

# GT Series ELECTRONIC BALANCES

Directions for Use and Maintenance

Please read this manual before you use your OHAUS Electronic Balance

MODELS GT 210, GT 410, GT 480, GT 2100, GT 4100, GT 4800



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WARNING: THIS EQUIPMENT GEN-ERATES, USES, AND CAN RADIATE RADIO FREQUENCY ENERGY AND IF NOT INSTALLED AND USED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE INSTRUC-**TION MANUAL, MAY CAUSE INTER-**FERENCE TO RADIO COMMUNICA-TIONS. IT HAS BEEN TESTED AND FOUND TO COMPLY WITH THE LIMITS FOR A CLASS "A" COMPUT-ING DEVICE PURSUANT TO SUB-PART J OF PART 15 OF FCC RULES, WHICH ARE DESIGNED TO PRO-VIDE REASONABLE PROTECTION AGAINST SUCH INTERFERENCE WHEN OPERATED IN A COMMERCIAL **ENVIRONMENT. OPERATION OF THIS EQUIPMENT IN A RESIDENTIAL AREA** IS LIKELY TO CAUSE INTERFERENCE. IN WHICH CASE THE USER AT HIS **OWN EXPENSE WILL BE REQUIRED** TO TAKE WHATEVER MEASURES MAY **BE REQUIRED TO CORRECT THE** INTERFERENCE.

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# PREFACE

Your Ohaus® GT Electronic Balance is a precision instrument designed to be versatile, accurate, and easy to operate. Your balance will reward you with many trouble-free weighings if it is handled carefully and maintained properly.

Along with the basic weighing capability, the following features are already included inside your product:

• Selectable Integration

Allows you to compensate for unstable weight readings due to excessive air currents or vibrations.

Stability Level

You can determine when the stability indicator will light based upon a particular range.

Select-A-Unit

Weighing units other than grams are available. This feature allows you to choose any of these units.

Aut-O-Tracking

Drift due to time and temperature can practically be eliminated by using this feature.

• Custom Units Using this feature you can program into the

balance three separate custom units of measure. By entering the factor which will convert from grams to your desired custom unit, you can weigh in practically any unit of measure.

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Check Weighing/Package Weight Control

By entering your target weight along with over and under limits you can use your balance to check and/or control package weight.

The displayed bar graph can be set to give rapid visual updates for filling applications. The Fill-Guide can be set to reflect any number from 1% of balance capacity to maximum capacity.

• Average Display Cycle

In certain applications, for example: animal weighing, it may be desirable to average a certain set of readings and display that average. This feature allows you to do that.

• Parts Counting Error Level

P.C. Err.

You can preselect the accuracy you require when counting parts. The balance will even tell you that more samples are needed to achieve your selected accuracy level.

To get the most out of your balance, PLEASE READ the INSTALLATION, SWITCH FUNCTION, and OPERATION sections of this manual. Once you familiarize yourself with your balance and its features, we are sure that you will find the small amount of time invested in reading the appropriate parts of this manual very worthwhile. Congratulations on your purchase and welcome to the Ohaus family of products. Remember, if you need any help, just let us know, but please READ THIS MANUAL FIRST.

# INSTALLATION

# • ENVIRONMENT

The balance should always be used in an environment which is free from excessive air currents, corrosives, vibration, temperature or humidity extremes. See "Hostile Environment" illustration.



### ASSEMBLY PROCEDURE

- 1. Packed along with your BALANCE please find: A Platform
  - A Platform Support
  - A Power Cord
  - This Instruction Manual
  - Your Warranty Card
  - Below Balance Weighing Hook
  - Draft Shield with Models GT 210, GT 410, and GT 480
- Carefully unpack the balance and other contents.
  - NOTE:

It is recommended that you save the packing material. It will be of value when storing and/or transporting your balance.

- 3. Place the balance on a reasonably level, stable work surface.
- If a Draft Shield is supplied, remove the Stainless Steel Plate and install the Draft Shield, using the hardware furnished.
- 5. Install the platform support and the platform.
- Level the balance by adjusting the two front leveling feet so that the spirit level at the rear of the balance is centered.

#### POWER REQUIREMENTS

#### WARNING:

- To avoid shock hazards, always be certain that the power cord is disconnected **BEFORE** removing the balance cover.
- Even though the balance may have been "switched OFF", high voltage is present inside the balance as long as the power cord is connected.
- A power cord has been furnished with the balance. DO NOT use any type of power cord other than the one furnished.
   DO NOT create a safety hazard by defeating the grounding feature.

#### VOLTAGE SETTING

The balance can be damaged if operated at an incorrect line voltage.

If, for any reason the balance HAS NOT been set to operate at your particular line voltage, it may be checked in the following manner:

- 1. Locate the fuseholder in the lower righthand corner of the rear of the balance (when viewed from the rear).
- 2. There is an arrow imprinted above the fuseholder, and the voltage (100, 120, 220 or 240) below the arrow indicates the line voltage. See illustration.



- 3. If your balance is NOT set for operation at the correct line voltage, remove the power cord and pry the fuseholder loose by inserting a small screwdriver blade in the slot. Remove the fuseholder and rotate it to the proper position with the correct line voltage lining up with the arrow. If necessary, install the correct fuse for the required line voltage. (See Replacement Parts List for fuse rating).
- 4. Insert the fuseholder.
- Connect the power cord. A red indicator light will illuminate (located in the lower left hand corner of the display) indicating that power has been applied to your balance.

# **SWITCH FUNCTIONS**

The pushbutton switches located on the front of the balance serve many functions. Please read the following information before pressing any of these switches.

### MOMENTARY

Momentarily pressing any of these switches after the balance is turned on, results in the following:



Pressing and holding either wore or TARE after the balance is turned on, results in the following:



Initializes the selection routine of any of the following features:

Allows you to calibrate your balance, using either the Span or Linearity calibration method (See Calibration Menu, page 12).

SETUP Menu

Allows you to customize the functions of your balance for your particular weighing application (See Setup, page 14).

PRINT Menu

SEEUP

MENU

Allows you to select the parameters under which your balance will interface to a computer or a printer (See Print Menu, page 21).

RELEASING THE PRE-CEDING IS DISPLAYED WILL INITIALIZE THAT FEATURE.

# OPERATION

# GETTING STARTED

With no load on the platform, press and release  $\frac{ON}{TARE}$ . A three (3) second segment check will appear.



ONLY THE SEGMENTS APPLICABLE FOR SPECIFIC MODELS WILL BE DISPLAYED.

The display will blank (during taring the display blanks until stable weight readings are received) then show zero, along with the last selected weighing mode.

NOTE:

Before initially using the balance, the unit should be stabilized. A ninety (90) minute warm-up period is recommended. (Your balance need only be plugged in and not necessarily turned on to warm up. The internal circuits are powered whenever your balance is plugged in.)

### • WEIGHING

If necessary, tare the balance by momentarily pressing  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ TARE \end{bmatrix}$ .

Place an object on the center of the platform. The balance will display the weight of the object (See Calibration Check, page 10).

When weight readings are stable, the stability indicator (located in the Upper left hand corner of the display) will light. See Illustration.



For balances with Moveable Fine Range, please note:

If the weight of the object on the platform exceeds the limit of the Moveable Fine Range, the balance will automatically change to the coarse range until either:

1. The load (excluding tare) is reduced to below the limit of the fine range.

- OR -

2. [In the second secon

balance will not enter the fine range if the load on the platform is in excess of 80% of the capacity of the balance.

### NOTE:

Underload and Overload conditions are indicated by Error Codes, ERR 9.6 and 9.9 respectively.

### CALIBRATION CHECK

Your balance has been calibrated before shipment, but the calibration should be checked and, if necessary, reset before the balance is used. Calibration could have been influenced by such factors as:

- Variations of the earth's gravitational field at different latitudes of the world.
- Handling during shipment.

Changes in work location.

NOTE:

Weights used for calibration must be adjusted to ANSI/ASTM Class 1 or NBS Class "S" tolerances.

If necessary zero the balance by momentarily pressing  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & \\ 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Place a calibrated weight on the center of the platform.

If the displayed weight reading differs from the known weight (of the calibrated weight) by more than the specifications allow, it will be necessary to recalibrate the balance. For instructions, see Calibration Menu on page 8.

### PARTS COUNTING PROCEDURE

Your Ohaus GT Electronic Balance comes equipped to perform Parts Counting functions. Your balance is also equipped with a Parts Counting Error Level checking feature which will check the initial sample piece weight against your selected acceptable Error Level. The check is performed on the initial sample weight and assumes uniform weight among the individual sample pieces.

To enable the Parts Counting and/or the Parts Counting Error Level Checking, see the SETUP Menu, page 14. Follow the instructions to initialize the SEL Menu for Parts Counting. Then follow the instructions to initialize the P.C. Err Menu to set the parts counting error level limit.

To use the Parts Counting feature:

- 1. Repeatedly press until CON is displayed.
- Place a parts container on the platform and press <sup>OB</sup>/<sub>1446</sub>, after which Add 5 will be displayed.

#### NOTE:

To select an initial sample size other than 5, repeatedly press  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & n \\ TARE \end{bmatrix}$  for 10, 20, 30, 40, 50 or 100 piece initial sample sizes.

3. Place the number of pieces indicated in the container and press [wore]. The balance will calculate the piece weight and then the current number of parts will be displayed.

#### NOTE:

If a Parts Counting Error Level limit has been selected and the weight of the sample pieces fails to meet that limit, the balance will then indicate the required number of additional pieces to meet that limit. If this occurs, simply add the indicated number of pieces and press were again.

- Add parts to the container and the number of parts will be displayed.
- To display the net weight of these parts, press
   Pressing the switch again returns you to Parts Counting.
- 6. To select a new initial sample or exit the Parts Counting Mode, press and hold work until CON is displayed, then release. To exit, momentarily press work . To select a new sample size, repeat the above procedure from Step 2.
- 7. Press were to exit parts counting and enter the next available weighing range.

### AVERAGE DISPLAY CYCLE PROCEDURE

Using this feature, you can obtain an averaged display of a selected number of normal display readings. While the balance is displaying the average, (for approximately eight seconds) the stability indicator will flash rapidly. You have the option of choosing 10, 20, 50, 100 or 200 readings to be averaged.

To select the number of weight readings to be averaged, see the Setup Menu on page 8. Follow the instructions to initialize the A.d. - Average Display Cycle Menu to set the desired number of readings.

To use the Average Display Cycle feature:

1. Press and hold wor until 5 ⊢ A ⊢ ⊢ displayed.

2. Releasing word begins the averaging cycle. NOTE:

The cycle can be terminated (and normal weighing resumed) by momentarily pressing either  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & m \\ T_{max} \end{bmatrix}$ .

# CALIBRATION MENU

If you have determined that your balance needs to be calibrated, proceed as follows:

#### SPAN CALIBRATION

- Remove all weight from the platform.
- 2. Initialize the Calibration Menu by pressing and holding with until CAL is displayed, then release immediately.

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will then be displayed, indicating that no weight should be on the platform.

3. Momentarily press THE . The display will blank, then show

momentarily before showing C followed by the value of the Calibration weight to be placed on the platform.

NOTE:

Weights adjusted to ANSI/ASTM Class 1 or NBS Class S are required. Using weight of a lower tolerance may induce inaccuracies into your weight readings.

- 4. Place the required Calibration weight on the platform.
- 5. Momentarily press and DO NOT remove the calibration weight until the balance displays a weight reading.
- Your balance should now be calibrated.

#### LINEARITY CALIBRATION

Span calibration as previously described will satisfy most of your calibration needs. However you can perform a Linearity calibration on your balance if you so desire. When performing Linearity calibration, the balance will request a second calibration weight to be placed on the platform.

To perform Linearity calibration, proceed as follows:

1. Unplug your balance.

#### WARNING:

- To avoid shock hazards, always be certain that the power cord is disconnected **BEFORE** removing the balance cover.
- Even though the balance may have been "switched OFF", high voltage is present inside the balance as long as the power cord is connected.
- A power cord has been furnished with the balance. DO NOT use any type of power cord other than the one furnished.
   DO NOT create a safety hazard by defeating the grounding feature.
- Remove the platform and the platform support.
- 3. Remove the two (2) cover screws and lift the cover off the base.
- Locate the MAIN PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD (PCB), and the set of six (6) switches. See illustration.



- 5. Set switch number 4 to the open position.
- 6. Reinstall the parts removed during steps 2 & 3.
- Perform the calibration procedure as described previously, with the only difference being that after the value of the first calibration weight has been accepted, the balance will request the second weight. Place the weight on the center of the platform (stack the weights if two are required) and press <sup>(NHE)</sup>/<sub>NME</sub>.

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This menu allows you to customize the operating parameters of your balance. Once in the SET UP mode, after releasing  $\begin{bmatrix} O & V \\ VARE \end{bmatrix}$ , the first parameter (AL) will be displayed. To select another operating parameter, press **wore** repeatedly until the desired parameter is displayed. To back up to the previous parameter, press **wore** .

The chart below directs you to the page where detailed descriptions of available set up parameters are given.

<b>Display Shows</b>	Description	See Page
RL.	Selectable Integration	ו 14
5 <i>t</i> b.	Stability Level	15
SEL	Select-A-Unit	15
R.E.	Aut-O-Tracking	16
E.Un 185	Custom Units	16
Inie	Check Weighing	18
"FILL •	FillGuide	19
Rd	Average Display Cyc	le 20
P.E. Err.	Parts Counting Error	Level 20
End	Exit from Set Up Mer	iu 14

Once the desired Set Up parameter mode is displayed press  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & n \\ 1 & \lambda n t \end{bmatrix}$  to initialize the available menu items.

To exit the Set Up Menu, index through using  $\boxed{}$  until  $\begin{bmatrix} \Box & \Box \\ \Box & \Box \end{bmatrix}$  is displayed. Press  $\begin{bmatrix} \Box & \Box \\ TARE \end{bmatrix}$  to exit.

# SELECTABLE INTEGRATION

At times vibration, or the effects of excessive air currents (see Hostile Environment illustration) will cause unstable weight readings. This feature (selectable integration) allows you to compensate for your particular weighing environment.

Four integration (i.e.: averaging) levels are available with each successive level integrating twice as much data as the previous level. The lowest level results in the fastest response (with more susceptibility to instability). The highest level results in a slower response time (with maximum stability).

Once the A.L. menu has been initialized, the following integration levels may be displayed by repeatedly pressing .:

Display	Integration Description	Response Time
AL 0	Minimum	Maximum
AL 1	Reduced	Increased
AL 2	Normal	Normal
AL 3	Maximum	Reduced

By pressing , you will select the displayed integration level and then return to the Set Up Menu.

The stability indicator is illuminated when the balance determines that a number of displayed weight readings are within a selectable range of each other. If the weight readings are outside of the selected range, the stability indicator will not light, indicating an unstable condition.

Once the STB (Stability Level) menu has been initialized the following Stability levels can be displayed by repeatedly pressing .:

Display Stability Le	
0	Reduced
1	Normal
2	Increased

By pressing [ , you will select the Stability level currently displayed, and then return to the Set Up Menu.

# • SELECT-A-UNIT 5 6 1

This feature allows you to determine which available weighing units are accessible during normal weighing operations.

Once the SEL menu has been initialized, pressing will index through the following weighing modes. As each weighing mode is displayed, either ON or OFF will also be displayed.

The available indicating weighing modes are:

Mode Indicator	Weighing Mode
g	Grams
dwt	Pennyweight
ct	Carats
oz	Ounces, avoirdupois
ozt	Ounces, troy
lb	Pounds, avoirdupois
t	Taels (Hong Kong)
рс	Parts Counting
UNIT 1	Custom Units 1
UNIT 2	Custom Units 2
UNIT 3	Custom Units 3
UNDER, ACCEPT, OVER	Check Weighing
•	FillGuide

By pressing wore , you will be able to select whether the displayed weighing unit is ON (and able to be used), or OFF and not accessible during normal weighing operations. After the last weighing mode has been displayed, SEL will be displayed again. This indicates that you have returned to the Set Up Menu.

# • AUT-O-TRACKING

The Aut-O-Tracking feature (when enabled) will minimize the effects of displayed weight drift due to temperature changes, zero-shift, creep, etc. Once the Aut-O-Tracking feature has been initialized, it may be turned ON or OFF by pressing MODE

Display	Status
On	Aut-O-Tracking enabled
Off }	Aut-O-Tracking disabled

By pressing [ N TARE , you will select the status currently displayed, and then return to the Set Up Menu.

Using this feature, you can define up to three separate custom weighing units. By entering the conversion factor (to convert from grams to another unit of measure) in scientific notation, you will be able to display weight readings in the desired custom unit.

1. After the Custom Units menu has been initialized,

Pressing  $\underbrace{}$  indexes between the UNITS 1, 2, 3 and  $E \cap d$ 

To define a particular custom unit or end the custom unit menu, press  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 & \text{M} \end{bmatrix}$  when your choice is displayed.

1. When defining a custom unit you will first need to enter the conversion factor in scientific notation.

Pre	essi	ng
1	MODE	

#### Result

Changes the flashing digit(s) of the mantissa.



Enters that selection and moves to the next digit.



Changes the flashing digits.



ON TARE

- Selects the flashing displayed digits
  - Indexes to the next digit
  - After the selection of the last digit, indexes to the current exponent.



Will back up to the previously set digit.

 Once the conversion factor has been entered, the current exponent will be displayed. By pressing wore you can display any one of nine exponent values. They are:

Available Exponents (i.e.: 10<sup>×</sup>) E 4, E 3, E 2, E 1, E 0, E -1, E -2, E -3, E -4 Pressing CHARE selects the displayed exponent.

• After the exponent has been selected, the last step will be to select the least significant digit (LSD). By selecting a LSD of 1, the balance will calculate the conversion factor based upon the selected mantissa and exponent. The number of displayed places to the right of the decimal will automatically be adjusted to the resolution of the balance. By pressing we , you can index through the following available least significant digits:

Displa	y	Description
L.S.D.	100	Truncates 2 decimal places
L.S.D.	10	Truncates 1 decimal place
L.S.D.	5	Display advances by 5s
L.S.D.	2	Display advances by 2s
L.S.D.	1	Display advances by 1s
		- Normal Setting
L.S.D.	.5	* Display advances by 5s
		with an extra decimal place shown
L.S.D.	.2	* Display advances by 2s
		with an extra decimal place shown
L.S.D.	.1	* Display advances by 1s
		with an extra decimal place shown
	* (	less stability and repeatability)

By pressing , you will select the displayed L.S.D. and return to the SET UP Menu.

#### CHECKWEIGHING/ UNDER PACKAGE WEIGHT CONTROL

This feature may be used for checkweighing or package weight control in any one of the available weighing units. When in use, the display will show the relationship between the load on the platform, and the selected target weight. The bar graph will visibly display where the weight of the load falls in relationship to the under, acceptable, and over limits. The balance also displays UNDER, ACCEPT and OVER messages as appropriate.

After the INIT (Checkweighing/Package Weight Control) menu has been initialized, "Use X" (with X being the currently selected weighing units) will be displayed.

# For Example:

g or dwt, etc.

OVER

### Pressing

### Result

Indexes through all the available weighing units



Selects the displayed weighing unit.

Once the weighing unit has been selected, the UNDER, ACCEPT and OVER weight limits must be set.

For example:

#### Pressing



#### Result

SET

Changes the flashing digit(s).

- Selects the displayed flashing digit(s).
- Indexes to the next digit.
- After the selection of the last digit, indexes to the next limit to be set, or the SET UP menu.

PRINT

Will back up to the previously set digit.

FILL

### • FILLGUIDE

During normal weighing operations the bar graph displays the relationship between the load on the platform and the capacity of the balance. In the "Fill" MODE, this bar graph can be set to any number from 1% of capacity to maximum balance capacity. The FillGuide feature can be used in any one of the available weighing units.

After the FILL menu has been initialized, "Use X" (with X being the currently selected weighing unit) will be displayed.

Pressing

#### Result

	MODE	]
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Indexes through all the available weighing units

etc.

ON TARE

Selects the displayed weighing unit.

Once the weighing unit has been selected, the fill limit must be set.

For example:





Result

Changes the flashing digit(s).

Selects the displayed flashing digit(s).

- Indexes to the next digit, allowing it to be changed ( wore ) or selected ( vane ).
- After setting the last digit, will return to the SET UP menu.

PRINT

Will back up to the previously set digit.

# • AVERAGE DISPLAY CYCLE

This feature allows you to average a selected number of displayed weight readings. You can choose to average any one of 10, 20, 50, 100, or 200 readings as described on page 9.

Once the A.d. menu has been initialized, the current selected average sample will be displayed for approximately eight (8) seconds.

#### Result

MODE	Indexes the display reading upward
PRINT	Indexes the display reading downward
	Selects the displayed value and

Selects the displayed value and indexes you to the A.P. selection.

The A.P. (auto-print) feature may be turned either ON or OFF. Selecting A.P. ON will shorten the flashing Stability Indicator (as described on page 11) cycle time to approximately 3 seconds.



Turns A.P. ON or OFF.

Selects the displayed value and returns to the SET UP menu.

# • PARTS COUNTING ERROR LEVELS

To minimize errors in parts counting due to piece weight variations, you may select an acceptable error level ranging from 0.1% to 5.0%. When in use this feature will automatically calculate and prompt you as to the additional parts that need to be added to your initial sample to insure parts counting accuracy within your specified limit. Once the P.C. Err menu has been initialized, the following error percentage levels can be displayed by repeatedly pressing **more** :

Display	Description
P.C.E. 0	0.1% Acceptable Error Level
P.C.E. 1	0.25% Acceptable Error Level
P.C.E. 2	0.5% Acceptable Error Level
P.C.E. 3	1.0% Acceptable Error Level
P.C.E. 4	2.5% Acceptable Error Level
P.C.E. 5	5.0% Acceptable Error Level
P.C.E. 6	Disables this feature

Pressing  $\frac{2}{1000}$ , selects the error percentage level currently displayed, and return to the SET UP menu.

# PRINT MENU

This menu allows you to customize the computer/ printer interface operating parameters of your balance.

Once in the Print menu, after releasing  $\boxed{\frac{1}{12M}}$ , the first parameter (Auto) will be displayed. To select another parameter, press  $\boxed{\frac{1}{12M}}$  repeatedly until the desired parameter is displayed.

The following operating parameters can be customized:

Display Shows	Description	See Page
Ruto	Auto print Feature	22
5 <i>ЕЯЬ</i> ГЕ	Enable/Disable stable of only printing	lata 22
r 5 - 232	Used to set Interface Parameters	22
End	Exits the Print Menu	21

Once the desired Print menu parameter is displayed, press  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ TARE \end{bmatrix}$  to initialize the available menu items.

By pressing  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ hat \\ hat \end{bmatrix}$  when  $\begin{bmatrix} \rho & \rho \\ \rho & \rho \end{bmatrix}$  is displayed, you will exit the Print menu, enter the changes made (if any), and return to the weighing MODE.

# 

The auto print feature (when turned on) allows you to automatically send data from your balance

through an interface at intervals ranging from continuous to every 254 seconds. This feature can also be turned OFF.

Once the auto print menu has been initialized, the current auto print setting will be displayed. The following settings are available:

Display	Description			
A.P. OFF	Auto Print feature off			
CONT	Data being sent continuously Data to be sent every X seconds			
A.P. 1 - A.P. 254				
	(with X being 1-254 seconds)			
Pressing	Result			
MODE Inc	rements the display.			

ON TARE Decrements the display. Selects the displayed setting and

returns to the Print Menu.

# • STABLE DATA ONLY 5686

This feature (when turned on), allows you to send data through the interface only when the stability indicator is lit.

Once the Stable menu has been initialized, the current setting will be displayed.

Pressing

### Result

MODE ON TARE

Changes the setting.

Selects the setting and returns to the Print Menu.

# • RS-232 DATA FORMAT - 5 - 2 3 2

Your balance is equipped with a bi-directional RS-232 compatible interface.

You are able to vary the RS-232 data format specifications using this feature. These specifications are as follows:

1.	Baud Rate	110, 300, 1200, 2400, 4800, 9600
2.	Parity	Even, Odd, None
3.	Data Bits	7 or 8
4.	Stop Bits	1 or 2 (Note: 1 only for 8 bit data
		frames with parity)

Once the RS-232 menu has been initialized, br xxxx (with xxxx being the preset Baud rate) will be displayed.

Pressing

Result

MODE	
PRINT	
ON TARE	

Increases the baud rate Decreases the baud rate Selects the displayed baud rate After selecting the displayed baud rate, Fr.x (with x being a number between 0 and 8) will be displayed. This display indicates the existing Data frame selection. The following Data Frames are available:

<b>Serial</b> Data	Data Frame Selections		
Frame	Description		
Fr. 0	7 Data bits, 2 Stop bits, No p	parity	
	: START : 7 DATA BITS: STO : BIT : BIT : BIT	P : STOP : BIT	
Fr. 1	7 Data bits, 1 Stop bit, Even	parity	
	: : EVE : START : 7 DATA BITS: PAR : BIT : BIT	N : ITY : STOP : BIT	•
Fr. 2	7 Data bits, 1 Stop bit, Odd	parity	
	: : : ODD : START : 7 DATA BITS: PAR : BIT : BIT	) : ITY : STOP : BIT	:
Fr. 3	7 Data bits, 2 Stop bits, Ever	n parity	
	: EVE : START : 7 DATA BITS: PAR : BIT : BIT	N : ITY : STOP : BIT	STOP BIT
Fr. 4	7 Data bits, 2 Stop bits, Odd	parity	
	: : : : ODD : START : 7 DATA BITS: PAR : BIT : : BIT	) ITY : STOP : BIT	STOP BIT
Fr. 5	8 Data bits, 1 Stop bit, No pa	arity	
	START : 8 DATA BITS: STO BIT : BIT	P :	
Fr. 6	8 Data bits, 1 Stop bit, Odd j	parity	
	: : : : : : ODD : START : 8 DATA BITS: PAR : BIT : : BIT	) : ITY : STOP : : BIT	
Fr. 7	8 Data bits, 1 Stop bit, Even	parity	
	: EVEI : START : 8 DATA BITS: PAR : BIT : BIT : BIT	N : ITY : STOP : : BIT :	
Fr. 8	8 Data bits, 2 Stop bits, No p	parity	
	: START : 8 DATA BITS: STOF : BIT : BIT : BIT	P : STOP : BIT :	
Pres	sing Result		
MO	Displays the next	Data Frame	θ.
PR	Displays the prev	ious Data F	rame.
O TA	Selects the display returns to the Pri	/ed Data Fra nt Menu.	me and

# RS-232 INTERFACE - 5 - 232

### HARDWARE

Your balance is equipped with a bi-directional RS-232 compatible interface. You can interface your balance to other equipment by means of the 9 pin subminiature "D" connector on the rear of the balance.

#### WARNING:

Be sure to unplug your balance before installing the interface cable.

The pinout and pin description is shown below:



#### REAR OF BALANCE

The balance will not output any information under any circumstances unless pin 5 (CTS) is held in an ON state (+3 to +15 VDC). Interfaces not utilizing the CTS handshake may tie pin 5 to pin 6 to defeat it.

#### NOTE:

This interface does not strictly adhere to the official RS-232 standard (particularly in the connector used). However, it is compatible with what has become commonplace in the microcomputer industry.

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All command inputs must be terminated by a carriage return. All other control characters and spaces are ignored by the balance. Invalid commands are ignored.

### COMMAND DESCRIPTION

"?" PRINT MODE 1. The balance responds by sending back the current MODE and stability: Field / mode / stability / address / Cr / Lf / Lenath 5 1 2 1 1 Total # of characters transmitted 10 The 5 character mode field is comprised of the current units abbreviation left justified with appended blanks where appropriate. The address field is a two character field containing the balance's current interface address. (Since balance addressing is not supported at this time, these characters are always blanks.)

#### NOTE:

In the package weight control MODE, the balance will transmit an additional 5 character field after the address consisting of the current package weigh state, i.e. "UNDER", "OVER", or "ACCPT". This will bring the total number of characters transmitted to 15.

- 2. "T" TARE This command has the same effect as pressing the ON/TARE switch on the front panel. No data is output.
- 3. "M" MODE This command has the same effect as pressing the MODE switch on the front panel. No data is output.
- ("P" PRINT DISPLAY DATA The balance responds by sending the weight information followed by the mode and stability data.

Field /pol /weight / /mode/stability/address/Cr/Lf/

Length 1 8 1 5 1 2 1 1

Total # of characters transmitted 20

The single character polarity field contains a blank or a minus sign. The eight character weight field contains the current display weight right justified with lead zero blanking and a decimal point. The mode, stability and address field are described under the PRINT MODE command.

#### NOTE:

In the package weight control MODE, the balance will transmit an additional 5 character field after the address consisting of the current package weigh state, i.e. "UNDER", "OVER", or "ACCEPT". This will bring the total number of characters transmitted to 25.

### 5. "E" EXTENDED MODE

This command is the same as an extended press of the MODE switch on the front panel. In parts counting, it will return the balance to the "Con" state. In any other mode except the filling or package weight control modes, it will initiate an Averaged Display cycle.

#### 6. "C" CALIBRATE

This command will place the balance in the Span Calibration state regardless of internal switch settings. See Span Cal for further details.

7. "L" LINEARIZE This command will place the balance in the Linearity calibration state regardless of internal switch settings. See Linearity Calibration

for further details.

# -5-232 SPECIAL OUTPUT FIELD

If the balance is in an error condition, any request for output will yield the error field described below.

Field	/ "ERROR" /stability/address/					Cr/	Lf/
Length	5	<b>i</b>	1		2	1	1
Total	# of	chara	acters	transm	itted	10	

# **INTERNAL SWITCHES**

Located inside the balance on the Main PC Board (see illustration page 27), there are six rocker switches. The function of these switches are as follows:

Switch

Number	Position	Description
1	OPEN	- Enables CAL Menu access from the Front Panel
	CLOSED	- Disables CAL Menu access from the Front Panel (Balance can still be calibrated via RS-232 Port)
2	OPEN	- Enables the Set Up Menu access from the Front Panel
	CLOSED	- Disables the Set Up Menu access from the Front Panel
3		No Function
4	OPEN	- Enables Linearity Calibration
	CLOSED	- Enables Span Calibration
5	OPEN	- No Function
	CLOSED	<ul> <li>Will delete address information from RS-232 Data Output and change the numeric field from 8 characters to 7 in cases where the first character would be blank.</li> <li>This is necessary to use a GT balance with the GP-200 Printer.</li> </ul>

OPEN - No delay in transmitting data

CLOSED - Adds 1 second delay before transmitting data through the RS-232 Port when "P" or "?" commands are received. (Print Switch and Auto Print features are not affected)

To access these internal switches, proceed as follows:

## WARNING:

- To avoid shock hazards, always be certain that the power cord is disconnected **BEFORE** removing the balance cover.
- Even though the balance may have been "switched OFF", high voltage is present inside the balance as long as the power cord is connected.
- A power cord has been furnished with the balance. DO NOT use any type of power cord other than the one furnished.
   DO NOT create a safety hazard by defeating the grounding feature.
- 1. Unplug your balance.
- 2. Remove the platform and the platform support.
- 3. Remove the two (2) cover screws and lift the cover off the base.
- 4. Locate the MAIN PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD (PCB), and the set of six (6) switches. (See illustration)



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# CARE AND MAINTENANCE

To keep your balance operating properly, the cover, housing and removable platform should be kept clean and free from foreign materials.

DISCONNECT THE POWER CORD before cleaning. DO NOT USE CHEMICALS OF ANY KIND on the cover, because they may damage the display window. If necessary a damp cloth with a mild, non-abrasive detergent may be used. Be careful not to scratch the display window and do not allow any liquid to flow inside the balance. Wipe the balance dry with a soft cloth.

# ACCESSORIES AND REPLACEMENT PARTS

Accessory Ohaus Part N					
-	Span Calibration Weights				
2 kg	(GT 2100, GT 4100, GT 4800)	49026-01			
200 <sup>°</sup> g	(GT 210, GT 410, GT 480)	49025-01			
	Linearity Calibration Weights				
4 kg	(GT 4100, GT 4800)	49046-01			
2 kg	(GT 2100, GT 4100, GT 4800)	49026-01			
1 kg	(GT 2100)	49016-01			
400 a	(GT 410, GT 480)	49045-01			
200 a	(GT 210, GT 410, GT 480)	49025-01			
100 g	(GT 210)	49015-01			
Security Lo	ock and Cable Kit	76288-00			
Animal Su	biect Box Kit / For Models GT 2100.	76290-01			
Animal Su	biect Box >GT 4100 and GT 4800	76431-00			
Animal Su	biect Box Cover	3052-00			
Glass Draft	t Shield	76510-01			
For Mo	dels GT210, GT 410 and GT 480				
Below Bala	ance Hook	76790-00			
	Scoops				
Aluminum	- 1-1/2" x 2" x 7/16"	5076-00			
Aluminum	- 2-1/4" x 3" x 3/4"	5077-00			
Footed Pol	ypropylene	1011-20			
Footed Sta	inless Steel	1078-03			
Replacemen	t Parts Ohaus Pa	rt Number			
In-Service	Cover Kit	76901-00			
In-Service	Cover Plate	76815-01			
Power Cor	d, 120 V U.S.	6569-00			
Fuses 110/	(120 V .315 AT	90167-45			
220	/240 V .160 AT	90167-42			

# TROUBLESHOOTING

Before assuming that your Ohaus GT Electronic Balance is faulty, check through the following troubleshooting list. These simple corrective actions may eliminate a call to your Service Representative.

Symptom	Probable Causes(s)	Remedy
DISPLAY WILL NOT LIGHT	1. Power cord not connected.	Connect Cord
	2. Fuse blown.	Unplug the balance. Check the voltage setting and replace fuse with one of the proper size. If fuse still fails, contact Service Representative.
BALANCE	1. Platform	Replace platform.

Replace platform.

DISPLAYS ERROR MESSAGE

- missing from balance. 2. Balance capacity
- exceeded. 3. Balance calibrated

incorrectly.

Reduce the amount of weight to less than range capacity. Calibrate balance using correct weights and proper procedures.

UNSTABLE 1. Hostile WEIGHT environment. READINGS

Protect balance from environment.

2. Platform Inspect and correct. movement obstructed.

### Error Messages

- 0.0 Bad EEPROM Data. Linearity Calibration is a must.
- 0.2 Parts Counting Error Level. Too many pieces must be added to insure desired error level.
- 2.0 Custom Units constant too large
- 2.1 Combination of exponent and LSD places decimal point off display. Choose new LSD (larger).
- 2.2 Package Weight Control targets not in logical order. i.e. under < target < over. Enter new values.
- 3.0 Calibration data out of spec. Probably not using correct calibration weights.
- 9.0 Hardware error detected in system RAM.
- 9.6 Underload.
- 9.7 Display exceeds 1,999,999 counts.
- 9.8 Movable Fine Range has placed decimal point off display.
- 9.9 Balance Capacity exceeded.

		GT 210	GT 410	GT	480	GT 2100	GT 4100	GT	4800
PECIFICATIONS				High Range	Low Range			High Range	Low Range
	g	210	410	400	80	2100	4100	4000	800
	oz avd	7	14	14	2.8	70	140	140	28
	oz t	6	13	13	2.6	65	130	130	26
Capacity	lb avd	0.44	0.88	0.88	0.176	4.40	8.80	8.80	1.76
	C	1000	1999	2000	400	10000	19999	20000	4000
	dwt	130	260	260	52	1300	2600	2600	520
	t	5	10	10	2	50	105	100	20
A	g	0.001	0.001	0.01	0.001	0.01	0.01	0.1	0.01
	oz avd	0.0001	0.0001	0.001	0.0001	0.001	0.001	0.01	0.001
	oz t	0.0001	0.0001	0.001	0.0001	0.001	0.001	0.01	0.001
Readability	lb avd	0.000002	0.000002	0.00002	0.000002	0.00002	0.00002	0.0002	0.00002
	С	0.005	0.005	0.05	0.005	0.05	0.05	0.5	0.05
	dwt	0.001	0.001	0.01	0.001	0.01	0.01	0.1	0.01
	t	0.0001	0.0001	0.001	0.0001	0.001	0.001	0.01	0.001
Taring Range (By Subtraction) [g	]	210	410	400	320	2100	4100	4000	3200
Taring Time					1 Sec				
Stabilization Time Avg Level - 0 (fast)					2 Sec				
Precision (Std Dev) [c	J]	0.001	0.001	0.005	0.001	0.01	0.01	0.05	0.01
Maximum Parts Count	······································			To maxir	num capacity	of balance			<u> </u>
Minimum Part Count Sample for < 1% error (	g)	0.01	0.1	0.1	0.1	1	1	1	1
Platform Diameter		4.9	4.9	4.9″	4.9″	6.65"	6.65"	6.65″	6.65″
Weight - Net/Gross					11/17	lb.			
Dimensions $(w \times h \times d)$				7.50" ×	3.75" × 12.75	,"			
Operating Temperature Range	<u> </u>		· · ·		10 - 40	°C	······································		
Power	k *****		~	100, 120, 3	220, 240 VAC	50/60 Hz 2	0 watts		
				,		00.00112.2			

1 g = .0352740 oz

1 g = .0321508 oz t 1 g = .00220462 Lb 1 g = 5.00000 c

# SERVICE INFORMATION

If your electronic balance needs maintenance, and/or repair, you can be assured of the best and fastest service available by calling the Ohaus Product Service Department for return information. A Product Service Specialist will be able to provide advice on packing, shipping instructions, local service availability, turnaround time, etc. Failure to call may cause delays.

For electronic balance service assistance in the United States, please call Ohaus Corporation toll-free at 1-800-526-0659.

Service hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. EST.

In New Jersey call 201-377-9000.

Outside the United States, contact your nearest Ohaus dealer.

# WARRANTY

ELECTRONIC BALANCE LIMITED WARRANTY During the warranty period, this Ohaus Electronic balance is warranted against defects in materials and workmanship. Ohaus will repair, or, at our option, replace at no charge components that prove to be defective, provided that the balance is returned to Ohaus Corporation or a service center authorized by Ohaus.

This warranty does not apply if the balance has been damaged by accident or misuse, improper packaging during return shipment, exposed to radioactive or corrosive materials or as a result of service or modification by other than a service center authorized by Ohaus. In lieu of a properly returned warranty registration, the warranty period shall begin on the date of shipment to the authorized dealer. No other express implied warranty is given by Ohaus Corporation. Ohaus Corporation is not liable for any consequential damages.





# GT Series ELECTRONIC BALANCE

SUPPLEMENT for Model GT4000L

# Preface

This supplement is intended to be used in conjunction with the GT Series Instruction Manual supplied with the balance. Unless otherwise specified in this supplement, the Instruction Manual contains the necessary procedures for setting up, calibrating and maintaining the balance. Follow instructions for Model GT4800 and refer to this supplement for instructions specific to the GT4000L.

# Weights and Measures Certification

The OHAUS Model GT4000L has been tested and found to comply with Class II requirements of NIST Handbook 44. Certificate of Conformance 88-227 has been issued under the National Type Evaluation Program of the National Conference on Weights and Measures.

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# Weighing Modes

The following weighing units and modes are available on GT4000L balances:

٠	Grams	•	Pounds	•	Ounces
٠	Test Weight		Dockage		

## Leveling the Balance

A level indicator is located on the balance cover toward the rear of the balance. With the platform in place, adjust the leveling feet so the bubble is totally enclosed by the scribed inner circle (see,Figure 1).



Figure 1

# **Calibration Protection**

GT4000L balances are shipped with "push-button" calibration enabled. The balance must be calibrated using ASTM Class 1 or 2 weights, at the location where it is to be used. Refer to the GT Series Instruction Manual for calibration procedures.

After calibration, disable push-button calibration by setting SWITCH NUMBER 1 to the CLOSED position. Refer to the sections titled "CALIBRATION MENU" and "IN-TERNAL SWITCHES" in the GT Series Instruction Manual.

# Sealing the Balance

After the balance has been approved by a Weights and Measures official, it must be sealed using the security plate, locking wire and seal (see Figure 1).

# UNITS and ON7RE-ZERO Buttons

On the front panel of GT4000L models, a UNITS button replaces the MODE button found on other GT models, and an ON/RE-ZERO button replaces the ON/TARE button. When referring to the GT Series Instruction Manual, substitute the word UNITS for MODE, and ON/RE-ZERO for ON/TARE.

# **Test Weight Mode**

A quart measure is required for this procedure. Test Weight in lb/bu is calculated as follows:

sample wt. (g) x 0.0/054/9 = test wt. (lb/bu)

- 1. Repeatedly press UNIT\$ until the UNIT 1 indicator appears on the display.
- 2. Place an empty quart container on the pan and press RE-ZERO to zero the balance.
- 3. Remove the container, fill it with sample material and place it on the pan. Weight is displayed in lb/bu.

## Dockage Mode - Known Sample Weight

- 1. With the balance in any weighing mode (grams, pounds, etc.), place an empty container on the pan and press RE-ZERO to zero the balance.
- Fill the container with the sample material to the desired weight (100% value).
- Press and hold UNITS until "%StorE" is displayed then release it. The weight will be stored as the 100% value and the display will show "% 100.0".
- 4. Remove the sample and process it to remove any dockage material.

**NOTE:** While the sample is being processed, the balance may be used in other weighing modes without disturbing the weight stored in memory. See "Exiting and Re-entering Dockage Mode".

- 5. Place an empty container on the pan and press RE-ZERO to zero the balance.
- Fill the container with the dockage material. The weight of the dockage material will be displayed as a percentage of the original sample weight.
#### Dockage Mode - Unknown Sample Weight

- 1. Repeatedly press UNITS until "%SEt 0" is displayed. If the Dockage mode has previously been used, press and hold UNITS until "%SEt 0" is displayed, then release it.
- 2. Place a container on the pan and press RE-ZERO to zero the balance. "% SEt 100" will be displayed.
- Fill the container with the sample material, then press UNITS to store the net sample weight in memory. The display will show "% 100.0".
- 4. Remove the sample and process it to remove any dockage material.

**NOTE:** While the sample is being processed, the balance may be used in other weighing modes without disturbing the weight stored in memory. See "Exiting and Re-entering Dockage Mode.

- 5. Place a container on the pan and press RE-ZERO to zero the balance.
- Fill the container with the dockage material. The weight of the dockage material will be displayed as a percentage of the original sample weight.
- To store a new sample weight, press and hold UNITS until "%SEt 0" is displayed, then release it. Return to step 2.

#### Exiting and Re-entering Dockage Mode

If it is desired to use the balance for other weighing modes while a dockage sample is being processed, observe the following practices:

- To access other weighing modes, press UNITS until the desired display indicator appears.
- To re-enter the dockage mode, press UNITS until the "%" indicator appears.

If the balance is rezeroed while using other weighing modes, the initial zero reference (established in the dockage procedure) will be lost. When you re-enter the dockage mode, YOU MUST REZERO THE BALANCE again with the empty container on the pan before weighing the dockage material.

plate, locking wire and seal (see Figure 1).

## **Additional Error Codes**

- 7.2 In dockage, insufficient sample size (100% value).
- 7.7 In dockage, material exceeds 400% of initial sample (100% value).

# Specifications Capacity x Readability

Capacity x Readability	
grams (g)	4000 x 0.1
pounds (lb)	8.8 x 0.0002
ounces (oz)	140 x 0.005
Test Weight	280 x 0.01
Dockage	0.1% Readability

See SPECIFICATIONS in GT Series Instruction Manual for additional specifications.

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## PRECISION Advanced Electronic Balances GT Series

## **Instruction Manual**

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## INTRODUCTION

This manual covers Installation, Operation and Troubleshooting for the Ohaus Precision Advanced Series of Electronic balances, Models GT210, GT400, GT410, GT2100, GT4000, GT4100, and GT8000. Suffixes after the basic model number are: D = Moveable FineRange<sup>TM</sup>, T=Tower Mount and V=Non Type Approved. Models with an E suffix = Type Approved with CE conformance and bear official markings (Max, Min, Class, etc.) on a serial number plate located on the side of the balance. To ensure proper operation of the balance, please read this manual completely.

## DESCRIPTION

The Ohaus Precision Advanced GT Series balances are precision weighing instruments, designed to be versatile, accurate, easy to operate and will provide years of service with virtually no maintenance. The Precision Advanced series is constructed using a die-cast aluminum base finished with a durable corrosion resistant epoxy powder paint. It contains solid-state precision electronics PC boards, and a seven and a half, 0.45 inch digit, Vacuum Fluorescent display. Each balance operates through a series of menus which enhances operation. A built in lockswitch prevents preset settings from being changed. To prevent measurements from being affected by air currents, a Draft Shield is mounted to the balance and is standard with Models GT210, GT410 and GT410D.

## FEATURES

Precision Advanced balances contain four main display menus which enable you to calibrate and configure the balance for specific operating requirements.

- **MENU** When  $\rightarrow_{011}^{011}$  switch is pressed and released with MENU displayed, allows entry into other menus.
- **CALIBRATION** Menu Allows the balance to be calibrated by using either Span or Linearity calibration methods. A Test function is used to verify the last calibration.
- USER Menu Allows the balance to be set for environmental conditions. Reset, averaging level, stability range, auto-zero and beep (sound) functions can be set.
- **SETUP** Menu Allows the balance to be customized for specific weighing functions.
- **PRINT** Menu Allows the selection of parameters under which the balance will interface to a computer or a printer.

Each of these menus contain selectable parameters which can be entered via the front panel switches. Storing of the parameters is accomplished by selecting **End** at the completion of all selections in a particular menu. For a detailed description of each feature, refer to the individual menus in this manual.

## INSTALLATION

## UNPACKING

Your Precision Advanced balance was shipped with the following items:

- Platform
- Platform Support
- Power Cord
- Below Balance Weighing Hook
- Draft Shield included with Models: GT210, GT410 and GT410D
- Instruction Manual
- Warranty Card
- In-Service Cover
- Sealing Kit (Type Approved/Legal for Trade)

It is recommended to save the carton and packing material for storing, transporting the balance or returning it for service.

## INSTALLATION

#### Environment

The balance should always be used in an environment which is free from excessive air currents, corrosives, vibration, and temperature or humidity extremes. These factors will affect displayed weight readings.

DO NOT install the balance:

- Next to open windows or doors causing drafts or rapid temperature changes.
- Near air conditioning or heat vents.
- Near vibrating, rotating or reciprocating equipment.
- Near magnetic fields or equipment that generates magnetic fields.
- On an unlevel work surface.

#### **Below Balance Hook**

A common application for this item is for determination of density or specific gravity. Mount the balance on a suitable surface which allows below balance weighing. If the below balance hook will be used, it may be installed in the bottom of the balance. Remove the protective plug at the bottom of the balance and screw the hook into the threaded hole in the Platform Support which is visible through the access hole in the bottom of the balance.



**BELOW BALANCE HOOK** 

#### Leveling the Balance

The balance is equipped with a level indicator located at the rear of the balance and two adjustable leveling feet. The leveling feet are located under the front of the balance. Adjust the leveling feet until the bubble appears in the center circle of the indicator.

**NOTE**: A level indicator and leveling feet are not included on Models GT400, GT4000 and GT8000.

#### **Power Requirements**



- To avoid shock hazards, always be certain that the power cord is disconnected BEFORE removing the balance cover.
- Even though the balance may have been switched OFF, high voltage is present inside the balance as long as the power cord is connected.
- A power cord has been furnished with the balance. DO NOT use any other type of power cord other than the one furnished.
   DO NOT create a safety hazard by defeating the grounding feature.

#### **Voltage Setting**

The balance can be damaged if operated at an incorrect line voltage. If, for any reason the balance **HAS NOT** been set to operate at your particular line voltage, it may be checked in the following manner:

- Locate the fuse holder in the lower right-hand corner of the balance (when viewed from the rear).
- There is an arrow imprinted above the fuse holder and the voltage (100, 120, 220 or 240) below the arrow indicates the line voltage. See illustration.



LEVEL INDICATOR





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- 3. If you wish to change the line voltage setting, remove the power cord and pry the fuse holder loose by inserting a small screwdriver blade in the slot. Remove the fuse holder and rotate it to the proper position with the correct line voltage lining up with the arrow. If neccessary, install the correct fuse for the required line voltage. (See Replacement Parts List for fuse rating).
- 4. Insert the fuse holder.

## Draft Shield (Models GT210, GT410 and GT 410D)

To install the Draft Shield:

- Remove the two existing screws and washers located on top of the balance.
- 2. Position the Draft Shield on top of the balance as shown.
- 3. Insert the two screws, with washers (supplied with the Draft Shield) though the holes in the Draft Shield into the balance. Tighten both screws securely.

## Platform and Platform Support

Insert the Platform Support into the hole in the weighing mechanism as shown in the illustration.

Place the Platform on the Platform Support making sure the Platform is properly centered.



#### Model GT8000T Tower Assembly Installation

Remove the four (4) flat head screws from the mounting holes at the lower left ( when viewing the rear of the balance), and set them aside. Install the Tower Assembly on the mounting holes using the screws. The Tower Display unit may be tilted to the desired viewing angle. If the viewing angle is not going to be changed, tighten the Hex Socket set screw at the lower left (when viewing the rear of the Display Unit). The increased tension will prevent the Display Unit from accidentally tilting.

## **RS232 INTERFACE**

Precision Advanced balances are equipped with a bi-directional RS232 compatible interface for communication with printers and computers. When the balance is connected directly to a printer, displayed data can be output at any time by simply pressing PRINT, or by using the Auto Print feature.

Connecting the balance to a computer enables you to operate the balance from the computer, as well as receive data such as displayed weight, weighing mode, stability status, etc.

The following sections describe the hardware and software provided with the balance.

#### Hardware

On the rear of the balance, a 9-pin subminiature "D" connector is provided for interfacing to other devices. The pinout and pin connections are shown in the adjacent illustration.

The balance will not output any data unless pin 5 (CTS) is held in an ON state (+3 to +15 VDC). Interfaces not utilizing the CTS handshake may tie pin 5 to pin 6 to defeat it.

#### **Output Formats**

Data output can be initiated in one of three ways: 1) By pressing PRINT; 2) Using the Auto Print feature; 3) Sending a print command ("P") from a computer.

The output format is illustrated in the RS232 command table which follows.

#### **RS232 Commands**

All communication is accomplished using standard ASCII format. Only the characters shown in the following table are acknowledged by the balance. Any other commands, control characters or spaces are ignored. Commands sent to the balance must be terminated with a carriage return (CR) or carriage return-line line feed (CRLF). For example, a tare command should appear as shown in the adjacent diagram. Data output by the balance is always terminated with a carriage return - line feed (CRLF).



- 1 5VDC (5 mA max.)
- 2 Data Out (TXD)
- 3 Data In (RXD)
- 4\* Tare (External signal)
- 5 Clear To Send (CTS)
- 6 Data Terminal Ready (DTR)
- 7 Ground
- 8 Request To Send (RTS)
- 9\* Print (External signal)
- \* External PRINT and/or TARE switches may be installed as shown in the diagram. Momentary contact switches must be used.

#### **RS232 COMMAND TABLE**

Command Character	Description	
?	Print current mode	Field: Mode Stab CR LF Length: 5 1 1 1 blank if stable
		GramsMommePennyweightPoundsCaratsPounds:ouncesAvoidupois ouncesCustom unitTroy ouncesParts countingGrainsPercent weighingTaelsError
nnnA	Set Auto Print feature to "nnn" (see table).	nnn = 0Turns feature OFFnnn = SOutput on stabilitynnn = COutput is continuousnnn = 1-256Sets Auto PrintInterval
С	Begin span calibration	
xD	Set 1 second print delay (set x	= 0 for OFF, or x = 1 for ON)
E	Exit parts counting or percent w	reighing
xI	Set Averaging Level to "x", where $x = 0$ to 3 (see table).	0 = minimum level 1 = 2 = 3 = maximum level
L	Begin linearity calibration	
м	Same effect as pressing mode	button
хM	Places balance in mode "x", where x = 1 to 13 (see table). If unit or mode is not already enabled, command will be ignor	red. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & = & grams \\ 2 & = & pennyweight \\ 3 & = & carats \\ 4 & = & avoidupois ounces \\ 5 & = & troy ounces \\ 6 & = & grains \\ 7 & = & taels \\ 8 & = & momme \\ 9 & = & pounds \\ 10 & = & pounds:ounces \\ 11 & = & custom unit \\ 12 & = & parts counting \\ 13 & = & percent weighing \\ \end{bmatrix}$

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Command Character	Description		
P	Print display data When "numeric only" display data is selected for output in the RS232 menu, the Mode field is not output. Field: Weight Mode Stab CR LF 9 1 5 1 1 1 Same as ? command Displayed weight sent right justified w/lead zero blanking. Nine characters include: document and the sent of the sent sent sent sent sent sent sent sen		
	weight (7 max)) polarity (1): blank if positive "-" if negative		
X3	Set stable data only printing (set $x = 0$ for OFF, or $x = 1$ for ON).		
Т	Same effect as pressing rezero button		
V	Print EPROM version Field: Model # EPROM # CR LF Length: 7 15 1 1 Balance Model "98101-XX Sr*XX.X"		
хZ	Set Auto Zero to "x", where $x = 0$ to 3 (see table). 0 = OFF $1 = .5 d$ $2 = 1 d$ $3 = 3 d$		
x%	Downloads reference weight "x" for percent mode. "x" must be in grams. Command is ignored if percent mode is disabled. If percent mode is enabled, balance will automatically switch to percent mode display.		
x#	Downloads average piece weight "x" for parts counting mode. "x" must be in grams. Command is ignored if parts counting mode is disabled. If parts counting is enabled, balance will automatically switch to parts count display.		
Esc L	Prints listing of Setup and Print menu settings.		
Esc R	Resets Setup and Print menus to factory defaults. CAUTION: This will reset RS232 configuration.		
Esc S	Save current settings.		

#### **Switch Functions**

The pushbutton switches located on the front of the balance serve many functions. please read the following information before pressing any of these switches.

Pressing any of these switches after the balance is turned on results in the following:



Sends weight data, statistical data, GLP data to computer/printer. In menus, allows returning to a previous menu step.





Turns display OFF.

Selects weighing units functions or options. In menus, changes to next step or value. Turns display ON and Re-Zeros/Tares the balance. In menus, accepts chosen parameter.

When the balance is first turned on and it completes its checks, and is calibrated, it can be used to weigh or tare materials without setting the menus.

There are many features and functions in the GT Balance, and if you do not address all of the features, the balance has built-in default settings shown on each menu page.

Before using the balance, carefully review the Symbols Used for Operation of the Balance shown on page 15, Navigating the Menus on page 16 and Operational Guide/ Index on page 17.

Please read the entire manual as there are many features which can be enabled. The balance is shipped from the factory ready to operate with default settings as shown in the menus.

The balance is a high precision instrument and will give you years of service if kept clean and handled carefully. If you have any problems operating the instrument or require additional information, please feel free to contact our Product Service Department at (800) 526-0659.

#### Symbols Used for Operation of the Balance

This instruction manual uses certain symbols to explain various operational procedures and actions that occur. Examples of the symbols used are shown as follows:



#### Navigating the Menus

There are <b>four menus</b> used in the balance:			
CALIBRATION USER SETUP PRINT			
<b>To enter the menus</b> , the $\rightarrow 0000$ button is pressed and held until MENU is displayed.			
When released, CAL is displayed which is the Calibration menu.			
When in the menus, repeated pressing of MODE C advances through the			
menus. CALIBRATION USER SETUP PRINT END MENU			

Each menu contains selections (submenus) which can be set for specific operations.

The (MODE) button is used to advance though the submenu selections.

The button enters or accepts the submenu selection and returns to the beginning of the submenu selection.

The **PRINT** button is used to backup in the submenu if a change is desired. The following sample illustrates the **USER menu** and submenu items



NOTE:

Each menu is constructed in the form of a loop. Advancing from one submenu item to the next by using the MODE button will eventually return to the beginning of the menu. .

After selections are made, always exit menus through END  $_{\mbox{\tiny MENU}}$  to store settings.

## **Operational Guide/Index**

The Operational Guide/Index lists the pages for all balance operations and options. After settings are made, exit menus to save settings.

FUNCTION	TO OPERATE	SETUP
	(See pages)	(See pages)
1. Turning the Balance ON	18	
2. Weighing (grams)	20	
3. Zero/Taring	20	
4. Auto Tare	20	
5. List	28	59, 68
6. Printing Data	27 to 32	61 to 68
7. Menu Lockout	34	
8. Calibration	36 to 39	
9. Percent Weighing	21	46, 67
10. Parts Counting	22	46, 51, 67
11. Check weighing	23	46, 52, 53, 67
12. Animal Weighing	24	46, 54
13. Fill Guide	25	46, 54, 67
14. High Point	26	46
15. Custom Units	50	49
16. Changing Units		45
17. Statistics		45
18. Net/Gross Weighing		48
19. Legal for Trade		45
20. GLP		51, 63
21. Time		56, 66
22. Date		57, 67
23. Lockswitch		58
24. Averaging Level		40
25. Stability		41
26. Auto Zero		41
27. Beep Function		42
28. Reset User		40
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30. Reset Print		61
31. Communications		61 to 63

## **Turning the Balance ON**

1. With no load on the platform, connect the power cord to a suitable power source. The balance signals one long beep to indicate power has been applied.



**NOTE**: The display check countdown appears only in the first 60 seconds after plugging it in and only if the balance is turned on and only when the balance has been previously set with Type Approved/Legal for Trade set on.



#### **Display Indications**

The following table describes each of the display indicators.

9	gans	M⊌ pounds	
dwf	pennyweight	UNITIS custom unit/volume	
cĺ	ឋតាស	NET net indicator	
φz	ounces	Pf parts counting	
sz‡	troy ounces	$\chi^{-}$ percent weighing	
UNIT 1	gains	S stability indicator	
ť	aels	GROSS gloss (lotal) indicator	
UNIT 2	mommes	🖷 fil guide	
	auto tare	o center of zero	
έι	check weighing limits		

#### **DISPLAY INDICATORS**

#### Stabilization

Before initially using the balance, allow time for it to adjust to its new environment. The balance only requires to be plugged in to warm up. Recommended warm up period is twenty (20) minutes. The internal circuits of the balance are powered whenever it is plugged into a power source.

#### Moveable FineRange<sup>™</sup> (Models GT410D and GT4100D)

Models GT410D and GT4100D both contain a Moveable FineRange<sup>™</sup> feature. When the weight of the object on the platform exceeds the capacity limit of the Moveable FineRange<sup>™</sup>, the balance will automatically change to the coarse range until either:

- 1. The load is reduced to below the capacity limit of the fine range.
- 2. → tares the balance and recalls the fine range. Taring procedure can be done repeatedly until capacity of the balance is reached.

#### Weighing

**NOTE**: The GT Series balances are shipped with grams only enabled and is labeled in this manner. When the balance is to be used with other Type Approved/Legal for Trade units of measure, the desired unit must be enabled and the appropriate label from the card supplied must be attached to the balance

1.  $\rightarrow 0/T \leftarrow$  to rezero the display.

2. Place the object(s) or material to be weighed on the platform.

3. Wait for the stability indicator to appear before reading the weight.

STABILITY INDICATOR - s 40000 g CAPACITY GUIDE

**NOTE**: The capacity guide (bars) indicates the percentage of the current weight to the balance capacity. The example above illustrates a 4000 gram weight, (balance full capacity 4100 grams).

#### Zero/Tare

When weighing material or objects that must be held in a container, taring stores the container weight in the balance's memory, separate from the weight of the material in the container.

- 1. Place an empty container on the platform. Its weight is displayed.
- NOTE: The container must weigh at least 100 times the readability of the balance (ie,

GT4K x 0.1 or 10 grams).

2. → OT+ C, the display blanks until stable weight readings are received, then indicates zero. The container's weight is stored in memory.

3. Add material to the container. As material is added, its net weight is displayed.

4. Removing the container and material from the platform will cause the balance

to display the container's weight as a negative number.

5.  $(\rightarrow)$  resets the balance to zero.

#### Auto Tare

Auto Tare is *enabled only* when Auto Tare is selected under the Setup menu. Refer to page 42. Auto Tare is used in an application where taring is done automatically without touching any controls on the balance. This is indicated by a small arrow in the display. When this option is set on, each time an object is first placed on the balance platform, it is automatically tared and two short beeps will sound. When a second object is placed on the platform along with the first object such as a container, only the net weight is displayed. The container weight is not shown. After removal of all material from the platform, the next object placed on the platform is auto tared. The default setting is off.

s [[[0] g i

**NOTE**: Auto Tare is disabled for LFT.

AUTO TARE INDICATOR

#### Percent Weighing

Percent Weighing is **enabled only** when the Percent Function is selected under the Setup menu. Refer to page 40. Percent weighing permits you to place a reference load on the balance, then view other loads as a percentage of the reference. The load you place on the platform as a reference may be displayed as any percentage you select from 5% to 100% (in 1% increments). One hundred percent does not

#### EXAMPLE

A 10g reference load is set for 20%:

- A subsequent load of 100 g will be displayed as 200%.
- A subsequent load of 200 g will be displayed as 400%.

necessarily have to represent the reference load. Subsequent loads, displayed as a percentage of the reference are limited only by the capacity of the balance. The default setting is Reference 100%.

To perform percent weighing when in a weighing mode, use the following procedure:



2. Place an empty container on the pan (if one will be used).

3.  $\rightarrow \text{orrec}$   $\checkmark$  5EE IDD . This is the current reference percentage.

**NOTE**: The reference percentage can be changed to any value from 5 to 100.

4. MODE . 52	<i>⊱ 5</i> increm	ents to <u>∗ 56</u> と 100	1.
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- **NOTE**: PRINT  $\longrightarrow$  does not return to a lower number. Instead, it sends Set x% command through the RS232 Interface, where x = 5 to 100.
  - When the selected reference value appears on the display, place the reference load in the container (or directly on the platform if no container is used).

  - 7. Remove the reference load from the balance and replace it with another load. The second load is displayed as a percentage of the reference.

100.00. to view alternate display in units. 8. MODE 9. To restart percent weighing at any time, Petton  $(\rightarrow 0/T_{+})$  to exit to a weighing mode. 10.

#### **Parts Counting**

Parts Counting is **enabled only** when the Parts Counting Function is selected in the Setup menu. Refer to page 40. In the parts counting mode, the balance displays the quantity of parts you place on the platform. Since the balance determines the quantity based on the average weight of a single part, all parts must be reasonably uniform in weight. The accuracy of parts counting results is determined by the error level entered in PC Err of the Setup Options submenu. Refer to page 51. The default setting for PC Err is off.

To perform parts counting when in a weighing mode, use the following procedure:

- Image: PE E D n
   Im
- 3. (indicates 5 pieces).
- 4. If Add X is displayed, the sample is too small to provide results within the selected error level (PC Error of the Setup Options submenu).
- **NOTE**: X represents the number of additional parts needed to provide a sufficient sample.
  - 5. Add the required number of parts, then  $\rightarrow 0.14$  again.
  - 6. To count additional pieces, add them to the platform. The display indicates the actual number of pieces based on their sample size. Tolerance will be within whatever was selected under the Parts Counting Error Level.
- **NOTE**: If the balance controls are not touched, the sample size is stored in memory. You can continue to use the balance to measure quantities as long as the samples to be measured are of the same weight.
  - 7. (MODE)  $\longrightarrow$  to display the weight of the pieces on the pan.
  - 8. (MODE) C again to display the number of pieces.
  - 9. To restart parts counting,
  - 10. (MODE), the balance returns to a weighing mode.

#### **Check Weighing**

Check Weighing is **enabled only** when the Check Weighing Function is selected in the Setup menu. Refer to page 46. Refer to page 52, Check Weighing Options under the Setup menu to set the Reference Type and Display Type options. In the check weighing mode, a reference weight can be set into the balance either as a reference weight on the pan or as a user entered number. The balance display shows either under, accept or over as each sample is weighed.

If reference weight was selected under CW Options submenu:

1. With the balance in the weighing mode,  $(\rightarrow \circ \uparrow \leftarrow)$ 

#### NOTE: If reference number was selected, go to step 7.

2. Place a sample weight on the pan which is considered to be the under limit for check weighing.



- 4. Place a sample weight on the pan which is considered to be the over weight limit for check weighing.
- 5. Some bound of the display blanks until a stable reading is achieved, then it goes to either the (Normal, None or Sign) display type previously selected in CW Options submenu to indicate under, over or acceptacle limits of the objects being weighed.
- 6. Check weighing can now be made by removing a sample and placing a new sample on the pan.

If reference number was selected under the CW Options submenu:

- 7. With the balance in the weighing mode,  $(\rightarrow 074)$
- 8. (MODE)  $\blacktriangleright$  to return to weighing .

9. Horre C Indicates under value with first digit flashing.

10. (MODE) The until the first digit (under weight) is correctly displayed.

- 11.  $(\rightarrow_{0,T+}^{0N})$  to accept the value.
- 12. Repeat steps 10 and 11and set all digits to the desired value. When the last digit is entered, display changes to an over value to be entered with the

first digit flashing

NOTE: PRINT C allows going back.

#### **Check Weighing (Cont.)**

- 13. Repeat steps 10 and 11 to set the over value. When the last digit is entered, the display indicates one of three display modes for check weighing.
- 14. Check weighing can now be performed by removing a sample and placing a new sample on the platform.
- 15. MODE C allows other weighing units to be displayed if previously selected.

#### **Animal Weighing**

Animal Weighing is *enabled only* when Animal Weighing Function is selected under the Setup menu. Refer to page 46. To set options, refer to page 55, Animal Weighing Options under the Setup Options submenu.

With the balance in a weighing mode, proceed as follows:

- 1. ↔ RudEan (Animal Weighing Container).
- 2. Place the container on the platform.
- **NOTE**: (MODE) to return to weighing mode.
  - 3. (→OTT+) CERd'd". The container weight is tared.
  - 4. Place the subject in the container. The balance indicates a countdown to

 $\exists \Box \Box \exists g$ . This cycle accommodates for movement.

The balance then displays the actual weight of the subject with flashing unit

onds. Repeat steps 1 through 4 for another subject or  $\rightarrow 0^{\text{off}}$  to start another weighing cycle.

- **NOTE**: If Auto Print is enabled, the display returns to ready in approximately one second.
  - 5. MODE to return to weighing mode while display shows
- NOTE: while the same subject is on the balance will cause Animal Weighing to start over.

#### Fill Guide

Fill Guide is *enabled only* when Fill Guide Function is selected under the Setup menu. Refer to page 46. To set options, refer to page 55, Fill Options under the Setup Options submenu.

The FillGuide<sup>™</sup> is a bar graph which appears in the upper right hand portion of the



FILLGUIDE<sup>™</sup> INDICATOR

display. When the load on the balance is at the balance's capacity, all of the segments are on. When the load is at half capacity, only the first half of the segments are on. During normal operation of the balance, the bar graph displays the relationship between the load on the pan and the capacity of the balance. In the Fill Guide mode, the bar graph can be set to a desired target value. The FillGuide<sup>™</sup> feature can be used in any one of the available weighing units.

The Fill Option under the Setup Options submenu provides two choices for a reference weight (similar to check weighing). Either a mass can be placed on the pan and used as a reference weight or a number can be entered to establish the weight value. Both methods are used to establish a reference for a 100% bar graph reading. Target parameter provides two choices, one is fill to the reference weight. The other option sets the reference weight to a negative value and allows the operator to see the delta between the actual fill weight and the target weight.

With the balance in a weighing mode, proceed as follows:

#### **Reference Weight**

With the balance in a weighing mode, and if reference weight was selected under Fill Options submenu proceed as follows:



2. Place a sample weight on the pan which is the reference weight

 $SEE = EE^{\parallel}$  Assumes 50 grams weight reference.

3. → orr+ c 5000 . The display indicates a 50 gram mass

(target = reference. For target = to zero, display shows 0.0000 as the actual weight of the sample with the bar graph at 100%.

4. The Fill Guide feature can now used by placing samples on the pan. If the sample is equal to the reference weight used to calibrate the fill mode, the

actual weight is displayed with a full bar graph. When target is selected, the balance will show the normal weight of the object on the pan.

5. →0/T←	SEE	- E F	to exit the fill option mode.
6. MODE	s	0.00 g	, the balance is now in a weighing mode.

## Fill Guide (Cont.)

#### **Reference Number**

If reference number was selected under the Fill Option submenu with the balance in a weighing mode, proceed as follows:



Set the flashing digit to the desired weight

- 3. (MODE) The first digit is correctly displayed.
  - 4.  $(\rightarrow)^{\text{ON}}$  to accept the digit.
- 5. Repeat steps 3 and 4 until all digits are set. When the last digit is entered , balance is automatically in the fill mode.
  - 6. The fill mode can now be used by placing samples on the pan. If the sample weight equals the reference weight, the bar graph indicates 100%, the weight is displayed.

7. 
$$\bigcirc 1 \\ \bigcirc 1 \\ 0$$

## **High Point**

High Point is **enabled only** when High Point Function is selected under the Setup menu. Refer to page 46. High point is a feature which permits a number of samples to be weighed with the balance **storing the lowest** sample weight and the **highest sample weight**. The samples which are in between the low and high points are disregarded and not displayed.

**NOTE**: When using this function, the balance does not respond to weights below 100 digits.

With the balance in a weighing mode, proceed as follows:



played, indicating the function is on.

- 2. Place the first sample on the balance pan. When the balance has stabilized, the weight is displayed. Remove the weight.
- Place a second sample on the pan. After the balance stabilizes, the second sample weight is displayed if it is greater than the first sample. This procedure can be continued with a number of samples. The highest weight sample is always displayed.

#### High Point (Cont.)

4. → To view the lowest and highest sample weight. The display LIMIT flashes, the lowest sample weight is displayed followed by two short beeps, the display then indicates the highest sample weight for a few seconds then automatically changes back to the normal weighing mode.



- 5. To use the High Point function again, repeat steps 1 through 4.
- 6. MODE : G.G.G. g to exit High Point and return to a weighing mode.

#### **Printing Data**

Printing data to an external computer or printer requires that the communications parameters in the Print menu be set first. Refer to page 60 Print menu. A wide variety of printing options are available, refer to page 64, Print Options under the Print menu

and set the desired options before proceeding. To print data, (PRINT)

This section defines the various printing setups with printing samples.

#### **Time and Date**

When time and date are entered in the balance through the Setup menu and with both Time and Date options set to ON under the Print Options submenu, each printout starts with the time and date on the first line.

6/22/95 1:00:30 PM

## Printing Data (Cont.)

#### List

List is a convienent method of examining which parameters are set up in the balance. The parameters do not show up on the display but print out when selected. Both the Setup and Print menus have a List function.

When LIST is displayed in either the Setup or Print Menu,  $\rightarrow 0^{\text{N}}$  causes the parameters of the User, Setup and Print menus to be printed on an external printer or computer screen.

The sample shown, indicates the status in three menus.

GT MODEL 98101-18 Sr 1.0

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User Menu
AL = 3, Stb = 1d
AZT = Off, Beep = Off
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Setup Menu LFT is Off Enabled Modes: g, dwt, oz, ozt, tael, momme, lb, custom Tael = Hong Kong C. Units: 1.000000 EXx1 Units = custom Functions = None Statistics On Std Dev = Sample Mean = OnSum = OnMax = OnMin = OnDiff = OnTotal = OffAuto Tare = Off GLP Time/Date On Bal Id = OnUser Id = OnProject # = OnCal = OnTime = US 12:00:00 PM Date = US 4/1/94Lock Switch is Off Print Menu RS-232 = 2400: N: 7: 2 Print Options Auto Print = OffInterval = 2Non - PL = 0.000Non - PH = 50.000Stable Print = Off Nu = OffTime = OnDate = OnPrint Ref = OnPrint Ref = On

#### **Span Calibration Printout**

With GLP on, when performing a Span calibration, a printout is automatically made after the calibration mass is placed

on the platform and  $(\rightarrow)$  is pressed.

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SP	AN CAL	
4/01/95	12:00:00 PM	
Bal Id 1234		
Cal:	4000.00g	
Old:	4000.00g	
Dif:	0.00g	
Wt. Ref		
ID 2056853		
PR 100012		
Name		
END		

#### Linearity Calibration Printout

When performing a Linearity calibration with GLP on, a printout is automatically made after the calibration mass is placed

on the platform and  $\rightarrow 0/T \leftarrow$  is pressed.

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Ll	N CAL	
4/01/95	12:00:00 PM	
Bal Id 1234		
Cal:	4000.00g	
Old:	3999.94g	
Dif:	0.06g	
Wt. Ref		
ID 2056853		
PR 100012		
Name		
END		

#### **Calibration Test Printout**

When performing a Calibration Test with GLP on, a printout is available. When the display indicates the mass value to be placed on the platform, the balance the automatically displays the calibration weight required.

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(	CAL TEST
4/01/95	12:00:00 PM
Bal Id 123	4
Cal:	4000.00g
Act:	4000.04g
Dif:	0.04g
Wt. Ref	
ID 2056853	3
PR 100012	
Name	
END	

#### **Statistics Printout**

When statistics is enabled, a printout can be made with any of the major balance functions such as; Percent, Parts Counting, Check Weighing, Animal Weighing and FillGuide<sup>™</sup>. Under the Setup Options menu, Statistics has parameters such as Enable, Standard Deviation, Mean, Sum, High, Low and Difference which can be turned on or off. Statistics can be printed any time the balance is operational and statistics is enabled (turned on).

For example, to weigh ten samples and obtain a printout, proceed as follows:

#### Sampling



- 2. Place the *first* sample on the platform, wait for the stability indicator **S** on the display to show.
- 3. PRINT C 5n l appears and the printer outputs

first sample weight.

- 4. Remove the first sample.
- 5. Place the *second* sample on the platform, wait for the stability

cator S on the display to show.

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appears and the printer outputs the second sample weight.

- 7. Remove the second sample.
- **NOTE**: The weight of each sample is shown on the display and printed. Maximum sample size = 256.
  - 8. Repeat procedure for as many samples as required.

to end the sampling procedure. Printout completes the data. See sample at right.

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START		
4/01/95	12:00:00 PM	
1	49.54 g	
2	49.54 g	
3	49.56 g	
4	49.57 g	
5	50.03 g	
6	50.54 g	
7	50.04 g	
8	50.04 g	
9	50.03 g	
10	50.04 g	
SD Pop.	0.314	
Mean	49.893	
Sum	498.93	
Maximum	50.54	
Diff	1.00	
Finish	12:05:00 PM	
Bal Id 1234		
ID 2056853		
PR 100012		
Name		
END		

#### **Percent Weighing**

Statistical printouts of Percent Weighing are similar to sampling statistics. Loads on the balance platform may be displayed as a percentage from 5% to 100% in 1% increments. To obtain a printout in this mode, the balance must be set up in Percent Weighing. Refer to basic Sampling procedure for operation. The sample illustration shown at the right had the balance reference set to 100% using a weight of 17.398 grams.

$\sim\sim\sim\sim$	~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~	
4/01/95 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	START 12:00:00 PM 5 Pcs 5 Pcs 15 Pcs 23 Pcs 36 Pcs 42 Pcs 52 Pcs 50 Pcs 41 Pcs	
10	50 Pcs	
SD Pop.	17.530	
Mean	31.900	
Sum	319.00	
Maximum	52.00	
Diff	5.00	
Finish	12:05:00 PM	
PC Ref	0.496 q	
Bal Id 123	4	
ID 2056853		
PR 100012	2	
Name		
	- END	
	20	

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	- START
4/01/95	12:00:00 PM
1	99.9%
2	100.1%
3	100.0%
4	55.9%
5	123.2%
6	155.9%
7	102.8%
8	102.9%
9	105.9%
10	105.7%
SD Pop.	23.276
Mean	105.230
Sum	1052.30
Maximum	155.90
Diff	100.00
Finish	12:05:00 PM
Bal Id 123	4
ID 205685	3
PR 100012	2
Name	
	END

#### **Parts Counting**

When the balance is in a Parts Counting mode, each time a batch of items are counted, they can be recorded statistically by pressing **PRINT** as described in the Sampling procedure. The example shown on the left used a sample weighing 0.496 gram each.

#### **Check Weighing**

When the balance is in a Check Weighing mode, each sample can be checked either to show or print an under, accept or over weight on the printout. Use the procedure described in Sampling to obtain data by pressing **PRINT** each time a sample is weighed. A numeric entry of 50.00 grams was used for this sample printout.

	ST	ART
4/0	1/9512:00:0	0 pm
1	50.78 g	ACCEPT
2	52.74 g	ACCEPT
3	55.25 g	ACCEPT
4	57.63 g	OVER
5	52.79 g	ACCEPT
6	51.78 g	ACCEPT
7	50.79 g	ACCEPT
8	47.79 g	UNDER
9	47.79 g	UNDER
10	50.30 g	ACCEPT
	·	
SD P	op.	2.082
Sum	1	51.904
Sum		519.04
	mum	57.03
Dill Einia	h	9.04 12:05:00 DM
	li Dof	12.03.00 PM
Max	Pof	50.00 g
Pol I	1224	55.00 g
Dallu 1234		
PR 100012		
Nam	۵0012 ۵	
Nam	0	
	13 E	ND

4/01/95	12:00:00 PM
1999.9 g	4000.00
Fill Ref	1999.98 g
Fill Dif -	0.01 g
4/01/94	12:01:00 PM
2023.87 g	
Fill Ref	1999.98 g
Fill Dif-	23.89 g
4/01/94	12:02:00 PM
2050.28 g	
Fill Ref	1999.98 g
Fill Dif -	50.30 g
	-

#### FillGuide™

When the balance is in a FillGuide<sup>™</sup> mode, each sample can be checked on the printout. By accessing the Custom Units submenu, Density settings can be in *Milliliter, Liters, Fluid Ounces or Quarts.* Use the procedure described in Sampling to obtain data by pressing PRINT each time a sample is weighed. A standard mass of 2,000 grams was used for this sample printout and a sample taken each minute.

## MENUS

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Each submenu of the GT Balance contains numerous selections which can be set for specific operations. To customize the operation of the balance for specific measurements, functions and printing, it is necessary to make selections in each menu. The following illustration identifies the major items in each menu and the factory default settings are shown in bold type with the exception of the Setup Options and Print options which are shown in their respective menus. Shaded areas only appear in the menu if the appropriate function or weighing unit is selected in the Setup menu.


# **MENU LOCK-OUT PROTECTION**

Access to the *Calibration, User, Setup* and *Print* menus, can be disabled using the Lockswitch located on the PC board inside the balance. The Lockswitch locks out menus selected in the Lockswitch menu. The default setting for the Lockswitch is OFF.

1. Turn the display off and unplug the power cord.

#### WARNING

- To avoid shock hazards, always be certain that the power cord is disconnected BEFORE removing the balance cover.
- Even though the balance may have been switched OFF, high voltage is present inside the balance as long as the power cord is connected.
- A power cord has been furnished with the balance. DO NOT use any other type of power cord other than the one furnished.

DO NOT create a safety hazard by defeating the grounding feature.

- Remove the platform and platform support.
- Remove the two (2) cover screws and tilt the cover towards the right side of the balance.
- 4. The menu Lockswitch is located on the front of the PC board. The OFF position is to the left facing the front of the balance.
- Select the desired position on the Lockswitch and reassemble the balance.



# TYPE APPROVED BALANCE SEALING

Precision Advanced Electronic Balances with an "E" suffix, may be sealed for type approved applications. Type Approved balances include a lead seal with wire and security screw as shown in the figures below. Non Draft Shield equipped models have two fastening points (lances) and Draft Shield equipped balances have three fastening points for sealing wire.

Type approved balances are Class II devices, consult local Weights and Measures officials to determine sealing method requirements.

After the balance has been set up properly and the menus are locked out (see section titled Type Approved/LFT), proceed as follows to seal the balance: Turn OFF and unplug the balance. Remove Platform and Platform Support.

#### LEAD SEAL METHOD

 Pass the wire through the Security Screw and the lances on the Plate as shown in the illustration. NOTE: On balances with a draft shield, both sides of the wire from the screw *must* pass through the first lance, otherwise the wire may interfere with balance operation by touching the bottom of the platform.



# CALIBRATION MENU

Precision Advanced balances features CalTest<sup>™</sup> which offers a choice of three calibration methods: Cal Span, Cal Linearity, and Cal User. Cal Span calibration ensures that the balance reads correctly within specifications using two weight values: zero and a weight value at either 25%, 50%, 75% of or at the balance's full capacity. Cal Linearity calibration minimizes deviation between actual and displayed weights within the balance's weighing range. Three weight values are used: zero, a weight value at midpoint of the balances weighing range, and a weight value at or near the balance's specified capacity. *Cal User* is a method where the balance can be calibrated using a mass of known value by entering that value into the balance. Cal **Test** allows the stored calibration data to be tested against the current mass being used for the test. The following figure illustrates the sequence in which submenus appear on the Calibration menu. Item shown bolded is a default setting.



NOTE: Multiple Span values and Cal User are disabled for Type Approved/LFT balances.

#### Calibration Menu Protection

#### NOTES:

1. Calibration may be locked out to prevent unauthorized personnel from changing calibration. If calibration has been locked out, you can only access Cal Test.

2. To lock out calibration menu, after calibration, refer to the section titled Menu Lock-Out Protection.

#### Calibration Masses

Before beginning calibration, make sure masses are available. If you begin calibration and realize calibration masses are not available, exit the menu. The balance will retain previously stored calibration data. Calibration should be performed as necessary to ensure accurate weighing. Masses required to perform the procedures are listed in the adjacent table.

<b>CALIBRATION MASSES</b>					
MODEL	LINEARITY MASSES	SPAN ONLY MASSES			
GT210	100g, 200g	200g			
GT400	200g, 400g	400g			
GT410	200g, 400g	400g			
GT410D	200g, 400g	400g			
GT2100	1kg, 2kg	2kg			
GT4000	2kg, 4kg	4kg			
GT4100	2kg, 4kg	4kg			
GT4100D	2kg, 4kg	4kg			
GT8000	4kg, 8kg	8kg			
Masses must meet or exceed ASTM					
Class 1 Tolerance. Calibration masses					
are availab	are available as accessories.				

# Span Calibration

1. →0/T←	рпепи	]	ERL	
	5 <sup>p</sup> An	. NC	)TE: Do not dis en -C- is disp	sturb the balance played.
3. ► → 0/T←	£ 0g	, = no mas	s should be on	the platform.
4. ► → 0/T←	-[-		2000 g	= mass which
must be pla	ced on the platform			
5. MODE C span to be u 4 kg balance	allows the sele ased to calibrate the e.	ction of eith balance. E	er 25%, 50%, 7 Example shows	5%, or 100% of full value of 50% for a
6. Place requir	ed mass on the plat	tform , (→0/Te		-E- I 🔨 .
s 2000. and the stat	الله الله الله الله الله الله الله الله	mass is disp ON, the ba	blayed with curr	ent unit indicator,
7. Remove the calibration is	mass from the plat complete. The bal	form 📩. lance is nov	s [[][] w in a weighing	] <sub>g</sub> Span mode.
Linearity Calibrat	ion			
1. →0/T←	נהשרית		[ RL	
2. →0/T← C	5ÅÅn	. NC	TE: Do not dis	sturb the balance
3. (MODE)	Lin	wh	en -C- is dis <sub>l</sub>	played.
4. → <sup>0</sup> /T←	£ 0 g	, = no mas	s should be on	the platform.
5. →0/T← ►	-[-		2000 g	= mass which
must be pla	ced on the platform			
6. Place the red	quired mass on the pl	atform,	• <b>C</b>	-E- 🖄
E 45	l□□ g = next m	nass to be p	blaced on the pl	atform.
7. Place the red	uired mass on the pla	atform, →0/T€		-E - 🚺
s 4000	□□ <sup>□</sup> g. When ι	mass is dis	played with cur	rent unit indicator
and the stat	pility indicator (S) is	ON, the ba	lance is recalib	rated.
8. Remove the	e mass from the plat	form	s [[[[]]] g	. Linearity
calibration is	s complete. The bala	ance is now	in a weighing	mode.

### **User Calibration**

User calibration is used when it is desired to calibrate the balance using a mass of known value. To use this calibration feature, proceed as follows:



### Cal Test

Cal Test offers a choice of the span calibration value (1/4, 1/2, 3/4 or full). To ensure reproducibility, this feature allows a check of a known calibration mass against last stored calibration information.



### Cal Test (Cont.)

- 6. MODE Switch allows the selection of either 25%, 50%, 75%, or 100% of full span to be used to calibrate the balance.
- 7. Place the required mass on the platform  $(-1)^{\text{NN}}$

 $G \square \square \square \square \square$  The balance weighs the test mass based on current

calibration data, then displays the difference between the measured value and requested value. The example shows a normal display if the test mass equals the mass value stored in memory.

8. After a short period of time, the balance returns to the weighing mode.

### **USER MENU**

The User menu is used to adapt the balance to environmental conditions. It contains submenus which enable you to turn features on or off, and program balance parameters. *Reset* changes all submenus to original factory default settings. *Reset* does not appear if menu has been locked out. *AL* specifies the averaging level. *STB* specifies the desired stability range. *Auto Zero* sets the automatic zero threshold. *Beep,* when set on, provides audible tones to signify various balance conditions. *End User* is used to exit the Setup menu and store the selections. The following figure illustrates the sequence in which submenus appear on the User menu. Items shown in bold type are the default settings.

### **User Menu Protection**

The User menu may be locked out to prevent unauthorized personnel from changing the settings. If -SAFE- is displayed, the User menu has been locked out. Settings may be viewed but not changed. To lock out the User menu, refer to the section titled Menu Lock-Out Protection.

### Reset

This submenu enables you to reset all User menu selections to the *factory default settings:* Averaging Level **1**, Stability Range **.5d**, Auto-Zero Tracking **.5d** and Beep **OFF.** Reset does not appear if the menu has been locked out.



### **Averaging Level**

Averaging level compensates for vibration or excessive air currents. Factory default setting is shown in bold type.

AL 0 reduced stability, fastest stabilization time

#### AL 1 normal stability, normal stabilization time

- AL 2 more stability, slow stabilization time.
- AL 3 maximum stability, slowest stabilization time.
- **NOTE**: Averaging level does not affect balance accuracy, but it does affect stabilization time.

To view or change the averaging level:



#### Stability Range

The stability range specifies the weighing results must be within a preset tolerance limit for a certain time to turn the stability indicator ON. When a displayed weight changes beyond the allowable range, the stability indicator turns OFF, indicating an unstable condition. Factory default setting is shown in bold type.

# Stb .5 d Smallest range: stability indicator is ON only when displayed weight is within .5 divisions.

- Stb 1 d Reduced range.
- Stb 2 d Normal range.
- Stb 5 d Largest range: stability indicator is ON even though displayed weight changes slightly.

When the RS232 interface is configured to print stable data only, the stability range also governs data output. Displayed data will only be output if it is within the selected stability range.

To view or change the stability range:



### Auto-Zero

Auto-Zero minimizes the effects of temperature changes and shift on the zero reading. The balance maintains the zero display until the threshold is exceeded. Factory default setting is shown in bold type.

OFF	Turns Auto-Zero OFF.		
.5 d	Sets threshold to .5 divisions		
1 d	Sets threshold to 1 division.		
3 d	Sets threshold to 3 divisions.		

To view or change the auto-zero setting:



### **Beep Function**

A beep (sound) feature is a tone or series of tones emitted to annunciate various balance conditions. The table below defines when the beeps are sounded if turned ON. The default setting for the Beep menu is OFF. To turn the sound feature ON, proceed as follows:



GT BEEPS	
Power-On Single long beep (Plug in, not front panel On) Key Press Auto-Tare occurrence FillGuide™ 100% (first time after no load) Check Weigh Accept First time after no load) High Point - new high or low value detected End of Animal Weigh cycle Reset in Menu * Indicates that the beep cannot be disabled.	Single long beep * Single short beep Double short beep * Triple short beep Double short beep Double short beep Double short beep

#### **Exiting User Menu**

To exit the User menu and store settings, proceed as follows:



# SETUP MENU

The Setup menu is used to customize the operation of the balance for your specific requirements. It contains submenus which enable you to turn features on or off, and program balance parameters. *Reset* changes all submenus to original factory default settings. *Reset* does not appear if menu has been locked out. *LFT* sets the balance for type approved operation. The following figure illustrates the sequence in which submenus appear on the Setup menu. Areas shaded appear only appear in the menu if the appropriate function or weighing unit is selected. Items shown in bold type are the default settings.





### Setup Menu Protection

The Setup menu may be locked out to prevent unauthorized personnel from changing the settings. If -SAFE- is displayed, the Setup menu has been locked out. Settings may be viewed but not changed. To lock out the Setup menu, refer to the section titled Menu Lock-Out Protection on page 34.

#### Reset

This submenu enables you to reset **all** Setup menu selections to the factory default settings shown in the table. Reset does not appear if the menu has been locked out.

#### NOTES:

- Default settings of the Lockswitch menu only appear if the hardware Lock-out switch is set to the locked position.
- Function related options shown in itailics in the table only appear if that function is enabled.

#### SETUP MENU FACTORY DEFAULTS

Unit Selection	grams
Functions	None
Statistics	All-Off
Net	Off
Auto Tare	Off
Conversion Factor	
Mantissa	1.000000
Exponent	0
LSD	1
Density	Off
GLP	Off
Animal Weighing*	AW1
PC Error Level*	OFF
Check Weighing*	
Reference	Ref Wt.
Display	Normal
Fill Options*	
Reference	Ref Wt.
Target	To Ref
Time	U.S.
Date	U.S.
Lockswitch Menu	
Cal	Yes
User	No
Setup	Yes
Print	No



### Type Approved/LFT

LFT can be set to ON or OFF. Selecting ON automatically sets the parameters shown in the table to conform to type approved requirements. For sealing method, refer to Type Approved Sealing section. Default setting are shown as follows:



### **Unit Selection**

The Unit Selection (SEL) submenu permits the selection of weighing units for use during operation. The balance can display weights in every unit of measure listed in table. The default setting is shown in bold type.

### NOTE:

If Taels is enabled, see next page before exiting the menu.

Weighing Units			
g	Grams		
dwt	Pennyweight		
ct	Carats		
oz	Ounces		
ozt	Troy ounces		
UNIT1	Grains		
t	Taels (see note)		
UNIT2	Mommes		
lb	Pounds		
UNIT3	Custom		

# Unit Selection (Cont.)

To view or change the various weighing units:



#### Taels

If taels are enabled, choose one of three different taels: Hong Kong, Singapore, or Taiwan.



### Functions

The Functions submenu permits the selection of only one function. These functions are: Percent, Parts Counting. Check Weighing, Animal Weighing, FillGuide<sup>™</sup>, High Point or None. The default setting is **none**. *Only one function at a time can be selected for balance operation.* Selection of a function, other than None or Percent, requires additional selections to that function be reviewed in the section titled Setup Options.



### **Statistics**

Statistics provides printed display data of: Standard Deviation either population or sample, Mean, Sum, High, Low and Difference readings. Each can be individually set ON or OFF.



#### Net

Weight shown on the display can be referred to as a zero value (gross value) or tare value (net value). When enabled the display value also has GROSS/NET Indicator

turned ON, this feature will allow you to obtain a zero value by a long press on  $\downarrow_{OTF}^{\circ N}$ . A short press is a tare.

**Net Weight** - the weight of a material or sample after deducting the weight of its packaging or container with which it had previously been weighed.

**Gross Weight** - the weight of object or sample (Net Weight) including container or packaging.

**NOTE**: When in a weighing mode, MODE , switches between Gross weight and Net weight.

The Net function can be set either ON or OFF.



### Auto Tare

**NOTE**: Auto Tare is disabled for LFT.

To set Auto Tare feature ON or OFF, proceed as follows:

1. Remove any material from the platform.



#### **Custom Unit or Volume Selection**

Custom Unit is enabled when Unit 3 under Unit Selection is selected. This feature can be used to create your own custom weighing unit. It permits entering a conversion factor which the balance will use to convert grams to the desired unit of measure.

Conversion Weight Weight Factor x in = in grams custom unit

Conversion factors are expressed in scientific notation and entered into the balance in three parts:

- a number between 0.1 and 1.999999 called the mantissa
- a power of 10 called the exponent
- a least significant digit (LSD)

1. Access the

ON

SCIENTIFIC NOTATION								
Conv. Factor		Numbe Betwee 0.1 and 1.99999	r n I 9	Pow of 1	ər O	Man- tissa		Exp.
123.4	=	.1234	х	1000	=	.1234	х	10 <sup>3</sup>
12.34	=	.1234	х	100	=	.1234	х	10 <sup>2</sup>
1.234	=	.1234	х	10	=	.1234	х	10¹
.1234	=	.1234	х	1	=	.1234	х	10 <sup>0</sup>
.01234	=	.1234	х	.1	=	.1234	х	10 <sup>-1</sup>
.001234	=	.1234	х	.01	=	.1234	х	10 <sup>-2</sup>
.000123	=	.123	х	.001	=	.123	х	10 <sup>-3</sup>

submenu under the Setup Options menu.

Ζ.	HLEOr	ŀ
3.		
	The mantissa of the current conve	ər
	sion is displayed. The mantissa	of
	the structure of a subscription of a structure of	

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the current conversion factor is dis played. This is a number between 0.1 and 1.999999 with the first digit flashing. For conversion factors outside of this range, the exponent will be used to move the decimal point.

- 4. (MODE) Changes first digit.
- 5. Joint Contraction of the second se
- 6. Repeat steps 4 and 5, and set value of all digits.
- 7. PRINT to backup for errors.

	EXPONENTS
E-3	Moves decimal point 3 places to the left.
E-2	Moves decimal point 2 places to the left.
E-1	Moves decimal point 1 place to the left.
EO	Leaves decimal point in normal position.
E1	Moves decimal point 1 place to the right.
E2	Moves decimal point 2 places to the right.
E3	Moves decimal point 3 places to the right.

### **Custom Unit or Volume Selection (Cont.)**

- 8. After the last digit is entered, the display indicates the current exponent F preceded by the letter Π There are 7 exponent values which you can choose from (see table). 9. MODE > to change the exponent. 10. (→0/T←) >. When released, the display shows the current least significant digit. The least significant digit is the digit in the last decimal place on the display. The selection you make causes the balance to count by 1's, 2's or 5's in this position. There are 6 LSD settings you can choose from (see table). 11. MODE > to change the LSD. LSD's 12. FREtor LSD .5\* Adds one decimal place display counts by 5's. 8605 189 13. (MODE) LSD 1 Display counts by 1's. Density permits the selection of the LSD 2 Display counts by 2's. density of a liquid by measuring the volume by weight. If the Factor is ISD 5 Display counts by 5's. the density of a liquid, the approp-LSD 10 Display counts by 10's. riate unit of volume can be selected LSD 100 Display counts by 100's. for printing. \* Sensitivity to vibration is increased nonE with this LSD setting. 14. <u>ר קו</u> 15. MODE L itEr קח F1 9118-6 Selecting NONE disables the volumetric units. dEn5 169 16.
- **NOTE**: To use this function the printer must be on and all communication parameters must be set first.

#### **Operating Procedure**

- 1. Place a container on the platform,  $(\rightarrow)$  to tare the container.
- 2. Fill the container.
- 3. (PRINT) C, printer will now print out quantity of selected unit of measurement.

#### **Good Laboratory Practices**

Good Laboratory Practices (GLP) submenu allows the selection of Time, Balance Identification Number, Identification Number, Project Number, Calibration and Name data to be printed. The purpose of this submenu is to permit the printing of the above selected items. These items are not displayed. The default setting is off.

When an external printer is used, and all items are set ON and the balance is calibrated, the printer will print out calibration data for audit trail purposes and will indicate date, and time. (It should be noted that the ID number and Project number must be entered in the Print/GLP submenu before printed data is available). Since all of the settings for the GLP submenu are done in a similiar manner, only one example is shown.



### **Parts Counting Error**

Parts counting Error is enabled only when the Parts Counting Function is selected.

The parts counting error level is the level of accuracy you consider acceptable for parts counting results. The adjacent table lists error levels that you can choose from. The default setting is shown in bold type.

EXAMPLE: With 5 Pct selected, 100 parts on the platform may yield a displayed count from 95 to 105 parts.

To view, change or disable the PC Error Level:

1. Access the C E - - submenu under the Setup Option submenu.

### Parts Counting Error (Cont.)

2. →OT+ ↓	icates percentage of acceptable error.
Settings are shown in table.	
3. MODE CC * 555 . 1	to 🔹 555 5 to change the
percentage error limits,	
	en the desired setting is reached.
5. (MODE) C. End.	
	ERROR LEVELS
	OFF Disables error level limits.
	.1% ±0.1% acceptable error.
	.25 % ±0.25% acceptable error.
	.5 % ±0.5% acceptable error.
	1 % ±1.0% acceptable error.
	2.5 % ±2.5% acceptable error.
	5 % ±5.0% acceptable error.

### **Check Weighing Options**

Check Weighing is enabled only when the Check Weighing Function is selected. This feature may be used for check weighing or package weight control in any one of the available weighing units. When in use, the display will show the relationship between the load on the plartform, and the selected target weight. The bar graph will visibly display where the weight of the load falls in relationship to the under, acceptable, and over limits. The balance also displays UNDER, ACCEPT, and OVER messages as appropriate. The default settings are: Reference = Reference weight, Display = normal.

Two choices are provided for programming the Reference Weight. One choice is the use of a mass (package, container, etc,) and the other is a number which can be entered as a high and low limit.

Three choices are provided for programming the display: normal, none, and sign. Sample displays are shown on the next page.

### SAMPLE DISPLAYS

**NOTE**: Samples of the displays for check weighing are shown as follows using a reference weight of 50 grams. The over limit was set at 55 grams, and the lower limit was set at 45 grams.

### NORMAL DISPLAYS

When normal is selected, the display indicates the actual weight.





# NONE DISPLAYS

When none is selected, the numeric section of the display is blank if the values exceed the limits. Numbers appear only if they are within the limits.

When sign is selected, the display spells in words; HIGH, LOW or ACCEPT with no weight values showing.

### **Check Weighing Options (Cont.)**

The following procedure describes how to set up the balance for all choices. Before starting, the Check Weighing option must have been selected under the Functions submenu.

1. Access the Сьд-<u>NP</u>F submenu under the Setup Options sub menu. 2. →0/T← -EF (reference). - E F (reference weight). 3. 675 nu/76Er - E F 4. (MODE 675 If REF WT is selected, a sample reference is used later to set the weight parameter into the balance. If NUMBER is selected, a number representing the sample weight has to be entered manually. See section titled Check Weighing. 5. (→0/T← -EF d ISPLAY MODE 6. 7. (→0/T← norPARL norPARL nonE 8. MODE 5 190 d ISPLAH 9. 10. MODE End 11. Съл оре End 12. MODE ON →0/T← 13.

### **Animal Weighing Options**

Animal Weighing Options is enabled only when Animal Weighing Function is selected. Animal weighing settings allow the balance to compensate for animal activity.

Four settings are available: AW OPT levels, 0 through 3. AW0 should be used for an inactive subject, where AW3 should be used for an active subject. The default setting is AW1.



### Fill Option

Fill Option provides two choices for a reference weight (similar to check weighing). Either a mass can be placed on the platform and used as a reference weight or a number can be entered to establish the weight value. Both methods are used to establish a reference for a 100% bar graph reading. Target parameter provides two choices, one is fill to the reference, the other to zero. The following procedure describes how to set up the balance for all choices. Before starting, the Fill Function must have been selected.



### Fill Option (Cont.)



#### Time

Time is a feature which enables the balance to be set to the current time in either U.S.A. standards (12 hour periods) or European/Military standards (24 hour periods). The default setting is US Standard. To enter time, proceed as follows:



### Time (Cont.)



#### Date

Date is a feature which enables the balance to be set to a U.S.A. date standard or European date standard. U.S. standard has the month, date followed by the year each separated by (/) in the printout. The European date standard has the day first, followed by the month and then the year each separated by a period. The default setting is US Standard.

1.	Access the	dREE	submenu which is under Setup menu.
2.		ŁУРЕ	
3.		<i>US</i>	
4.		<b>U</b> 5	or <i>E Ц - П</i> .
5.		ЕУРЕ	
6.		585	
7.		00000	flashes first two digits.
8.		to change the	first flashing digit to current month for US or day
	for Europea	n standard.	
9.		залаа	一.

### Date (Cont.)



NOTE: At power up, if Time in the GLP submenu is set to ON, the display flashes

 $\dot{E}$  IPPE for about 1.5 seconds to prompt setting of time and date .

### Lockswitch

Lockswitch enables you to lock out one or more menu selections. Each menu can be individually locked on or off *after all functions have been set*. The **Calibration**, **User, Setup** and **Print** menus can be individually locked on or off by selecting the appropriate menu and then locked by the switch located under the front of the control panel. See Menu Lockout Section. Cal Test under Calibration remains functional with the Lockswitch On or Off. Before performing the lockout procedure, decide which functions of the balance are to be locked on or off.

- 1. Access the LOCSLU submenu which is under the Setup menu.
- 2. (MODE) ( ) to access either Calibration, User, Setup or Print menus.

3.  $(\rightarrow_{0/T}^{0N})$  to access selected desired menu.

- 4. MODE to select <u>965</u> or <u>no</u>. YES = locked, NO = not locked.
- 5. (+) to accept.
- 6. (MODE)  $\checkmark$  to change to other menus.
- 7. To change other menus, repeat steps 2 through 5.

#### List

This submenu can be used to output a listing of current menu settings via the RS232 interface. When selected, all menu settings for the User, Setup and Print menus will be output either to an external printer or computer. To use this feature, your balance must be connected to a computer or printer.

Access the <u>L\_15E</u> submenu under the Setup or Print menus.
 Source <u>L\_15E</u> <u>L\_15E</u>. The display indicates a series of dots traveling right to left when the balance is sending information.

Exit Setup Menu

**NOTE**: If any Setup parameter is different from previous settings, indicator SETUP in the display flashes while the balance is storing new settings. Proceed with next step.



1. (MODE)

End

# PRINT MENU

The Print menu provides a number of options which includes: reset, communications, good laboratory practices, and list. *Reset* sets all submenus contained in the Print submenu to factory default settings. *Communication* specifies baud rate, number of data bits, parity bit type and stop bits. *GLP* Good laboratory practices permits the entering of your own identification number and project number which shows up on printing. *Print Options* Enables/disables Auto print feature, specifies time interval for automatic output of displayed data and/or a range of displayed weight values that cannot be output. The following items can be turned on or off: Stable data-only feature, numeric only or full display data for output, time, date. Also prints reference weight value when using FillGuide<sup>™</sup> or Parts Counting functions. Difference feature indicates the difference between weight value currently being used and reference value set into the balance. Items shown in bold type are default settings. Items shown in italics in the print menu below appear only if the appropriate options are selected in the Setup menu. Items shown in bold type are the default settings.



### **Print Menu Protection**

The Print menu may be locked out to prevent unauthorized personnel from changing settings. If SAFE is displayed, the Print menu has been locked out. Settings may be viewed but not changed. To lock out the Print menu or unlock, refer to the section titled Menu Lock-Out Protection.

#### Reset

This submenu enables you to reset **all** Print menu selections to the factory default settings shown below. Reset does not appear if the menu has been locked out.



#### Communication

The Communication submenu contains submenus which permit the setting of: baud rates, data bits, parity and stop bits necessary for communications to an external printer or computer.

Access the EDDD submenu under the Print menu..

#### **Baud Rate**

This submenu is used to select the desired baud rate. There are five available baud rates to choose from: 300, 1200, 2400, 4800 and 9600. The default setting is 2400 baud.

To view or change the baud rate:



#### Data Bits

To set the number of data bits to 7 or 8:



#### Parity

Parity can be set to Odd, Even or None. The default setting is None. To set parity, proceed as follows:



#### Stop Bits

The number of stop bits can be set to 1 or 2. The default setting is 2. To set stop bits, proceed as follows:



### **Good Laboratory Practice (GLP)**

This submenu enables the storage of an identification number and/or a project number. When entered into the balance, the identification number and project number are available when printing. The reason the entries are made under the Print submenu, is that when legal for trade operation (LFT) is enabled, the Setup submenu is locked out, leaving the Print submenu free to make entries.



### **Print Options**

This submenu contains additional features which can be set and include Auto Print, Initialize Auto Print, Stable Data only, Numeric Data only, Time, Date and Reference data and Difference. To change any of the above listed options, enter the submenu.

### **Auto Print Feature**

When enabled, the Auto Print feature causes the balance to automatically output display data in one of three ways: continuously, at user specified time intervals, or upon stability.

To select one of these Auto Print methods, or to turn the feature off:



**NOTE**: If you select interval to automatically output data at user specified time intervals, the interval is entered in the Initialize submenu which follows.

### Initialize

This submenu allows you to:

- Specify a time interval (in seconds) for automatic output.
- Exclude a range of weights from being output, or specify a range for output, by the Auto Print feature.

It does not appear on the Print menu if Auto Print is set to OFF. Use the following procedure to set these features:

1. Access the	ln iE	submenu under the Print Options submenu.
2. →0/T← ►	IntEr	displays if Interval was selected in the Auto
Print sub	menu and you may c	ontinue with step 3. If interval was not selected,
		ved. Proceed to step 7.
3. (→0/T←)C)	Int I	to enter time interval for automatic data
output. The	current interval from	Int I to Int 255
(in seconds	s) is displayed.	

# Initialize (Cont.)

4. MODE to increase or PRINT to	to decrease the interval num-				
5. ON LOLE.					
6. Mode C to er	iter a range of non printing values.				
7. $(\rightarrow)^{\text{ont}}$	To exclude data WITHIN SELECTED RANGE:				
current value for the low end of the range is displayed with the first digit flashing.	SET non-PL < non-PH Example: non-PL=7g, non-PH=11g Values <7 <b>OR</b> >11 will be output				
8. MODE to change the num ber, start with the first digit (flashing). Change the value to any number from -9 to +9. A minus sign will light to	To exclude data OUTSIDE SELECTED RANGE: Set non-PL > non-PH				
<ul> <li>9. offer the next digit</li> <li>to accept it and the next digit</li> </ul>	Example: non-PL=11g, non-PH=7g Values >7 <b>AND</b> <11 will be output.				
will begin flashing.					
to the desired digit and change it.					
11. After the last digit is entered,					
12. MODE CORPT					
13. ())) IIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIII					
14. Repeat steps 8 through 10 to change the numbers as required.					
15. After the last digit is entered,/ displayed again.					
17. →ort← C !n :E .					

#### Print Stable Data Only

When enabled, this feature permits only stable display data to be output. To set the feature ON or OFF, proceed as follows:



#### **Print Numeric Data Only**

This submenu is used to select numeric data only, or full display data for RS232 output. Set this feature ON to output numeric display data only, or OFF to output full display data as follows:



#### Time

When the Time function is set ON, allows the balance to output the current time to the printer. To set the Time feature ON or OFF, proceed as follows:



#### Date

When the Date function is set ON, allows the balance to output the current date to the printer. To set the Date feature ON or OFF, proceed as follows:



**NOTE**: With Print Time or Date set to ON, if either current Time or Date has not been set in Setup menu, "Set Time/Date !" is sent through the RS232 Interface with each

press	of		button.
P		$\langle \rangle$	

#### Reference

When the Reference function is set ON, prints the value of weight used as a reference in either Check Weighing, Fill Guide, Percent and Parts Counting modes. When set to Current, the printer prints the current reference immedediately.



#### Difference

Difference data is only output to the printer when Check Weighing or Fill Guide<sup>™</sup> mode was selected.



### List

This submenu can be used to output a listing of current menu settings via the RS232 interface. When selected, all menu settings for the User, Setup and Print menus will be output either to an external printer or computer. To use this feature, your balance must be connected to a computer or printer.

1. Access the	L iSE	submenu under the S	etup or Print menus.
2. →orr← C> cates a serie information.	と、5と es of dots traveli	ing right to left when the ba	The display indi- lance is sending

# **CARE AND MAINTENANCE**

To keep the balance operating properly, the housing and platform should be kept clean and free from foreign material. If necessary, a cloth dampened with a mild detergent may be used. Keep calibration masses in a safe dry place.

# TROUBLESHOOTING

SYMPTOM	PROBABLE CAUSE(S)	REMEDY
Unit will not turn on.	Power cord not plugged in or properly connected to balance.	Check power cord connections.
Incorrect weight reading.	Balance was not re- zeroed before weighing. Balance not properly calibrated.	Press with no weight on the platform, then weigh item. Recalibrate correctly.
Cannot display weight in desired unit or cannot access desired weighing mode.	Desired unit/mode not set to ON in Unit Selection of Setup menu.	See Unit Selection section of Setup menu.
Unable to store menu settings/changes.	End not being used to exit menus.	You MUST use End to exit menus and save settings.
RS232 interface not working.	Print menu settings not properly set up. Cable connections.	Verify interface settings in Print menu correspond to those of peripheral device.
Random segments displayed or display locks up.	Microprocessor locks up.	Turn power off, then turn on again. If condition persists, unit must be serviced.
Unable to change settings.	Lock set ON. (LFT set ON)	Set Lock switch to OFF.
Unstable readings.	Vibration on table surface.	Place balance on a stable surface or change averaging level.
Error message display.		See Error Codes list.
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## **Error Codes List**

The following list describes the various error codes and which can appear on the display and the suggested remedy.

#### **Data Errors**

0.0 Transient error (hardware error, probably static discharge). If error persists, the balance must be serviced.

#### **Tare Errors**

- 2.0 Balance is unable to stabilize within time limit after taring. Environment is too hostile or balance needs recalibration.
- 2.1 Power on load out of specification.

### **Calibration Errors**

3.0 Incorrect or no calibration weight used for calibration. Recalibrate with correct weights.

#### **RS232 Errors**

- 4.0 Bad RS232 frame. Check RS232 menu parameters and correct.
- 4.4 RS232 buffer is full (if installed). May occur if no printer or computer is connected to the interface. To clear buffer, turn balance off or enter Print menu and select END.
- 4.5 Function is disabled by the Lock switch.

#### **User Errors**

- 7.0 User entry out of bounds.
- 7.1 Bad percent (%) mode, sample too low.
- 7.2 Number outside of display capacity.

#### **Over-Under Load Errors**

- 8.0 Hardware error causing an internal weight signal which is too low. Check if platform or platform support is off. If not, the balance must be serviced.
- 8.1 Hardware error caused by an internal weight signal which is too high. Check load on the platform which may be excessive. If error persists, the balance must be serviced.

## **Error Codes List (Cont.)**

#### **CheckSum Errors**

- 8.2 Power-on load out of specification: Balance was turned on with load on platform or platform off balance. No load may be on platform when turned on and platform must be in place.
- 8.3 Rated capacity exceeded. Remove excessive weight from platform.
- 8.4 Underload condition on balance. Check that the proper platform and platform support are installed.
- 9.0 Bad factory checksum. If error persists, have the balance serviced.
- 9.5 Bad factory calibration checksum. If error persists, have the balance serviced.
- 9.6 Bad mode checksum. Turn the balance off using the front panel controls. If the error persists, have the balance serviced.
- 9.7 Invalid setup data checksum. Check Setup, User and Print menus (when RS232 is installed) settings. If possible, try to enter menus and exit using END to restore menu settings. May be caused by a faulty component, or in rare cases, a severe static charge. If error persists, balance must be serviced.
- 9.8 Hardware error causing invalid calibration data checksum. Balance may need recalibration particularly linearity calibration. If error persists, balance must be serviced.
- 9.9 Invalid temperature compensation checksum. Balance will work with default temperature compensation data, however, error will occur each time balance is turned on. Have balance serviced.

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## SERVICE INFORMATION

If the Troubleshooting section does not resolve or describe your problem, you will need to contact an authorized Ohaus Service Agent. For Service assistance in the United States, please call Ohaus Corporation toll-free at (800) 526-0659. An Ohaus Product Service Specialist will be available to help you.

## **REPLACEMENT PARTS**

Description	<u>Ohaus Part No.</u>
In-Service Cover Kit	76901-00
In-Service Cover (GT8000)	76657-02
In-Service Cover Plate	76815-01
Power Cord, 120 V, U.S.	6569-00
Fuses 100/120 V .315 AT	90167-45
220/240 V .160 AT	90167-42

## ACCESSORIES

**Description** 

Ohaus Part No.

#### **Calibration Masses - ASTM Class 1 Tolerance:**

4kg	49046-11
2kg	49026-11
1kg	49016-11
400g	49045-11
200g	49025-11
100g	49015-11

 Security Device (GT210, GT410, GT410D, GT2100, GT4100, GT4100D)
 76288-00

 Animal Container Kit
 (GT2100, GT4000, GT4100 and GT4100D)
 76290-01

 Animal Container
 (GT2100, GT4000, GT4100 and GT4100D)
 76431-01

 Animal Container Cover (GT2100, GT4000, GT4100 and GT4100D)
 3052-00
 3052-00

 Glass Draft Shield Kit
 (GT210, GT400, GT410 and GT410D)
 76510-01

#### Scoops

Aluminum - 1-1/2" x 2' x 7/16"	5076-00
Aluminum - 2-1/4" x 3' x 3/4"	5077-00
Footed Stainless Steel	1078-03
Footed Polypropylene	1011-20

## **SPECIFICATIONS**

MODEL	GT210	GT410	GT410D	GT400	GT2100
Capacity (g)	210	410	100/410*	410	2100
dwt	135	263	60/263*	263	1350
с	1000	2000	500/2000*	2000	10000
oz avd	7	14	3.5/14*	14	74
oz t	6	13	3.2/13*	13	67.5
gn	3240	6327	1543/6327*	6327	32407
mommes	56	109	26.6/109*	109	560
lb avd	0.44	0.88	0.22/0.88*	0.88	4.6
Readability (g)	0.001	0.001	0.001/0.01*	0.01	0.01
dwt	0.001	0.001	0.001/0.01*	0.01	0.01
С	0.005	0.005	0.005/0.05*	0.05	0.05
oz avd	0.00005	0.00005	0.00005/0.0005*	0.0005	0.0005
oz t	0.00005	0.00005	0.00005/0.0005*	0.0005	0.0005
gn	0.02	0.02	0.02/0.2*	0.2	0.2
mommes	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005/0.005*	0.005	0.005
lb avd	0.000002	0.000002	0.000002/0.00002	* 0.00002	0.00002
Weighing modes	g, dwt, ct, oz , oz t, gn, taels, mommes, lb, 1 custom unit				
Functions	percent, parts	percent, parts counting, check weighing, animal weighing, FillGuide <sup>™</sup> , high point			
Options	GLP, statistics, net/gross, auto tare, volume determination, time, date, lockswitch. LFT (U.S.)/type approved				
Repeatability	0.001	0.001	0.001/0.005*	0.007	0.01
(Std. dev.) (g)					
Linearity (g)	<u>+</u> 0.002	<u>+</u> 0.002	<u>+</u> 0.002/0.01*	<u>+</u> 0.01	<u>+</u> 0.02
Tare range	Full Capacity by Subtraction				
Stabilization time			2 seconds		
Sensitivity drift	4 ppm/ °C	3 ppm/°C	4 ppm/ °C	4 ppm/ °(	C 4 ppm/ °C
(10°- 30°C)					
Operating	50° to 104°F/10° to 40°C (Non-type approved)				
temperature	50° to 86°F/10° to 30°C (Type Approved)				
Calibration	Auto-calibration				
Power requirements	100, 120, 220, 240 V ac, 50/60 Hz				
Display (in/cm)	Vacuum fluorescent (0.4/1 high)				
Platform size (in/cm)	4.9/12.4 diameter 6.6/16.8 diameter				
Dimensions					
(WxHxD) (in/cm)	7.5 x 3.75 x 12.75/19 x 9.5 x 32.4 without draft shield				
Net Weight (lb/kg)		11/5		8/4	11/5
Shipping Weight (lb/kg)	17.1/8	17.5/8	17.5/8	13.3/6	17.8/8
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## **SPECIFICATIONS (Cont.)**

MODEL	GT4100	GT4100D	GT4000	GT8000	GT8000T
Capacity (g)	4100	1000/4100*	4100	8100	8100
dwt	2630	643/2630*	2630	5200	5200
С	20000	5000/20000*	20000	40000	40000
oz avd	144	35/144*	144	285	285
oz t	131	32/131*	131	260	260
gn	63272	15432/63272*	63272	125002	125002
mommes	1093	266/1093*	1093	2160	2160
lb avd	9	2.2/9*	9	17.8	17.8
Readability (g)	0.01	0.01/0.1*	0.1	0.1	0.1
dwt	0.01	0.01/0.1*	0.1	0.1	0.1
С	0.05	0.05/0.5*	0.5	0.5	0.5
oz avd	0.0005	0.0005/0.005*	0.005	0.005	0.005
oz t	0.0005	0.0005/0.005*	0.005	0.005	0.005
gn	0.2	0.2/2*	2	2	2
mommes	0.005	0.005/0.05*	0.05	0.05	0.05
lb avd	0.00002	0.00002/0.0002	0.0002	0.0	02 0.0002
Weighing modes	g, dwt, ct, oz , oz t, gn, taels, mommes, lb, 1 custom unit				
Functions	percent, part	s counting, check	weighing,anim	nal weighing,Fill	Guide™, high point
Options	GLP, statistics, net/gross, auto tare, volume determination, time, date, lockswitch, LFT (U.S.)/type approved				
Repeatability	0.01	0.01/0.05*	0.07	0.07	0.07
(Std. dev.) (g)					
Linearity (g)	<u>+</u> 0.02	<u>+</u> 0.02/0.1*	<u>+</u> 0.1	<u>+</u> 0.1	<u>+</u> 0.
Tare range	Full Capacity by Subtraction				
Stabilization time	2 seconds				
Sensitivity drift (10°- 30°C)	3 ppm/ °C	4 ppm/ °C		15 ppm/ °C	
Operating	50° to 104°F/10° to 40°C (Non-type approved)				
temperature	50° to 86°F/10° to 30°C (Type Approved)				
Calibration	Auto-calibration				
Power requirements	100, 120, 220, 240 V ac, 50/60 Hz				
Display (in/cm)	Vacuum fluorescent (0.4/1 high)				
Platform size	6.6/16.	6.6/16.8 diameter 7 x 7/ 8.9 x 7/22.6		7/22.6 x 17.8	
(W x H x D) (in/cm)		17.8 x 17.8			
Dimensions					7.5 x 16.75 x 12.75/
(WxHxD) (in/cm)	7.5 x 3.7	5 x 12.75/19 x 9.5	5 x 32.4 withou	t draft shield	19 x 42.5 x 32.38
Net Weight (lb/kg)	11	/5	8/4	21/10	
Shipping Weight (lb/kg)	17.	8/8	14.6/7	24.9/11	29.9/14

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## HOW TO ENTER THE MAIN MENU

Press and hold , release when **MENU** is displayed. The calibration menu **CAL** is automatically displayed after **MENU**. **CAL** is one of the four primary menus used in the balance. The primary menus are: **CAL**, **USER**, **SETUP** and **PRINT**.

## **CHANGE PRIMARY MENUS**

When the **CAL** menu is displayed, each press of *mode* places the balance in the next menu as follows: **USER**, **SETUP**, **PRINT**, **END** and back to **CAL**.

## ENTER THE SUBMENUS

Pressing  $\underbrace{\text{when in a primary menu places the balance in the$ *first*parameter which can be set in that submenu. For example, when in the**USER**primary menu, the first parameter in that submenu is**RESET**. To access each of the remaining parameters, simply press (MODE) once for each parameter. Repeated pressing of (MODE) cycles through all of the parameters.

## **SET BALANCE PARAMETERS**

After a parameter has been accessed in the submenu, for example **RESET**, press to display the Reset options **Yes** or **No**. Press **MODE** to change the option from **Yes** to **No** and back again. To accept the setting, press **WODE** which brings the balance back to the parameter heading, **RESET** in this case.

## SAVE YOUR SETTINGS AND EXIT THE MENUS

After parameters have been set, press (MODE) repeatedly until the end of the menu is reached. **End** is displayed, press (HOTE) one time then press (MODE) repeatedly until **End**<sub>MENU</sub> is displayed, and press (HOTE) to return to weighing.

## **GT MENU STRUCTURE**

This illustration identifies the four Main menus and Submenus. The factory default settings in the submenus are shown in bold type with the exception of the Setup Options and Print options which are shown in their respective menus in the manual. Shaded areas only appear in the menu if the appropriate function or weighing unit is selected in the Setup menu.



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# SUPPLEMENT

# Precision Advanced Electronic Balance Model GT310

## Preface

This supplement is intended to be used in conjunction with the Precision *Advanced* Electronic Balances GT Series Instruction Manual. Unless otherwise specified in this supplement, the Instruction Manual contains the necessary procedures for setting up, calibrating, operating and maintaining the balance.

## INTRODUCTION

This supplement describes the basic differences for Models GT310, GT310E and GT310V which are not covered in the GT Series Instruction Manual.

## UNPACKING

Your Precision Advanced balance was shipped with the following items:

- Platform
- Platform Support
- Power Cord
- Below Balance Weighing Hook
- Draft Shield
- Instruction Manual
- Warranty Card
- In-Service Cover

It is recommended to save the carton and packing material for storing, transporting the balance or returning it for service.

## **Draft Shield**

To install the Draft Shield:

- 1. Remove the two existing screws and washers located on top of the balance.
- 2. Position the Draft Shield on top of the balance as shown.
- Insert the two screws, with washers (supplied with the Draft Shield) though the holes in the Draft Shield into the balance. Tighten both screws securely.

## **Platform and Platform Support**

Insert the Platform Support into the hole in the weighing mechanism as shown in the illustration.

Place the Platform on the Platform Support making sure the Platform is properly centered.



## SPECIFICATIONS

Capacity (g)         310           dwt         195           ct         1550	
dwt 195	
1550	
<u>ci</u> 1550	
oz avd 10	
oz t 9.9	
gn 4784	
mommes 82	
lb avd 0.68	
Readability (g) 0.001	
dwt 0.001	
ct 0.005	
oz avd 0.00005	
oz t 0.00005	
gn 0.02	
mommes 0.0005	
lb avd 0.000002	
Weighing modes g, dwt, ct, oz , oz t, gn, taels, mommes, lb, 1 custom unit	
Functions percent, parts counting, check weighing, animal weighing, FillGuide <sup>™</sup> , h	igh point
Options GLP, statistics, net/gross, auto tare, volume determination, time, date lockswitch, LFT (U.S.)/type approved	<u>\</u> ,
Repeatability 0.001	
(Std. dev.) (g)	
Linearity (g) <u>±0.002</u>	
Tare range Full Capacity by Subtraction	
Stabilization time 2 seconds	
Sensitivity drift 4 ppm/ °C	
(10°- 30°C)	
Operating 50° to 104°F/10° to 40°C (Non-type approved)	
temperature 50° to 86°F/10° to 30°C (Type approved)	
Calibration Auto-calibration	
Power requirements 100, 120, 220, 240 V ac, 50/60 Hz	
Display (in/cm) Vacuum fluorescent (0.4/1 high)	
Platform size (in/cm) 4.9/12.4 diameter	
Dimensions	
(WXHXD) (In/cm) 7.5 x 3.75 x 12.75/19 x 9.5 x 32.4 without draft shield	
(WXHXD) (In/cm)         7.5 x 3.75 x 12.75/19 x 9.5 x 32.4 without draft shield           Net Weight (lb/kg)         11/5	

**NOTICE:** These specifications are for non-type approved balances.

## **Calibration Masses**

Before beginning calibration, make sure masses are available. If you begin calibration and realize calibration masses are not available, exit the menu. The balance will retain previously stored calibration data. Calibration should be performed as necessary to ensure accurate weighing. Masses required to perform the procedures are listed in the adjacent table.

## PARTS INFORMATION

If you require replacement parts or would like to purchase accessories, please call Ohaus Corporation toll-free at (800) 526-0659, an Ohaus Product Parts Specialist will be available to help you.

## REPLACEMENT PARTS

Description In-Service Cover Kit In-Service Cover Plate Power Cord, 120 V, U.S. Fuses 100/120 V .315 AT 220/240 V .160 AT

## ACCESSORIES

Description

## Calibration Masses - ASTM Class 1 Tolerance:

100a 49015-11 200g Security Device (GT310) Glass Draft Shield Kit (GT310)

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CALIBRATION MASSES				
MODEL	LINEARITY MASSES	SPAN ONLY MASSES		
GT310	200g, 300g	300g		
Masses must meet or exceed ASTM Class 1 Tolerance, Calibration masses are available				

as accessories.

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