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Operating manual

Temperature controller

LC4

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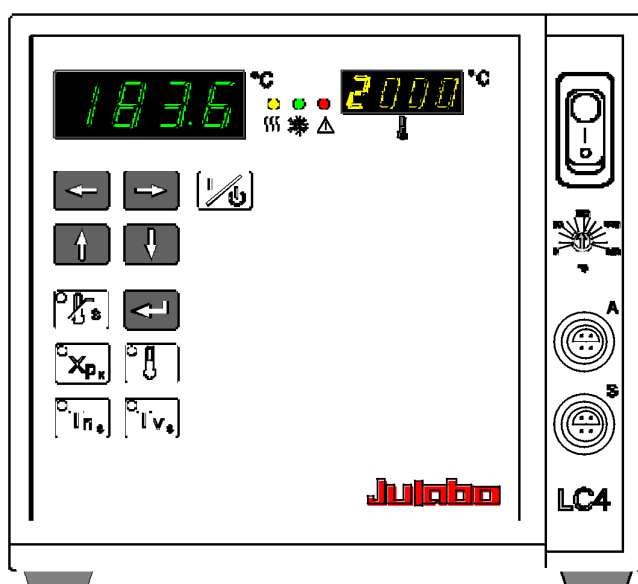
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Congratulations!

You have made an excellent choice.

JULABO thanks you for the trust you have placed in us.

This operating manual has been designed to help you gain an understanding of the principles of operating and possibilities of our circulators. For optimum utilization of all functions, we recommend that you thoroughly study this manual prior to beginning operation.

Safety Warnings

Take care your unit is operated only by qualified persons.

Make sure you read and understand all instructions and safety precautions listed in this manual before installing or operating your unit. If you have any questions concerning the operation of your unit or the information in this manual, contact JULABO.

Performance of installation, operation, or maintenance procedures other than those described in this manual may result in a hazardous situation and may void the manufacturer's warranty.

Transport the unit with care. Sudden jolts or drops may cause damages in the interior of the unit.

Observe all warning labels. Never remove warning labels.

Never operate damaged or leaking equipment.

Never operate the unit without bath fluid in the bath.

Always turn off the unit and disconnect the mains cable from the power source before performing any service or maintenance procedures, or before moving the unit.

Never operate equipment with damaged mains power cables.

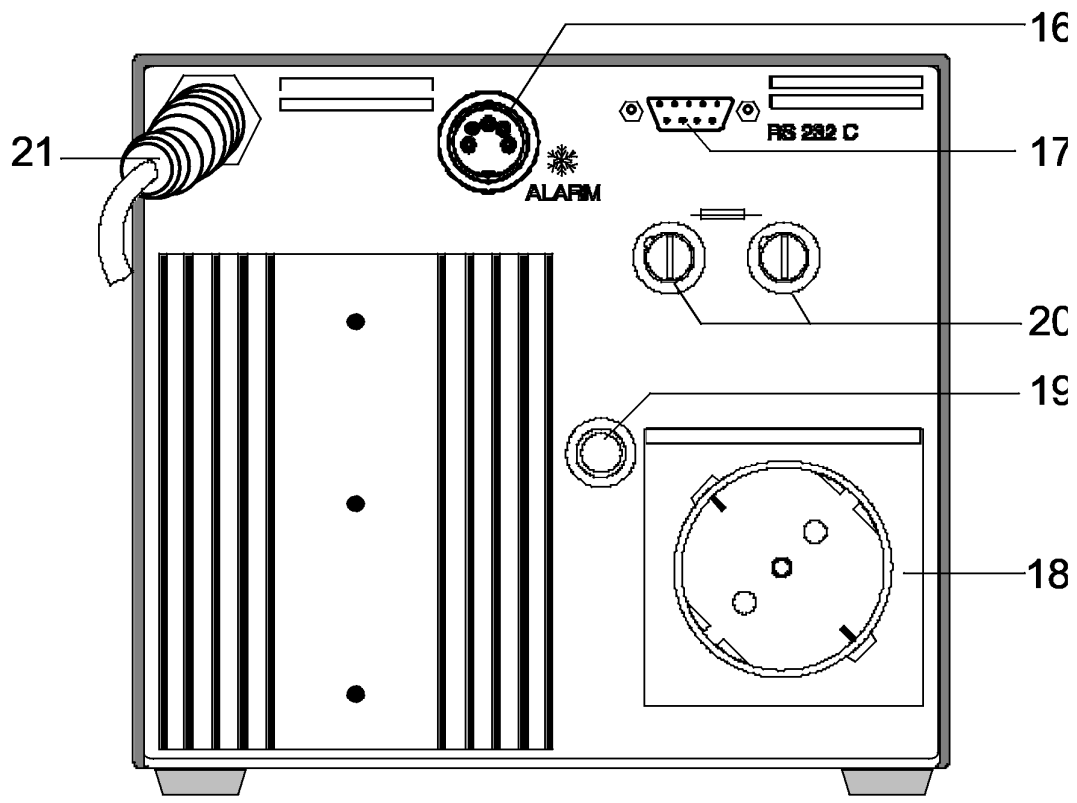
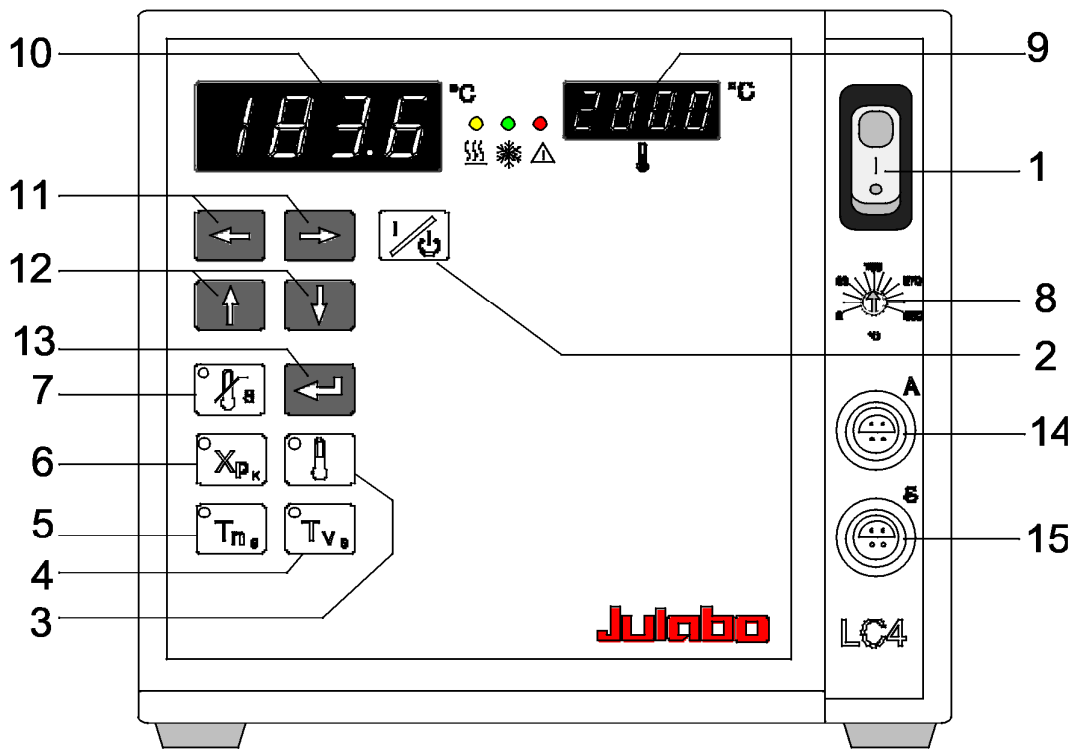
Refer service and repairs to a qualified technician.



In addition to the safety warnings listed above, warnings are posted throughout the manual. These warnings are designated by an exclamation mark inside an equilateral triangle. Read and follow these important instructions. Failure to observe these instructions can result in permanent damage to the unit, significant property damage, personal injury or death.






















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Rear view

1. Operating controls and functional elements

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|----|---|---|
| 1 |  | Mains power switch, illuminated |
| 2 |  | Start / stop key |
| 3 |  | Working temperature setpoint |
| 4 |  | Control parameter Tv (lead time) |
| 5 |  | Control parameter Tn (resetting time) |
| 6 |  | Control parameter Xp (proportional range) |
| 7 |  | Safety temperature |
| 8 |  | Adjustable excess temperature protection (safety temperature) |
| 9 |  | Indication of working temperature |
| 10 |  | MULTI-DISPLAY (LED) temperature indication |
| 11 |  | Cursors left/right |
| 12 |  | Edit keys (increase/decrease setting) |
| 13 |  | Enter key (store) |
| |  | Indicator light - Alarm |
| |  | Indicator light - Cooling |
| |  | Indicator light - Heating |
| 14 |  | Connector: Working sensor A |
| 15 |  | Connector: Safety sensor S |
| 16 |  | Connector:  / alarm output |
| 17 |  | RS232C interface |
| 18 | | Grounded mains socket for heating device |
| 19 | | Threaded fitting (10 mm) for stand rod attachment |
| 20 | | Mains fuses, fuse holders |
| 21 | | Mains power cable with plug |

2. Unpacking and checking

Unpack the controller and accessories and check for damages incurred during transit. These should be reported to the responsible carrier, railway or postal authority, and a request for a damage report should be made. These instructions must be followed fully for us to guarantee our full support of your claim for protecting against loss from concealed damage. The form required for filing such a claim will be provided by the carrier.

3. Description

Fulfilling its principle task, reliable temperature control and measurement, the LC4 temperature controller also implements safety and monitoring functions, particularly in the areas of chemical research and quality control. The sophisticated capabilities of the unit allow wide application with electrical heating devices such as

heating hoods, heating baths,
heating pads and bandages,
water and oil baths.

Setting is rapid and simple using the keypad with its easy to learn symbols. Keypad is splash-proof, easily cleaned and ergonomically designed. The microprocessor technology allows the working temperature setpoint and five parameter sets to be stored and indicated on the MULTI-DISPLAY (LED). The safety value for excess temperature protection, a safety installation independent from the control circuit, is adjustable on the front and visible on the MULTI-DISPLAY (LED).

The RS232C port permits modern process engineering without additional interface, directly on-line from the controller to your application equipment.

The LC4 temperature controller conforms to the safety requirements specified by DIN 12 876, as well as DIN 58 966, and to the guideline for first voltage range EN 61010.

4. Quality Management System



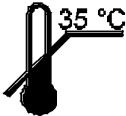
The JULABO Quality Management System:

Development, production and distribution of temperature application instruments for research and industries conform to the requirements according to DIN EN ISO 9001:1994-08.

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5. Operating procedures

5.1. Setup

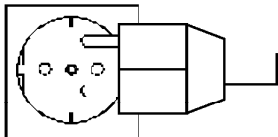


- The unit should be set up at a dry location.
- Place the unit in an upright position and do not obstruct the ventilation.
- A wall distance of at least 10 cm must be maintained for ventilation, allowing internal heat to be conducted away from the unit.
- If one or more temperature controllers are set up in a cabinet for example, take care of good ventilation (waste heat per unit = approx. 60 Watts).
- The ambient temperature must not exceed 35 °C. Ambient temperatures above 35 °C result in a failure of the unit.
- Do not set up the unit in the immediate vicinity of heat sources and do not expose to sun light.

5.2. Power connection



Connect the unit only to a grounded mains power socket! We disclaim all liability for damage caused by incorrect line voltages!

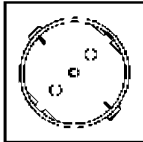


Check to make sure that the line voltage matches the supply voltage specified on the identification plate. Deviations of $\pm 10\%$ are permissible.

5.3. Connecting a heating device



Set up the heating device according to the instructions or securely fix the unit in the bath tank using appropriate means. Danger of burning and fire!



Connect the power plug to the grounded mains socket (18) on the rear of the controller.



**Max. resistive load 1000 W at 115 V / 2000 W at 230 V.
Max. current 5 A at 115 V / 10 A at 230 V.**

5.4. Connecting the temperature sensors



Connect both sensors prior to turning the unit on since an alarm shutoff will be effected if the sensors are not connected (see page 21).



Connect the working sensor to the socket “A” (14) and the safety sensor to socket “S” (15) .

Sensor calibration:

When the controller is first placed into operation or whenever a sensor is replaced, a working sensor calibration must be carried out (ATC - see page 16).

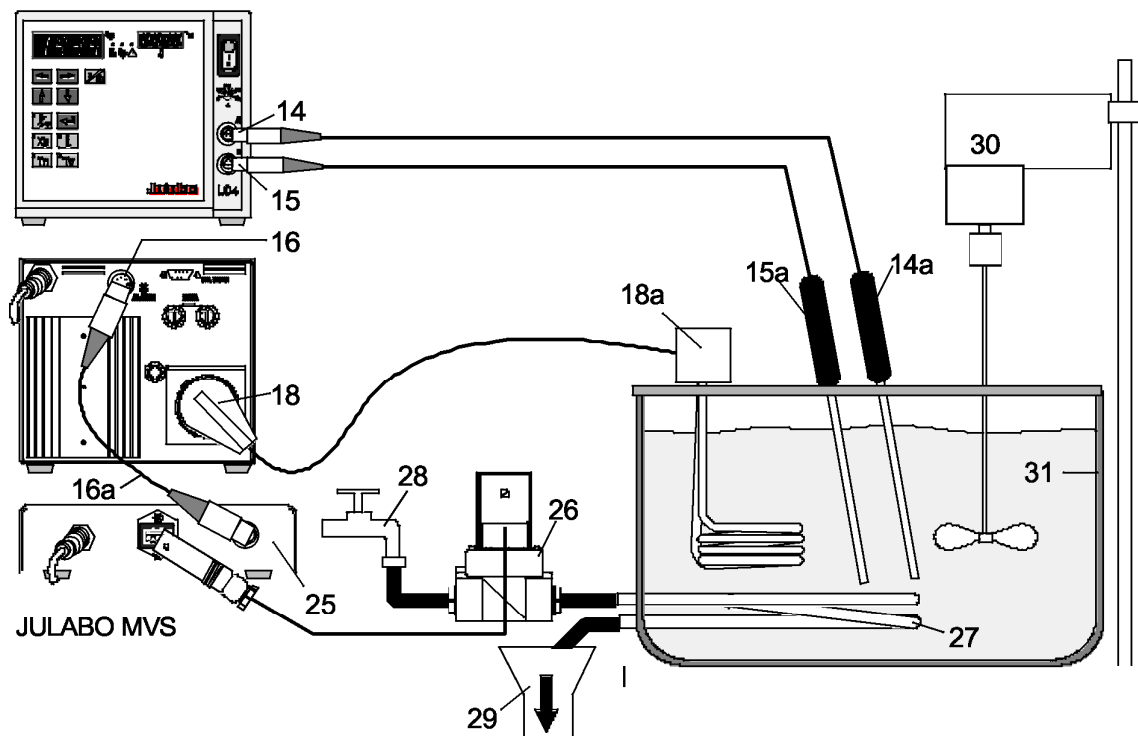


Place both sensors into the bath medium and securely fix the sensors.

5.5. Applications

Directly heated bath liquid:

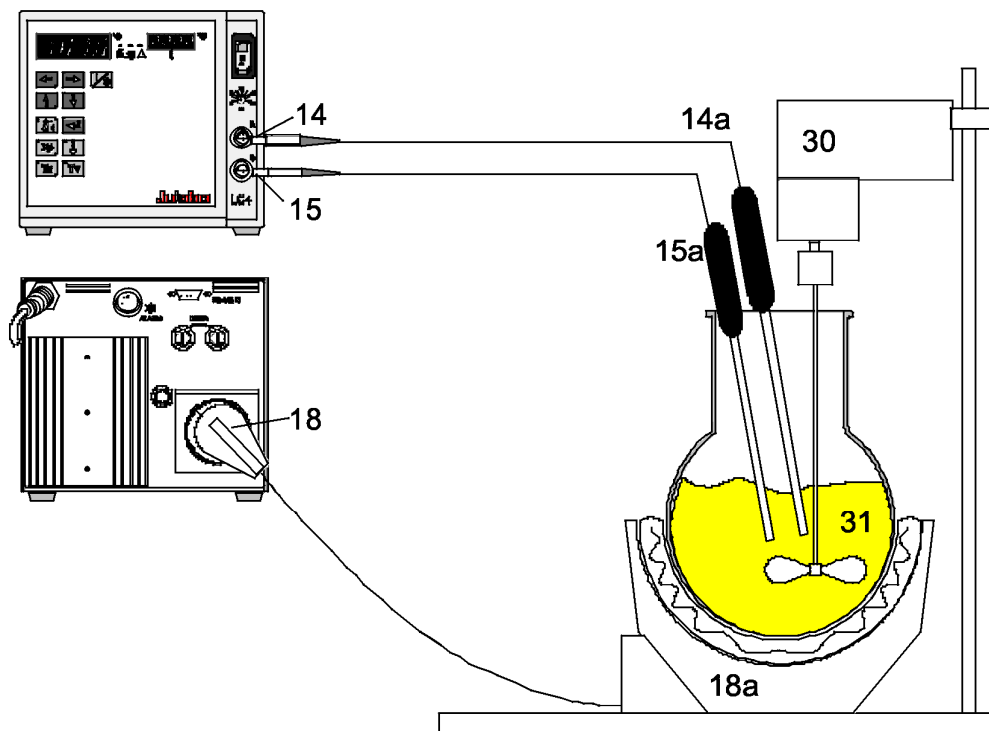
- The bath liquid is directly heated via the heating device.
- Working and safety sensors must both be immersed in the bath liquid.
- Whenever countercooling is necessary (in case of temperature application near the ambient temperature), cooling in the bath is performed through a cooling coil connected to a solenoid valve and the MVS controller.



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| 14 | Connector: Working sensor | 14a | Working sensor |
| 15 | Connector: Safety sensor | 15a | Safety sensor |
| 16 | Connector for control cable | 16a | Control cable for MVS |
| 18 | Mains socket for heating device | 18a | Heating device / heating hood |
| 25 | MVS solenoid valve controller (order no. 9 790 000) | | |
| 26 | Solenoid valve 220 Volts (order no. 8 980 700) | | |
| 27 | Cooling coil | | |
| 28 | Tap water connection | | |
| 29 | Cooling water drain | | |
| 30 | Stirrer motor for bath circulation | | |
| 31 | Bath tank / round bottom flask with bath liquid | | |

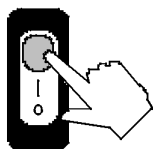
Indirectly heated bath liquid:

- The bath liquid is indirectly heated.
- Working and safety sensors must both be immersed in the bath liquid.



5.6. Switching on / Start - Stop

Switching on:



Turn on the mains power switch.

The unit performs a self-test. A signal sounds, and all segments of the two 4-digit displays as well as all indicator lights will illuminate.



Then the software version (example: n 1.0) and the model description "LC 4" appear.




The display "**OFF**" or "**r OFF**" indicates the controller is ready to operate. Also the effective working temperature setpoint is indicated (example: 20.0 °C).

The controller enters the operating mode activated before switching the controller off, **keypad control mode** (manual operation) or **remote control mode** (operation via personal computer).



Start:

- Press the start/stop key.
 - The MULTI-DISPLAY (LED) indicates the actual bath temperature. (example: 21.0 °C)
 - The indicator light in the setpoint key  illuminates.



Temperature control is carried out according to the parameter set last effective (see page 17).



Stop:

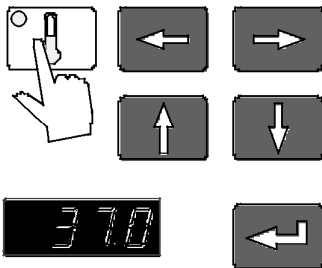
- Press the start/stop key.
The MULTI-DISPLAY (LED) indicates the message "OFF".









The unit also enters the safe operating state "OFF" or "r OFF" after a mains power interruption. The temperature values entered via the keypad remain in memory. With the controller in keypad control mode, press the start/stop key to restart operation. With the controller in remote control mode, the personal computer must first resend the parameters set via the interface before operation of the controller may be restarted.

5.7. Setting the temperatures

Setting the working temperature:

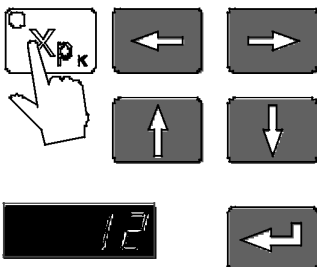








- ① Press the setpoint key  .
The indicator light **blinks** and the effective value appears on the MULTI-DISPLAY (LED).
- ② Use the cursor keys   to move left or right on the display until the numeral you wish to change is blinking.
- ③ Use the increase/decrease arrows   to change the selected numeral (-, 0, 1, 2, 3, ... 9).
- ④ Press enter  to store the selected value (example: 37.0 °C).

The working temperature is maintained constant after a short heat-up time (example: 37.0 °C).

5.8. Setting the PID control parameters Xp, Tn and Tv

Setting the Xp (proportional range)

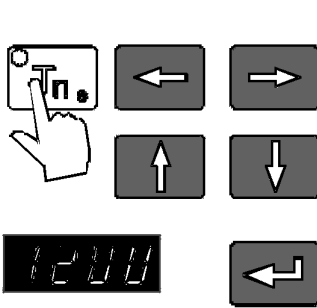




- ① Press the key  .
The indicator light **blinks** and the effective Xp value appears on the MULTI-DISPLAY (LED).
- ② Use the cursor keys   to move left or right on the display until the numeral you wish to change is blinking.
- ③ Use the increase/decrease arrows   to change the selected numeral (-, 0, 1, 2, 3, ... 9).
- ④ Press enter  to store the selected value (example: 12 °C).

Setting range for the Xp parameter: 0.1 to 50 °C



Setting the Tn (resetting time)



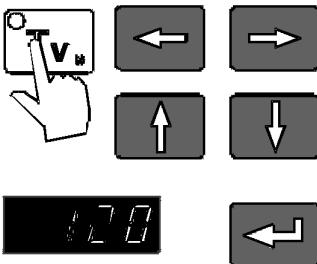
- ① Press the key .
- The indicator light **blinks** and the effective value for Tn appears on the MULTI-DISPLAY (LED).
- ② Follow the instructions
- ③ for .
- ④ (example: 1200 s).





Setting range for Tn: 1 to 9998 s.

With Tn set to 9999, the integral part of the controller is deactivated (use of a P or PD type controller).

Setting the Tv (lead time)



- ① Press the key .
- The indicator light **blinks** and the effective value for Tv appears on the MULTI-DISPLAY (LED).
- ② Follow the instructions
- ③ for .
- ④ (example: 120 s).

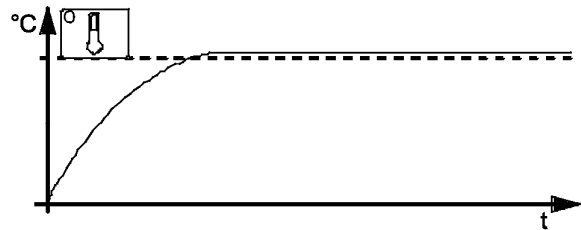


Setting range for Tv: 0 to 1000 s.

With Tv set to 0 eingestellt, the differential part of the controller is deactivated (use of a P or PI type controller).

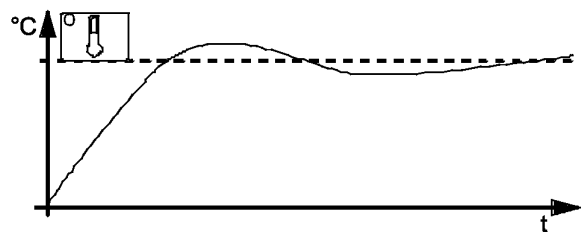
5.8.1. Optimization instructions for the PID control parameters

The heat-up curve reveals inappropriate control settings.

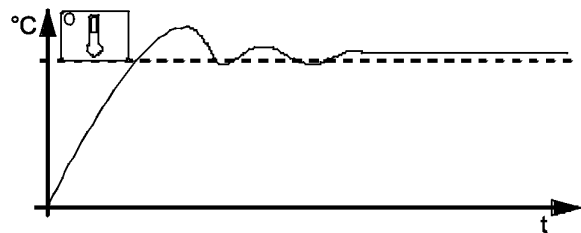


optimum setting

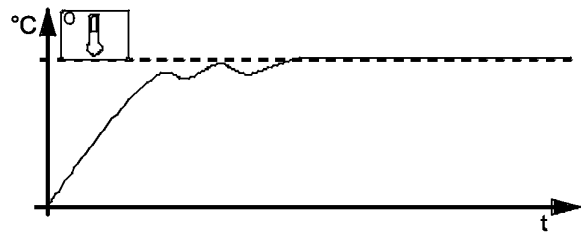
Inappropriate settings may produce the following heat-up curves:



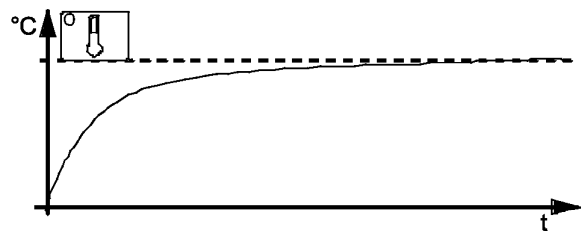
X_p too low



T_v/T_n too low

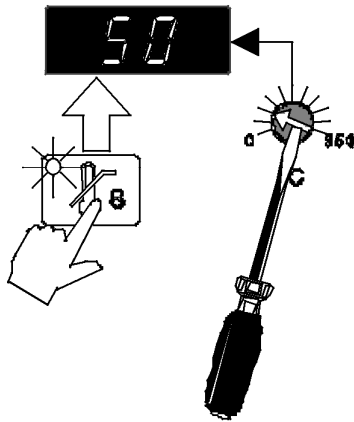


X_p or T_v too high



T_v/T_n or X_p too high

5.9. Setting the safety temperature (with shutdown function)

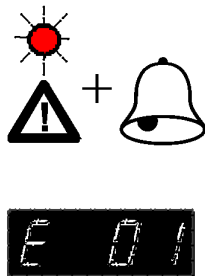


(excess temperature protection)

- Press the key to indicate the safety temperature value on the MULTI-DISPLAY and using a screwdriver simultaneously turn the setting screw to the desired value (example: 50 °C).

Setting range: 0 °C to 360 °C
in 2 °C steps

This safety installation is independent of the control circuit. As soon as this safety installation is triggered, a complete shutdown of the connected heating device is effected.



The alarm is indicated by optical and audible signals (continuous tone) and on the MULTI-DISPLAY (LED) appears the error message "Error 01".

Recommendation:

Set the safety temperature at 5 to 10 °C above the working temperature setpoint.



The excess temperature protection should be set at least 25 °C below the fire point of the bath liquid used!

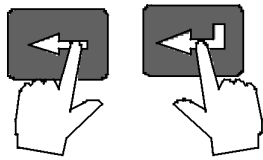






In the event of wrong setting there is a fire hazard!

We disclaim all liability for damage caused by wrong settings!

6. Menu functions

Parameters and values are set via the menu level that may be selected at any time.



- Enter or exit the menu level by pressing the left arrow  and enter  at the same time.
- Using the cursor keys   select the menu functions one by one.

6.1. Sensor calibration - ATC function











Controller (TT)



Calibration bath (TM)



The ATC (Absolute Temperature Calibration) function serves to calibrate the working sensor.

- Place the working sensor "A" and the temperature sensor of a thermometer in the calibration bath.
- Determine the difference temperature ($\Delta T = T_M - T_T$) and store as correcting factor (example $\Delta T = -0.26 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$) as follows:
 - With the edit keys   change the menu function from "Atc 0" to "Atc 1" and then press enter .
 - Using the cursor keys   and the edit keys   set the correcting factor (example $-0.26 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$) and then press enter .



After exiting the menu level, the corrected value (example: $36.7 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$) is indicated on the MULTI-DISPLAY (LED).



Recommendation:









In case a calibrated temperature measuring instrument is used, the ATC function allows the controller to be used as testing instrument according to ISO 9000.

6.2. Temperature range: HL / LL

The laboratory controller LC4 features the possibility to limit the working temperature range to protect thermally sensitive substances.

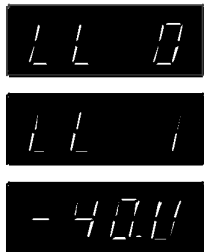
Setting the upper limit











- With the edit keys   change the menu function from "HL 0" to "HL 1" and then press enter .
- Using the cursor keys   and the edit keys   set the upper limit (example: 250.0 °C) and then press enter .

HL (High Limit) factory-setting: 350.0 °C

Setting the lower limit



- With the edit keys   change the menu function from "LL 0" to "LL 1" and then press enter .
- Using the cursor keys   and the edit keys   set the lower limit (example: -40.0 °C) and then press enter .




LL (Low Limit) factory-setting: -50.0 °C

6.3. Parameter sets for control: PA

The LC4 provides 5 different parameter sets for controlled processes.

Selecting a parameter set for control:



- Press the edit keys   to select the desired parameter set (1 to 5) and then press enter . (example: parameter set 3).



For each parameter set, the control parameters X_p , T_n and T_v may be individually modified and stored (see page 12).

Preference: Quick access to parameters determined during previous applications.

| | | Factory-preset parameter sets for the following controlled processes: |
|--------|---|--|
| Set 1: | $X_p = 4\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ $T_n = 150\text{ s}$ $T_v = 10\text{ s}$ | Directly heated liquid bath Filling volume: 4.5 litres of water Setpoint temperature: $70\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ Heater capacity: 2000 W |
| Set 2 | $X_p = 10\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ $T_n = 300\text{ s}$ $T_v = 25\text{ s}$ | Directly heated liquid bath Filling volume: 4 litres of Thermal H Setpoint temperature: $150\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ Heater capacity: 2000 W |
| Set 3 | $X_p = 20\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ $T_n = 1800\text{ s}$ $T_v = 165\text{ s}$ | Heating hood model JH2000 with 2000 ml round bottom flask Filling volume: 2 litres of water Setpoint temperature: $70\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ Heater capacity: 480 W (stage III) |
| Set 4 | $X_p = 35\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ $T_n = 1800\text{ s}$ $T_v = 130\text{ s}$ | Heating hood JM500 with 500 ml round bottom flask Filling volume: 0.5 litres of water Setpoint temperature: $70\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ Heater capacity: 150 W (stage II) |
| Set 5 | $X_p = 15\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ $T_n = 1550\text{ s}$ $T_v = 120\text{ s}$ | Heating hood JM500 with 500 ml round bottom flask Filling volume: 0.5 litres of Thermal H Setpoint temperature: $100\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ Heater capacity: 150 W (stage II) |

6.4. Active countercooling: Pc






For applications near the ambient temperature, countercooling might become necessary.

For this purpose, connect the JULABO MVS solenoid valve controller to the ❄️ / alarm socket (application example see page 9). The supply of a cooling pulse "Pc" must be activated on the controller.

Activating the supply of a cooling pulse:



- With the edit keys   change the menu function from "Pc 0" to "Pc 1" and then press enter .

Factory setting: "Pc 0" (no countercooling).

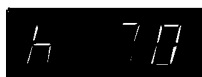





- Whenever countercooling is not necessary, reset the "Pc" parameter to 0.

6.5. Controlling the heater capacity: h

This control allows the maximum effective heater capacity of the connected heating device to be adjusted in 10 % steps between 10 % and 100 %. The gradient of the temperature rise function may thus be controlled to permit gentle warming of thermally sensitive substances and to prevent over-shooting.

Controlling the heater capacity:



- Using the edit keys   set the desired maximum heater capacity and then press enter . (example: 70 %).

Factory setting: 100 %

6.6. Interface parameters: r - br - P - H






Whenever the parameter setting of the controller is not conform to those of the connected personal computer, a modification is necessary.



Factory setting of the RS232 interface:

Baudrate: 4800 Bauds
Parity: 2 (even)
Handshake: 1 (Hardware handshake)
Data bits: 7
Stop bits: 1

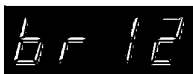


- Press the cursor key **Fehler! Es ist nicht möglich, durch die Bearbeitung von Feldfunktionen Objekte zu erstellen.** until the desired parameter appears on the MULTI-DISPLAY (LED).
- Use the edit keys   to set the desired parameter and then press enter .

Adjustable interface parameters



REMOTE 0 = keypad control mode
1 = remote control mode via RS232C



BAUDRATE 12 = 1200 bauds
24 = 2400 bauds
48 = 4800 bauds
96 = 9600 bauds



PARITY 0 = no parity
1 = odd
2 = even

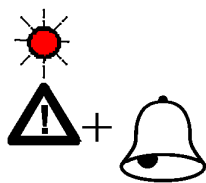


HANDSHAKE
0 = Protocol Xon/Xoff (software handshake)
1 = Protocol RTS/CTS (hardware handshake)




Like all parameters which can be entered through the keypad, interface parameters are stored in memory even after the controller is turned off.

7. Troubleshooting guide / Error messages



Whenever the microprocessor electronics registers a failure, a complete shutdown of the heating device connected to the controller is performed. The alarm light "△" illuminates and a continuous signal tone sounds.



Press enter  to turn off the signal tone.



| Cause | Remedy |
|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The safety temperature value lies below the working temperature setpoint. A sudden temperature increase, e.g. caused by the immersion of preheated samples. | <p>Set the safety temperature to a higher value.</p> <p>Set the safety temperature to a higher value.</p> |



After eliminating the malfunction, press the mains power switch off and on again to cancel the alarm state.



- The wires of the working temperature sensor are interrupted or short-circuited.



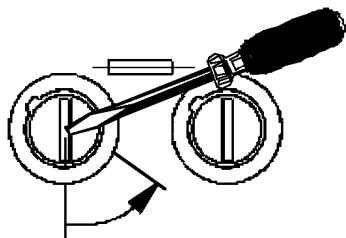
}
 } other errors
 |
 }



After eliminating the malfunction, press the mains power switch off and on again to cancel the alarm state.

If the error reappears, contact an authorized JULABO service station.

If necessary have the unit checked by a JULABO service technician.



Mains fuses

- The mains fuses on the rear of the unit may easily be exchanged as shown on the left.
(Fine fuse T 10.0 A, dia. 5 x 20 mm)



Only use fine fuses with a nominal value as specified.

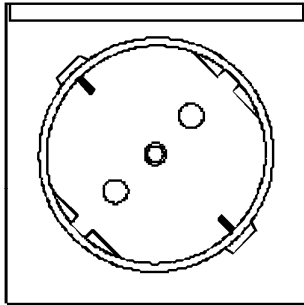
8. Safety recommendations

Follow the safety recommendations to prevent damage to persons or property. Further, the valid safety instructions for working places must be followed.



- Connect the unit only to a grounded mains power socket!
- Observe the flash point of the bath medium used. The excess temperature protection should be set at least 25 °C below the fire point.
- Set up the heating device according to the instructions prior to connection to the controller and ensure secure attachment to the bath.
Danger of burning and fire!
- Immerse both temperature sensors in the bath medium and ensure secure attachment.

9. Electrical connections



Grounded mains socket

Connector for heating device

- Maximum 1000 W resistive load at 115 V.
Maximum current 5 A.
- Maximum 2000 W resistive load at 230 V.
Maximum current 10 A.

Connectors for temperature sensors

Pin assignment:



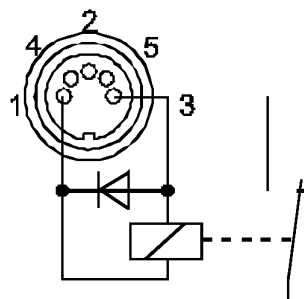
- | | |
|-------|-----------|
| Pin 1 | Current + |
| Pin 2 | Voltage + |
| Pin 3 | Voltage - |
| Pin 4 | Current - |



* / ALARM - connector

The "* ALARM" connector may be used as output for alarm messages.

Circuit: Operation = relay powered
 Alarm = relay not powered



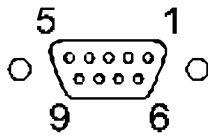
Pin assignment:

- | | |
|--------|----------------------------|
| Pin 1: | +24 V (max. current 25 mA) |
| Pin 2: | 0 V |
| Pin 3: | 0 V / alarm relay |
| Pin 4: | Reserved - do not use! |
| Pin 5: | Cooling pulse |

RS232C serial interface





This port can be used to connect a computer with an RS232C cable for remote control of the controller.

Pin assignments:



| | | |
|-------|------|---------------------|
| Pin 2 | RxD | Receive Data |
| Pin 3 | TxD | Transmit Data |
| Pin 5 | 0 VD | Signal GND |
| Pin 6 | DTR | Data terminal ready |
| Pin 7 | RTS | Request to send |
| Pin 8 | CTS | Clear to send |

Interface correspondence:

| Controller | Computer | Controller | Computer |
|---|---|---|---|
|  |  |  |  |
| 9-pole | 25-pole | 9-pole | 9-pole |
| Pin 2 RxD | ⇔ Pin 2 TxD | Pin 2 RxD | ⇔ Pin 3 TxD |
| Pin 3 TxD | ⇔ Pin 3 RxD | Pin 3 TxD | ⇔ Pin 2 RxD |
| Pin 5 GND | ⇔ Pin 7 GND | Pin 5 GND | ⇔ Pin 5 GND |
| Pin 6 DTR | ⇔ Pin 6 DSR | Pin 6 DTR | ⇔ Pin 6 DSR |
| Pin 7 RTS | ⇔ Pin 5 CTS | Pin 7 RTS | ⇔ Pin 8 CTS |
| Pin 8 CTS | ⇔ Pin 4 RTS | Pin 8 CTS | ⇔ Pin 7 RTS |



**Use shielded cables only.
The shield of the connecting cable is electrically connected to the plug housing.**

10. Remote control

10.1. Communication with a PC or a superordinated data system

Suitable terminal programs for communicating with a PC are:

- MS-Windows - TERMINAL.EXE (included with MS-Windows).
- MS-DOS - Procomm Plus, Datastrom Technologies.
- MS-DOS - Norton Utilities.



If the controller is put into remote control mode via the configuration level, the display will read "r OFF" = REMOTE STOP. The controller is now operated via the computer.

In general, the computer (master) sends commands to the controller (slave). The controller sends data (including error messages) only when the computer asks for it.

A transfer sequence consists of:

- command
- space (\Leftrightarrow ; Hex: 20)
- parameter (the character separating decimals in a group is the period)
- End of file (↵ ; Hex: 0D)

The commands are divided into **in** and **out** commands.

in commands: asking for parameters to be displayed

out commands: setting parameters



The out commands are valid only in remote control mode.

Examples:

- Command to set the working temperature to 55.5 °C:

out_sp_00 Ů 55.5;

- Command to ask for the working temperature:

in_sp_00;

- Response from the controller:

55.5;

10.2. List of commands

| Befehl | Parameter | Description |
|-------------|-----------|--|
| version | none | Number of software version (V X.xx) |
| status | none | Status message, error message (see page 28) |
| out_mode_05 | 0 | Stop the controller = r OFF |
| out_mode_05 | 1 | Start the controller |
| out_mode_02 | 1 | Parameter set 1 effective for control |
| out_mode_02 | 2 | Parameter set 2 effective for control |
| out_mode_02 | 3 | Parameter set 3 effective for control |
| out_mode_02 | 4 | Parameter set 4 effective for control |
| out_mode_02 | 5 | Parameter set 5 effective for control |
| in_mode_02 | none | Ask for effective parameter set |
| out_sp_00 | xxx.x | Set working temperature |
| in_sp_00 | none | Ask for working temperature |
| in_pv_00 | none | Ask for effective value registered by working sensor |
| in_pv_01 | none | Ask for effective heater capacity |
| out_par_00 | xxx.x | Set Xp of parameter set 1 |
| in_par_00 | none | Ask for Xp of parameter set 1 |
| out_par_01 | xxx.x | Set Tn of parameter set 1 |
| in_par_01 | none | Ask for Tn of parameter set 1 |
| out_par_02 | xxxx.x | Set Tv of parameter set 1 |
| in_par_02 | none | Ask for Tv of parameter set 1 |
| out_par_03 | xxx.x | Set Xp of parameter set 2 |
| in_par_03 | none | Ask for Xp of parameter set 2 |

| Command | Parameter | Description |
|------------|-----------|-------------------------------|
| out_par_04 | xxx.x | Set Tn of parameter set 2 |
| in_par_04 | none | Ask for Tn of parameter set 2 |
| out_par_05 | xxxx.x | Set Tv of parameter set 2 |
| in_par_05 | none | Ask for Tv of parameter set 2 |
| out_par_06 | xxx.x | Set Xp of parameter set 3 |
| in_par_06 | none | Ask for Xp of parameter set 3 |
| out_par_07 | xxx.x | Set Tn of parameter set 3 |
| in_par_07 | none | Ask for Tn of parameter set 3 |
| out_par_08 | xxxx.x | Set Tv of parameter set 3 |
| in_par_08 | none | Ask for Tv of parameter set 3 |
| out_par_09 | xxx.x | Set Xp of parameter set 4 |
| in_par_09 | none | Ask for Xp of parameter set 4 |
| out_par_10 | xxx.x | Set Tn of parameter set 4 |
| in_par_10 | none | Ask for Tn of parameter set 4 |
| out_par_11 | xxxx.x | Set Tv of parameter set 4 |
| in_par_11 | none | Ask for Tv of parameter set 4 |
| out_par_12 | xxx.x | Set Xp of parameter set 5 |
| in_par_12 | none | Ask for Xp of parameter set 5 |
| out_par_13 | xxxx.x | Set Tn of parameter set 5 |
| in_par_13 | none | Ask for Tn of parameter set 5 |
| out_par_14 | xxxx.x | Set Tv of parameter set 5 |
| in_par_14 | none | Ask for Tv of parameter set 5 |

10.3. Status messages

| Message | Description |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------|
| 00 MANUAL STOP | Controller in "OFF" state |
| 01 MANUAL START | Controller in keypad control mode |
| 02 REMOTE STOP | Controller in "r OFF" state |
| 03 REMOTE START | Controller in remote control mode |

10.4. Error messages

| Message | Description |
|--|---|
| -01 SAFETY-TEMP ALARM | Safety temperature alarm |
| -05 TEMPERATURE MEASUREMENT ALARM | Error in measuring system. |
| -07 I ² C-BUS WRITE ERROR -07 I ² C-BUS READ ERROR -07 I ² C-BUS READ/WRITE ERROR | Internal errors |
| -08 INVALID COMMAND | Invalid command |
| -10 VALUE TOO SMALL | Entered value too small |
| -11 VALUE TOO LARGE | Entered value too large |
| -12 VALUE NOT VALID | Value not valid |
| -13 COMMAND NOT ALLOWED IN CURRENT OPERATING MODE | Invalid command in current operating mode |

11. Maintenance

The controller is designed for continuous operation under normal conditions. Periodic maintenance is not required.

Repairs

Before asking for a service technician or returning a JULABO unit for repair, please contact our technical service.

When returning a unit, take care of careful and adequate packing. JULABO is not responsible for damages that might occur from insufficient packing.



JULABO reserves the right to carry out technical modifications with repairs for providing improved performance of a unit.

12. Technical specifications

| | | |
|--|------|--|
| Adjustable temperature range | °C | -50 350 |
| Display accuracy | % | ±0.5 ± 1 Digit |
| Temperature stability (depending on substances in the bath) | °C | >±0.05 |
| Temperature selection via keypad | | digital indication on MULTI-DISPLAY (LED) |
| remote control via personal computer | | indication on monitor |
| Temperature display | | MULTI-DISPLAY (LED): 4-digit Working temperature: 4-digit |
| Resolution | °C | 0.1 |
| ATC function | °C | ±9.99 |
| Temperature control with 5 parameter sets | | PID freely selectable |
| Working temperature sensor | | Pt100, 4-lead technique |
| Safety temperature sensor | | Pt100, 4-lead technique |
| Electrical connections: | | |
| External alarm | | 24-0 V DC / max. 25 mA |
| Interface | | RS232C |
| Mains power socket | | |
| for heating device (at 115 V) W | | max. 1000; resistive load |
| or (at 230 V) W | | max. 2000; resistive load |
| Ambient temperature | °C | 5 ... 40 |
| Mains power connection (±10 %)V/Hz | | 230 / 50-60 |
| or | V/Hz | 115 / 50-60 |
| Total power consumption | W | max. 1050 (at 115 V) |
| | W | max. 2050 (at 230 V) |
| Overall dimensions (WxDxH) | cm | 17 x 17 x 16 |
| Weight | kg | 3 |

All measurements have been carried out at
mains voltage 230 V / 50 Hz
ambient temperature 20 °C

Technical changes without prior notification reserved.

| | |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| Safety installations according to IEC 61010-2-010: | |
| Excess temperature protection | 0 °C ... 350 °C |
| Supplementary safety installations: | |
| Supervision of the working sensor | plausibility control |
| Alarm indication | optical + audible (continuous tone) |

Standards:

EMC regulations EN 61326

Guideline for first voltage range EN 61010-1, EN 61010-2-010

Environment:

Use only indoor.

Altitude up to 2000 m - normal zero.

Ambient temperature: +5 ... +40 °C (for storage and transportation)

Air humidity acc. DIN EN 61 010, part 1:

Max. rel. humidity 80 % for temperatures up to +31 °C,

linear decrease down to 50 % rel. humidity at a temperature of +40 °C

Protection class:IP 31 acc. EN 60 529

Power supply: acc. to class 1, VDE 0106 T1

not for use in explosive atmosphere

Max. mains fluctuation of ± 10 % are permissible.

Overvoltage category II

Pollution degree 2

13. EC Declaration of Conformity



The following unit complies with the essential safety requirements outlined by the EC Directives concerning the guidelines for electromagnetic compatibility (89/336/EEC) and for the low voltage regulations (73/23/EEC).

Temperature controller: LC4

This unit is manufactured in compliance with the following guidelines

electrical equipment for control technology and laboratory application –
EMC requirements outlined by
EN 61326

safety regulation for electrical devices for measuring, control and
laboratory application specified by
EN 61010

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'G. Juchheim', written in a cursive style.

G. Juchheim, Managing
Director

14. Warranty conditions

JULABO Labortechnik GmbH warrants its products against defects in material or in workmanship, when used under appropriate conditions and in accordance with appropriate operating instructions

for a period of ONE YEAR.

Extension of the warranty period – free of charge



With the '1PLUS warranty' the user receives a free of charge extension to the warranty of up to 24 months, limited to a maximum of 10 000 working hours.

To apply for this extended warranty the user must register the unit on the JULABO web site www.julabo.de, indicating the serial no. The extended warranty will apply from the date of JULABO Labortechnik GmbH's original invoice.

JULABO Labortechnik GmbH reserves the right to decide the validity of any warranty claim. In case of faults arising either due to faulty materials or workmanship, parts will be repaired or replaced free of charge, or a new replacement unit will be supplied.

Any other compensation claims are excluded from this guarantee.