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**AIR JACKETED CO2
INCUBATOR LX101AJI**

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1. Safety Measures

- Before use, just make sure that the power supply has a voltage in compliance with the requirement of the Product.
- A separate power socket should be used and make sure the plug and socket are properly grounded
- When the product is running, do not pull out and plug in the power plug randomly without turning **OFF** the power switch.
- Random extension or cutting of the product power cable is prohibited
- To take out the power plug, make sure not to pull directly the power cable
- The product should be located on a solid and hard surface to keep it in a horizontal mode
- Keep a distance around the equipment
- Each time after the product is used for the experiment, water content shall be dried out from the inner chamber to avoid any rust and corrosion that may affect the lifetime
- The product should be placed on the bench, with the case stand firmly fixed to avoid any movement that may damage the product and cause human injury
- Avoid opening or closing the box door heavily; otherwise doing so will cause the falling of the box door, damage to the product, and injury accident
- If the product is stored for a long time, regular heating shall be applied to eliminate humidity and avoid any damage to the parts.

2. Introduction

This equipment is designed with polished stainless-steel shelves and semicircular arcs at corners for easy cleaning and a microprocessor-based PID controller with a large LCD screen. Delivers a higher level of performance for a dependable in-vitro growth environment through an air jacket that provides true temperature uniformity and CO₂ gas control. Equipped with a Hot Air sterilizing Circulation System and UV light system for periodic sterilization of the chamber (optional) which stands as the ultimate reason behind a successful incubation.

3. Features

- Microprocessor-based PID controller with a large LCD screen
- Standard sterilization method is 90° moist heat disinfection
- Stainless-steel chamber, shelves and semicircular arcs
- Microorganism filter at inlet provides 99% filtration of bacteria and dust as well as supplies pure CO₂ into the incubator
- Auto-controller of fan speed to prevent sample damage
- Doors temperature controller prevents dewfall on the glass doors
- Separate temperature-limiting alarm system for safe usage
- Alarm function for temperature difference, over CO₂ concentration, doors open time, UV working status, etc

4. Specifications

Model No.	LX101AJI
Chamber volume	155 L
Shelves	3 Pcs
Heating method	Air-jacketed, PID control
Temperature range	RT + 5 - 55 °C
Ambient temperature	RT + 5 - 30 °C
Temperature stability	± 0.1°C
CO2 Range	0 - 20 % V/V
CO2 Control resolution	± 0.1 % (IR sensor)
CO2 Recovery	(Door open 30s, recovery to 5 %) ≤ 3 min
Temperature recovery	Temperature Recovery (Door open 30s, recovery to 37 °C) ≤ 8 min
Humidity method	Natural vaporization > 95 %
Voltage	AC 220V / 50 Hz
Power consumption	750 W
Interior dimension	480 × 530 × 610 mm
Exterior dimension	670 × 767 × 880 mm
Packing dimension (W × D × H)	840 x 790 x 1070 mm
Gross weight	115 kg

5. Applications

Used in tissue culture, in vitro fertilization, Neuroscience, Cancer research, Stem cell research, Regenerative medicine, Mammalian cell research etc.

6. Instrument Introduction

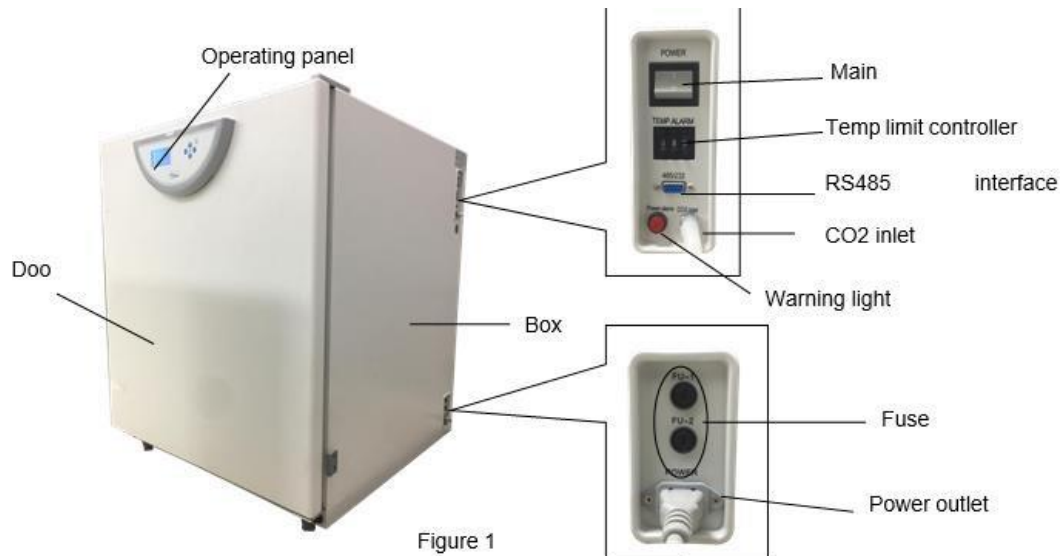


Figure 1

Figure.1

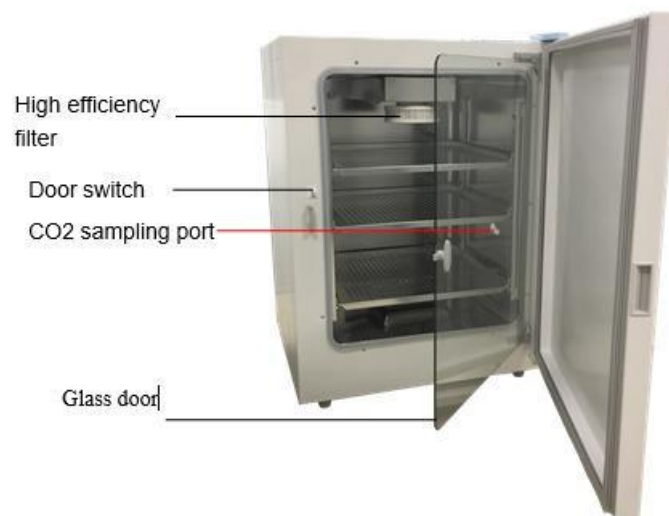





Figure.2

- Symbols involved in the incubator**

 : Protective earth terminal symbol

 : Power "off" symbol

 : Power "on" Symbol

7. Installation

7.1 Installation and connection of CO2 steel cylinder

- The pressure release valve supplied with the unit is installed on the CO2 steel cylinder.
- No leakage is permissible at the joint and the steel cylinder is not opened for the time being. The output joint of the release valve is connected to the CO2 inlet joint behind the CO2 incubator with a silicone rubber hose and tightened with a packing washer against leakage

7.2 Cleaning and disinfection

- The work chamber of the CO2 incubator should be cleaned with alcohol and the door should be opened to put in the self-contained disinfectant for disinfection
- Use 75% alcohol to clean the working room of the CO2 box. If it is equipped with a UV germicidal lamp, turn on the power switch of the UV lamp to disinfect the working

7.3 Schematic diagram of high-efficiency filter installation

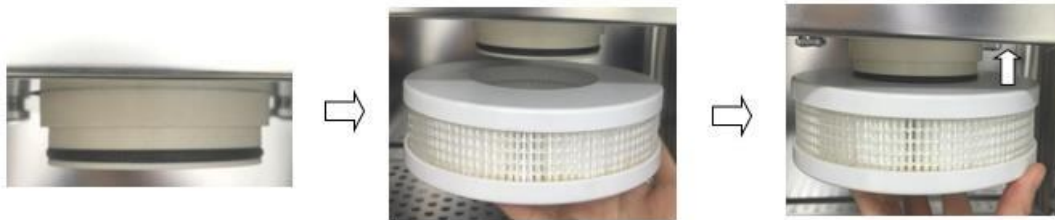


Figure.3

8. Operations

8.1 Operating panel

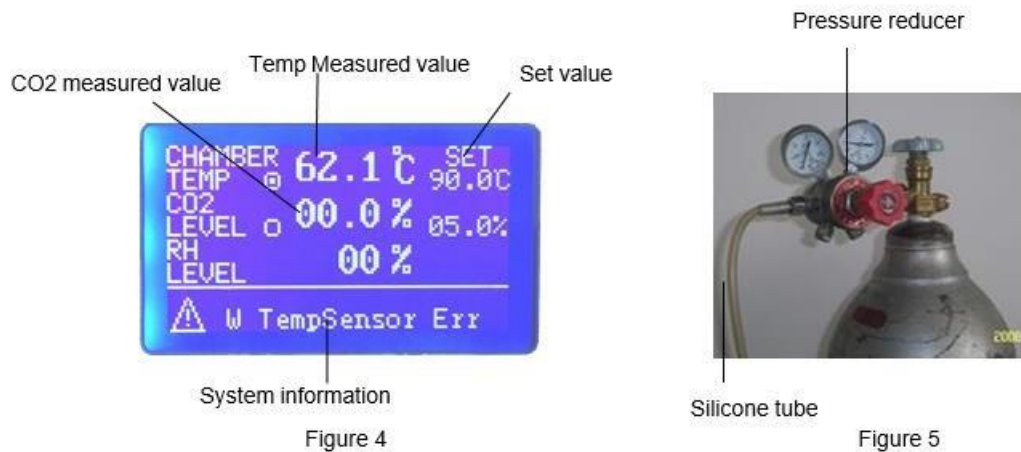
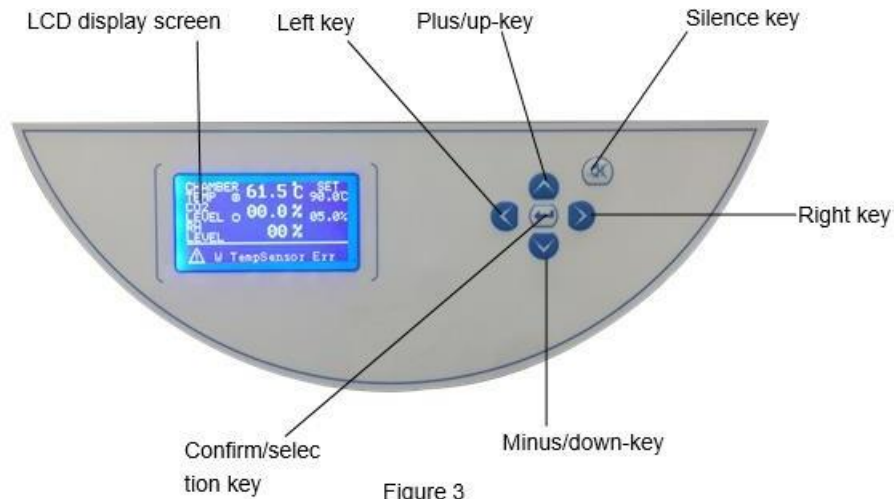









Figure. 4

8.2 Methods of operation

a) Sterilization

- High-temperature sterilization operation method: (Note: The high-efficiency filter device must be removed before high-temperature sterilization.)

- In the power **ON** state, press  confirm/select key, and the display shows the interface press  minus/down key to “Disinfection”, and press
- And right  key, the display shows the interface
- Use  to add/ Move up  key or minus/ move down key, select “ON” or “OFF”, “ON” means turn **ON** high-temperature sterilization function, “OFF” means turn off high-temperature
- sterilization function & press  the left key to return to the interface, and then press  to return to the main site of the interface.

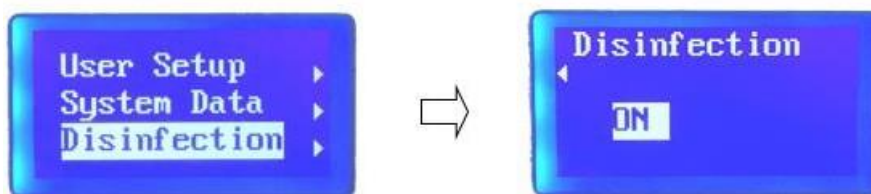


Figure.5

8.3 Start Up

- Unscrew the valve in the steel cylinder clockwise then open the CO2 steel cylinder. so that the CO2 pressure in the cylinder indicated by the inlet pressure gauge on the valve may reach ~5Mpa
- Turn the valve button slowly clockwise so that the output pressure may reach 0.05Mpa
- Switch the power to the “I” position and then LCD display screen will shine, showing such information as measured temperature, CO2 concentration, and system condition which means energization of the product and beginning of heating and gas supply
- About ten minutes later the LCD display screen shows respectively that the measured temperature in the incubator is equal to the set value (set at 37°C upon delivery) and the measured CO2 concentration is equal to the set value.
- One hour after the temperature in the incubator becomes stable (for the set value upon delivery refer to blow fan speed change-time interface in the program chart (II)), the blower fan will switch to a lower speed operation automatically to reduce CO2 leakage
- At the end of the test switch POWER to the “O” position, and open the door to takeout the samples for cleaning up and drying
- With the valve on the CO2 steel cylinder closed, switch POWER to the “I” position again so that the CO2 incubator may work for 2 hours at a temperature of 50°C to dry up the work chamber before cutting off the main power and unplugging the unit

8.4 Parameter setting

a) Change of user "User setup" parameter

- With reference to the program chart (I) press \leftarrow key and the LCD screen will display the interface. When the user setup displays a black base frame press \triangleright key to enter the interface to set up temperature and CO2 concentration
- When TEMP Ctrl Point displays a black base frame, press the key \triangleright to enter the interface of TEMP Ctrl Point. When the temperature value displays a black base frame, re-set up with Δ and ∇ keys. At the end of the setup, press the key for confirmation and then press a key to return to the interface.
- If CO2 Ctrl Point is selected at the interface press ∇ key. When the CO2 Ctrl point displays a black base frame, press the key again to enter the interface of "CO2 Ctrl Point" When the CO2 value displays a black frame use the Δ ; ∇ keys to reset. After setting, press the key \leftarrow and then press the key to return to the interface
- When an alarm sound is heard, it can disappear by pressing the silence

8.5 Over-Temperature Protector

- a) The over-temperature protector is an independent protection system. When the controller fails and the temperature is out of control, when the temperature in the working room reaches the temperature limit set the value of the over-temperature dial, the over-temperature protector will automatically cut off the heating and sound an alarm
- b) As shown in the right figure) When the temperature in the working room is lower than the limit value the protective system will be cancelled and the instrument resumes work. Such circulation will continue till the fault is removed.
- c) The specific operation is done as follows:
 - The set value of the temperature limit should be bigger or equal to $SV+2^{\circ}\text{C}$
 - The required limit that the temperature is set by the $+$ and $-$ buttons on the over-temperature dial on the panel
 - For example : $SV=37^{\circ}\text{C}$,
 - Then 39°C should be set up.

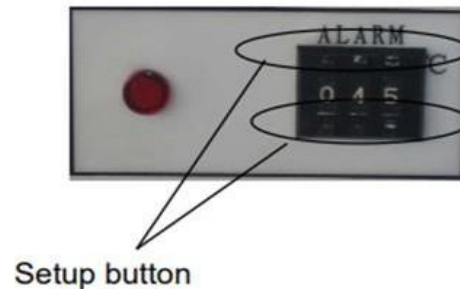
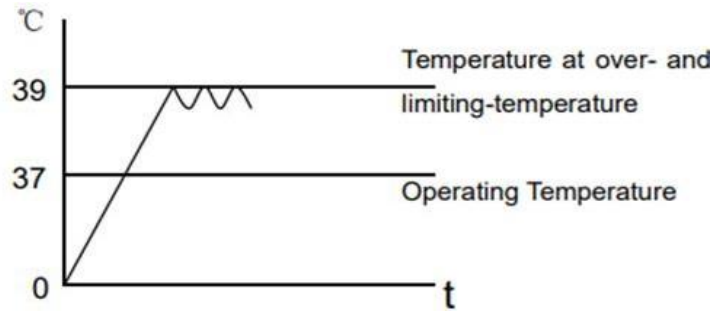


Figure.6

8.6 Attachments

a) Attachment 1: Pollution check

- i. Two culture dishes with culture are prepared, one is for artificial pollution and the other is not polluted at all.
- ii. You can breathe out to the surface of the first dish and then put it into the incubator for culture after covering; and the other half-opened dish without any pollution is also put in for culture.
- iii. If bacteria grow in the dish with artificial pollution, no bacterial should do in the control, which shows the incubator is clean after disinfection

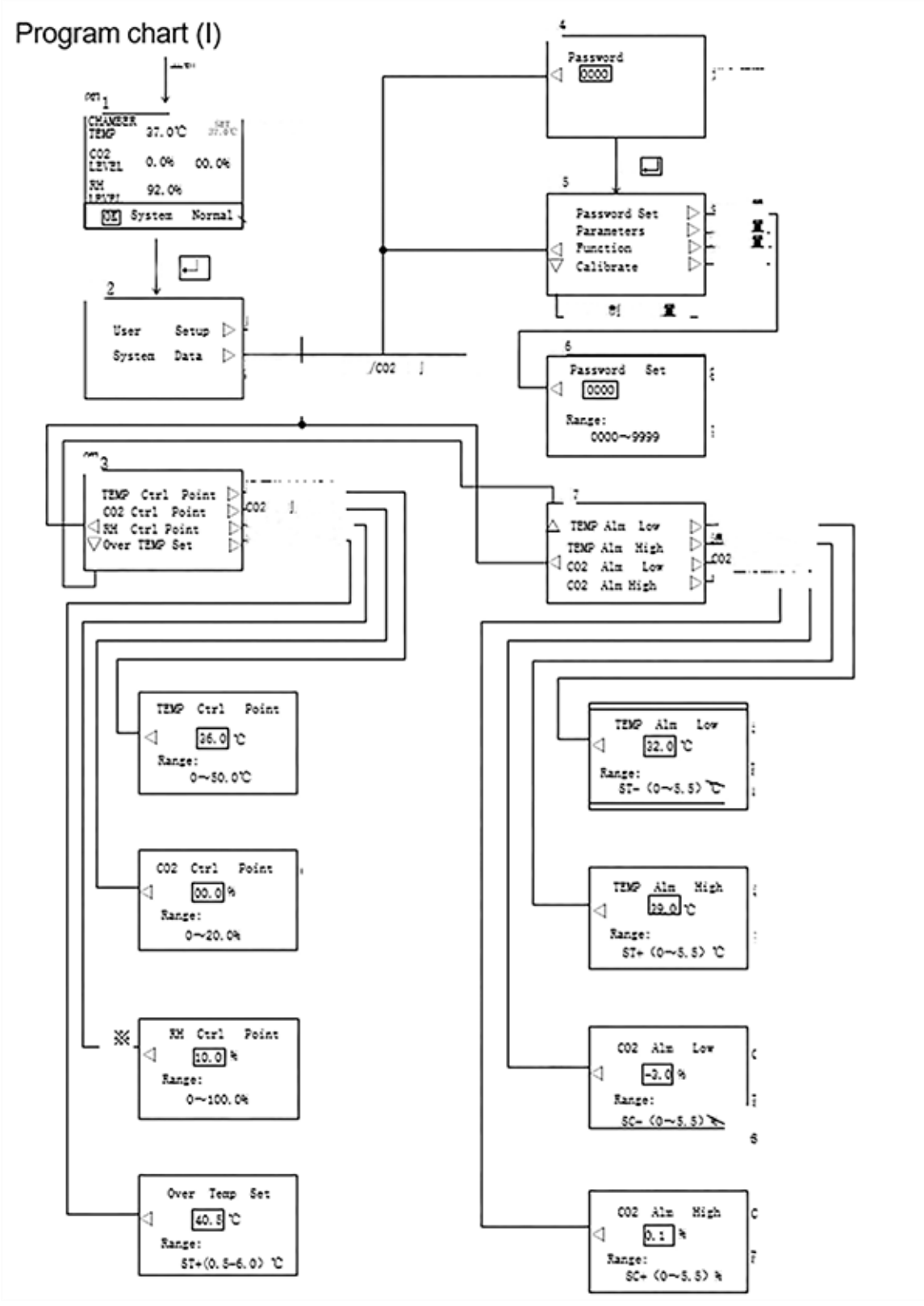
b) Attachment 2: Contrast of system information

SYSTEM NORMAL	The system is normal.
X-Temp Sensor Err	The incubator temperature sensor fails
W-Temp Sensor Err	The door temperature sensor fails.
C-Temp Sensor Err	Over-temperature sensor fails
Heat Fail	Heater fails
Over-Temp	Over-temperature alarm
Temp High	High-temperature alarm
Temp Low	Low-temperature alarm
CO2 High	High CO2 concentration alarm
CO2 Low	Low CO2 concentration alarm
RH Low	Low humidity alarm

c) Attachment 3: Program charts

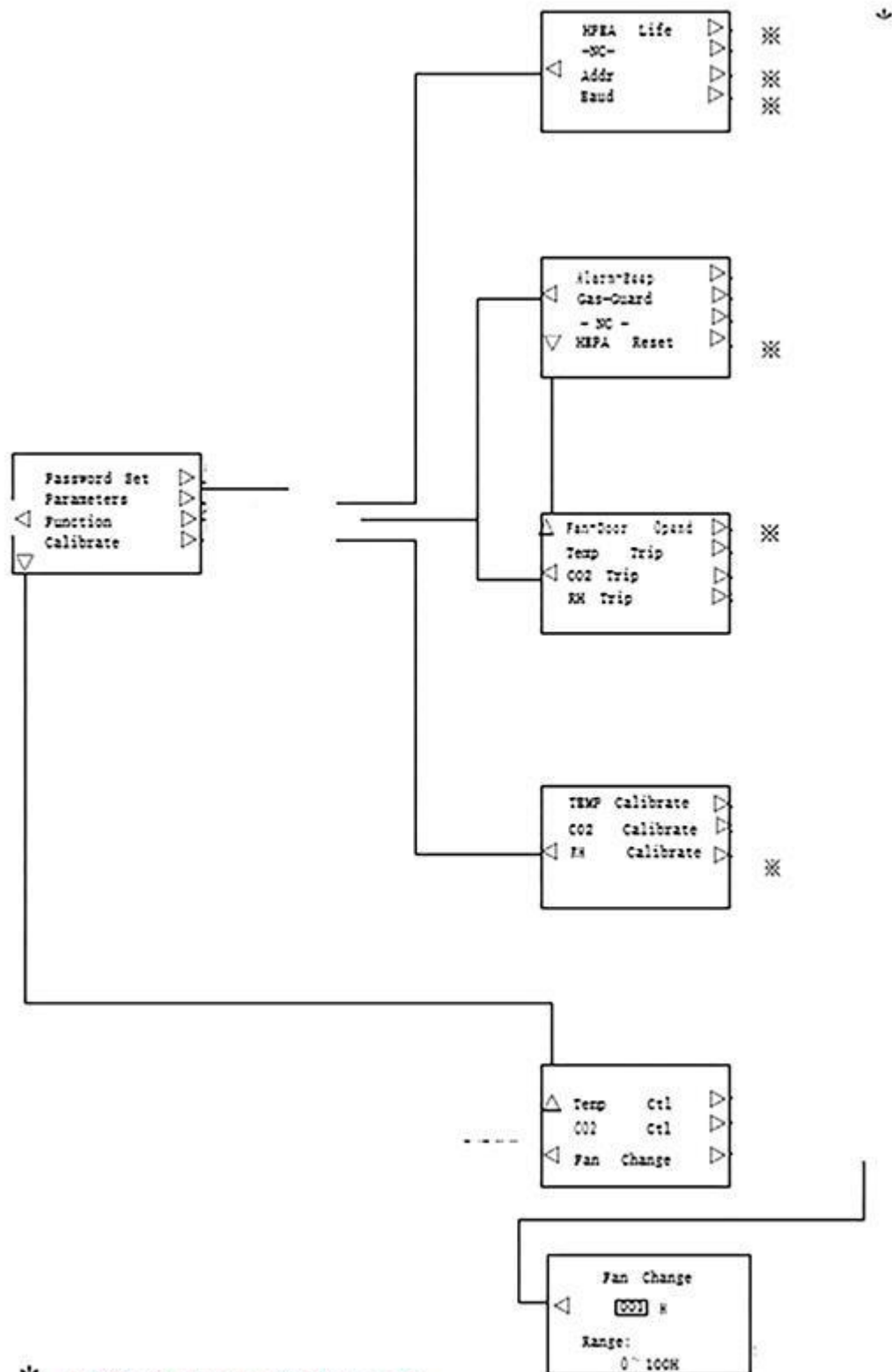
1. Program chart (I)
 - Such interfaces as “Operating Condition” of the CO2 incubator, “Password Set” “User Setup Temperature and CO2 Ctrl Point” and “Temperature andCO2 Alarm Point
2. Program chart (II) (III)
 - Such interfaces as CO2 incubator “Parameters”, “Function” “Calibrates ”
3. Program chart (IV)
 - Such interfaces as CO2 incubator “Temperature, CO2 Ctrl Point Calibration

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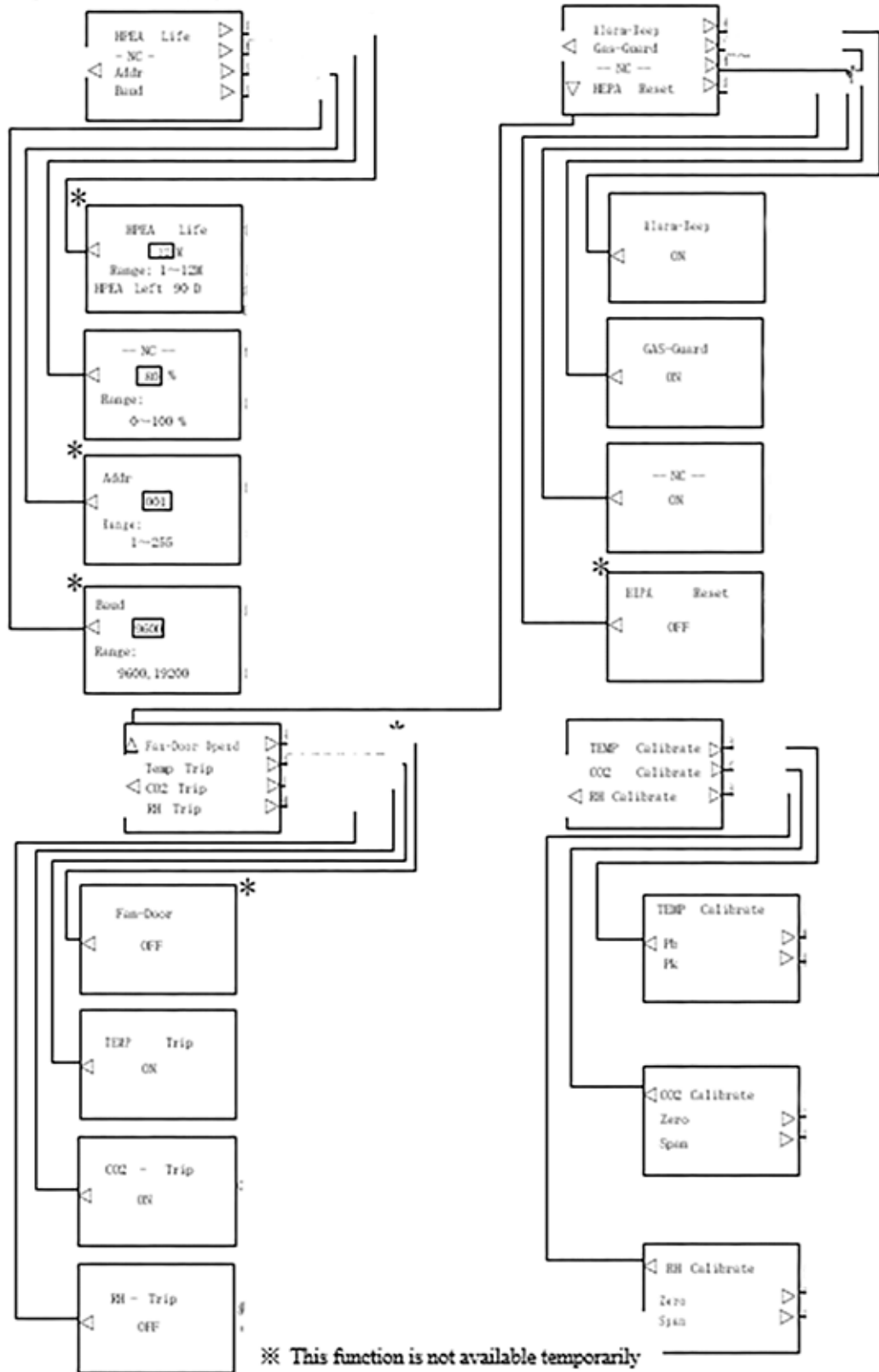
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Program chart (II)



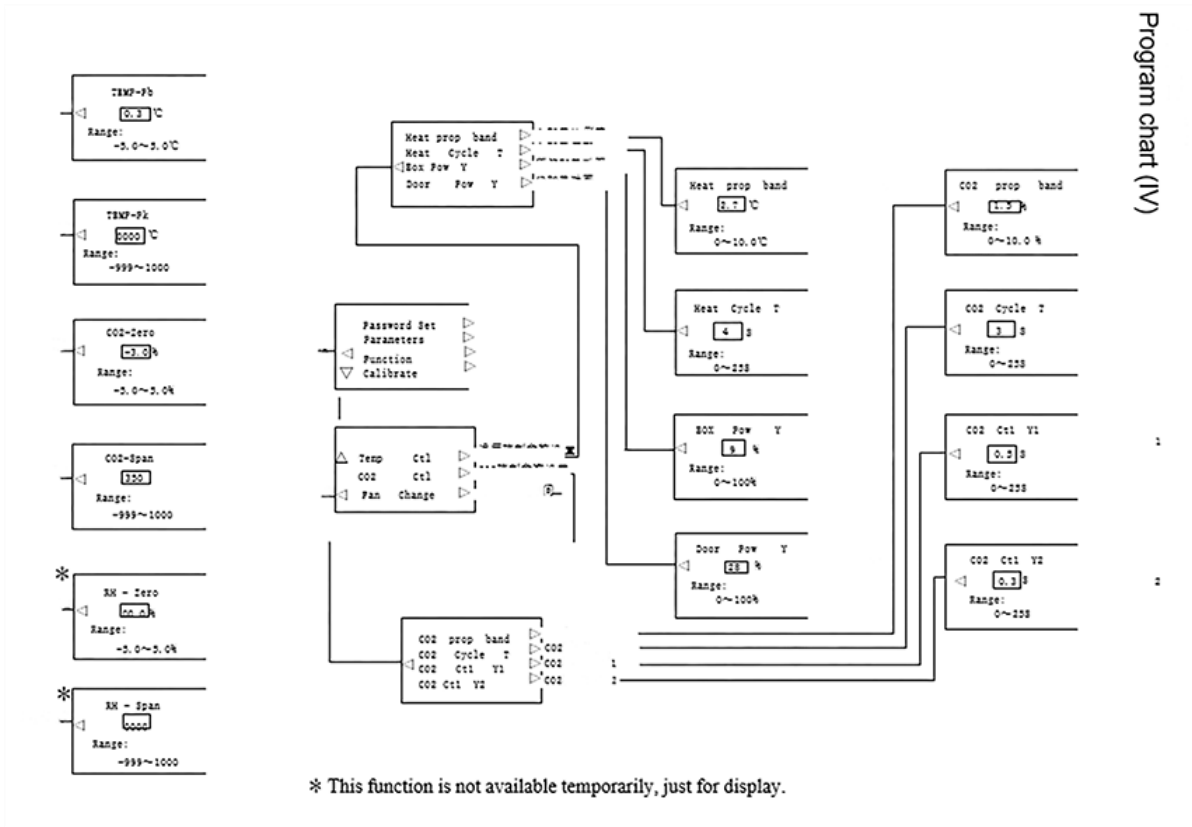
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Program chart (III)



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9. Troubleshooting

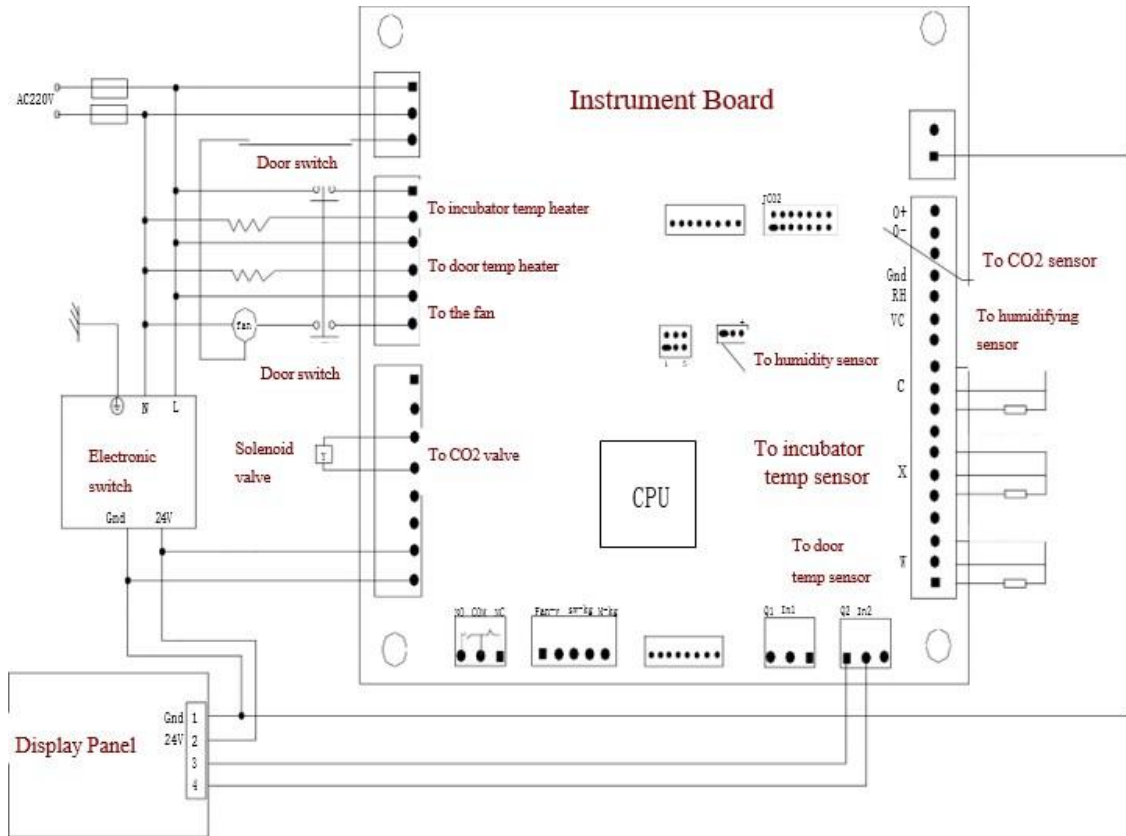
Sr.no	Symptoms	Cause	Solution
1.	No power after start-up	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The power socket is de-energized, and the display screen is not bright CO2 incubator power lead-in not connected properly Main power switch not turned ON or out of order Fuse broken 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Check the power socket and put it right Place correctly after checking for power lead-in and connector Switch the power to the 'I' position or replace it if any
2.	Low temp alarm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The door switch is out of work Controller is broken Heater disconnected or joint is loose 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The door switch is disconnected or out of order. Adjust the gap of the door latching glass door not closed tightly Control panel is replaced
3.	Low or high temp alarm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fan does not work or at slow speed Over room temperature Pt 100 poor control of contact 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adjust speed or replace the fan RT > 5 °C should be lowered Check for Pt100 wiring and replace it
4.	Over Temperature	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parameters such as proportion band are not set properly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Set it again
5.	Sensor error	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pt100 of XW/C is out of order or disconnected 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Replace it
6.	CO2 concentration not rising	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A CO2 steel cylinder has under-pressure, filter burst, or pipeline leaks 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Replace the steel cylinder and rubber tube and adjust the bacteria filter
7.	CO2 incubator leaks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fan axle office at each joint leaks or door seal leaks 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Put them right
8.	CO2 concentration deviates greatly	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parameters such as proportion band are not set properly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Set again
9.	The press key is not working	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Touch screen out of order 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Replace

10. Accessories

10.1 Optional Accessories

- Humidity display
- RS485 connector
- CO2 pressure-releasing valve
- UV sterilization

11. Circuit Diagram



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