

# Software Version 5

**Programming instructions** 



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## PROGRAMMING

The menu structure is similar to a directory tree and is split up in main menus and submenus.

**NOTE:** Please note that not all menu items of this manual are absolutely relevant for your device. According to the supplied equipment, these may differ!

## Assignment and function of keys

The apparatus is interactively programmed by the user.

Function of the keys:



Display of help texts. To activate the help text when selecting a new display, first press the arrow key pointing to the left.	Arrow key	
Move from one to the next menu	Arrow keys	
Select the desired menu	Enter key	<b>~</b>
Move within the menu	Arrow keys	
Selection within the menu or scrolling within the data memory or bottle memory	Arrow keys	
Confirm the choice		
(is automatically marked with a $\checkmark$ )	Enter key	<b>~</b>
Entry/change of values	Arrow keys	
Confirmation of entered values	Enter key	-
Return to higher menu level	Back key	3
Initialization (reset) display	Back key + Enter	Press both keys at the same time
Terminate sleep mode (only portable samplers)	Back key	Press for at least 5 sec.
RESET / reset to factory settings ( <b>NOTE:</b> all settings <u>and</u> data will be deleted!)	Back key	Keep pressed when switching on

## NAVIGATION

The sampler can be operated by means of the control unit. With the ARROW KEYS, the ENTER KEY and the BACK KEY you can move from one screen to another. An arrow on the display shows that there are further selection possibilities (see illustration).

#### Example:

Press the "DOWN" arrow key two times to select the line DATA MEMORY.

Now press the ENTER KEY to display the data memory or to choose another selection possibility.

Remark: The arrow pointing downward on the right side (bottom) of the display indicates that there are further selection possibilities.

#### Menu variants:

The top line indicates that you can navigate to the right or to the left by pressing the arrow keys.

The bottom line indicates with which key the action is executed or terminated.

Here you can set a parameter. The top line shows which value is to be set. The next line indicates the possible range of values. An entry is possible directly by means of the number keys or by selecting the digit with the right / left arrow keys and by setting them with the up / down arrow keys. The selected digit is displayed inversely (cursor). Confirm the entry by pressing the ENT key or abort it by pressing the BACK key (in this case the initial value is not

changed). The arrows show that a digit can be changed.

PROGRAM NO.	1
🕓 TIME	
INTERVAL:	00:06
FILL TIME:	002:00
BACK 🍤	NEXT 🖊









#### Settings with selection menus

The cursor is positioned on the current selection line (inversely) and can be moved up or down.

The arrow on the right side of the window indicates that there are further entries which can be displayed by scrolling up or down.

Depending on the menu, the display will show in which direction you can scroll.

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$\mathcal{P}$	LANG	JAGE	
Ц	DIST	RIBUTOR	
Φ	MAX.	SUCTION	TIM🔶
BAC	ж 🍤	NE	XT 🖊

#### Selection of individual menu points

In the selection menus, additional program settings

are displayed. All the settings which have been <u>activated</u> by pressing the ENTER key or which are already <u>active</u> are marked with a symbol.

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✓TIME RELA <sup>®</sup>	TED	
SAMPLE RELATED		
BACK 🍤	NEXT 🖊	







## Description of the main menu structure with submenu levels 2 and 3







DATA MEMORY	SAMPLING DATA
	TEMPERATURE DATA
	BOTTLE PROTOCOL
	BOTTLE ARCHIVE



DIAGNOSTICS/ TEST	COMPONENT TEST	<ul> <li>PUMP</li> <li>PINCH VALVE</li> <li>VALVE SYSTEM</li> <li>DISTRIBUTOR</li> <li>DIGITAL OUTPUTS</li> </ul>
	TEMPERATURE BOARD	LOWER HEATING : COOLING : UPPER HEATING :
	DIGITAL INPUTS	FLOW DIGITAL; EVENT DI3 DI4 DI5 DI6 DI7 DI8 (only if I/O board is installed) DI 9-12
	ANALOG INPUTS	ANALOG 1: ANALOG 2: WATER SENSOR 1: WATER SENSOR 2: PT 1000 SENSOR VOLTAGE.: 13,8 V FLOW: xxx I/s (m3/h)
	VERSION INFO	-SOFTWARE VERSION -SERIAL NO. PLC -START VALUES -DATALOGGER VERS. -TEMP.CARD VERSION





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# Description of the displays with explanation

DISPLAY	DISPLAY	EXPLANATION / FUNCTION	
PROGRAMS			
	• INFO	Display of program details	
STATUS/STOP	• PAUSE	Interruption of the running program (max. 120 min)	
	• STOP	Stop the current program or all programs	
	IMMEDIATELY	Program start can be:	
		• immediately	
START	• DATE/TIME	• with date/time (dd:mm:yyyy hh:mm)	
	• WEEKDAY/TIME	• with weekday/time (day; hh:mm)	
CHANGE		Change the program parameters like mode of operation (time, flow, event), interval etc.	
	PROGRAM No. [xx]	Selectable operating modes: • TIME • FLOW DIGITAL • FLOW ANALOG • EVENT TIME • EVENT DIGITAL • EVENT ANALOG • BATCH SAMPLING	
MANUAL SAMPLING			
IN PRESENT BOTTLE		Sample extraction into <u>current</u> bottle	
IN BOTTLE X		Sample extraction into selectable bottle X	
DATA MEMORY			
SAMPLING DATA		Display of data of the single bottles	
TEMPERATURE DATA		Temp. sampling compartment. Temp. Ambient, PT1000 Temp.	
BOTTLE PROTOCOL		data of each bottle, like start/end of filling time, requested/taken samples	
BOTTLE ARCHIV		data archive "bottle protocol" of the last 50 program cycles	



DIAGNOSIS/TEST		
COMPONENT TEST	PUMP     PINCH VALVE     VALVE SYSTEM     DISTRIBUTOR     DIGITAL OUTPUTS	Possibility of a functional check of the components
TEMPERATURE BOARD		Display STATUS of: - Lower heating (OFF / ON) - Cooling (OFF / ON) - Upper heating (OFF / ON)
DIGITAL INPUTS		Display of (DI=digital input): Flow digital: 0 Event: 0 DI3 DI4 DI5 DI6 DI7 DI8 (only if I/O board is installed) DI 9-12
ANALOG INPUTS		Display of: ANALOG 1 ANALOG 2 ELECTRODES 1 ELECTRODES 2 PT 1000 SENSOR (Option) OPERATING VOLTAGE FLOW: xxxx I/s (m3/h)
DISPLAY OF VERSION		<ul> <li>Display of the firmware version</li> <li>Serial No. PLC</li> <li>No. of startvalues</li> <li>Software version of datalogger</li> <li>Software version of Temp. Board</li> </ul>
IP ADDRESS		Display of IP address (only if WEB-Board is installed) Default IP: <b>192.168.1.1</b> Default PORT: 47234



SETUP		
DATE/TIME		Setting of date/time
	• LANGUAGE	Setting of the language
	• DISTRIBUTOR	Selection of distributor type
	• MAX. SUCTION TIME	Setting of the maximum suction time (0-600 sec.)
	• PRE-PURGE	Pre-purge = purge of suction hose <b>PRIOR</b> of the sample extraction (0 - 99,99 sec.)
	• POST-PURGE	Post-purge = active purging of the metering vessel
		AFTER the sample extraction (0 - 99,99 sec.)
	RINSE BEFORE SAMPLING	Option to rinse intake line with source liquid prior to each sample, 1 to 3 rinses.
	CALIBRATION VOL	Volume calibration for Peristaltic Pump or option: VAR Vacuum system for flow-proportional sampling
	SAMPLING MODE	Only Peristaltic Pump: You can choose STANDARD or MAXX-MODE
SYSTEM SETTINGS	AERATION TIME	Time until pinch valve is opened for drain off of sample
	• PUMP POWER	Adjustable from 70 % to 100% (not available for Peristaltic Pump)
	LOGENTRIES	set of the Log entries. Log interval for Tempboard and PT1000 can be adjusted 160 min
		-Via NTC
		-Via PT1000
		-Limit value (1 - 20 °C)
	• INTERNAL TEMPERATURE	-Delay time (1 - 60 min.)
		(Example: limit value 7°C, delay time 10 min. An alarm message is sent if the limit value is exceeded for 10 min.)
	FAULT SIGNAL	Possibility to invert the output
		Selection:
		0-20 mA
	ANALOG SIGNAL	4-20 mA
		Calibration (adjustment with signal of plant)
	• DISPLAY	- always switched on
		- switch off after certain time (0-999 sec.)
		- contrast
		- max. brightness



		- min. brightness
		Option only for P6. LED at handle flashes
	STATUS IED (Option)	Green (continuous): if program is active
		Green (blinking): program finished
		Red (continuous): indicates any ERROR
	•DURATION OF PAUSE	Program can be interrupted for 10-120 min. for example for cleaning .After expiry of the time entered the program is automatically resumed.
	• PROG. INPUTS	Programmable inputs: input signal to start a program e.g. via an external pulse.
		Four inputs are available.
		REMARK: this feature is only available if the optional I/O add-on board is connected
		(5 output signals).
	• OUTPUT SIGNALS	In the basic version (without the add-on board) <b>1</b> fixed output is available for the collective malfunction message which can be used via an optional signal relay.
		With this feature, however, the possible (malfunction) messages can be configured individually for each of the 5 signals.
	MIN. SAMPLE VOLUME	only for Peristaltic or VacuumVAR system! setting of the min. sample volume which shall be taken
	MAX. SAMPLE VOLUME	only for Peristaltic or VacuumVAR system! setting of the max. sample volume which shall be taken
		Only at portable samplers:
SLEEP MODE	•ACTIVE	If the sleep mode has been activated and the program is to be started in 20 min. at the earliest, the message "Attention device switches to sleep mode" is displayed for 30 sec.
		Thereafter the display is switched off and only activated again 2 min. prior to the program start.
	• INACTIVE	Sleep mode is deactivated
	CHANGE PASSWORD	- In general the password can be changed.
PASSWORD	CHANGE SETTINGS	- A password for settings can be entered.
	CHANGE PROGRAMS	- A password for changing programs can be entered
	• STOP PROGRAMS	- A password for stopping programs can be entered
SERVICE		Setting of base parameters (only to be done by a service technician)
		(Password protected)



## **Examples of programming**

## Programming of a time-proportional sampling program

Select PROGRAMS in the main menu

	MAIN MENU 🗖
ø	PROGRAMS
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Æ	DATA MEMORY 🚽 🔫
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③ STATUS/S	TOP
№ START	
😌 Change	
BACK 🍤	NEXT 🖊

00:06

002:00

NEXT 🖊

PROGRAM NO.

FILL TIME:

**©** TIME INTERVAL:

BACK 🍮

Select CHANGE

Select PROGRAM NO. 1 (out of 12).

Programs No. 2-12 can be selected by pressing the left or right arrow key.

Press ENTER to edit the program.

Selection of the sampling mode TIME

(Sampling is effected in fixed time intervals)

PROGR	RAM 1	MODE	
<ul> <li>O</li> </ul>	TIME		
лл	FLOW	DIGITAL	
$\sim \sim$	FLOW	ANALOG	•
BACK	5	NEXT	1

le	ⓒ SAMPLING MIN.2min ⊉0:06 hh:mm	G INTERVAL MAX.99:59h
	BACK 5	NEXT 🖊

Set the sampling interval (time interval between the sing sample extractions).



# Setting of sample volume (ml) (only for Peristaltic Pump and VAR Vacuum)

The min. and max. sample volume can be predefined in SETTUP ⇒ SYSTEM SETTINGS

➡ MIN. SAMPLE VOLUME

➡ MAX. SAMPLE VOLUME

Set the BOTTLE FILL TIME each bottle of your bottle set will be filled 2 hours, before distributor switches to the next bottle. If your bottle set consists e.g. of 12 bottles, the whole sampling cycle would be 12x 2h = 24h

Range: 00:02 up to 168:00 (hhh:mm)

Programming can be terminated.....

..... and the program can be started directly.

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③ BOTTLE	FILL TIME
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INFO
SETTINGS COMPLETE
MORE SETTINGS
END 🖊



Besides the standard programming there are several special program functions which can be activated selectively with each operating mode.

In the menu "MORE SETTINGS", you can find a list with all special functions available. Please find following a detailed description.



## SPECIAL PROGRAM FUNCTIONS

Beside the standard programming features the unit also offers the following special functions:

PROGRAMS ⇒ CHANGE ⇒ TIME/FLOW/EVENT ⇒ MORE SETTINGS



## SPECIAL FUNCTIONS

If **"MORE SETTINGS**" has been chosen, the following special functions are available depending on the single operating modes:

#### - PROGRAMMING OK

When all the desired settings have been entered, and this function is selected all settings are confirmed and the display returns to the START menu.



## - SERIAL SAMPLES

Number of samples per sample extraction means that each requested sample

extraction consists of x samples. If e.g. the value 3 is entered, 3 samples are extracted successively. When activating this function, particular attention has to be paid to the bottle volume in order to avoid overfilling. This function is useful if several single sample extractions shall be effected in a very short time to obtain a bigger sample volume.

## BOTTLE ASSIGNMENT

#### (First bottle / last bottle)

The first and the last bottle of a sampling cycle can be defined. With this function a **group of bottles** can be assigned to a certain program. An activation of this function is recommended if the function "Program linkage" is used. The bottle group is always defined by the settings

"first bottle" and "last bottle". Example:

In program 1 bottle **1** up to bottle **6** and in program 2 bottle **7** up to bottle **12** are selected. Thus, after the start of program 1, bottles 1 – 6 are filled accordingly and after the start of program 2, bottles 7 – 12 are filled.



BOTTLE S	ELECTION
ALL BOTT	TLES
BOTTLE S	ELECTION
WITHOUT	DISTRIBUTOR
BACK 🍤	NEXT 🖊

#### MIXED SAMPLE

(This menu is only available if the distributor variant with "mixed sample bottle" is already factory set.)

The mixed sample is always filled into a separate bottle and can be effected time- or sample-related.

#### Time-related:

If the time-related sample extraction is selected, an interval in minutes has to be entered.

#### Sample-related:

If a sample-related sample extraction is selected, the number of samples after which a mixed sample is to be taken has to be entered.

## - PROGRAM PAUSE

(Program pause = delayed program start:

Delay between the end of program X and the start of the next program. Defers the program cycle in the continuous mode by the time entered.

This function is only possible if a program has been

started in the "**continuous operation**" mode and leads to a deferred start (by the time entered) of the next program.

**Example**: program 1 is edited with a program pause of 1 hour and is started at 8.00 h (24-hour cycle). Thus the program will be terminated at 8.00 h the next day and the program cycle will only be started again at 9.00 h due to the entered program pause of 1 hour. So, every day the program start will be deferred by 1 hour.

## QT-AUTOMATIC (Q= flow, T=time)

(this feature is **only** available <u>**at flow-dependent**</u> **programs!**)

Time-flow automatic (MINIMUM and/or MAXIMUM Qt-TIME have to be set (**Range is 0 – 999 minutes**)

This function enables that in the flow mode (**independently** of the flow signal) a sample is extracted at least after xxx minutes or at the earliest after xxx minutes. Both functions can be activated separately or together.

Minimum QT-time: minimum time between two sample extractions.

An activation of this function is reasonable if there is only a weak flow signal and thus the sampling interval would be very long. Thus a sample extraction is quasi enforced to obtain at least a minimum sample volume.











**Maximum QT-time**: maximum time between two sample extractions. An activation of this function is reasonable if there is a strong flow signal (e.g. due to rain) and thus the sample interval would be very short. Sample extractions are quasi inhibited in order to avoid the very quick filling of the bottles. If the bottles would be filled within a very short time there would be no bottles left to be filled within the remaining runtime of the sampling cycle.

## COMBINED EVENT MODE

This function enables the combination of a **timedependent** resp. **flow-dependent program** with an **event program** (e.g. in case of an exceedance of a limit value) and can be activated or deactivated.

For the event program the sampling interval and the bottle filling time have to be defined in hours and minutes (hh:mm).



#### Program run:

As soon as there is an event signal, the distributor moves to the next empty bottle (is recorded in the memory as event bottle). The sample extraction is effected according to the set values as long as the signal is present. If the signal is active longer than the bottle filling time set, further bottles are filled.

When the signal fades, the distributor moves to the next empty bottle and resumes the initially started sampling mode (time or flow). All this data is logged in the info memory.

#### PROGRAM LINKAGE

(End of program 1 will start program 2. End of program 2 will start program x. The last program will start program 1 again or program x = CONTINUOUS OPERATION)

PROG 1 LINK TO PROGRAM 1-12 01 BACK S NEXT

With this function it is possible to link one or several

programs to each other (e.g. for weekend operation with different programs per day).

#### Program run:

End of Program 1 can trigger the start of Program 2. End of Program 2 can trigger the start of Program X. PRG. 1 END: AFTER 1 CYCLE AFTER X CYCLES CONTINUOUS OPERATION BACK S NEXT

The last entered program starts Program 1 again or any other Program X.

In addition, the number of cycles can be set for each program.



#### • ABSOLUTE START TIME

By means of an <u>external pulse</u> (e.g. a palm button) a program is always started <u>at a fixed time</u> (e.g.  $8^{\circ\circ}$  h).

The program run time always results from the value set as bottle filling time.

Example:	Number of bottles =	12
	Bottle fill time =	2 h
	Program run time =	24 h

The program is automatically stopped after the entered run time (here: 24 h) and waits for the next external pulse (e.g. by means of a palm button).

This program feature ensures that the sampler always stays in the same time interval (here: 24 hours) and uses the same bottle assignment, independently of whether the start (external pulse) is <u>before</u> or <u>after</u> the programmed start time (here: 8.00 h).

• External pulse is triggered **before** the end of the program run time.

Example: you would like to change the bottles already before the expiry of the program run time and thus you trigger an external pulse at 6:30 h. Therefore the program stops at 6:30 h and starts again automatically at 8.00 h.

• External pulse is triggered after the end of the program run time.

Example: you can only go to the sampler after the program run time has expired e.g. 9:45 h. When you changed the bottles and trigger an external pulse, the program **automatically** calculates on which bottle the distributor has to be placed at the start time, moves to that bottle and starts sampling into this bottle.

# <u>Remark</u>: If the function "ABSOLUTE START TIME" is activated /deactivated, also the first programmable input (PIN 40 to X5) is <u>automatically</u> activated/deactivated!

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BOTTLE FIL	LING PAU🔶
BACK 🍤	NEXT 🖊



MORE SETTINGS	1
PROGRAM LINKA	ige 🔷 📥
ABSOLUTE STAF	RT TIME
BOTTLE FILLIN	ig Pau <del>y</del>
BACK 🍤	NEXT 🖊



## - BOTTLE FILLING PAUSE (SÜV program )

Setting range: between 0-10080 min. (7 days).

This function enables a deferred sample extraction (filling pause) related to the bottles before the next bottle is filled.

The pause is entered in minutes.

#### Example:

Sampler with 24-bottle distributor system. Bottle fill time: 2 hours.

## MORE SETTINGS 1 PROGRAM LINKAGE ABSOLUTE START TIME BOTTLE FILLING PAU BACK S NEXT



#### - without programmed bottle filling pause:

A bottle change is made every 2 hours, that means after **24 hours** all the 12 bottles are filled.

- <u>with</u> programmed **bottle filling pause** of 24 hours (1440 min.):

Bottle 1 is filled for 2 hours. Thereafter there is a bottle filling pause of 24 hours and only then the distributor changes to bottle No. 2.



Thus there is a delayed bottle filling of 24 hours between each of the individual bottles. The whole program cycle in this example would be: 12 bottles x 26 h = 312 hours (2 hours fill time + 24 hours filling pause).

As a result of this setting, each bottle is filled with a delay of 26 hours per day.



## **PROGRAM START**

After selection of the menu point "Program Start", the program to be started (1-12) has to be selected with the left or right arrow key and has to be confirmed by pressing the Enter key.

PROGRAM START	1
🕓 TIME	
INTERVAL:	00:06
FILL TIME:	002:00
BACK 🍤	NEXT 🖊

## Program START OPTIONS

There are several possibilities to start the program:



## - IMMEDIATELY

The program is started immediately.

## - DATE/TIME

The program start is effected on the selected date and at the selected time in the format: dd:mm:yyyy hh:mm. (Also in the past or in the future!)

## Important remark: Fixed assignment of bottle number and time of day!

With this start option the program can also be started in the <u>past</u>/future for example to stay in *a* 24-hour daily cycle. Thus a fixed assignment of bottle number and time of day is achieved. **Example: 10th of May, 12 bottles, 2 h bottle fill time:** 

- desired: 24-hour cycle with start at 8°° h

- however, the program is only started at 11:20 h. The setting would be:

## 10.05.yyyy 08:00

- the software automatically calculates on which bottle position the distributor has to be placed (according to our example it would be bottle 2) and automatically changes to this position at the first requested sample extraction!

## - WEEKDAY/TIME

The program start is effected on the selected weekday and at the selected time in the format: day; hh:mm.



## PROGRAM END OPTIONS

After having defined the start conditions, the program end can be set as follows:

- AFTER 1 RUN Program is terminated after 1 run.
- AFTER X RUNS
   Program is terminated after X runs.
- CONTINUOUS OPERATION The program is repeated indefinitely.
- DATE/TIME

The program can be terminated at a certain date/time.

## Program STATUS / STOP

Here the status (active/inactive) of programs is displayed. The status of programs 1 - 12 can be checked by pressing the arrow keys (right/left).

**STATUS / STOP** When pressing the Enter key, the following is

displayed:

STATUS ACTIVE = Program has been started/ is active or STATUS INACTIVE = Program has not been started

#### INFO

Display of information regarding the currently running program: current bottle, samples requested and samples taken, next sample extraction or bottle change.

After selection of INFO all details regarding the running program are shown. The single screens can be displayed by pressing the up/down arrow keys.

PRG. 1 END:
AFTER 1 RUN
AFTER X RUNS
CONTINUOUS OPERATIO
BACK 🍮 🛛 NEXT 🛹

PRG. 1 END:	
AFTER X RUN	is 🔶
CONTINUOUS	OPERATION
DATE/TIME	
BACK 🍤	NEXT 🖊

🗐 PRO	IGRAMS
③ STATUS/S	TOP
№ START	
😔 CHANGE 👘	
BACK 🍤	NEXT 🖊

⑦ PROGRAM ◀ 1 ▶ ■ STATUS: ACTIVE

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NEXT 🖊

🛇 PROGRAM 1	
PRESENT BOTTLE:	1
SPLS REQUESTED:	1
SPLS TAKEN:	1
19.09.17 09:09:36	•



## - PAUSE

The program can be interrupted for a period of 10-120 minutes (e.g. for cleaning). The exact time can be entered in the menu "SETTINGS". The pause can be terminated manually or it is automatically terminated after the entered xxx minutes.

PROGRAM 1	
INFO	
PAUSE	
STOP	-
BACK 🍤	NEXT 🖊

PROGRAM 1	
INFO	
PAUSE	
STOP	
BACK 🍤	NEXT 🖊



## STOP

An active program can be stopped/aborted.

If several programs are active all these programs can be stopped at the same time.



## FLOW-PROPORTIONAL SAMPLE EXTRACTION

According to the output signal of your flow meter either the operating mode flow analog or flow digital can be selected in the program settings.

## FLOW ANALOG – set resp. calibrate -

Under "SETUP" -> "SYSTEM SETTINGS ->ANALOG SIGNAL" the analog input can be set to the default values 4-20 or 0-20 mA or it can be adjusted/calibrated to the plant's signal.

To ensure that the sample extraction is effected according to the plant's signal we recommend a calibration.

**Calibration** of the analog input 0/4-20 mA: Connect the sampler to the plant's signal. Set 0/4 and 20 mA by means of the SPS or an analog signal transmitter and confirm these values according to the menu instructions.

- **1.** Connect 0/4 mA and confirm.
- 2. Connect 20 mA and confirm.
- **3.** Calibration OK, confirm.

## **FLOW ANALOG**

The only difference between the programming of the flow analog mode and the flow digital mode is the definition of the sampling interval. Point of reference in the flow analog setting is the maximum flow at 20 mA, which can be set as I/s or m3/h.

# AV SET FLOW 20mA CORRESPOND TO 00000 1/s BACK S NEXT ←

FLOW	DIGITAL	
FLOW	DIGITAL	

In the FLOW DIGITAL mode, the sampling interval results from the incoming pulses. The filling time can either be **time-related** or related to a **certain number of samples**. If **time-related** is selected there is a further menu to limit the number of samples (samples/bottle) to avoid overfilling (overfill protection).

ЛЛ SAMPLE AFTER		
1 - 9999		
0003 PULSES		
NEXT 🖊		

🗯 ANALOG SIC	SNAL
✓ANALOG 4-20	mA
ANALOG 0-20	mA
CALIBRATION	
BACK 🍤	NEXT 🖊

NEXT

SYSTEM SETTINGS

FAULT SIGNAL

xx ANALOG SIGNAL

DISPLAY

1 a -

BACK



## **EVENT-PROPORTIONAL SAMPLE EXTRACTION**

When selecting this sampling mode, the sampler will be triggered from an **external "event" signal (digital pulse**), e.g. from a connected pH-meter, level sensor etc..

A sample is extracted according to the programming as long as the signal is present. When the signal drops; the sampler waits for the next signal (trigger) and then fills the next empty bottle. Which "event" sample has been filled into which bottle is recorded in the info memory.



The following settings are possible in the event mode:

## EVENT TIME

In this mode, the sample extraction will be **time-based**, **e.g. 2 minute Interval**. This means, that after the **event** (digital signal) has triggered the sampler, the samples will be taken in a 2 minute interval.

## **EVENT DIGITAL**

In this mode, the sample extraction will be **flow-based (digital pulse from a flow-meter)**. This means, that after the **event (digital signal)** has triggered the sampler, the samples will be taken after e.g. 5 pulses from the flow meter.

## **EVENT ANALOG**

In this mode, the sample extraction will be **flow-based (analogue signal from a flow-meter)**. This means, that after the **event (digital signal)** has triggered the sampler, the samples will be taken according the analogue signal from the flow meter

## **BATCH SAMPLING**

Other than at the "classic" event sampling, the bottle change is **<u>not</u>** effected with each signal but according to the programmed time (e.g. every 2 hours). Thus the

bottles are always assigned to a fixed time pattern.

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Example:

When a tank is discharged by means of a pump, each switch-on/switch-off of the pump would lead to a bottle change in the classic event mode. In the batch sampling mode, however, this is not requested and thus can be avoided by activating the batch sampling function which means that samples are only extracted as long as the signal is active (the pump is running). During the bottle filling time of 2 hours there can thus be several pump cycles which activate the sample extraction, however, are only considered as 1 event.



#### FREE PROGRAMMABLE INPUTS:

PROGR. INPUT (PIN3 (+) / PIN 25 ) but is not wired yet!

**ADDITIONAL INPUT 1** 

**ADDITIONAL INPUT 2** 

ADDITIONAL INPUT 3

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There is **1** programmable input in the basic version. With the option "I/O extension board" further **3** inputs are available.

Each input can be programmed individually according to the following list:

#### NO FUNCTION

reset of setting

#### • PROGRAM START PULSE

if selected, program x can be started (external start)

#### PROGRAM STOP PULSE

if selected, program x will be stopped (terminate with ESC)

#### PROGRAM RUN DURING PULSE

A program is executed as long as there is a continuous signal. If the signal drops, the program will be stopped.

#### • BOTTLE CHANGE PULSE

Pulse signal: <= 3sec means "advance to next bottle"

>= 5 sec means "move to bottle No. 1"

#### • SAMPLING PULSE

A pulse triggers the sample extraction

The pulse signal has to be > 50 ms!

**Remark**: This function is only possible if <u>no</u> program is running. In this case the unit is controlled externally (e.g. via SPS).

#### MANUAL SAMPLE

A manual sample is triggered. There is no registration in the info memory (ideal for official samples or tests).

#### ACKNOWLEDGE ERROR

Accumulated error messages can be acknowledged.



## **OUTPUT SIGNALS**

In the basic version (without extension board) a collective malfunction message is <u>always</u> available on output 8 (Pin 12/23). This message can be processed via an optional signal relay.

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With the option "I/O extension board" further 5 freely configurable output signals are available.

OUTPUT SIGNALS

OUTPUT SIGNAL 1 OUTPUT SIGNAL 2 OUTPUT SIGNAL 3 OUTPUT SIGNAL 4 OUTPUT SIGNAL 5

Each output signal (1-5) can be programmed individually according to the following list:

#### PROGRAM ACTIVE

Selection: "PROGRAM ACTIVE" or "PROGRAM XX ACTIVE"

#### • PROGRAM TERMINATED

Selection: "PROGRAM TERMINATED" or "PROGRAM XX TERMINATED"

#### ERROR ACTIVE

Selection: "DELETE ERROR"

- " GENERAL FAILURE"
- "ERROR LIQUID SENSOR"
- " ERROR SUCTION"
- " ERROR DISTRIBUTOR"
- " MAX. SPL/BOTTLE "
- "ERROR ANALOG SIGNAL A1"
- "POWER FAILURE"
- " DOOR OPEN"
- "INTERNAL TEMPERATURE"
- "EMERGENCY CUTOFF"
- " SUCTION TIME"
- SAMPLING ACTIVE
- BOTTLE CHANGE
- DISTRIBUTOR ON POS. 1
- MESSAGE INVERTED
- OUTPUT SIGNAL OFF (switch off/reset of the output signal)



## **MESSAGES – description -**

Text / meaning	Description
PROGRAM ACTIVE	When program is started a contact is activated for the whole duration of the program
PROGRAM TERMINATI	ED Contact at program end
ERROR ACTIVE	Contact in case of an error
SAMPLING ACTIVE	Contact at each sample extraction
BOTTLE CHANGE	Contact at each bottle change
DISTRIBUTOR ON POS	5. 1 Contact when distributor moves on position 1
MESSAGE INVERTED	Permanent contact (high). Only when there is an interruption (e.g. cable break) a message is triggered.
OUTPUT SIGNAL OFF	Deactivation of output signal

## ERROR MESSAGES

If there is an error message, it will appear in the display and will be automatically stored in the datamemory.

In the display you always will see the last happened error.

To "quit" a message(s), just press the ENT-key, for <u>each</u> message.

You either can see them in the samplers Data-memory or you can read them out via the "maxxwareConnect" software. In maxxwareConnect you can save the data as an Excel file or as PDF.

The error and the Log codes are helpful if they e.g. are to be evaluated via a PLC-System.

Error code	Text / meaning	Description
1	ERROR DISTRIBUTOR	Distributor is blocked, pulse generator or light barrier are defective.
2	ERROR SUCTION	No water, hose clogged, no vacuum (check system)
4	ERROR WATER SENSOR	Vacuum system: Sensors are soiled with deposits or there is still water in the metering vessel. Peristaltic pump: if there is any dirt in the tube in front of the sensors



5	VOLTAGE LOST - END	DATE/TIME end of voltage lost
6	CHARGE STORAGE BATTERY	If battery voltage is lower than 11,5 V
7	STORAGE BATTERY EMPTY	If battery voltage is lower than 11,1 V
10	ERROR ANALOG SIGNAL A1	Error message if the calibrated limit values are exceeded by 2 mA for at least 2 min.
11	DOOR OPEN	Door of sample bottle compartment is not closed (only possible with door contact option)
12	INTERNAL TEMPERATURE	If the temperature in the sample compartment rises over a certain (adjustable) limit value for a certain (adjustable) period of time (only possible if a temperature board is installed)
13	ERROR PINCH VALVE	If the pinch valve does not reach the cutoff current e.g. if it is not plugged in (only in VAR or pneumatic operation)
14	ERROR VALVE SYSTEM	If the valve system does not reach the cutoff current e.g. if it is not plugged in (only in VAR or pneumatic operation)
		Current flow at an output of the controller is too high or there is a short circuit
15	EMERGENCY CUTOFF	<ul> <li>1= error at a digital output</li> <li>2=pinch valve/valve system error</li> <li>3=over-current pump /distributor</li> <li>hardware message</li> <li>4=motor current distributor, software message</li> <li>5=pump current too high, software message</li> </ul>
19	NO ANALOG SIGNAL	Error message if the calibrated limit values of analog inputs 2-9 are exceeded by 2 mA for x minutes (has to be ordered separately by the customer!).
20	POS1 NOT FOUND	If distribution reference position is not recognized
21	ERROR BOTTLEVALVE	If bottle valve reference position is not recognized
28	PUMP BLOCKED	If pump does not start



29	Water sensor (only Peristaltic Pump)	<ul> <li>1 = upper before lower Sensor</li> <li>2 = maximum time between the sensors exceeded</li> </ul>
31	PROGRAM PARAMETERS	Program System: Configuration error, Program cannot be started. (1-12)

## LOG MESSAGES (MEMORY)

In **SETUP** -> **SYSTEM SETTINGS** ->LOG ENTRIES you can choose, which Messages of the list below, shall be logged

Log code	Meaning	Description
1	ERROR	Log code 1 includes all error codes
2	PROGRAM START	Date/time as well as the number of the started program
3	PROGRAM END PROG.	Date/time of the terminated program
4	START PROGRAM PAUSE	Date/time of program pause start
5	END OF PROGRAM PAUSE	Date/time of program pause end
6	SYSTEM START	Date/time of device start or restart after a power failure
9	BOTTLE CHANGE	Date/time of a bottle change
10	SAMPLE EXTRACTION	Date/time of a sample extraction triggered by a program
40	BTLE CHANGE	Bottle change triggered via a programmable input
12	REQUESTED (REMOTE)	(only possible if no program is active)
14	VOLTAGE LOSS START	Date/time of the start of a power failure
15	EVENT START	Date/time of the start of an event
16	END OF EVENT	Date/time of the end of an event
18	END OF SLEEP MODE	Date/time of the end of the sleep mode, only
		possible at portable samplers
10	CONDUCTIVITY SAMPLE	- 1st value: CV of pair of electrodes 1 when
19	MEDIUM	2nd value: CV after pre purge
		-3rd value: limit value for water detection at



		pneumatic module or CV for pair of electrodes 2 at VAR module
20	TEMPERATURE REGULATION	1st value: internal temperature 2nd value: temperature of evaporator plate 3rd value: ambient temp. around control housing
21	BOTTLE STATISTICS	No. of samples requested, total No. of samples taken during program run time. This data is logged after a program has been terminated.
22	SINGLE STATISTIC	Data of a bottle will be logged after the bottle change
23	ACCESS WITH PASSWORD	Date/time of access to a menu which requires the extended password, e.g. service menu, stop program, change settings etc.
24	PT1000 °C/U-BATT	Temperature values of the PT1000 sensors as well as the operating voltage of the controller. Logging interval: every 10 minutes.
26	SPL REQUESTED (REMOTE)	Sample extraction requested via a programmable input (only possible if no program is active)
27	SPL REQUESTED (EVENT)	Sample extraction triggered via an event program
28	ANALOG VALUE A1	mA signal values, (logging interval can be set in SYSTEM SETTINGS -> LOGENTRIES) (log of current value, no average value calculation) 1st value: measured value at logging time 2nd value: lower limit value 3rd value: upper limit value
29	ANALOG VALUE X	mA signal values. Logging interval: each x-minutes. 1st value: No. of channel 2nd value: average value of logging interval 3rd value: upper limit value (has to be ordered separately by the customer)



	OVERFILL PROTECTION	The overfill protection function has been activated in flow-dependent sampling mode
30	Value	1st value: the requested sample was dropped.
	<ul><li><b>1</b>= Drop sample</li><li><b>2</b>= Switch to next bottle</li></ul>	2nd value: the requested sample was filled into the next bottle.
31	SAMPLING SUPPRESSED	only with active Q/T-function!
		Samples are suppressed when <b>flow</b> is too <b>HIGH</b>
32	SAMPLING ENFORCE	only with active Q/T-function!
		Samples are enforced when <b>flow</b> is too <b>LOW</b>
25		At the program stop the total volume of all samples
55		at VAR and peristaltic pump systems)
26		Logging of flow at the time a sample extraction has
50	FLOW WHEN SAMFLING	systems)
		Values are logged when the rain weather pulse divider is activated or deactivated. Selection is
37	RWA-DWA STATUS	made per weekday from $00:00 - 23:59$ . (Only



## ANNEX – VACUUM VAR variable sampling system-

The VAR variable sampling system enables a flow-proportional sample extraction for the *Vacuum system*, that means the sample volume varies automatically according to an analog flow signal (0/4 - 20mA).

Example:

- the selected range is 0 to 20 mA
- the max. sample volume at **20 mA** is fixed to **200 ml**.

That means at an analog signal of e.g. **10 mA**, a **100 mI** sample would be extracted. Thus the sample extraction is always proportional to the flow.

At this system the sampling interval is **fixed** (e.g. every 10 min.) and the sample volume **varies** (the volume changes according to the mA signal).

Thus a sample extraction **proportional** to the flow is guaranteed.

When putting the sampler into service, the system has to be **calibrated**. How to do the calibration is described in the following:

#### SET UP $\implies$ SYSTEM SETTINGS $\implies$ VAR CALIBRATION

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#### CALIBRATION VAR Vacuum

1. Setting of suction height (range)

#### 2. Start lower value

There are 3 consecutive calibration cycles which are started automatically.

Please collect the samples of all 3 cycles in a measuring glass!

(Volume of the measuring glass >= 2000 ml)



VAR CALIBR	ATION CYCLE
START LOWE	R VOLUME
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#### 3. ACTUAL VALUE lower value

Please enter the total volume of the 3 cycles.



**4.** INFO after the completion of the calibration of the lower value.

The displayed value has no relation to the volume.

#### 5. Start upper value

Again there are 3 consecutive calibration cycles which are started automatically.

Please also collect the samples of all 3 cycles in a measuring glass!

## 6. ACTUAL VALUE upper value

Here the total volume of all 3 cycles of the upper value calibration is entered.

(Volume of the measuring glass >= 500 ml)

**7.** INFO after the completion of the calibration of the upper value

This value corresponds to the average volume in ml.

Now, the system is calibrated and can be operated.

## REMARK:

A correct functioning is only possible when the analog input has been synchronized/calibrated to the signal of the plant! Otherwise there might be wrong sample volumes!

INFO
LOWER VOLUME
CALIBRATED
VALUE:1000
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VAR CALIBRATION CYCLE
START UPPER VOLUME
NEXT 🛁

VAR CALIBRATION CYCLE ENTER ACTUAL VOLUME 26<mark>0</mark> m1

NEXT 🖊





## **ANNEX – Calibration Volume of PERISTALTIC PUMP -**

The single sample volume is defined by 2 capacitive sensors and a measuring tube and is highly accurate.

We recommend to calibrate the system every time a new sampling point and from time to time, depending on the customer-specific accuracy requirement.

The Peristaltic Pump enables as well a flow-proportional sample extraction, that means the sample volume varies automatically according to an analog flow signal (0/4 - 20mA).

Example:

- the selected range is 0 to 20 mA
- the max. sample volume at 20 mA is fixed to 200 ml.

That means at an analog signal of e.g. **10 mA**, a **100 mI** sample would be extracted. Thus the sample extraction is always proportional to the flow.

At this system the sampling interval is **fixed** (e.g. every 10 min.) and the sample volume **varies** (the volume changes according to the mA signal).

Thus, a sample extraction **proportional** to the flow is guaranteed.

When putting the sampler into service, the system has to be **calibrated**. How to do the calibration is described in the following section:



Please take care, that the suction hose is going straight down to avoid air bubbles!





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## CALIBRATION -Peristaltic Pump-

1. Start of calibration

CALIBRATION is always the **1**<sup>st</sup> step on-site with any new sampling point.

#### 2. Start UPPER value

There are 3 consecutive calibration cycles which are started automatically.

Please collect the samples of all 3 cycles in a measuring glass! (Capacity >=2 liters)

3. ACTUAL VALUE upper value

Please enter the **total volume** of the 3 cycles.

The upper value is calibrated

CALIBRATION MENU VOLUME CALIBRATION BACK S NEXT CALIBRATION CYCLE START UPPER VOLUME NEXT NEXT PLEASE WAIT

Abort 🍤

CALIBRATION CYCLE ENTER ACTUAL VOLUME 125<mark>0</mark> ml

ABORT 🍤

NEXT 🖊

INFO UPPER VOLUME CALIBRATED

NEXT 🖊



## 4. Start LOWER value

There are 3 consecutive calibration cycles which are started. Please collect the samples **of all 3 cycles** in a measuring glass!

#### (Capacity >=200 ml)

CALIBRATION CYCLE
START LOWER VOLUME
BACK S NEXT 
INFO
PLEASE WAIT

ABORT 🍤

5. ACTUAL VALUE lower value

Please enter the total volume of the 3 cycles.

CALIBRATION ENTER ACTUAL 07 <mark>3</mark> ml	CYCLE VOLUME
ABORT 🍤	NEXT 🖊

6. INFO after the completion of the calibration of the lower value.

INFO			
LOWER VOLUME			
CALIBRATED			
NEXT 🖊			

Now, the system is calibrated and can be operated!



# Appendix Programming PERISTALTIC PUMP SOFTWARE

## New function MAXX mode (sensor replacement mode)

The setting of the individual sample volume in the MAXX peristaltic pump is dependent on a measuring section in the suction hose with 2 capacitive sensors.

Experience has shown that if the suction hose is extremely dirty or there is water left in the hose due to poor hose routing, one or both sensors may no longer function reliably.

This then leads to individual sampling failures or, in extreme cases, no samples are taken at all.

In order to ensure reliable sampling in such cases, we have developed an intelligent mode that can be activated in the software if desired.

## HOW DOES THE MAXX-MODE WORK?

This mode ensures sampling even if one or even both sensors are not working. In practice, e.g. with a very high dirt load with a high grease content (industry, tanneries, etc.), the hose can quickly become heavily soiled. In such a case, the sensors can become "blind" and will no longer detect the medium.

To put it simply, this mode works in such a way that if the sensors fail, the missing data from sampling that has already been carried out without errors (with sensors that are worked properly) is used to obtain the desired sample volume.



As soon as both sensors are working again, e.g. once the dirt has disappeared, the device automatically switches back to normal mode.

## LIMITS OF THE SYSTEM:

Of course, even such an intelligent system has its limits. The accuracy of the sample volume does not quite reach the level of a sample taken with 2 normally functioning sensors. But practical tests have shown that a very good approximation is nevertheless achieved. In any case, we recommend always removing dirt immediately.



#### HOW TO USE MAXX-Mode::

In SYSTEM SETTINGS you can

choose in the Menu "SAMPLING MODE" between

- STANDARD and MAXX-MODE.

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SAMPLING MODE

- **"STANDARD":** the sample volume is determined by the two sensors. The system must be calibrated beforehand (ideally at the measuring point).
- "MAXX-MODE": This function now enables sampling depending on the sensor status. If one of the sensors doesn't longer detecting water (medium) correctly due to contamination in the hose, this mode is automatically switched to and "missing" values from the sensors are replaced by existing,

MAXX-MODE		
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STANDARD		
✓MAXX-MODE		
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saved values. A calibration must also have been carried out here beforehand.

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✓STANDARD

If no calibration has been carried out, an error message is displayed when attempting to take a sample:

#### - CALIBRATION NEEDED.



Note: after loading the "factory settings", the peristaltic pump must be recalibrated! Please note that the sampling mode is then also set back to "STANDARD"...





## LOG-MESSAGE SENSORSTATUS MAXX-Mode

Sensor status log messages are only available in MAXX-Mode.

If you want these messages to be stored in the data memory, you must activate it by pressing the ENT-key in SYSTEM SETTINGS -> LOG ENTRIES -> SENSOR **STATE** 

⊟ SYSTEM S	ETTINGS
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1 LOG ENTR	IES
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LOG ENTRIES

✓TOTAL VOLUME

SENSOR STATE

✓FLOW WHEN SAMPLING

SELECTION

The log messages are updated in the data memory only when the status of the sensor changes.

The following log messages for the sensor error and sensor dirty status are output.

The following generally applies to the sensor and dirty status:

**0**= everything OK; 1= error

If Sensor State and	= 1
state of sensor dirty	= 0
	➔ error: Sensor didn´t detect Water
If Sensor State and	= 1
state of sensor dirty	= 1
	➔ error: tube is dirty

## ERRORMESSAGES (ONLY IN MODE "STANDARD") :

Note: in MAXX mode there are no error messages!

- **SENSORS DIRTY:** One of the sensors notifies water after 1. prepurge.
- Err. Watersensor 1: Sensor 2 detects Water before Sensor 1.
- Err. Watersensor 2: Sensor 1 detects Water, but not Sensor 2.
- **Error Suction:** No sensor signal after reaching the maximum suction time.

is dirty		



## ANNEX – CONNECTION TO A PC-

#### • Direct connection via mini USB cable

- 1. In order to establish a connection to the sampler, the Maxxware Connect Software has to be installed <u>first</u> (see installation remarks on next page).
- 2. Thereafter the sampler can be connected directly to a PC by means of a standard mini USB interface. Select "USB" as connection type in the connect software.

#### • IP connection via RJ45 cable

#### Default IP-Adresse of the Web-Board:

192.168.1.1

## Default Router access:

User:	maxx
Passwort:	6299

#### Default Webserver access:

User:	maxx
Password:	6299

#### 1. Setting of ports:

Pay attention that the ports are set correctly when establishing a network connection:

#### Ports:

maxxware Connect:	http:	47234
Router:	http:	80
	https:	443

example how to connect to the router: http://192.168.1.1 https://192.168.1.1

example how to connect to maxxware connect: <a href="http://192.168.1.1:47234">http://192.168.1.1:47234</a>

#### 2. Check the IP-address at the sampler

The IP address can be displayed on the sampler display in the menu "DIAGNOSTICS/TEST", "IP- ADDRESS".

**3. Direct connection** of a Notebook/PC at the sampler via **RJ45** cable (only possible with installed WEB board)



For direct connection the IP address at the PC has to be set in the range of 1 - 254, **except** the number 1, for example: 192.168.1.2

Now, enter the following login data at the PC under "Network connection " -> "LAN connection"-> "Properties"->" Internet protocol version 4 (TCP/IPv4)"-> "Properties"->Use the following IP address"-

IP address: 192.168.1.x (x = 1 - 254, **except 1**) Subnet mask: 255.255.255.0 Standard gateway: not required

## **LED Status UMTS Router**

**Note:** GSM is used as a general term for UMTS/EDGE/GPRS.

description	function
СОМ	Lights green when a connection is established
	Lights green + red when PPP link is available
STATUS	Lights green when the VPN connection is established
	Lights red during initializing, Firmware-update or error
DATA	Flashes green during PPP traffic via GSM
	Flashing green according to the signal strength (see table below)

flashing frequency of LED signal	valency	signal quality
900ms on, 100ms off	2031	High
200ms on, 200ms off	1319	Normal
100ms on, 900ms off	012	Low
Off	99 (not detectable)	unsufficient



## ANNEX - INSTALLATION REMARKS FOR THE CONNECT SOFTWARE

- Runs with Windows XP, Vista, 7
- Installed MS-Internet-Explorer from version IE7
- 1. Click on the file maxxwareConnect.exe to start the installation.
- 2. If during the installation process a security remark regarding the driver software is displayed, click on **"Install this driver anyway**".
- 3. When the installation has been executed properly, click on "Finish": Now the "Connect" program will start automatically.
- 4. The connection to the sampler can now be established via **USB**.
- 5. The software is equipped with an online help function which explains each symbol / function.