	
2	03	Total RNA	FFPE tissue	
2	04	Total RNA	Plant tissue	
2	05	Total RNA	Plant seed	
2	06	Total RNA	Rice	
2	07	Total RNA	Cultured cell	
2	08	Total RNA	Gram (+) bacteria	
2	09	Total RNA	Gram (-) bacteria	
2	10	Total RNA	Yeast	
2	11	Total RNA	Fungi	
2	12	Total RNA	Plasma	
2	13	Total RNA	Serum	
2	14	Total RNA	Buffy coat	
2	15	Total RNA	Sputum	
2	16	Total RNA	BAL	
2	17	Total RNA	Saliva	
2	18	Total RNA	Swab	
2	19	Total RNA	Urine	
2	20	Total RNA	Stool	
2	21	Total RNA	Cell free body fluid	
2	22	Total RNA	Pleural fluid	
2	23	Total RNA	CSF	
2	24	Total RNA	EPS	
2	25	Total RNA	Respiratory sample	
2	26	Total RNA	Amniotic fluid	
2	27	Total RNA	Forensic sample	
2	28	Total RNA	Bone marrow	
2	29	Total RNA	Bone	
2	30	Total RNA	Dried blood spot	
2	31	Total RNA	Soil	
2	32	Total RNA	Hair	
2	33	Total RNA	Cell supernatant	

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	No.	Target	Sample source
3	01	mRNA	Whole blood
3	02	mRNA	Animal tissue
3	03	mRNA	FFPE tissue
თ	04	mRNA	Plant tissue
თ	05	mRNA	Plant seed
3	06	mRNA	Rice
თ	07	mRNA	Cultured cell
3	08	mRNA	Gram (+) bacteria
3	09	mRNA	Gram (-) bacteria
3	10	mRNA	Yeast
3	11	mRNA	Fungi
3	12	mRNA	Plasma
3	13	mRNA	Serum
3	14	mRNA	Buffy coat
3	15	mRNA	Sputum
3	16	mRNA	BAL
3	17	mRNA	Saliva
3	18	mRNA	Swab
3	19	mRNA	Urine
3	20	mRNA	Stool
3	21	mRNA	Cell free body fluid
3	22	mRNA	Pleural fluid
3	23	mRNA	CSF
3	24	mRNA	EPS
3	25	mRNA	Respiratory sample
3	26	mRNA	Amniotic fluid
3	27	mRNA	Forensic sample
3	28	mRNA	Bone marrow
3	29	mRNA	Bone
3	30	mRNA	Dried blood spot
3	31	mRNA	Soil
3	32	mRNA	Hair
3	33	mRNA	Cell supernatant

	No.	Target	Sample source	
4	01	viral DNA	Whole blood	
4	02	viral DNA	Animal tissue	
4	03	viral DNA	FFPE tissue	
4	04	viral DNA	Plant tissue	
4	05	viral DNA	Plant seed	
4	06	viral DNA	Rice	
4	07	viral DNA	Cultured cell	
4	08	viral DNA	Gram (+) bacteria	
4	09	viral DNA	Gram (-) bacteria	
4	10	viral DNA	Yeast	
4	11	viral DNA	Fungi	
4	12	viral DNA	Plasma	
4	13	viral DNA	Serum	
4	14	viral DNA	Buffy coat	
4	15	viral DNA	Sputum	
4	16	viral DNA	BAL	
4	17	viral DNA	Saliva	
4	18	viral DNA	Swab	
4	19	viral DNA	Urine	
4	20	viral DNA	Stool	
4	21	viral DNA	Cell free body fluid	
4	22	viral DNA	Pleural fluid	
4	23	viral DNA	CSF	
4	24	viral DNA	EPS	
4	25	viral DNA	Respiratory sample	
4	26	viral DNA	Amniotic fluid	
4	27	viral DNA	Forensic sample	
4	28	viral DNA	Bone marrow	
4	29	viral DNA	Bone	
4	30	viral DNA	Dried blood spot	
4	31	viral DNA	Soil	
4	32	viral DNA	Hair	
4	33	viral DNA	Cell supernatant	

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No.		Target	Sample source
5	01	viral RNA	Whole blood
5	02	viral RNA	Animal tissue
5	03	viral RNA	FFPE tissue
5	04	viral RNA	Plant tissue
5	05	viral RNA	Plant seed
5	06	viral RNA	Rice
5	07	viral RNA	Cultured cell
5	08	viral RNA	Gram (+) bacteria
5	09	viral RNA	Gram (-) bacteria
5	10	viral RNA	Yeast
5	11	viral RNA	Fungi
5	12	viral RNA	Plasma
5	13	viral RNA	Serum
5	14	viral RNA	Buffy coat
5	15	viral RNA	Sputum
5	16	viral RNA	BAL
5	17	viral RNA	Saliva
5	18	viral RNA	Swab
5	19	viral RNA	Urine
5	20	viral RNA	Stool
5	21	viral RNA	Cell free body fluid
5	22	viral RNA	Pleural fluid
5	23	viral RNA	CSF
5	24	viral RNA	EPS
5	25	viral RNA	Respiratory sample
5	26	viral RNA	Amniotic fluid
5	27	viral RNA	Forensic sample
5	28	viral RNA	Bone marrow
5	29	viral RNA	Bone
5	30	viral RNA	Dried blood spot
5	31	viral RNA	Soil
5	32	viral RNA	Hair
5	33	viral RNA	Cell supernatant

1	No.	Target	Sample source
6	01	viral DNA/ RNA	Whole blood
6	02	viral DNA/ RNA	Animal tissue
6	03	viral DNA/ RNA	FFPE tissue
6	04	viral DNA/ RNA	Plant tissue
6	05	viral DNA/ RNA	Plant seed
6	06	viral DNA/ RNA	Rice
6	07	viral DNA/ RNA	Cultured cell
6	08	viral DNA/ RNA	Gram (+) bacteria
6	09	viral DNA/ RNA	Gram (-) bacteria
6	10	viral DNA/ RNA	Yeast
6	11	viral DNA/ RNA	Fungi
6	12	viral DNA/ RNA	Plasma
6	13	viral DNA/ RNA	Serum
6	14	viral DNA/ RNA	Buffy coat
6	15	viral DNA/ RNA	Sputum
6	16	viral DNA/ RNA	BAL
6	17	viral DNA/ RNA	Saliva
6	18	viral DNA/ RNA	Swab
6	19	viral DNA/ RNA	Urine
6	20	viral DNA/ RNA	Stool
6	21	viral DNA/ RNA	Cell free body fluid
6	22	viral DNA/ RNA	Pleural fluid
6	23	viral DNA/ RNA	CSF
6	24	viral DNA/ RNA	EPS
6	25	viral DNA/ RNA	Respiratory sample
6	26	viral DNA/ RNA	Amniotic fluid
6	27	viral DNA/ RNA	Forensic sample
6	28	viral DNA/ RNA	Bone marrow
6	29	viral DNA/ RNA	Bone
6	30	viral DNA/ RNA	Dried blood spot
6	31	viral DNA/ RNA	Soil
6	32	viral DNA/ RNA	Hair
6	33	viral DNA/ RNA	Cell supernatant

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N	lo.	Target	Sample source
7	01	Plasmid DNA	endA(+) strain
7	02	Plasmid DNA	endA(-) strain
N	lo.	Target	Sample source
8	lo. 21	Target Fragment DNA	Sample source Gel slice
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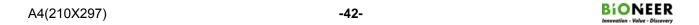
No.		Target	Sample source
9	01	Protein	Purification
9	02	Protein	Synthesis

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X. Troubleshooting

Error		Solution
The Power is not on.	1.	Make sure the power connector is connected.
	2.	Check if the system is connected to the adaptor.
	3.	Check if the system power is pushed.
	4.	If everything above has been followed but the power is not on,
		contact After Service.
The Power is on but the system	1.	Press the power button to block the power.
cannot initiate.	2.	Check if the power was turned off abnormally.
	3.	When the system power was shut off abnormally, check if there
		are any residues in tips and/or accessories in the system.
	4.	Remove any residues that may distract operating the system.
	5.	Manually move the syringe block of the interior desktop in the
		center.
	6.	Turn the power on and check whether the system is initiating.
	7.	Request for After Service.
LCD Screen is not on.	1.	It may be interior problem of the system, call for the After
		Service.
The system does not operate	1.	Check if the bracket lock is removed.
even RUN button is pressed.	2.	Check if the system is initiating normally when the power is on.
	3.	Check if there are any residues or obstacles in the system that
		may interrupt operating.
	4.	Check if all the accessories are inserted correctly.
	5.	Check if other buttons in the LCD are working.
	6.	Request for After Service.
The system is running but does	1.	Check if the base plate is placed correctly.
not operate correctly.	2.	Check if there is remaining residues or any obstacles that may
		interrupt operating the system.
	3.	Check if all the accessories are inserted correctly.
	4.	Request for After Service.
The front door does not close.	1.	Check if the base plate is placed correctly.
	2.	After holding the door to open and when releasing the door to
		be closed, check if the door is closed automatically by the
		spring.
	3.	Request for After Service.





Error		Solution
The base plate does not slide in	1.	Check if there are any obstacles or residues that may interrupt
completely.		moving the base plate.
	2.	Check if all the accessories are inserted correctly.
	3.	Request for After Service.
The system is not working even if	1.	Check if base plate is located in the correct.
the door is closed.	2.	Check if the pair of magnet attached to the door is correctly
		attached.
	3.	Check if the switch installed at the end of the base plate slide
		rail is damaged when base plate is pulled out.
	4.	Request for After Service.
The base plate does not slide out	1.	Check inside of the system if there are any obstacles or
completely.		residues that may interrupt moving the base plate.
	2.	Check the front of the system if there are any obstacles or
		residues that may interrupt moving the base plate.
	3.	Request for After Service.
The accessories are not being	1.	Check if all the accessories are located in the right position.
able insert.	2.	Check if there are any residues in each accessories and the
		rack.
	3.	Check if any accessories and the rack's lock pins are bent or
		damaged.
	4.	Request for After Service.
During the operation, the syringe	1.	Check if the door is completely closed.
block does not pin down the tips.	2.	Check if the tip and the tip rack is inserted correctly.
	3.	While inserting the tips, check if any residues or accessories
		are stuck.
	4.	Check if 'Stop' or 'Pause' button is pressed.
	5.	Check if the provided tips are inserted.
	6.	Check if the tip is bent or damaged.
	7.	Request for After Service.
Syringe Block is correctly	1.	Make sure the front door is closed.
equipped with the tips, but it	2.	When the block is being moved, check if any residues or
doesn't move.		accessories are stuck.
	3.	Check if the cartridge is inserted correctly.
	4.	Check if 'Stop' or 'Pause' button is pressed.
	5.	Request for After Service.

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Error		Solution
It stops while operating.	1.	Check if the power supplied into the system.
	2.	Check if the Power switch has been pressed.
	3.	In the lower part of LCD screen, check if there is a delay in the
		blue progress bar.
	4.	Check if you have pressed 'Pause" by mistake.
	5.	Request for After Service.
The System is running but there	1.	Check if wrong protocol has been used.
is an error.	2.	Check if there is an error in the motor while operating during the
		movement of syringe block due to residues or accessories
		being stuck.
	3.	Check if it is operating after rerunning the same program.
	4.	Request for After Service.
The system is working but it does	1.	Check if Elution rack and tubes are inserted appropriately.
not do the elution.	2.	Check if the tips are inserted completely.
	3.	Check if the end of the tip is clogged.
	4.	Check if sample is inserted into the cartridge.
	5.	Check if there is any leakage in the syringe block.
	6.	Request for After Service.
There is a leakage in the syringe	1.	Stop using the well that were being used and request of after
block.		service.
The liquid is dripping in the	1.	Check if the rack and the waste tray and other accessories are
bottom of the system.		inserted in the right position.
	2.	Check if there is a leakage in the syringe block.
	3.	Request for After Service.
The heater is not working.	1.	Check if the rack and the waste tray and other accessories are
		inserted in the right position.
	2.	Check if any solution is dripped in the base plate during the
		usage.
	3.	Request for After Service.
There is a burning smell in the	1.	Disconnect the power and unplug the power connector
system.		immediately.
	2.	Request for After Service.
UV Lamp does not work.	1.	Check if the door is closed completely.
	2.	Request for After Service.



Error	Solution
The Sample Block does not	Inspect the power supply.
maintain a cold temperature.	2. Verify the Sample Block status through the LCD screen or PC
	software.
	3. Request service from your dealer.
The cooling fan does not function.	Inspect the power supply.
	2. Verify the Sample Block status through the LCD screen or PC
	software.
	3. Request service from your dealer.
Protocol dose not update.	1. Check if the computer and the instrument are connected with LAN
	cable.
	2. Restart the computer and instrument.
	3. Update protocol
	4. Re-update protocol

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XI. Warranty

This instrument is warranted by Bioneer against manufacturing defects in materials and workmanship for a limited warranty period of one (1) year from the date you received your product. Bioneer will either (1) repair the product at no charge if a hardware defect is found or (2) exchange the product if the same hardware defect arises more than three times during the limited warranty period. Any other accessories other than the instrument itself are considered as consumables and warranted for three months. Spare parts for the instrument will be available for five years from the initial instrument release date. If a defect arises after the limited warranty period, shipping and handling charges may apply to any repairs or exchanges of the product undertaken by Bioneer.

Exclusions and limitations

This warranty does not apply: (a) to cosmetic damage, including but not limited to scratches, dents, and broken plastic on ports: (b) to damage caused by accident, abuse, misuse, flood, fire, earthquake or other external causes: (c) to a product or part that has been modified in any way without explicit written consent of Bioneer; or (d) to damage cause by any services performed by unauthorized engineers or service providers.

Obtaining Warranty Service

Please review this User Manual and access the online support referred to in the manual accompanying this product before requesting warranty service. If the product is still not functioning properly, contact Bioneer Customer Service at:

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