

## **VM-2500 series CO2 / SpO2 monitors**



## Intended Use

### Monitor

- Monitoring of end-tidal CO<sub>2</sub> concentration (EtCO<sub>2</sub>)
- Monitoring of inspired CO<sub>2</sub> concentration (FiCO<sub>2</sub>)
- Monitoring of functional arterial oxygen saturation (SpO<sub>2</sub>),
- Monitoring of respiration rate (RR) and pulse rate (PR)

### Patients

- Adult, pediatric, infant and neonatal

### Units

- Mainstream method using → VM-2500-M
- Sidestream method using → VM-2500-S

## VM-2500-M - mainstream CO<sub>2</sub> monitor

### Key features

- Warm-up time < 10s
- Direct measurement without time delay
- Small, light-weight and shock-resistant:  
IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> analyzer weighs less than 30 g
- Adult/paediatric and infant IRMA™ airway adapters available
- Easy plug and measure technology
- IRMA™ airway adapter with XTP™ non-condensing light transmission window
- Maintenance and calibration-free technology
- Wide range of high-quality SpO<sub>2</sub> sensors available



## Mainstream capnography accessories

### IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> analyzer

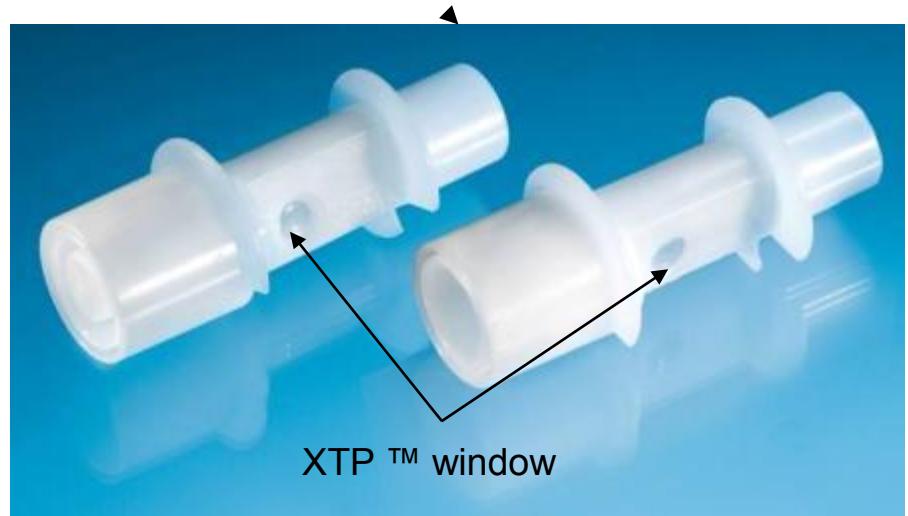
- Ultra compact
- Adapter can be replaced without recalibration
- Rugged mechanical design
- Airway adapter connects securely in place
- Analyzer is positioned between endotracheal tube and Y-piece



## Mainstream capnography accessories

### IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> airway adapter

- Designed as single-patient-use, disposable product
- Adult and pediatric use:  
(over 1 year or 10 kg bodyweight)
- Infant use:  
(up to 1 year or 10 kg bodyweight)  
minimizes the dead space
- XTP™ windows – special features that prevent a decrease in performance when vapour is present
- Attention: not be placed between an endotracheal tube and an elbow



## VM-2500-S - sidestream CO<sub>2</sub> monitor

### Key features

- Warm-up time < 10s
- Specially designed for all applications using low flow sampling (50 ml/min); from adults to neonates
- For intubated and non-intubated patients
- VersaStream sampling lines remove water and water vapour
- Hydrophobic bacterial filter incorporated into VersaStream sampling lines reduces the potential for water intrusion and cross contamination
- Maintenance and calibration-free technology
- Wide range of high-quality SpO<sub>2</sub> sensors available



## Sidestream capnography accessories

### VersaStream sampling lines

- Low sampling flow of 50ml/min
- Very low dead space
- VersaStream water separation and hydrophobic bacterial filter technology
- Water vapour passes through a membrane and evaporates into surrounding air
- Bacterial filter efficiency of > 99.998%
- Single-patient use, available in 24h and 72h versions
- Displays “Sampling system occlusion” when replacement is required



## Sidestream capnography accessories

### VersaStream sampling lines

A range of 1-piece sampling lines including:

- Airway adapter sampling line
- CO<sub>2</sub> nasal sampling line (single nostril)
- CO<sub>2</sub> nasal cannula: adult, paediatric, infant
- CO<sub>2</sub> nasal/oral cannula: adult, paediatric
- CO<sub>2</sub> nasal cannula with O<sub>2</sub> adult, paediatric
- CO<sub>2</sub> nasal/oral cannula with O<sub>2</sub> adult, paediatric



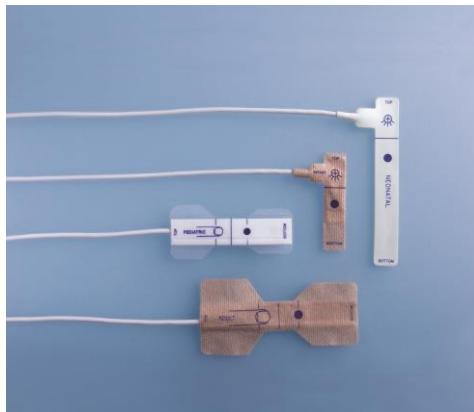
## Pulse Oximetry Sensors – Reusable

- Soft silicone sensors; adult and paediatric
- Adult finger sensor with traditional finger clip
- Multi-site silicone wrap sensor
- Ear sensor



## Pulse Oximetry Sensors - Disposable

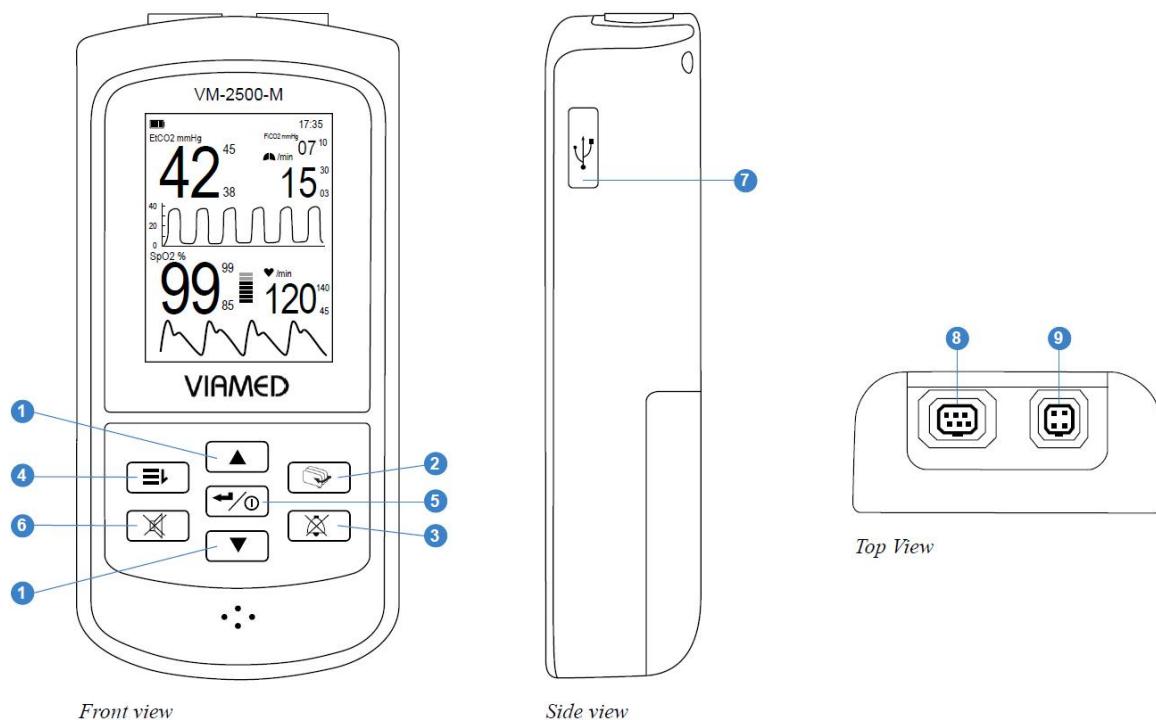
- Adult, paediatric, infant and neonatal disposable sensors



## Exterior view, controls and connectors

### - VM-2500-S / VM-2500-M

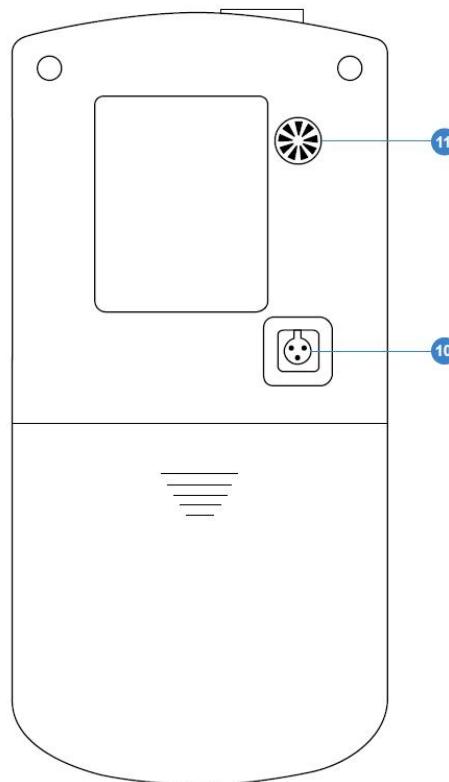
- 1 Arrow buttons (up/down)
- 2 Display mode
- 3 Alarm silence/reset
- 4 Menu
- 5 On/Off and Enter button
- 6 Pulse tone
- 7 USB
- 8 SpO<sub>2</sub> Sensor Port
- 9 CO<sub>2</sub> Mainstream Port



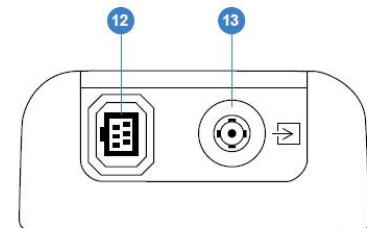
## Exterior view, controls and connectors

- VM-2500-S

- 10** Power input
- 11** Gas output port (vents to atmosphere)
- 12** SpO<sub>2</sub> sensor port
- 13** CO<sub>2</sub> sidestream gas inlet port



*Rear view*



*Top View*

## Symbols and buttons

Symbol	Feature / Button	Function
	Arrow buttons (up/down)	Multifunction buttons used for: 1. Scrolling through menu items 2. Increasing/decreasing parameters 3. Shortcuts to volume/brightness control during monitoring
	Display mode	Toggles between various display modes. Shortcut to return to display mode during menu mode
	Alarm silenced	The audible alarm can be silenced for a maximum period of two minutes. Optical alarm remains activated
	Menu	Menu selection. Shortcut to return to the previous menu level during menu mode.

## Symbols and buttons

Symbol	Feature / Button	Function
	ENTER button	Confirms selection
	Pulse tone	Turns pulse tone on/off
	USB	USB 2.0 interface
	On/Off	To turn on the device: press and hold power button briefly. To turn off the device: press and hold power button for approx. 3 seconds
	Power input	Port to connect the external power supply (100-240V AC / 50-60Hz, Model No. FW 7660M/06)

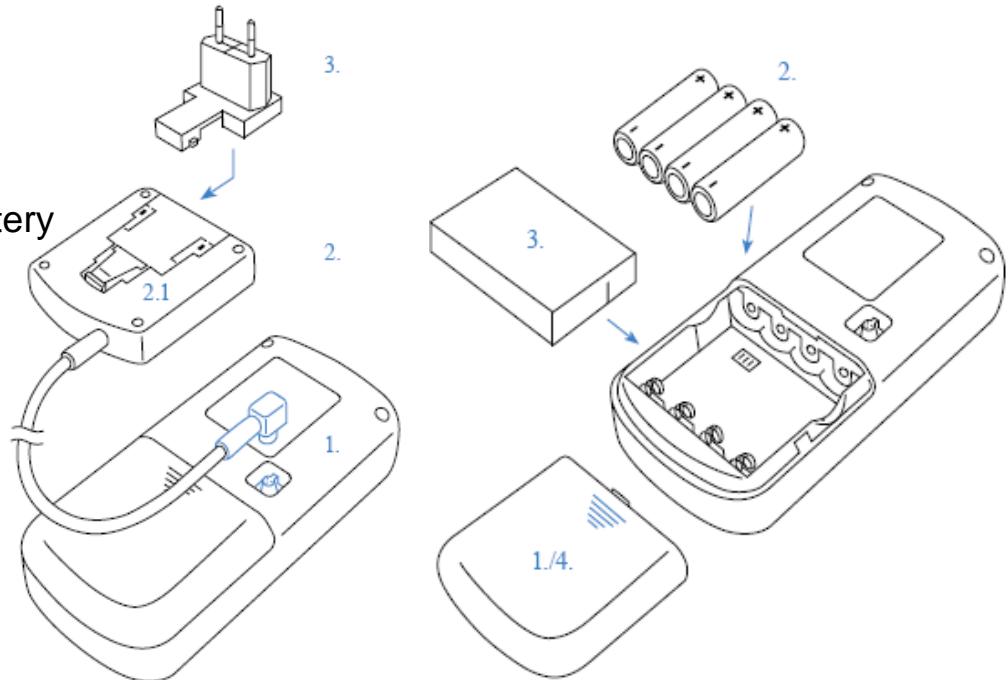
## Sense of the symbols and buttons

Symbol	Feature / Button	Function
	SpO <sub>2</sub> sensor port	Port to connect the SpO <sub>2</sub> sensor
	CO <sub>2</sub> mainstream port	Port to connect the IRMA™ CO <sub>2</sub> analyzer
	Gas outlet port	Gas outlet of the sidestream module (not applicable for mainstream)
	SpO <sub>2</sub> sensor port	Port to connect the SpO <sub>2</sub> sensor
	CO <sub>2</sub> side stream gas inlet port	Port with Light Emitting Gas Inlet (LEGI™) to connect the sampling line

## Selecting Power Supply

### External power supply, rechargeable Li-ion battery, 4 x AA alkaline batteries

- External power supply,  
100-240 VAC / 50-60 Hz / 250 mA  
continuous use or charge Li-Poly battery
- Li-Poly battery: 3.7V / 2500 mAh
- 5-6 hrs charging and working time
- Alternatively can be powered by  
4x AA 1.5V alkaline batteries



## Connecting sensors to the VM-2500-S

### VersaStream sidestream sampling line configuration

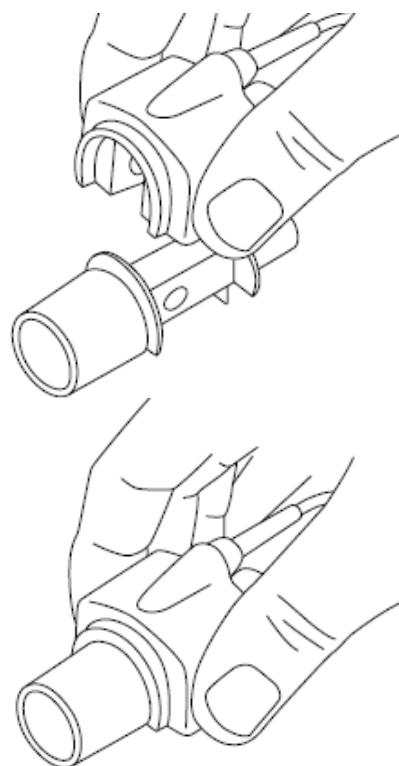
- Single-patient use sampling line
- Simple, 1-piece sampling line configuration
- Connects directly into sidestream inlet port



## Connecting sensors to the VM-2500-M

### IRMA™ CO2 Analyzer (mainstream)

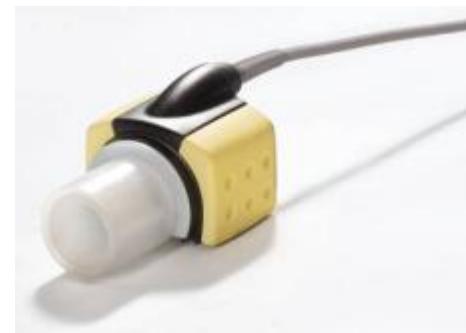
- Secure the IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> analyzer on top of the IRMA™ airway adapter
- Do not use the IRMA™ airway adapter (adult/paediatric) with infants as the adapter adds 6ml dead space to the patient circuit
- Do not use the IRMA™ airway adapter (infant) with adult or paediatric patients as this may cause excessive flow resistance



## Connecting sensors to the VM-2500-M

### **IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> Analyzer (mainstream) function check**

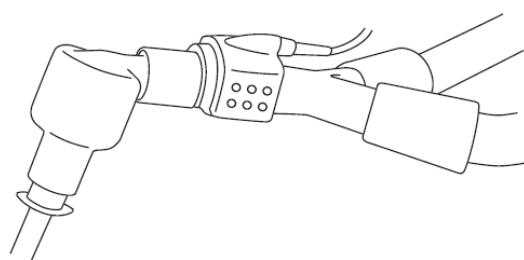
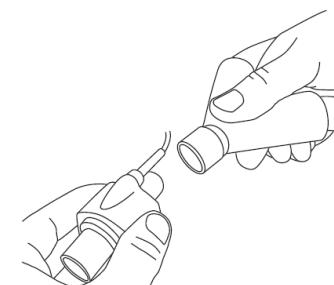
- A green LED indicates that the IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> Analyzer is powered and ready for use; to test the function, breathe into the airway adapter and check that valid CO<sub>2</sub> waveforms and values are displayed on the monitor
- Remove the airway adapter and wait for 5 seconds
- Check that the airway adapter alarm is displayed and that the LED at the IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> Analyzer displays a flashing red light



## Connecting sensors to the patient

### IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> Analyzer (mainstream) connect in circuit

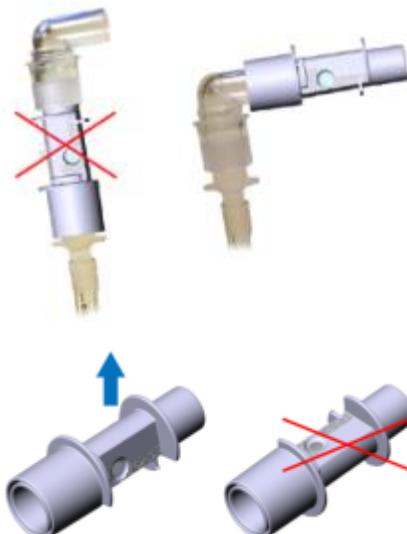
- Connect the 15 mm male connector of the IRMA™ airway adapter to the breathing circuit Y-piece
- Connect the 15 mm female connector of the IRMA™ airway adapter to the endotracheal tube with or without an angled connector.
- Alternatively, connect a HME (Heat Moisture Exchanger)



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### IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> Analyzer (mainstream) connect in circuit

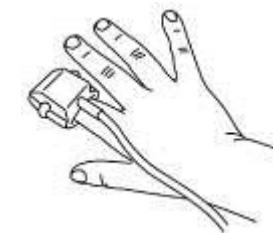
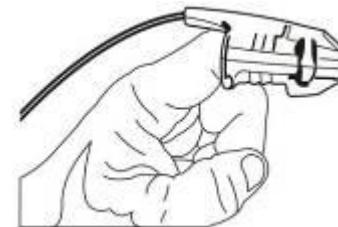
- Do not place the IRMA™ airway adapter between the endotracheal tube and an elbow as this may allow patient secretions to block the adapter windows and result in incorrect operation
- To prevent secretions and moisture from pooling on the windows, always position the IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> analyzer vertically in relation to the airway adapter



## Connecting sensors to the patient

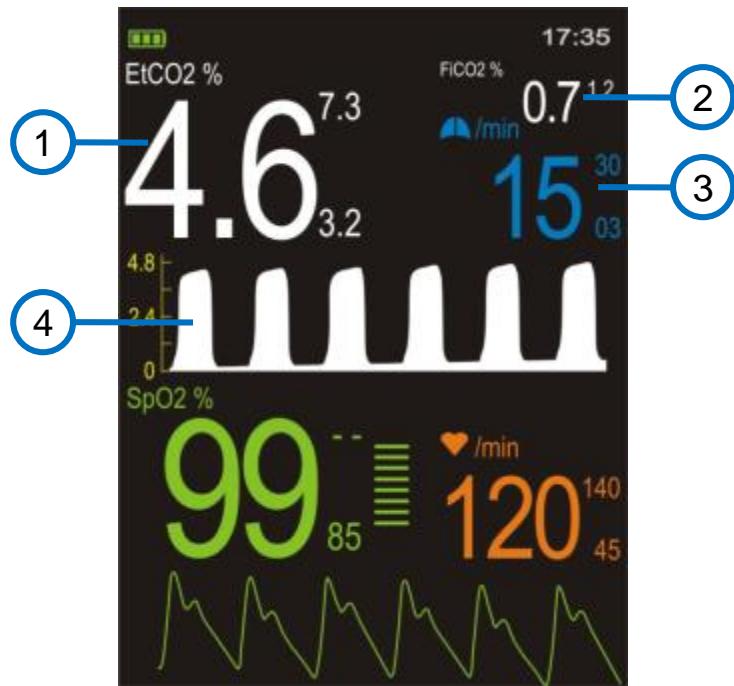
**SpO<sub>2</sub> sensors should be selected as appropriate for the patient**

- Adult use: finger clip sensor, soft silicone sensor, ear sensor, wrap sensor, disposable sensor
- Paediatric use: soft silicone paediatric finger sensor, ear sensor, wrap sensor, disposable sensor
- Infant / Neonatal use: silicone wrap sensor, disposable sensor



## Display modes and displayed data

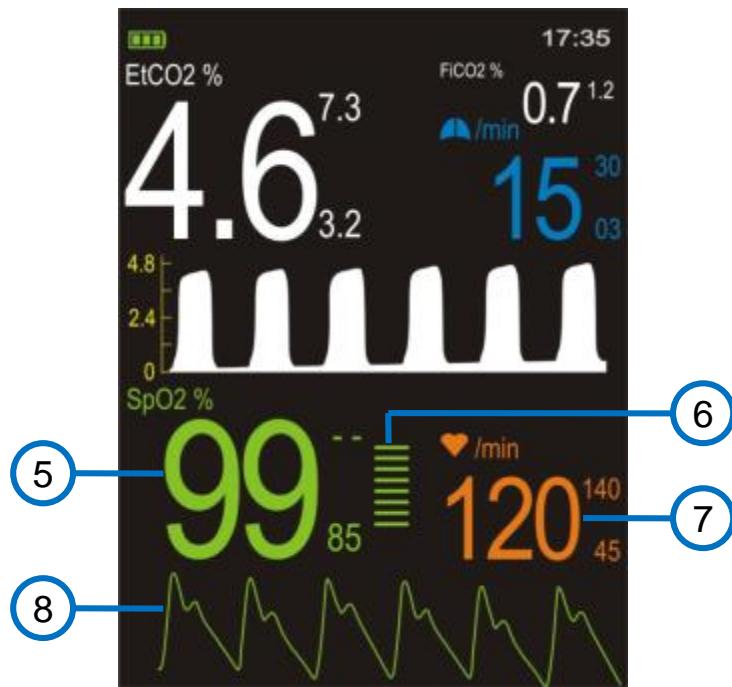
### Standard display



No.	Function
1	End-tidal expired CO <sub>2</sub> gas concentration in Vol %, kPa or mmHg
2	Inspired CO <sub>2</sub> gas concentration in Vol %, kPa or mmHg
3	Respiration rate in breaths per minute (bpm)
4	CO <sub>2</sub> waveform (Capnogram) Default setting of the amplitude scale: auto scaling - automatically adjusted to the signal strength. The scale can also be defined by the user

## Display modes and displayed data

### Standard display



No.	Function
5	Functional blood oxygen saturation (SpO <sub>2</sub> ) in %
6	Bar graph for pulse amplitude: indicates the dynamic pulse amplitude and rate. As the detected pulse becomes stronger, more bars light with each pulse. The reverse is true for weak pulses
7	Pulse rate in beats per minute
8	Pulse waveform (plethysmogram) Automatically adjusted to the pulse strength

## SpO<sub>2</sub> Sensors

### Numerical display



No.	Function
1	End-tidal expired CO <sub>2</sub> gas concentration in Vol %, kPa or mmHg, which can be defined by the user
2	Inspired CO <sub>2</sub> gas concentration in Vol %, kPa or mmHg
3	Respiration rate in breaths per minute bpm.

## SpO<sub>2</sub> Sensors

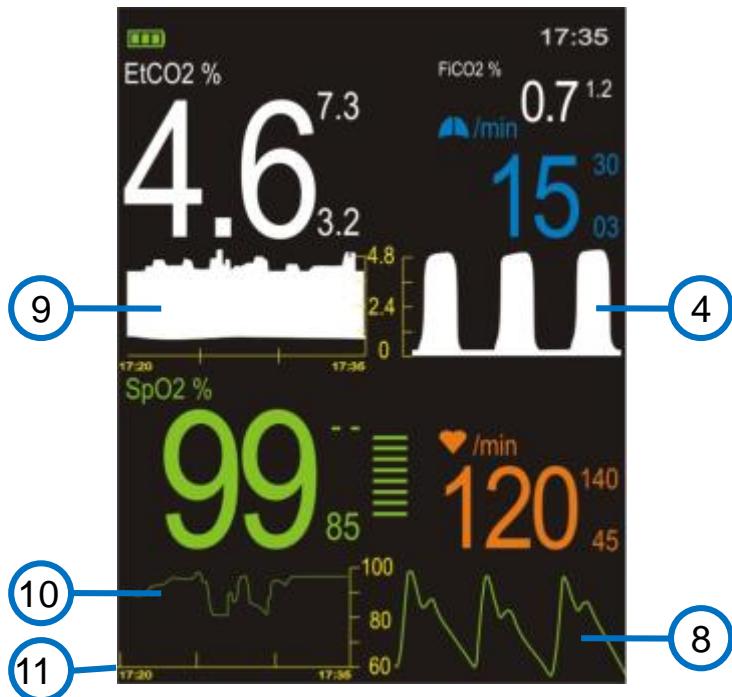
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## Display modes and displayed data

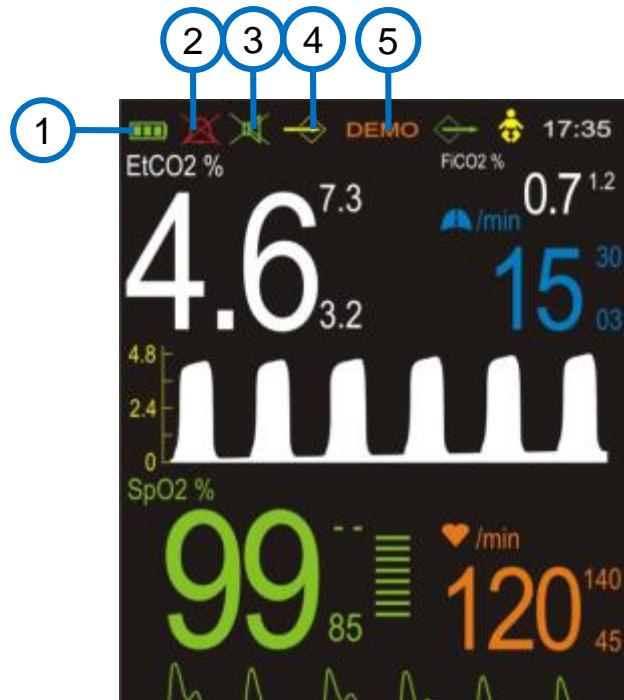
**Trending Displays: 15 min, 1 h, 6 h**



No.	Function
4	CO <sub>2</sub> waveform (Capnogram) Default setting of the amplitude scale: Auto scaling -automatically adjusted to the signal strength Scale however can also be defined by the user
8	Pulse waveform (plethysmogram) Automatically adjusted to the pulse strength
9	Combined EtCO <sub>2</sub> and FiO <sub>2</sub> trend waveform
10	SpO <sub>2</sub> trend waveform
11	Start and end times

## Display modes and displayed data

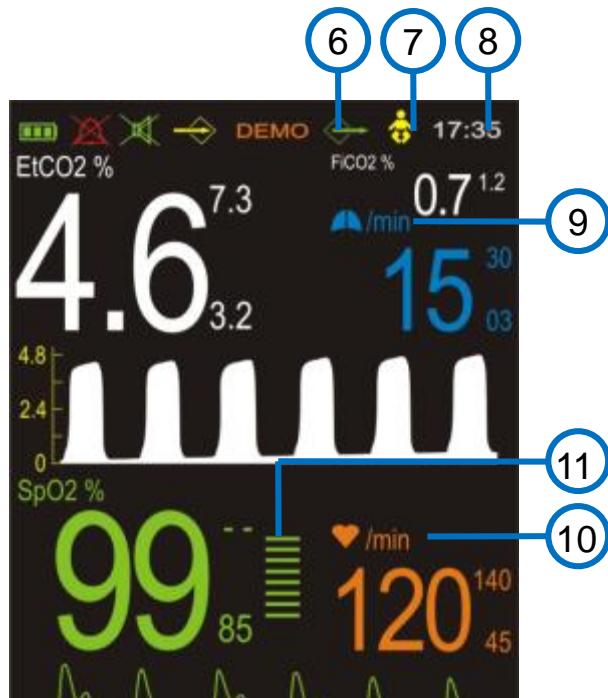
### Symbols and indicators



No.	Function
1	Battery level indicator
2	Alarm silence indicator
3	Pulse tone off
4	Memory full indicator
5	Demo mode indicator

## Display modes and displayed data

### Symbols and indicators



No.	Function
6	Real-Time mode indicator
7	Neonatal mode
8	Current time
9	Respiration rate (Breaths per minute)
10	Pulse rate (beats per minute)
11	Bar graph signal quality

## Alarms

### Alarm priority and appearance

Priority level	Audio signal sequence	Visual alarm	Condition
High (warning)	5 tone beep + 2 second pause	 !!!	Potentially life-threatening situation
	5 tone beep + 3 second pause		
Medium (caution)	3 tone beep + 5 second pause	 !!	Potentially serious problems, presumed to be life-threatening
Low (advisory)	2 tone beep + 16 second pause	 !	Advisory alarms

## Alarms

### Default alarm limits

Limit	Unit	Range	Adult	Neonatal
EtCO <sub>2</sub> high	%	0.1 ... 9.9 / off	7.3	7.3
EtCO <sub>2</sub> low	%	off / 0.1 ... 9.9	3.2	3.2
FiCO <sub>2</sub> high	%	0.1 ... 9.9 / off	1.2	1.2
RR high	1/min	4 ... 150 / off	off	off
Apnoea	s	20, 40, 60	20	20
SpO <sub>2</sub> high	%	1 ... 99 / off	off	95
SpO <sub>2</sub> low	%	off / 1 ... 99	85	85
PR high	1/min	1 ... 250 / off	140	150
PR low	1/min	off / 1 ... 250	45	30

## Alarms

### Limit alarm

Limit alarm	Condition	Priority
EtCO <sub>2</sub> high	EtCO <sub>2</sub> value above set alarm limit	Medium
EtCO <sub>2</sub> low	EtCO <sub>2</sub> value below set alarm limit	Medium
FiCO <sub>2</sub> high	FiCO <sub>2</sub> value above set alarm limit	Medium
RR high	Respiratory rate above set alarm limit	Medium
Apnoea !!	No breath detected within set terms (if $\leq$ 1min)	Medium
Apnoea !!!	No breath detected within set terms (if $>$ 1min)	High
SpO <sub>2</sub> high	SpO <sub>2</sub> value above set alarm limit in standard mode	Low
SpO <sub>2</sub> high (neonatal mode)	SpO <sub>2</sub> value above set alarm limit in neonatal mode	Medium
SpO <sub>2</sub> low	SpO <sub>2</sub> value below set alarm limit	Medium
PR high	Pulse rate above set alarm limit	Medium
PR low	Pulse rate below set alarm limit	Medium

## Alarms

### Limit alarm

Limit alarm	Condition	Priority
Bad signal quality !!!	Poor-quality pulse signal, e.g. result of low perfusion	High
No CO <sub>2</sub> Sensor !	No connection to mainstream IRMA™ CO <sub>2</sub> analyzer	Low
Check CO <sub>2</sub> Adapter !	IRMA™ adaptor is dirty, not positioned correctly etc.	Low
No Nomo Adapter !	No connection to the sidestream sampling line	Low
Sampling system occlusion !	A component of the sidestream sampling system is blocked (occluded)	Low
CO <sub>2</sub> Over range !	Measured CO <sub>2</sub> concentration is outside of the specified accuracy range	Low
No SpO <sub>2</sub> Sensor !	No connection to the SpO <sub>2</sub> sensor	Low

## Alarms

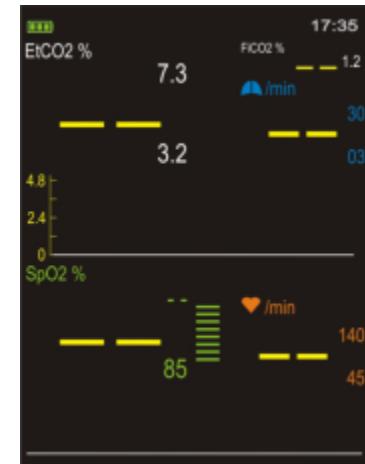
### Limit alarm

Limit alarm	Condition	Priority
SpO <sub>2</sub> Probe off !	SpO <sub>2</sub> sensor is connected to the device, a signal was detected and then the finger has been removed or the sensor has come off the patient	Low
Excess light !	High ambient light sources near the SpO <sub>2</sub> sensor, e.g. surgical lights	Low
Battery low !	Low battery level at start up results in error message. Critical battery level during monitoring results in audible alarm and the battery indicator flashes yellow. After 3 minutes, the device switches off.	Low

## Alarms

### Reset of alarm signals

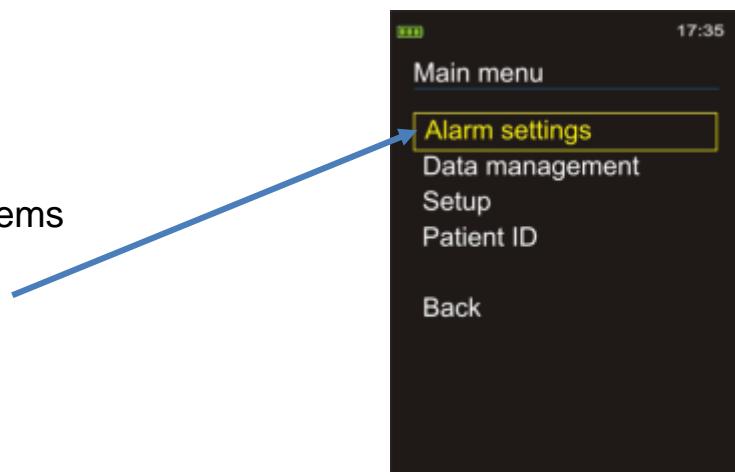
- Press and hold button  for 3 seconds
- If the initial condition for the warning is still present after resetting the alarm, the alarm will return immediately
- Parameters which have been set by the user will remain once an alarm is reset.



## Menu structure

### Main menu

- Use the button  to get into the main menu
- Use the buttons  to scroll through menu items
- The currently selected menu item is highlighted
- Press the button  to confirm your selection
- Select the menu item 'Back' to return to the previous menu level, or  
alternatively use the menu button  as shortcut for "Back".



## Alarm settings

### Adjusting Settings

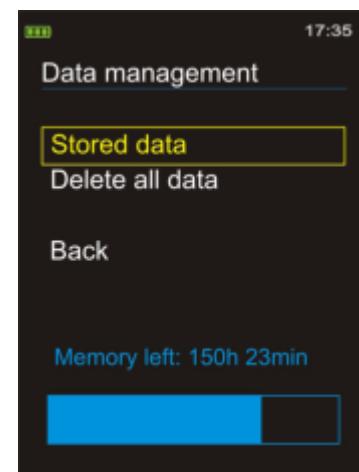
- Use the button  to get into the Alarm settings menu
- Use the buttons  to scroll through setting items
- Use the Alarm settings menu to set the upper and lower alarm limit with the  buttons
- Select “- -” to deactivate the respective alarm limit
- Use the button  to get into the last menu or use  to get into the main menu
- After restarting the device, the default alarm limits will be reset



## Data management

### Stored Data and Delete All Data

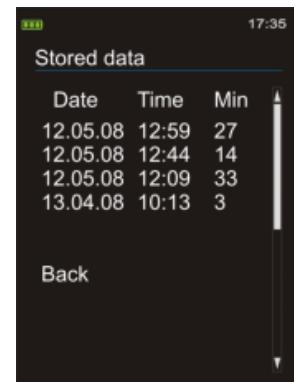
- Use the button  to get into the submenu
- Use the buttons  to scroll through the stored data
- Use the button  to get into the last menu or use  to get into the main menu



## Stored data

### Detailed information

- Retrieve the selected data set by pressing the  button
- The stored measurements are displayed in graphic form together with the date, start time, duration of the recording and Patient ID



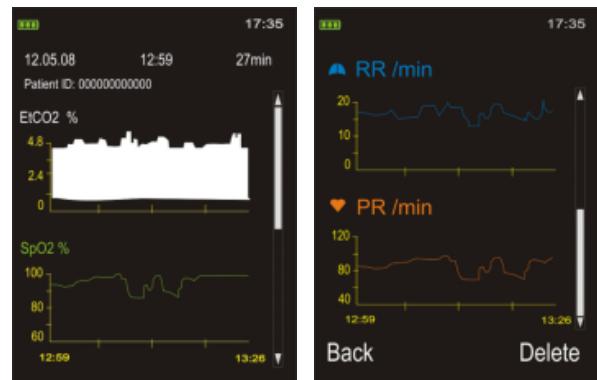
- The colour code of the displayed data is:

EtCO<sub>2</sub> – white

SpO<sub>2</sub> – green

Respiration rate – blue

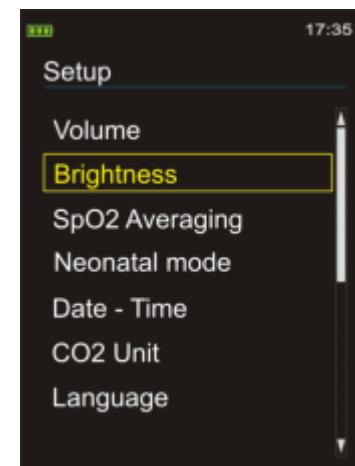
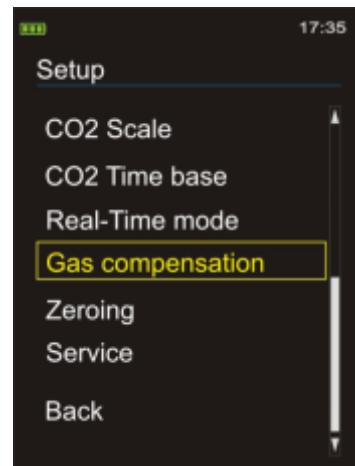
Pulse rate - orange



## Set up

### Adjusting parameters

- Use the buttons  to scroll through the menu items
- This submenu offers access to various device settings; confirm selection by pressing the  button



## Parameter

### Volume

- Adjust the pulse tone volume using the  buttons
- Confirm the new setting by pressing the  button

### Volume Control Shortcut

- If the  button is pressed during any monitoring display mode, the volume control screen will open.

Adjust the volume using the  buttons.

Confirm the new setting by pressing the  button



## Parameter

### Brightness

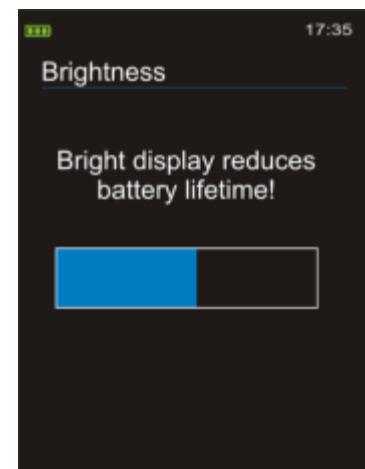
- Adjust the display brightness using the  buttons
- Confirm the new setting by pressing the  button

### Brightness Control Shortcut

- If the  button is pressed during any monitoring display mode, the brightness control screen will open.

Adjust the brightness using the  buttons

Confirm the new setting by pressing the  button



**Note:** high brightness settings will shorten the battery life.

## Parameter

### Power save mode

- The device's display can be turned off to save power and extend battery life. This can be accomplished by pressing and holding the  button: a countdown will start, after which the display will be switched off.

The device is now in economy power mode.

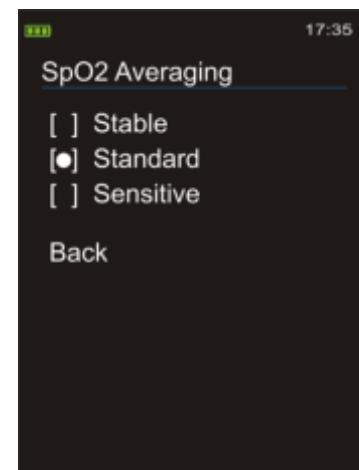
- Press any button to reactivate the display



## Parameter

### SpO<sub>2</sub> Averaging

- **Stable:** When this setting is selected, sudden variations in data will not immediately affect the reading; data is averaged over a longer period to smooth out minor irregularities
- **Standard:** Averaging parameters used for this setting are between those of the stable and sensitive settings
- **Sensitive:** The reading is more sensitive to irregularities but reacts very quickly to any changes in measured parameters



## Parameter

### SpO<sub>2</sub> Averaging

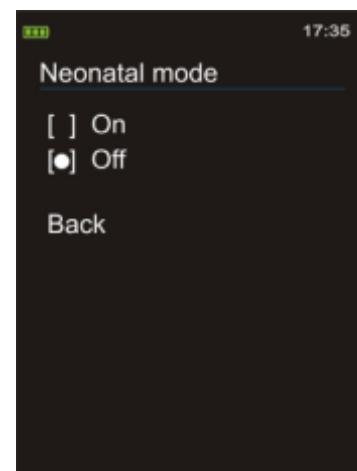
- Pulse oximeter parameter renews

Measurement dynamics		Beat to beat min / max	Sensitive min / max	Standard min / max	Stable min / max
SpO <sub>2</sub>	First reaction after	n/a	1 sec	2 sec	4 sec
	Determined value after another	n/a	4 sec	8 sec	12 sec
Pulse Rate	First reaction after	1 sec / 7 sec	1 sec / 7 sec	1 sec / 7 sec	1 sec / 7 sec
	Determined value after another	n/a	1 sec / 4 sec	1 sec / 6 sec	1 sec / 8 sec

## Parameter

### Neonatal mode

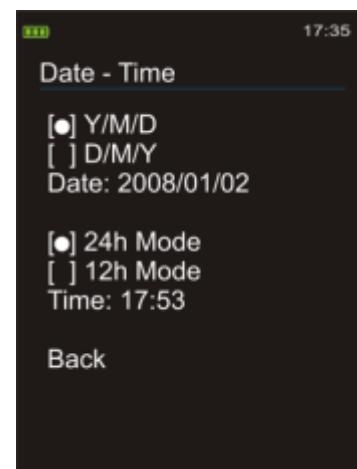
- The neonatal symbol indicates that the neonatal mode is activated
- In this mode the default alarm limits are adjusted to neonatal default settings



## Parameter

### Date and Time

- Select between Y/M/D and D/M/Y mode
- Select between 12h mode and 24h mode
- Set the date and time
- Settings for the date and time are not erased when the batteries are temporarily removed



## Parameter

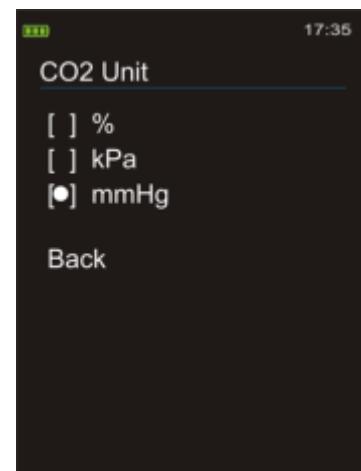
### CO<sub>2</sub> unit

- By changing the CO<sub>2</sub> unit, the measurement values and default limits of EtO<sub>2</sub> and FiCO<sub>2</sub> are converted accordingly
- For conversion to the units kPa and mmHg an automatic barometric pressure compensation is performed:

1 mmHg = 1.33 mbar = 133 Pa = 1.33 hPa

1 mbar = 100 Pa = 1 hPa = 0,75 mmHg

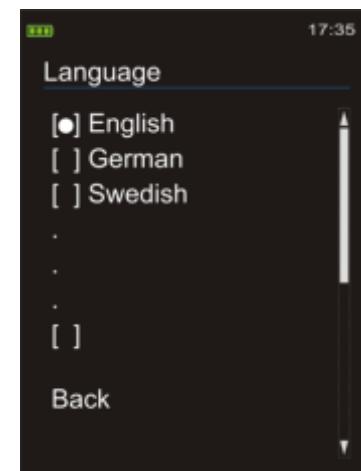
1 Vol% is approximately 7 mmHg



## Parameter

### Language

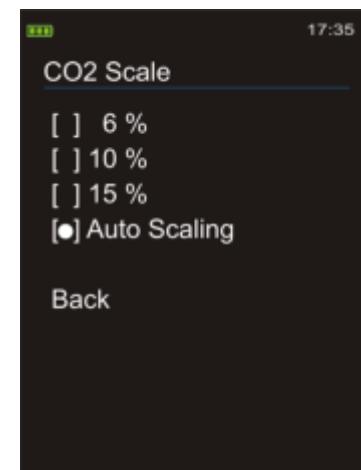
- All messages and menus will be displayed in the selected language
- The standard language package comprises up to 16 languages



## Parameter

### CO<sub>2</sub> Scale

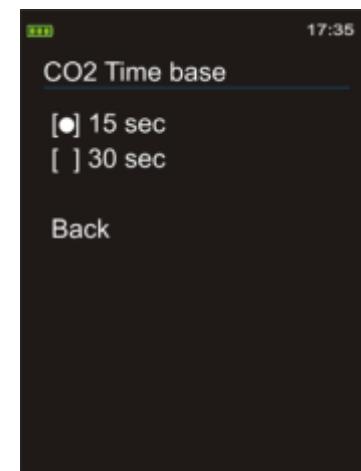
- The scale maximum of the capnogram and CO<sub>2</sub> trend can be fixed to 6 %, 10 % or 15 %
- Select the option “Auto Scaling” for optimal amplitude scaling of the data
- Depending on the selected CO<sub>2</sub> scale, the values will be adjusted accordingly



## Parameter

### CO<sub>2</sub> Time base

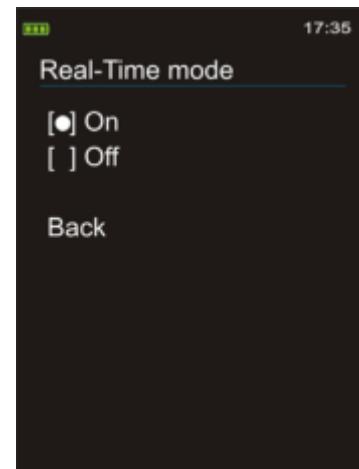
- For an optimal time resolution the time base of the capnogram can be adjusted to 15 seconds or 30 seconds



## Parameter

### Real-Time mode

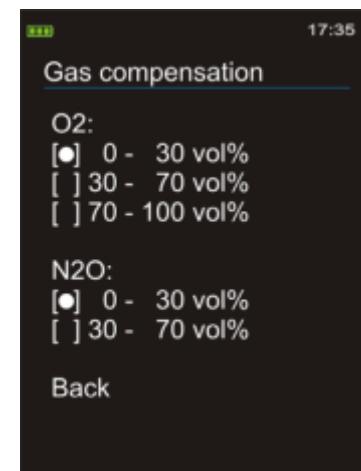
- The Real-Time mode symbol  indicates that the Real-Time mode is activated
- Activation of the Real-Time mode enables visualization and storage of measurement data on a PC
- In this mode the ongoing measurement values of EtCO<sub>2</sub>, FiCO<sub>2</sub>, SpO<sub>2</sub>, respiration rate and pulse rate are available every second at the USB port for download to the PC



## Parameter

### Gas compensation

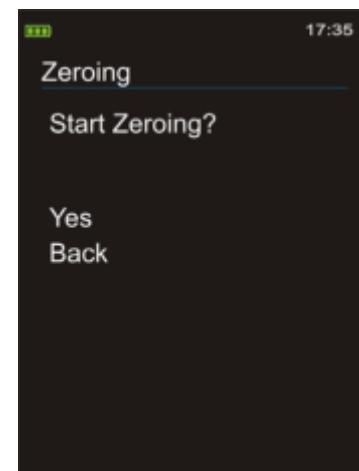
- The presence of oxygen and nitrous oxide can cause some interference in the CO<sub>2</sub> measurement
- These interferences are compensated by setting the range of O<sub>2</sub> and N<sub>2</sub>O concentration under the menu point “Gas compensation”



## Parameter

### Zeroing

- Zeroing needs to be performed only when an offset in EtCO<sub>2</sub> and FiCO<sub>2</sub> values is observed, or when an unspecified accuracy message is displayed
- Warning: incorrect zeroing will result in false CO<sub>2</sub> gas readings



## Settings

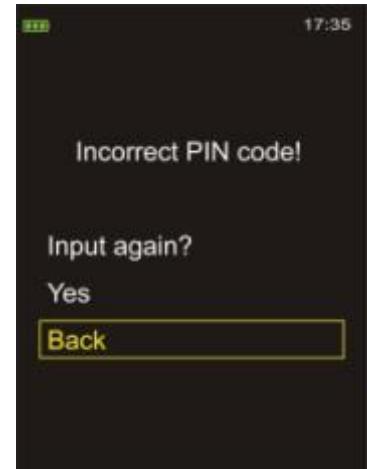
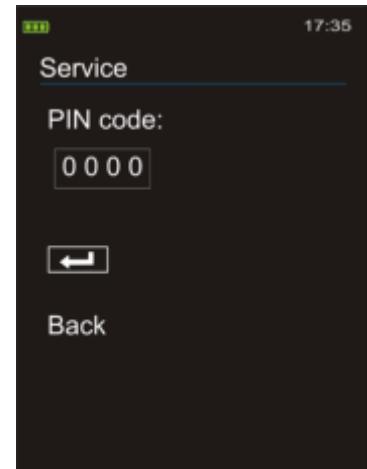
### Default start settings

- Changed settings are in effect only as long as the VM-2500 remains switched on.
- Once the VM-2500 has been switched off, at the next start up, the default settings will be in effect.
- The start up defaults can be changed in the PIN protected Service Menu.
- Only authorized service personnel can access this menu.

## Parameter

### Service menu

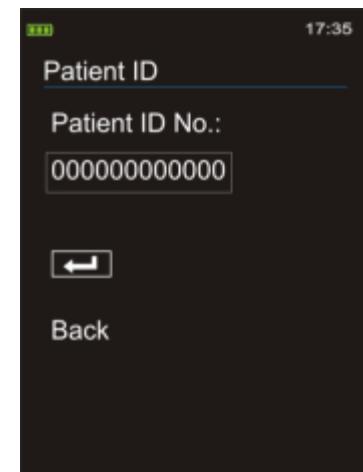
- The Service submenu is protected by a PIN code; only authorized service personnel can access this menu
- The service menu is available only in English
- Device languages settings have no effect on the service menu



## Parameter

### Patient ID

- The VM-2500 features the possibility of saving a 12-digit numerical patient ID together with every created data file
- If the Patient ID is changed via the menu during measurement, the current data file is closed and a new data file with the new Patient ID is opened
- A message is displayed to inform the user



## Technical specifications

### Parameters displayed

- Numerical:
  - End-tidal CO<sub>2</sub> concentration (EtCO<sub>2</sub>)
  - Inspired CO<sub>2</sub> concentration (FiCO<sub>2</sub>)
  - Oxygen saturation (SpO<sub>2</sub>)
  - Respiration rate (RR)
  - Pulse rate (PR)
- Graphical:
  - Capnogram
  - Plethysmogram
  - Trends of numerical data (15min / 1h / 6h)

## Technical specifications

### Alarms

- Limits: Adjustable limits for all numerical parameters
- Alerts: Audible and visual alarms (**complies with EN 60601-1-8**)

### Storing data

- Communication interface: USB 2.0
- Data memory on device: up to 400 hours in total, sampled every 8 seconds
- Real-Time mode: sends and stores numerical parameters every second on PC
- PC Software: VM-2500 Windows PC software (for data download and Real-Time)

## Technical specifications

### **Warm up time**

- < 10 seconds (concentrations reported and full accuracy)
- **Measurement range**
- EtCO<sub>2</sub> and FiCO<sub>2</sub>: 0 - 15%
- Respiration rate: 0 - 150 breaths/min
- **Accuracy**
- EtCO<sub>2</sub> and FiCO<sub>2</sub>: +/- (0.2 Vol%. + 2% of reading),  
+/- (0.3 Vol% + 4% of reading.) incl. interfering gases
- Respiration rate: +/-1 digit

## Technical specifications

### Parameter renewals

- EtCO<sub>2</sub> and FiCO<sub>2</sub>: Displayed after one breath and then a continually updated breath average
- Respiration rate: Displayed after three breaths and then average value updated every breath

### Measurement Range

- SpO<sub>2</sub>: 0 - 100%
- Pulse Rate: 20 - 300 beats/min

## Technical specifications

### Accuracy

- $\text{SpO}_2$ : +/- 2% (70 to 100%)
- Pulse Rate: +/- 1 digit (up to 100 beats/min) or +/- 1% (> 100 beats/min)

### Parameter renewals

- First displayed value after application:  $\text{SpO}_2$ : between 3 seconds and 7 seconds, depending on measurement conditions
- Pulse rate: between 5 seconds and 8 seconds, depending on measurement conditions

## Technical specifications

### Display

- Active OLED colour graphic display, 262,000 colours, 240 x 320 pixels

### Dimensions

- (L x W x H): 15 cm x 7.5 cm x 3.5 cm

### Weight

- < 400 g (complete device with batteries)

### Operating conditions

- 0 - 50°C, 15 - 95% R.H. (non-condensing), 60 - 120 kPa (excl. Li-Poly battery)

### Storage conditions

- -30 - 70°C, 10 - 95% R.H. (non-condensing), 60 - 120 kPa (excl. Li-Poly battery)

## Technical specifications

### General Classification

- The device is not suitable for use in the presence of a flammable anaesthetic gas mixture
- No sterile parts are included
- Mode of operation: Continuous operation

### Construction

- Water-resistant construction of class IPX1 (with silicone cover)

### Classification (according to MDD 93/42/EEC)

- Class IIb

### Electrical safety

- Class of protection II / Type BF – Type and degree of protection against electrical shock



## Maintenance

### Calibration-free

- The monitor requires no routine calibration
- If service is necessary, contact qualified service personnel or your local sales representative
- There are no user-serviceable parts within the VM-2500. The cover should only be removed by qualified service personnel.
- The VM-2500 requires no routine calibration. A basic planned preventative maintenance programmed conducted by qualified service personnel is recommended.
- Please refer to the Service Manual for detailed information

## Cleaning

### Surface clean

- The VM-2500 and its accessories should be cleaned on a regular basis. Use a soft cloth dampened with either a commercial, non-abrasive cleaner, or a solution of 70% alcohol in water to clean the device. Lightly wipe the surface of the monitor.
- Do not allow liquids to enter the VM-2500 sidestream device through the gas input.
- Do not immerse the VM-2500 or its accessories in liquid.
- Do not spray, pour, or spill any liquid on the VM-2500, its accessories, connectors, switches, or openings in the enclosure as this may result in damage to the unit.

## **Disinfection**

### **Disinfection of unit and accessories**

- Use a soft cloth saturated with a solution of 10% chlorine bleach in tap water to disinfect the device housing.
- Use 70% alcohol to disinfect the IRMA CO<sub>2</sub> Analyzer and the SpO<sub>2</sub> sensor.
- Do not autoclave or steam sterilize the VM-2500 device, or its disposable accessories.
- Do not autoclave or steam sterilize the IRMA CO<sub>2</sub> Analyzer or sampling lines.

## Testing

### **Test of the alarm system**

- Test for disconnection alarms by disconnecting CO2 sampling system or SpO2 sensor
- To trigger an alarm for test purposes during monitoring, set the upper alarm limit for a parameter below the currently indicated measurement value, the device will react with a visual and audible alarm

## Testing

### **Test of the measurement accuracy CO<sub>2</sub> and SpO<sub>2</sub>**

- The CO<sub>2</sub> and SpO<sub>2</sub> modules of the VM-2500 are permanently factory calibrated, should verification of accuracy be required, please contact Viamed.

## **Zeroing the capnograph**

### **Mainstream VM-2500-M**

- Zeroing needs to be performed only when an offset in gas values is observed, or when an unspecified accuracy message is displayed. To zero the device:
- First connect a new IRMA™ airway adapter onto the IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> analyzer, without connecting the airway adapter to the patient circuit.
- Allow 10 seconds for warm up of the IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> analyzer after power on or after changing the IRMA™ airway adapter before proceeding with the zeroing procedure.
- Select MAIN MENU > SETUP > ZEROING at the monitor
- Ensure that ambient air (21% O<sub>2</sub> and 0% CO<sub>2</sub>) is present in the IRMA™ airway adapter

## **Zeroing the capnograph**

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- Start the zeroing by selecting “Yes” when the message “Start Zeroing?” is displayed.
- The message “Zeroing completed !” indicates that the zeroing was successful.
- Special care should be taken to avoid breathing near the airway adapter before or during the zeroing procedure.
- Always perform a pre-use check after zeroing the IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> analyzer.
- A successful zeroing requires the presence of ambient air (21% O<sub>2</sub> and 0% CO<sub>2</sub>) in the IRMA™ airway adapter during zeroing. Incorrect zeroing of the IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> analyzer will result in false gas readings

## **Zeroing the capnograph**

### **Sidestream VM-2500-S**

- The VM-2500-S performs zeroing automatically by switching the gas sampling from the respiratory circuit to ambient air. The automatic zeroing is performed every 24 hours and takes less than 3 seconds
- Manual induced zeroing is also possible, however, this needs to be performed only when an offset in gas values is observed, or when an unspecified accuracy message is displayed:
  - First connect a VersaStream sampling line to the VM-2500-S
  - Allow 10 seconds for warm up of the ISA™ module after power on or after changing the sampling line before proceeding with the zeroing procedure.

## **Zeroing the capnograph**

### **Sidestream VM-2500-S**

- Select MAIN MENU > SETUP > ZEROING at the monitor.
- Ensure that the monitor is placed in a well ventilated environment. Avoid breathing near the monitor housing
- Start the zeroing by selecting “Yes” when the message “Start Zeroing?” is displayed.
- The message “Zeroing completed !” indicates that the zeroing was successful.
- Since a successful zeroing requires the presence of ambient air (21% O<sub>2</sub> and 0% CO<sub>2</sub>) in the device, ensure that the VM-2500-S is placed in a well ventilated environment. Avoid breathing near the VM-2500-S before or during the zeroing procedure.
- Incorrect zeroing of the integrated ISA™ CO<sub>2</sub> analyzer will result in false gas readings

## **VM-2500 PC-Software**

### **Download of records and Real-Time-Monitoring**

- With the user-friendly VM-2500 PC-Software, all measurement data, selected alarm limits and alarm messages can be stored on a PC via the USB interface
- The data can be viewed and patient data added on the PC
- The file can be printed or exported as CSV file for processing with additional software
- Furthermore the software can be used to display and save measurement values and alarm messages on a PC, parallel to ongoing measurements
- To enable this function the Real-Time mode has to be selected on the device
- During this mode the device sends the current EtCO<sub>2</sub>, FiCO<sub>2</sub>, SpO<sub>2</sub>, respiration rate and pulse rate measurement values every second via USB to the PC

## Component list and ordering information

### Packing list for VM-2500-M

- Mainstream device
- IRMA™ CO<sub>2</sub> analyzer
- IRMA™ airway adapter  
(adult/paediatric)
- Reusable SpO<sub>2</sub> sensor (selectable)
- USB data cable
- Power supply

- Power supply adapter (UK plug)
- Power supply adapter (European plug)
- Li-Poly battery (CT-2500)
- 4 x Batteries (AA)
- Silicone protective cover
- User manual + PC software  
(CD-ROM)

## Component list and ordering information

### Packing list of VM-2500-S

- Sidestream device
- Disposable sampling line
- Reusable SpO<sub>2</sub> sensor (selectable)
- USB data cable
- Power supply

- Power supply adapter (UK plug)
- Power supply adapter (European plug)
- Li-Poly battery (CT-2500)
- 4 x Batteries (AA)
- Silicone protective cover
- User manual + PC software (CD-ROM)

## Accessories

A wide range of accessories and sampling lines are available, including:

- Pole mounting clamps
- Rail mounting clamps
- Universal mounting clamps
- Protective silicone covers
- Protective rubber boot / instrument case
- Padded carrying bags

Please see supporting product literature or contact Viamed for further information.



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