

# MARSDEN

## USER MANUAL

### M-300

Please take time to read these  
instructions before starting  
to use the scale



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Thank you for purchasing a Marsden professional medical scale. This is a precision Class III weighing Instrument and considerate use will result in many years of accurate weighing.

The scale has a maximum load capacity of 15kg which must not be exceeded.

## Product Specification

Model	M-300
Accuracy Class	Class III
Capacity/Division	15kg x 2g<6kg>5g
Weight of Scale	Approximately 3kg
Units of Measure	Kg
Function Keys	ON/OFF, HOLD, TARE
Stabilization Time	1-2 Seconds
Operating Temperature	5 to 30°C
Power Supply	2 x 1.5V AA batteries 12V 1A AC Adaptor
Display	2.5cm LCD display with 5 active digits

# Safety Instructions

Before putting the device into use, please read with care the information given in this user manual, which contains important instructions for proper installation, use and maintenance of the device.

Marsden/the manufacturer shall not be liable for damages arising from failure to heed the following instructions:

- When using electrical components under increased safety requirements, always comply with appropriate regulations.
- Inappropriate installation/use will render the warranty null and void.
- Ensure the voltage marked on the power supply unit matches your mains supply.
- This device is designed for use indoors.
- Observe the permissible ambient temperatures for use.
- The device meets the requirements for electromagnetic capability. Do not exceed the maximum values specified in the applicable standards.
- Batteries should be kept away from small children. If swallowed, promptly seek medical assistance.

If you have any problems, contact Marsden/your local dealer/your service partner.

## Cleaning

- We recommend using alcohol-based wipes or similar when cleaning the scale.
- Please do not use corrosive liquids, large amounts of water or high pressure washers.
- Always disconnect the scale from the mains power supply before cleaning.

## Maintenance

- The scale does not require any routine maintenance. However, we recommend checking the scale's accuracy at regular intervals. If any inaccuracies occur, please contact your local dealer or service partner.
- Service contracts are available from Marsden to keep your scale accurate and reliable for longer. Call 01709 364296 for more information.

## Disposing of the Scale

- This product should not be treated as regular household waste, but should be handed in to an electrical/electronic equipment recycling centre.
- You can obtain further details from your local council, your municipal waste disposal company or from where you purchased the product.

# Explanation of Graphic Symbols

SN-21300100

Designation of the serial number of every device.  
(Number as an example)



"Please note the accompanying documents" or "Observe operating instructions"



Identification of manufacturer of medical product including address.

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No.103 Guozhong Rd, Dali Dist,  
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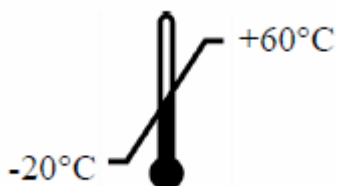
"Electro-medical appliance" with attachment of type B.



Dispose of old appliances separately from your household waste.  
This product must be disposed of at a communal collection point.



Carefully read this operation manual before setup and commissioning, even if you are already familiar with Marsden scales.



Transport and storage temperature limit indicating the upper and lower limit (transport and storage temperature on packaging).

## Power Supply & Low Battery

The scale uses non-rechargeable batteries, or can be powered from the mains via the AC adaptor.

Make sure the batteries are installed in the battery compartment within the scale. Alternatively, plug the AC adaptor into the port on the side of the scale.

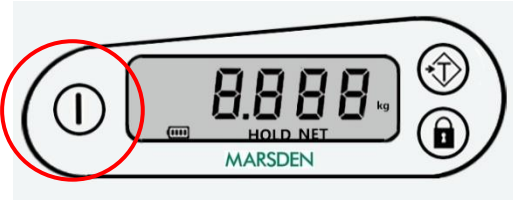
## Installing & Replacing the Battery Pack

1. Open the battery compartment
2. Insert two alkaline AA batteries, taking care to match + and -.
3. Or, connect the mains adaptor lead to the scale and plug the mains adaptor to a mains supply, matching the mains voltage marked on the adaptor.

# Operation: Basic Functions

## Switching on the Scale

Press the ON/OFF button firmly.



The scale will first test all of the display segments.



The scale will now go into weighing mode and should show 0.000kg on the display.



## Switching off the Scale

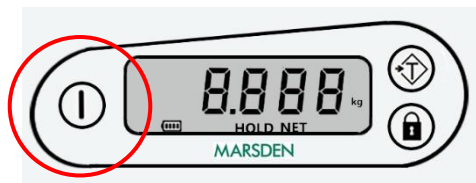


Press the ON/OFF button when the scale is turned on. The scale will now power down.



The scale also has an automatic power-down function. You can change the number of seconds by holding down TARE for eight seconds, and using the HOLD button to switch between options.

## Setting the Scale to Zero



If for any reason the scale shows a reading other than 0.0kg it can be reset to zero.

Press the ON/OFF button once.



The scale will return to 0.000kg.

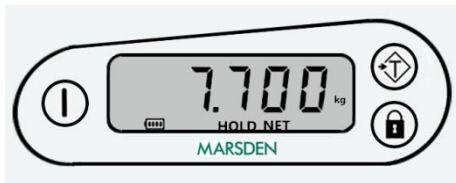


# Operation: Advanced Functions

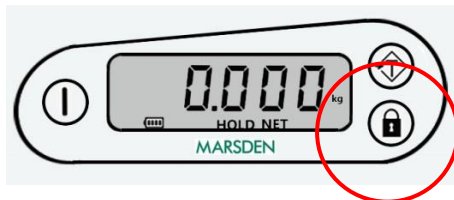
## Using the Hold Function



Press the HOLD button once, and then place the baby on the scale.



After a few seconds the scale will lock on the baby's weight. When the baby is taken off the scale, the weight will remain on the display.

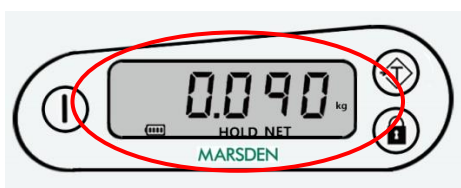


Press the HOLD button again to disable the Hold function and return the scale to 0.000kg.

## Using the Tare Function



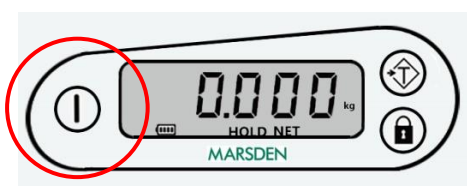
To tare off the weight of an item, such as a blanket, place the item on the scale.



With the weight of the item registering on the display, press the TARE button.



Place the baby on the scale. The tare weight will be automatically deducted from the reading, leaving an accurate reading for your baby minus the weight of the blanket.



Press the ON/OFF button to cancel the tare value.

# EMC Guidance and Manufacturer's Declaration

## Guidance and manufacturer's declaration – electromagnetic emissions.

The M-300 is intended for use in the electromagnetic environment specified below. The customer or user of this scale should ensure that it is used in such environment.

Emission Test	Compliance	Electromagnetic environment-guidance
RF emissions CISPR 11	Group 1	This scale uses RF energy only for its internal function. Therefore, its RF emissions are very low and not likely to cause any interference in nearby electronic equipment.
RF emissions CISPR 11	Class B	This scale is suitable for use in all establishments, including domestic establishments and those directly connected to the public low-voltage power supply network that supplies buildings used for domestic purposes.
Harmonic emissions IEC 61000-3-2	Class A	
Voltage fluctuations/flicker emissions IEC 61000-3-3	Compliance	

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Immunity Test	IEC 60601 Test Level	Compliance Level	Electromagnetic Environment Guidance
Electrostatic discharge (ESD) IEC 61000-4-2	$\pm 6$ kV contact $\pm 8$ kV air	$\pm 6$ kV contact $\pm 8$ kV air	Floors should be wood, cement or ceramic tile. If floors are covered with synthetic material, the relative humidity should be at least 30%.
Electrical fast transient/burst IEC 61000-4-4	$\pm 2$ kV for power supply lines +1 kV for input/output lines	$\pm 2$ kV for power supply lines not applicable	Mains power quality should be that of a typical commercial or hospital environment.
Surge IEC 61000-4-5	$\pm 1$ kV line(s) to line(s) $\pm 2$ kV line(s) to earth	$\pm 1$ kV differential mode not applicable	Mains power quality should be that of a typical commercial or hospital environment.
Voltage Dips, short interruptions and voltage variations on power supply input lines IEC 61000-4-11	<5% UT (>95% dip in UT) for 0.5 cycle 40% UT (60% dip in UT) for 5 cycles 70% UT (30% dip in UT) for 25 cycles <5% UT (>95% dip in UT) for	<5% UT (95% dip in UT) for 0.5 cycle 40% UT (60% dip in UT) for 5 cycles 70% UT (30% dip in UT) for 25 cycles <5% UT (>95% dip in UT) for	Mains power quality should be that of a typical commercial or hospital environment. If the user of this scale requires continued operation during power mains interruptions, it is

	5s	5s	recommended that this scale is powered from an uninterruptable power supply or a battery.
Power frequency (50/60 Hz) magnetic field IEC 61000-4-8	3 A/m	3 A/m	The scale's power frequency magnetic fields should be at levels characteristic of a typical location in a typical commercial or hospital environment.
Note UT is the A.C mains voltage prior to application of the test level.			

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Immunity Test	IEC 60601 test level	Compliance level	Electromagnetic environment-guidance
Conducted RF IEC 61000-4-6	3 Vrms 150 KHz to 80 MHz	3 Vrms	<p>Portable and mobile RF communications equipment should be used no closer to any part of the scale including cables, than the recommended separation distance calculated from the equation applicable to the frequency of the transmitter.</p> <p><b>Recommended separation distance:</b>  <math>d = 1,2 \sqrt{P}</math>  <math>d = 1,2 \sqrt{P}</math> 80MHz to 800 MHz  <math>d = 2,3 \sqrt{P}</math> 800MHz to 2,5 GHz</p> <p>Where <math>P</math> is the maximum output power rating of the transmitter in watts (w) according to the transmitter manufacturer and <math>d</math> is the recommended separation distance in meters (m). Field strengths from fixed RF transmitters, as determined by an electromagnetic site survey, should be less than the compliance level in each frequency range.</p> <p>Interference may occur in the vicinity of equipment marked</p>
Radiated RF IEC 61000-4-3	3 V/m 80 MHz to 2,5 GHz	3 V/m	

			with the following symbol: 
NOTE1 At 80 MHz and 800 MHz, the higher frequency range applies. NOTE2 These guidelines may not apply in all situations. Electromagnetic propagation is affected by absorption and reflection from structures, objects and people.			
<p>A) Field strengths from fixed transmitters, such as base stations for radio (cellular/cordless) telephones and land mobile radios, amateur radio, AM and FM radio broadcast and TV broadcast cannot be predicted theoretically with accuracy. To assess the electromagnetic environment due to fixed RF transmitters, an electromagnetic site survey should be considered. If the measured field strength in the location in which the scale is used exceeds the application RF compliance level above, the scale should be observed to verify normal operation. If abnormal performance is observed, additional measures may be necessary, such as re-orienting or relocating the scale.</p> <p>B) Over the frequency range 150 kHz to 80 MHz, field strengths should be less than 3 V/m.</p>			

## Recommended separation distance between portable and mobile RF communications equipment and the M-300.

This scale is intended for use in an electromagnetic environment in which radiated RF disturbances are controlled. The customer or the user of the scale can help prevent electromagnetic interference by maintaining a minimum distance between portable and mobile RF communications equipment (transmitters) and the scale as recommended below, according to the maximum output power of the communications equipment.


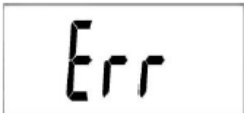





Rated maximum output power of transmitter	Separation distance according to frequency of transmitter m		
	150 kHz to 80 MHz	80 MHz to 800 MHz	800 MHz to 2,5 GHz
W	$d = 1,2\sqrt{P}$	$d = 1,2\sqrt{P}$	$d = 2,3\sqrt{P}$
0.01	0.12	0.12	0.23
0.1	0.38	0.38	0.73
1	1.2	1.2	2.3
10	3.8	3.8	7.3
100	12	12	23

For transmitters rated at a maximum output power not listed above, the recommended separation distance  $d$  in meters (m) can be estimated using the equation applicable to the frequency of the transmitter, where  $p$  is the maximum output rating of the transmitter in watts (w) according to the transmitter manufacturer.



NOTE1) At 80 MHz and 800 MHz, the separation distance for the high frequency range applies.

NOTE2) These guidelines may not apply in all situations. Electromagnetic propagation is affected by absorption and reflection from structures, objects and people.

## Error Messages

<p><b>Low Battery</b> The scale's alkaline AA type batteries are flat; please replace the batteries.</p>	
<p><b>Overload</b> This indicates that the scale's load sensor(s) have been overloaded. Reduce the loading and retry.</p>	
<p><b>Counting Error</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The signal from the load cells is too high. Please remove any weight from the scale and try to power on again. If the scale continues to show the error message, it indicates a fault with the electronics or wiring.</li> <li>2. The signal from the load cells is too low. Please remove any weight from the scale and try again. If the scale continues to show the error message, it indicates a fault with the electronics or wiring.</li> </ol>	 
<p><b>High/Low Zero Count</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The scale is above its zero range. Please remove any weight from the scale and power on again. If the scale continues to show the error message, it indicates a fault with the electronics.</li> <li>2. The scale is below its zero range. Check there is nothing jammed underneath the scale and power on again. If the scale continues to show the error message, it indicates a fault with the electronics.</li> </ol>	 
<p><b>EEPROM Error</b> This indicates there is a fault with the scale's software and is normally caused by a fault with the load cell or wiring. Contact your local service representative.</p>	

## Manufacturer's Declaration of Conformity

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