

# Quick Reference Guide for E8 and E12 Multi channel Pipettes

Refer to the Operator's Guide at www.vistalab.com/support/electronic-multichannel-8-and-12-channel/ for complete instructions.



#### **Using your Ovation pipette**



#### **Ergonomic Handling**



- Rotate adjustable hook to rest comfortably on your forefinger.
- 3. Keep hand posture relaxed.



#### Installing the "Click" Tip

- 1. Insert nozzle into tip.
- Lightly press down until a
  "click" is heard. This indicates
  the tip is securely sealed onto
  the nozzle.

### **Charging your Ovation pipette**

Recharge battery approximately 90 minutes prior to use. Go to www.vistalab.com to activate warranty.



WARNING! Only connect power supply to a compatible power source. Use of an incompatible power source can cause shock and fire hazard. Use only the power supply provided by VistaLab Technologies. Use of other power supplies can damage the pipette and invalidate warranty. Unplug power supply before cleaning exterior.

# **Ovation pipette display**

Displays volume and values during set-up, e.g. # of mix cycles, # of multiple dispenses.

Symbol indicates the next action to be performed: aspirate (up) and dispense (down).

Displayed when cal factor has been changed from factor setting of 1.000.

Icon indicates the remaining battery capacity.

MULTS

Displays liquid handling function, setting, or prompt that is active.

#### **Keypad Select**



- 1. Press center button to advance to the desired program.
- 2. Use the up or down arrows to change settings and prompts within a program, such as volume, speed, and count.
- 3. When you return to the desired program, depress plunger and begin.

The Ovation pipette requires minimal routine

maintenance. Always store it in its "standing"

as needed with a soft cloth dampened with

position when not in use. Clean outer surfaces

warm water. To decontaminate outer surfaces.

wipe with 70% ethanol or isopropanol solution

Remove ejector sleeve and wipe outside of

nozzle and inside of ejector sleeve with 70%

alcohol to remove any accumulated deposits.

WATER.

ONLY WIPE THE LCD SCREEN DISPLAY WITH

or use a 10% bleach solution followed by water.

#### **Function Description Display**

- P1, P2, P3 Custom volume pre-sets - Routine aspirating and dispensing of pre-set volumes (3 available).
  - MILTI Multi-dispense - Repetitive dispensing of equal. set volumes for a set number of counts. Pipette aspirates enough liquids for the set number of dispenses.
  - SHILLI Serial Dilute - A sequence of dilutions. Sample is aspirated and then dispensed into a diluent and mixed. Diluted solution is automatically aspirated for addition into next diluent.
  - MIX Mix - Repetitive cycles of aspirating and dispensing.
  - REVER Reverse Pipetting - Set volume is aspirated with slight overage and the exact volume is dispensed, leaving some liquid in the tip to be purged.

For more details and expanded setup examples see Operator's Guide at www.vistalab.com/support/electronic-multichannel-8-and-12-channel

#### **Programs**

#### Display FILL.

#### **Settings and Prompts Setting Description**

SPEEN Speed at which the pipette aspirates, dispenses, and mixes. 5 settings are available (1 is slowest, 5 is fastest).

Volume to be dispensed.

- 015 Shows the number of dispenses remaining when using MULTI.
- DISP Volume of individual dispenses when using MULTI.
- MIX Volume of dilution to be mixed when using SDILU.
- VIII. Volume of sample to be mixed when using MIX.
- CULINT Number of dispenses to be made when using MULTI, or the number of mix cycles (1-9) when using SDILU or MIX
- Ends any function and expels liquid remaining in the tip. PHRSE Press O during a function and PURGE appears, Press trigger to expel liquid or again to cancel PURGE.
- 7FR0 Indicates the pipette pistons are at the overblow or lowest position at the end of MIX. Pressing the pipette trigger will return pistons to starting position.

## **Taking Care of Your Ovation Pipette**

- 2 Year Limited Warranty.
- VistaLab Technologies offers comprehensive calibration and repair programs recommended every 6-12 months.

- Only guaranteed to work with VistaLab Tips.

- See www.vistalab.com/services for more information or to place an order.
- For more information on troubleshooting and maintenance visit www.vistalab.com/support.

For additional assistance with warranty repairs or other technical assistance, contact techservice@vistalab.com.

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