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Thank you for purchasing the American Weigh JB-500 digital tabletop scale. Please read all operating instructions carefully before use. This electronic scale is a precision instrument. With normal care and proper treatment, it will provide years of reliable service. Never load the scale with more than the maximum capacity. Overloading will permanently damage it! Avoid any exposure to extreme heat or cold. Your scale works better when operated at normal room temperature. Always allow the scale to acclimate to normal room temperature for at least one hour before use. Give your scale sufficient warm up time. Usually 30-60 seconds before calibration to give the internal components a chance to stabilize.

Keep your scale in a clean environment. Dust, dirt, moisture, vibration, air currents and a close distance to other electronic equipment can all cause an adverse

effect on the reliability and accuracy of your scale. Handle with care. Gently apply all items to be weighed onto tray top. Although this scale is designed to be quite durable, try to avoid rough treatment as this may permanently damage the internal sensor.

Avoid shaking, dropping or otherwise shocking the scale. This is a precision instrument and must be handled with extreme care.

Only operate the scale on a stable, vibration free surface.

I. OPERATION

Place Scale on a horizontal flat surface.

- 1. Press [] key.
- 2. Wait until "0.0" is displayed.
- 3. Put the object(s) on the weighing platform.
- 4. Using the [MODE] key, you can switch between the weighing units.

II. TARE WEIGHING

- 1. Turn on scale as described above.
- Place the "tare item" on the platform.
- 3. Press [💮] and wait until "0.0" is displayed.
- 4. Add the "net-weight-item".

III. CALIBRATION

Calibration is NOT required before first use. Only calibrate if scale is not weighing properly.

Make sure you use a 500g calibration weight for your scale or the calibration will not be accurate

Calibration Procedures

- 1. Press [()] key to turn the scale on.
- 3. The display will flash "0.0". Press the [] key again.
- 4. The display will flash "500.0". Place your 500g calibration weight on the scale.
- 5. Press [[] again. The display should read "PASS".

You can now turn off your scale.

Please check the availability of weights with your scale supplier.

IV. TROUBLESHOOTING The primary reasons for inaccuracy or malfunction are low batteries, incorrect calibration, overload or operating on an unstable surface. Please keep this in

operating on an unstable surface. Please keep this ir mind and maintain and operate your scale properly. This scale is a precise instrument and must be

[Display] Elimination of errors

Nothing, Battery-Symbol, [lo] or [88888] Change the batteries.

handled with the utmost care and caution.

[o-Id] The scale has been overloaded. You can try recalibrating the scale as shown above. You are overloading the scale. Remove the excessive load immediately!

[out2] Scale is out of calibration. Try

recalibrating. (see Section III)

Specifications

1.63 lb	Gross Weight
2 x AAA Alkaline Batteries	Power
5.2 x 5.2 x 2.1 "	Scale Dimensions (inches)
4.2 x 3.3" Black Glass	Platform Dimensions (inches)
500g	Calibration Weight (not Included)
5 - Digit Backlit LCD	Display
0.1g / 0.01oz / 0.01ozt / 0.1dwt	Resolution
500g / 17.64oz / 16.08 ozt / 321.5dwt	Capacity
JB-500	Model