

User Manual

DA-2003 Defibrillator Analyzer



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II. INTRODUCTION

2.1 Features

The DA-2003 Defibrillator Analyzer is a precision instrument for testing defibrillators, and is designed to be used by trained service technicians. It measures the energy output, and ensures that the defibrillator complies with specified requirements. DA-2003 has a built-in load resistance of 50 ohm, which roughly corresponds to the impedance of the human body. The defibrillator pads are placed on the DA-2003 contact plates. Thus, the defibrillator is connected through the load resistance. When the defibrillator is discharged, DA-2003 calculates and displays the energy delivered.

2.2 General Information

Temperature Requirements	+15°C to +35°C when operating 0°C to +50°C in storage
Display	
Type	LCD graphic display
Alphanumeric format	6 lines, 40 characters
Data Input/ Output (2)	Parallel printer port (1); Bi-directional RS -232C (1) for Computer control
Power	2 x 9 volt alkaline Battery Duracell® MN1604 (or equivalent) for 20 -25 operational hours, or 240 VAC (Battery Eliminator), 115 VAC for US.
Mechanical Specifications	
Housing	High impact plastic case
Height	9.8 cm 3.9 in.
Width	24.8 cm 9.8 in.
Depth	28.0 cm 11.0 in.
Weight	1.85 kg (with battery) 4.1 lbs.
Printer Port	Centronics Interface
Standard Accessories	
110 V or 220 V AC Adapter	(P/N BC20-00429)
Internal paddle-contact adapter	(P/N BC20-00430)
Snap-to-banana adapters (10 pk)	(P/N BC20-17024)
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Protective Cover	(P/N BC20-00427)
Additional Accessories	
Defib. paddle adapter (specify defibrillator type)	
Soft Carrying Case	(P/N BC20-30108)
Storage	
Store in the carrying case in dry surroundings within the temperature range specified, without battery. There are no other storage requirements.	
Periodic Inspection	
The unit should be calibrated every 12 months.	

III. SPECIFICATIONS

1. Energy Output Measurement

High Range

Voltage	<5000 volts
Maximum current	120 amperes
Maximum energy	1000 Joules
Accuracy	± 2 % of reading for >100 Joules ± 2 Joule of reading for <100 Joules
Trigger level	100 volts
Playback amplitude	1 mV/1000 V Lead I
Test pulse	100 + 4 Joules

Low Range

Voltage	<1000 volts
Maximum current	24 amperes
Maximum energy	50 Joules
Accuracy	± 2% of reading for >20 Joules ± 2 Joule of reading for <20 Joules
Trigger level	20 volts
Playback amplitude	1 mV/200 V Lead I
Test pulse	Approx. 4 Joules
Load Resistance	50 ohms ± 1%, non-inductive (<1 µH)
Display Resolution	0.1 Joules
Measurement Time	100 ms
Window	
Abs. Max. Peak Voltage	6000 volts
Pulse Width	100 ms
Cardioversion	Measured time delay ± 2 ms

Oscilloscope Output

High measure range	1000:1 amplitude-attenuated
Low measure range	200:1 amplitude-attenuated

Waveform Storage And Playback

Discharge can be viewed via ECG outputs and paddles.
Output: 200:1 Time Base expansion.

Sync Time Measurements

Timing window	Starts - 40 ms at each R-wave peak.
Test waveforms	All waveform simulations available.
Delay time accuracy	± 1 ms

Charge Time Measurement

From 0.1 seconds to 99.9 seconds.

2. ECG Wave

ECG General

Lead configuration	12-lead simulation. RL, RA, LA, LL, V1-6
Output impedance	Limb leads 1000 ohms to RL V Leads 1000 ohms to RL

All other signals are in relative proportion to Lead amplitude as follows:
The amplitudes are shown for a Lead I amplitude by 1 mV:

Lead I	1.0 mV (LA - RA)
Lead II	1.5 mV (LL - RA)
Lead III	0.5 mV (LL - LA)
V Lead	1.5 mV (V - 1/3 (LL+LA+RA))

High Level Output (ECG Jack)

1/4" standard phone-jack with an amplitude of 1V/mV of low level Lead II signal

Defibrillator Contact Plates

Same amplitude as Lead I low level ECG.
1 mV between contact surfaces.

Playback

200 to 1 time-base expansion of defibrillator pulse by playback to ECG Leads

Manual ECG Performance Test

DC Pulse	4 seconds 1.0 mV
Square wave	2 Hz 1.0 mV p-p biphasic
Triangular wave	2 Hz 1.0 mV
Sine	0.1, 0.2, 0.5, 10, 40, 50, 60, and 100 Hz
Amplitude	0.5, 1.0, 1.5, 2.0 mV (Lead II)
Accuracy	± 5 % (Lead II 1.0 mV)

ECG Performance Test

Gain/Damping	2 Hz square wave
Frequency Response	
Low Frequency	4 second DC pulse
Band Pass	10 Hz sine
Monitor	-3dB point: 40 Hz sine
Power Line Notch	50 Hz sine
Filter	
Linearity	2 Hz triangle wave

Normal Sinus

Rates	30, 60, 80, 120, 180, 240 and 300 BPM.
Accuracy	± 1% of selection
Amplitudes	0.5, 1.0, 1.5 and 2.0 mV (Lead II)
Accuracy	± 5 % (Lead II 1.0 mV)

Automatic ECG Rate Test

Arrhythmia Selections

vfib	Ventricular Fibrillation
afib	Atrial Fibrillation
blk II	Second degree A-V block
RBBB	Right Bundle Branch Block
PAC	Premature Atrial Contraction
PVC_E	Early PVC

PVC_STD
PVCronT
mfPVC
bigeminy
run5PVC
vtach

PVC
R on T PVC
Multifocal PVC
Bigeminy
Bigeminy Run of 5 PVCs
Ventricular Tachycardia

Shock Advisory Test Algorithms

ASYS
SVTa_90
PVT_140
PVT_160
MVT_140
MVT_160
CVF
FVF

Asystole
Supraventricular Tachycardia

Course Ventricular Fibrillation
Fine Ventricular Fibrillation

IV. INSTALLATION

4.1 Receipt, Inspection and Return

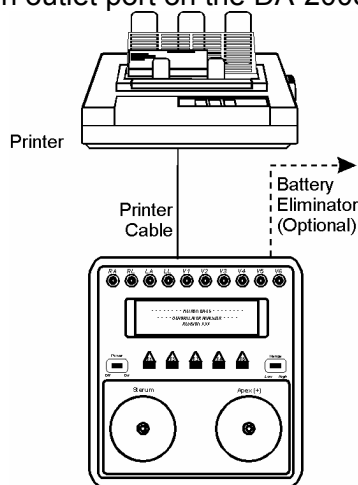
1. Inspect the outer box for damage.
2. Carefully unpack all items from the box and check to see that you have the following items:
 - DA-2003 Defibrillator Analyzer
 - 110 V or 220 V AC Adapter
 - Internal paddle-contact adapter
 - Ground contact adapter
 - 10 pack, Snap-to-banana adapter
 - DA-2003 User Manual
3. If you note physical damage, or if the unit fails to function according to specification, inform the supplier immediately. When BC Biomedical or the company's representative, is informed, measures will be taken to either repair the unit or dispatch a replacement. The customer will not have to wait for a claim to be investigated by the supplier. The customer should place a new purchase order to ensure delivery.
4. When returning an instrument to BC Biomedical, or the company representative, fill out the address label, describe what is wrong with the instrument, and provide the model and serial numbers. If possible, use the original packaging material for return shipping. Otherwise, repack the unit using:
 - A reinforced cardboard box, strong enough to carry the weight of the unit.
 - At least 5 cm of shock-absorbing material around the unit.
 - Nonabrasive dust-free material for the other parts.

Repack the unit in a manner to ensure that it cannot shift in the box during shipment.

BC Biomedical's product warranty is on page 26 of this manual. The warranty does not cover freight charges. C.O.D. will not be accepted without authorization from BC Biomedical or its representative.

4.2 Set-up

1. Equipment connection is as shown in the typical setup below. For direct communication to printer attach the printer cable to the 25-pin outlet port on the DA-2003.



4.3 Power

1. **Main On/Off Switch.** DA-2003 should remain off for at least 5 seconds before switching on again, in order to allow the test circuits to discharge fully.
2. **Low Battery Power.** If battery power falls below 6.9 volts (± 0.3 volts), the display will show 'Change battery, and reset system'. This means that the battery should either be replaced or the instrument should be connected to a battery eliminator. The main switch has to be switched off and then on again in order to use the instrument.

NOTE

Do not use mercury, air or carbon-zinc batteries.

3. **Changing Batteries.** Open the compartments in the base of the instrument, replace the old batteries with new ones, and close the compartment covers. Use 9-volt alkaline batteries (Duracell® MN1604 or similar).

NOTE

Remove the batteries and disconnect the AC Adapter if you do not intend to use the DA-2003 for an extended period of time.

4. **Battery Eliminator.** BC Biomedical's AC Adapter plug-in power supply transformer allows you to use the DA-2003 anywhere a standard electrical outlet is available. To attach the AC Adapter insert the adapter's small connector into the micro jack labeled "Batt. Elim. 9V DC" on the right rear of the unit. Plug the large connector into the nearest standard electrical outlet.

4.4 Internal Paddles

To be able to test defibrillators with internal paddles, an internal paddle adapter has to be used. These contacts have a banana plug that is attached to the standard paddle contact, and which is protected by a plastic insulation washer.

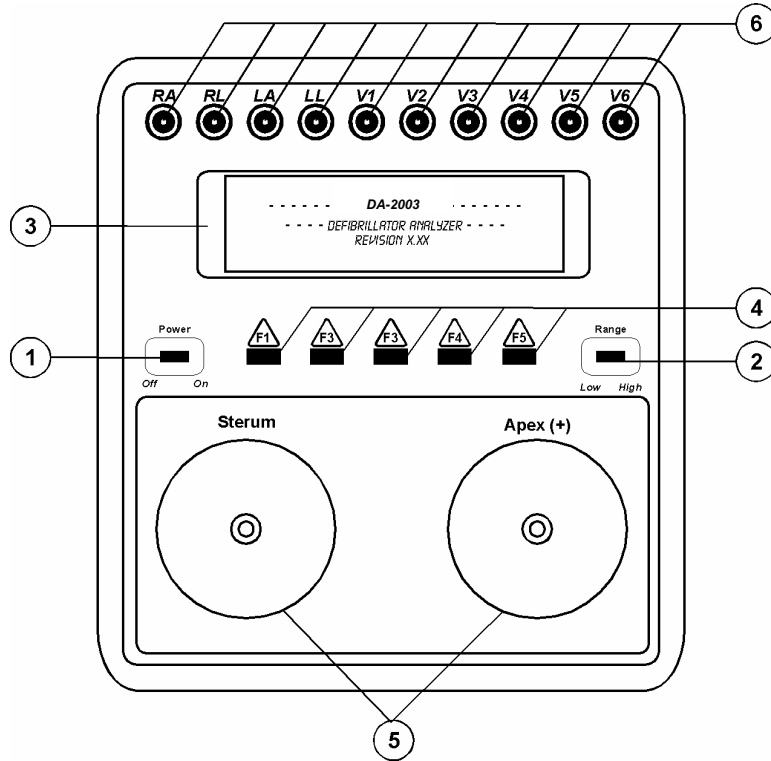
4.5 Special Contacts

Certain defibrillators (automatic models and those with pacer options) have special contacts that are fastened to the electrodes attached to the patient. BC Biomedical has special adapters to suit the majority of these defibrillators. These are available as accessories. They are more or less the same as the internal pad adapter except that they have a special adapter on the top, which matches the contact on the defibrillator. Defibrillator paddle adapter (specify defibrillator type)

V. OPERATING

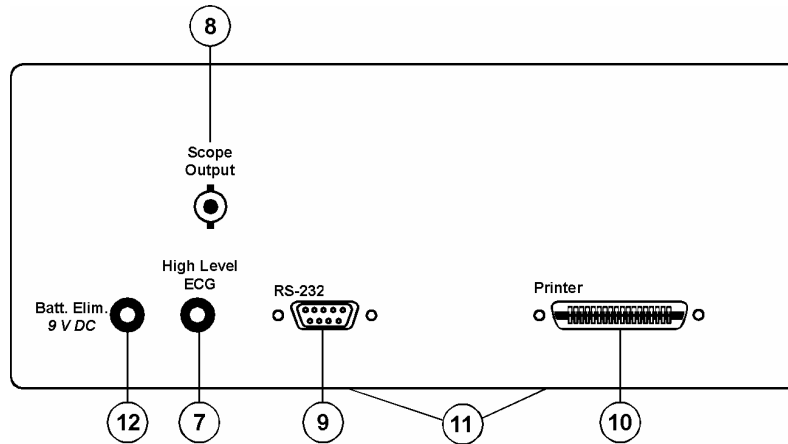
5.1 Control Switches and Connections

Front Panel



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|------------------------------------|---|
| 1. Power Switch | Turns the power on and off. |
| 2. Range Switch | Switches between Low and High ranges of defibrillator energy. |
| 3. LCD Display | Shows messages, test results and function menus. |
| 4. Function Keys | F1 - F5 are used to select the functions shown on the bottom line of the LCD display, i.e., for selecting the function that is directly above the key. |
| 5. Contact Surfaces | The defibrillator's paddles are placed on these so that the discharged energy passes through the instrument in defib. mode and that the pacer signal passes through the instrument with a fixed 50 ohm load in the PACE mode. |
| 6. Low Level ECG Connectors | 10 color-coded 4 mm safety terminals with snap-to-banana adapters. |

Rear Panel



7.	High Level ECG Jack	1/4" standard phone-jack for amplitude of 1 V/mV of low level Lead 1 signal.
8.	Oscilloscope Output	BNC-contact for attenuated signal in real time.
9.	RS-232 Serial Port	9-pin D-sub
10.	Printer Outlet Port	14-25 pin D-sub
11.	Location of Batteries	2 compartments in the base of the instrument can be opened to replace the batteries.
12.	Battery Eliminator Socket	Battery contact for connecting 9V 30 mA battery eliminator.

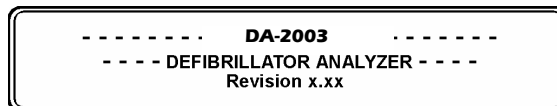
5.2 Menu and Function Keys

The DA-2003 uses display and programmable function keys to provide flexibility and control over the operations. The upper part of the screen displays messages, status and results. The menu bar is at the bottom of the display. The function keys are numbered from F1 to F5.

A function is selected by pressing the key located directly under the Menu Item displayed in the menu bar. A menu unit is written in capital letters. The menu has two pages. The next pages of the menu are selected by pressing **more-2**, or **more-1**.

5.3 Menu and Messages

1. **Startup Screen.** The following screen will be displayed for 2 seconds after the DA-2003 has been switched on.



2. **Main Menu**

a. Main Menu Bar (Page 1) - Mode switch in Low or High position.

----- STATUS -----		----- RESULT -----		
Wave	: off	Energy	: 0.0 JOULES	
Ampl.	:	Peak U	: 0.0 VOLTS	
Load	: 50 OHMS	Peak I	: 0.0 AMPS	
Oper.	: LOCAL	Charge T	: MS	
ECG WAVE	PERF. WAVE	CHARGE TIME	PRINT HEADER	more-2
F1	F2	F3	F4	F5

b. Second Menu Bar (Page 2)

WAVE AMPL.	PLAY PULSE	SYSTEM TEST	REMOTE CONTR.	more-1
F1	F2	F3	F4	F5

3. **ECG WAVES (F1).**

→ off	180 BPM	PAC	run5PVC	
vfib	240 BPM	PVC_E	vtach	
30 BPM	300 BPM	PVC_STD		
60 BPM 80	afib	PVCRonT		
BPM	blk II	mfPVC		
120 BPM	RBBB	bigeminy		
	UP	DOWN	SELECT	CANCEL
F1	F2	F3	F4	F5

Choose desired wave by pressing **UP (F2)** or **DOWN (F3)**. Save this under 'Wave' in the STATUS field by pressing **SELECT (F4)**. Press **CANCEL (F5)** to cancel selection.

4. **PERF. WAVE (Performance ECG) (F2).**

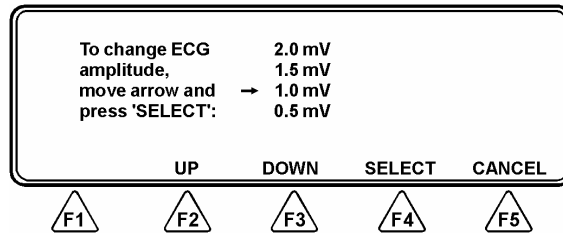
→ off	Sine 0.5			
Pulse	Sine 10			
Square	Sine 40			
Triang.	Sine 50			
Sine 0.1	Sine 60			
Sine 0.2	Sine 100			
	UP	DOWN	SELECT	CANCEL
F1	F2	F3	F4	F5

Choose desired selection by pressing **UP (F2)** or **DOWN (F3)**. Save this under 'Wave' in the STATUS field by pressing **SELECT (F4)**. Press **CANCEL (F5)** to cancel selection.

5. **CHARGE TIME (F3).** Used to test the battery and charging capacitor in the defibrillator. It changes the text 'Delay' to 'Chrg T : xx.x S' in the RESULT field in the main menu.

6. **PRINT HEADER (F4).** Automatically writes a heading for the new test protocol.

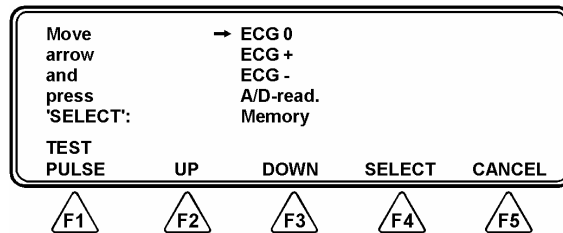
7. **WAVE AMPL. (Wave Amplitude) (F1).**



Choose desired amplitude by pressing **UP (F2)** or **DOWN (F3)**. Save this under 'Ampl' in the STATUS field by pressing **SELECT (F-4)**. Press **CANCEL (F5)** to cancel selection.

8. **PLAY PULSE (F2)** enables playback of the last discharge. See the discussion on playback of energy wave on page 4-3.

9. **SYSTEM TEST (F1)**



Choose a test variant by pressing **UP (F2)** or **DOWN (F3)** or **TEST PULSE (F1)**. Press **CANCEL (F5)** to cancel selection. Also, Chapter 5, Control and Calibration, for additional information on 'ECG0', 'ECG+' and 'ECG-' (paragraphs 5.4.10-12) and 'A/D-read' (paragraph 5.4.20). 'Memory' is for factory testing.

10. **REMOTE CONTR. (Remote Control) (F4)** enables communication with a PC with test automation software.

Note

DA-2003 has an internally generated test pulse. The control pulse is set at 1.2 Joules in the Low range and 28.5 Joules in the High range. The test pulse is not a calibration pulse, and should not be used as an indication of the general accuracy of the instrument. The test pulse is a good control for testing functions.

5.4 Test Result Printouts

DA-2003 automatically prints out the test results, via the printer output, after each discharge generated. Select **PRINT HEADER (F4)** if you want to print out a page with a new header.

VI. TESTING

6.1 Introduction

DA-2003 measures the energy output, and ensures that the defibrillator complies with specified requirements. It has a built-in load resistance of 50 ohms, which roughly corresponds to the impedance of the human body. The defibrillator pads are placed on the DA-2003 contact plates. Thus, the defibrillator is connected through the load resistance. When the defibrillator is discharged, DA-2003 will calculate and display the energy delivered.

Defibrillator energy is defined as an integral of the moment of the discharged energy from the defibrillator. The energy is equal to the square of the voltage, divided by the load resistance.

$$E = \int p \, dt = \int V^2 / R \, dt = \int V^2 \, dt / R$$

DA-2003 measures and records the voltage pulse every 100 μ s, 1000 times, for a total time of 100 ms. The squares of the voltages are then summed, multiplied by 100 μ s, and divided by the load resistance, 50 ohms.

$$E = \int_0^{1000} (V^2) \cdot dt / R = \int_0^{1000} (V^2) \cdot 100 \, \mu\text{s} / 50 \, \text{ohms}$$

The unit for energy is 'joule', which is equal to Ws (Watt second).

6.2 Test Preparation

1. If checking ECG monitoring, prompting, or triggering from the ECG, connect the low level or high level ECG connectors to the ten 4 mm AHA color-coded safety terminals or standard phone jack, as appropriate.
2. Switch the DA-2003 on. The following will be displayed in the LCD display for about two seconds:

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----- DA-2003 -----
---- DEFIBRILLATOR ANALYZER ----
Revision x.xx
    
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3. The following main menu will then appear. It will show LOCAL.

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----- STATUS -----          ----- RESULT -----
Wave   :   off                Energy   :  0.0 JOULES
Ampl.  :                      Peak U   :  0.0 VOLTS
Load   :  50 OHMS             Peak I   :  0.0 AMPS
Oper.  :  LOCAL               Charge T :  MS

ECG    PERF.  CHARGE  PRINT
WAVE   WAVE   TIME    HEADER  more-2

  F1    F2    F3    F4    F5
    
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6.3 Energy Test

- Select a suitable energy range using the mode switch.
 - Use the HIGH range for normal adult testing.
 - Use the LOW range for low energy testing, where the energy does not exceed 50 Joule and the peak voltage does not exceed 1200 volts.
- Securely place the defibrillator paddles on the DA-2003 contact plates, and discharge the defibrillator. The APEX (+) pad should be connected to the right-hand plate, and the STERNUM pad to the left plate. This ensures correct signal polarity for the oscilloscope output. A reversal of this configuration will not damage the DA-2003, nor will it give incorrect energy readings. However, the polarity of the oscilloscope output will simply be reversed. The discharge from the defibrillator is transferred to the DA-2003's load resistance.
- DA-2003 calculates the energy delivered over the load resistance and displays the result in joules under RESULT.

Note
If the maximum voltage for a selected range is exceeded, the LCD display will show 'WARNING! Overload'

----- STATUS -----		----- RESULT -----		
Wave	: off	Energy	: 0.0 JOULES	
Ampl.	: 50 OHMS	Peak U	: 0.0 VOLTS	
Load	: LOCAL	Peak I	: 0.0 AMPS	
Oper.	: LOCAL	Charge T	: MS	
ECG WAVE	PERF. WAVE	CHARGE TIME	PRINT HEADER	more-2
F1	F2	F3	F4	F5

APEX (+) pad → right plate
STERNUM pad → left plate

DA-2003 also shows the energy measured, the maximum voltage and the maximum current in the energy wave. Following the discharge from the defibrillator, DA-2003 shows a playback of the wave from the ECG output. A new pulse can be generated when the LCD display shows 'LOCAL'.

- Following a discharge from the defibrillator, the instrument shows a playback of the wave from the ECG output. The display will thus be in playback mode. When this is shown in one line, DA-2003 automatically prints out the result.
- The discharged pulse can be repeated. To do this press **more-2 (F5)** to advance to page 2 of the main menu.

WAVE AMPL.	PLAY PULSE	SYSTEM TEST	REMOTE CONTR.	more-1
F1	F2	F3	F4	F5

Press **PLAY PULSE (F2)**. The display will show 'Oper: Playback,' and displays the result in joules under RESULT.

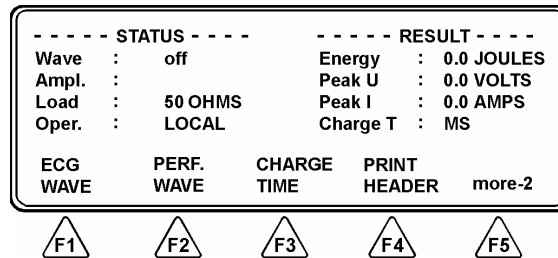
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Wave	: off	Energy	: 0.0 JOULES	
Ampl.	: 50 OHMS	Peak U	: 0.0 VOLTS	
Load	: LOCAL	Peak I	: 0.0 AMPS	
Oper.	: LOCAL	Charge T	: MS	
ECG WAVE	PERF. WAVE	CHARGE TIME	PRINT HEADER	more-2
F1	F2	F3	F4	F5

Following playback, the apparatus is ready to receive a new discharge from the defibrillator. The display will show 'LOCAL'.

- When testing automatic defibrillators, it is quite common to have to select 'vfib' from the ECG menu 'ECG WAVE' for the 'ventricular fibrillation' wave. Automatic defibrillators typically do not fire without seeing 'v-fib'.

6.4 Cardioversion Test

- Select **ECG WAVE (F1)** from the main menu.

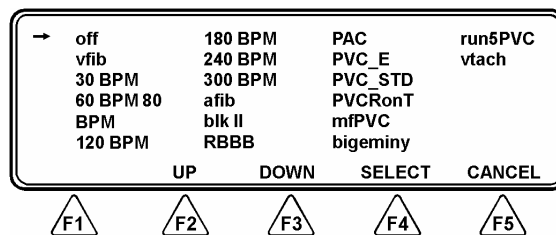


- The ECG Wave menu opens. DA-2003 includes the following ECG wave selection for cardioversion tests, or for the testing of electrocardiograph monitors.

Normal Sine Rates: 30, 60, 80, 120, 180, 240 and 300

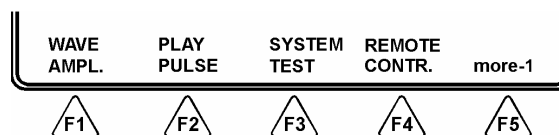
ECG Arrhythmia types as follows:

vfib	Ventricular Fibrillation
afib	Atrial Fibrillation
blk II	Second degree A-V block
RBBB	Right Bundle Branch Block
PAC	Premature Atrial Contraction
PVC_E	Early PVC
PVC_STD	PVC
PVCRonT	R on T PVC
mfPVC	Multifocal PVC
bigeminy	Bigeminy
run5PVC	Bigeminy Run of 5 PVCs
vtach	Ventricular Tachycardia

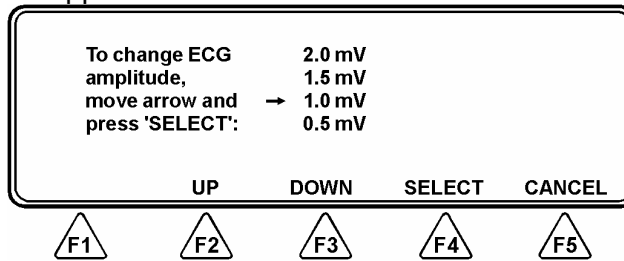


Select a desired wave by pressing **UP (F2)** or **DOWN (F3)**. Save this under "Wave" in the STATUS field by pressing **SELECT (F4)**. Press **CANCEL (F5)** to cancel selection.

- DA-2003 includes the following ECG wave amplitude options: 0.5 mV, 1.0 mV, 1.5 mV and 2.0 mV. To change wave amplitude select **more-2** on the main menu to advance to page 2. Select **WAVE AMPL. (F1)**.



The Wave Amplitude Menu appears:



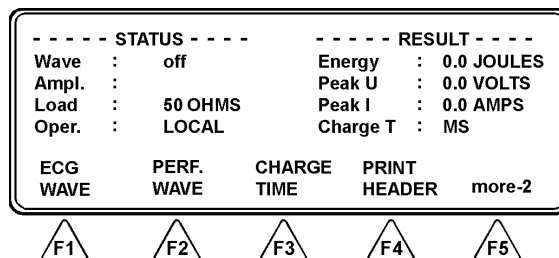
Select the desired amplitude by pressing **UP (F2)** or **DOWN (F3)**. Save this under 'Ampl' in the STATUS field by pressing **SELECT (F4)**. Press **CANCEL (F5)** to cancel selection.

- Set the defibrillator to synchronized cardioversion mode. Discharge the defibrillator over the instrument's load resistance.
- DA-2003 measures the time delay in milliseconds (ms) between the top of the 'R' wave and the discharging of the defibrillator pulse. This delay will be shown in the LCD display as: 'Delay: xxx ms'. DA-2003 also shows the energy measured, the maximum voltage and the maximum current in the energy wave. Following the discharge from the defibrillator, DA-2003 shows a playback of the wave from the ECG output. A new pulse can be generated when the LCD display shows 'LOCAL'.

6.5 Maximum Energy Charging Time Test

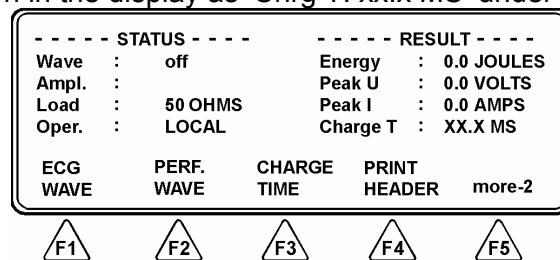
- The charge time function is used to test the battery and the charging capacitor in the defibrillator.
- Set the defibrillator to maximum energy.
- Securely place the defibrillator paddles on the DA-2003 contact plates, and discharge the defibrillator. The APEX (+) pad should be connected to the right-hand plate, and the STERNUM pad to the left plate. This ensures correct signal polarity for the oscilloscope output. A reversal of this configuration will not damage the DA-2003, nor will it give incorrect energy readings. However, the polarity of the oscilloscope output will simply be reversed. The discharge from the defibrillator is transferred to the DA-2003's load resistance.
- Select **CHARGE TIME (F3)** from the main menu and the charge button on the defibrillator simultaneously.

APEX (+) pad → right plate
STERNUM pad → left plate



When the defibrillator is charged, discharge it through the instrument.

- Charging time will be shown in the display as 'Chrg T: xx.x MS' under RESULT.



IX. WARRANTY

BC Biomedical warrants that the DA-2003 Defibrillator Analyzer will substantially conform to published specifications and to the documentation, provided that it is used for the purpose for which it was designed. BC Biomedical will, for a period of twelve (12) months from date of purchase, replace or repair any defective analyzer, if the fault is due to a manufacturing defect. In no event will BC Biomedical or its local representatives be liable for direct, indirect, special, incidental, or consequential damages arising out of the use of or inability to use the DA-2003 Defibrillator Analyzer, even if advised of the possibility of such damages. BC Biomedical or its local representatives are not responsible for any costs, loss of profits, loss of data, or claims by third parties due to use of, or inability to use the DA-2003 Defibrillator Analyzer. Neither BC Biomedical nor its local representatives will accept, nor be bound by any other form of guarantee concerning the DA-2003 Defibrillator Analyzer other than this guarantee. Some jurisdictions do not allow disclaimers of expressed or implied warranties in certain transactions; therefore, this statement may not apply to you.

X. TECHNICAL SUPPORT

BC Biomedical's DA-2003 Defibrillator Analyzer is backed by a superior support staff. If the *DA-2003* ever fails to work perfectly, please contact the Technical Support Staff.

Written Communications

You may write a letter with your comments and send it to:

BC Biomedical
BC Group International, Inc.
PO Box 25125
9415 Gentry Ave
St. Louis, MO USA 63125
OR
E-mail: sales@bcgroupintl.com

Phone Support

You can telephone the Technical Assistance Center at 314-638-3800 or 1-800-242-8428 between 8:00 AM and 4:30 PM Central Standard Time (CST) Monday through Friday, except holidays.

Whichever method of contact you choose, please provide the following information:

- Product name and serial number
- Revision level of your software
- The specific steps which reproduce your problem
- Any error codes displayed on screen
- A daytime phone number, fax number, and/or email address (if available)
- Your name / company