

Sofia™ ANALYZER



QuickStart Guide

by **QUIDEL**



Study the User Manual thoroughly before using the QuickStart Guide

CUSTOMER SERVICE

If the Analyzer does not perform as expected, contact Quidel Technical Support (800) 874-1517 (in the U.S.), (858) 552-1100 (outside the U.S.) or your local distributor. Technicalsupport@quidel.com

UNPACK ANALYZER

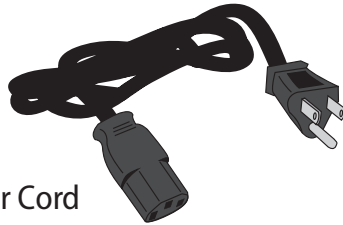
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- ▶ Unpack the shipping container and inspect the unit for damage.



4AA Batteries



Paper Roll



AC Power Cord



DC Power Cord

UNPACK INSTALLATION PACK

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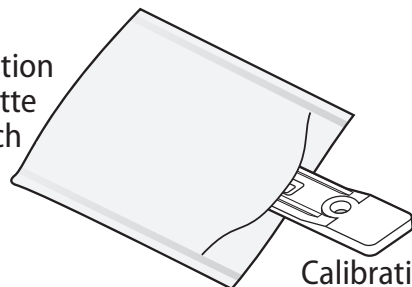
Barcode Scanner Stand



CD



Calibration
Cassette
Pouch



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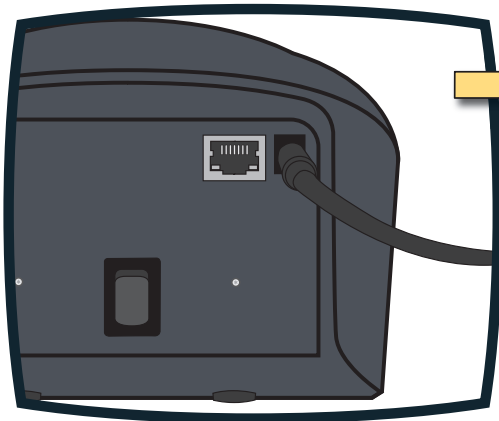
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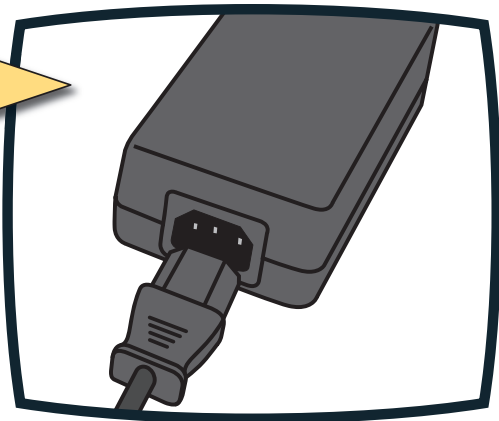
CONNECT TO POWER AND TURN ON

Place the Sofia Analyzer on the counter top within reach of an electrical outlet. The unit is portable and can be moved to a suitable location for testing.

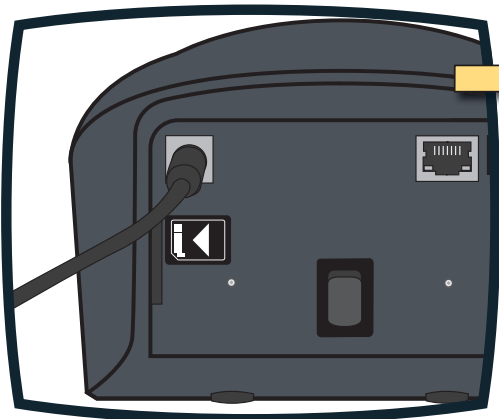
- 1** Plug the DC power cord into the power port in the back of the Analyzer.



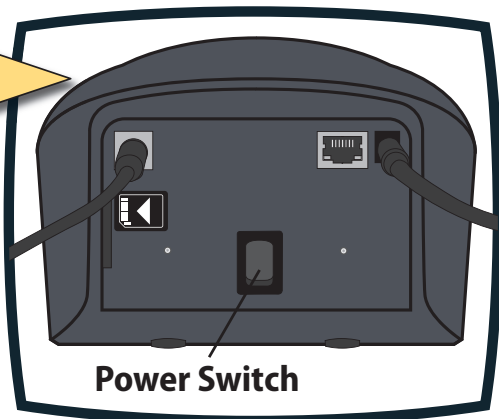
- 2** Plug the appropriate, country specific AC power cord into the DC Power Cord and appropriate electrical outlet.



- 3** Plug the Barcode scanner into the PS2 port in the back of the Analyzer. **Note:** The Barcode scanner may have 2 plugs; one will remain unplugged.

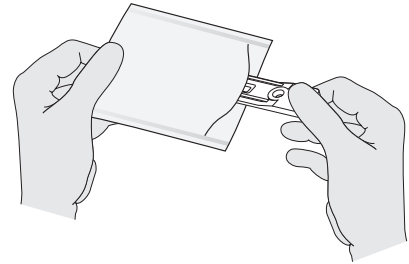
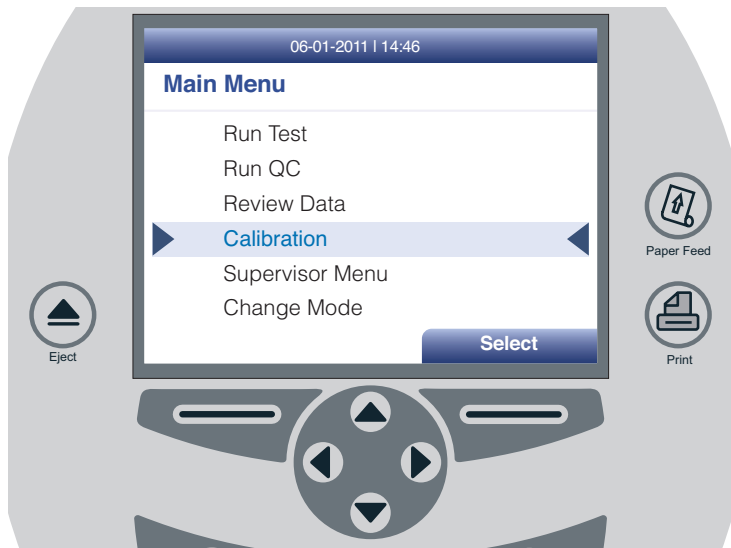


- 4** Turn the Analyzer on using the power switch located on the rear panel. Hold the toggle switch down until the screen illuminates (1–2 seconds).

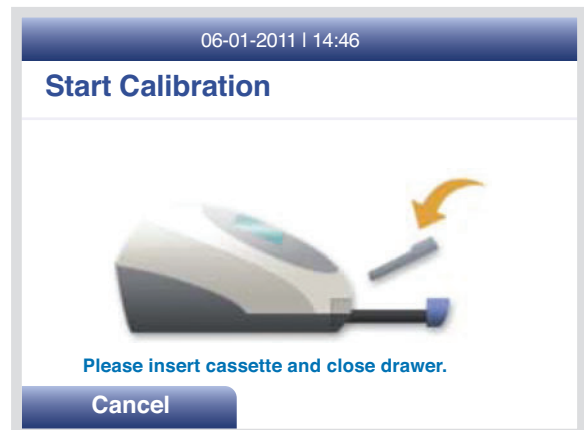
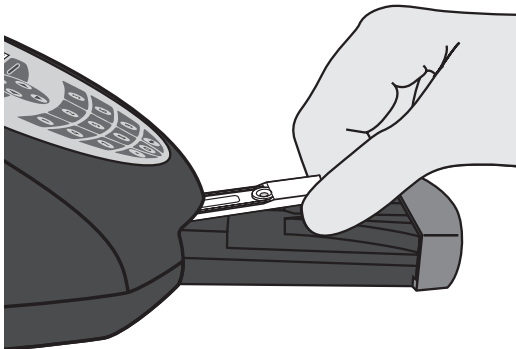


CALIBRATION CHECK

- ▶ Use the up/down keys to highlight CALIBRATION from the menu.
- ▶ Press the soft key under the lower right corner of the display screen under SELECT.
- ▶ Remove **Calibration Cassette** from the pouch.



Insert the **Calibration Cassette** into the Analyzer and close the drawer. The Analyzer will perform the calibration automatically.



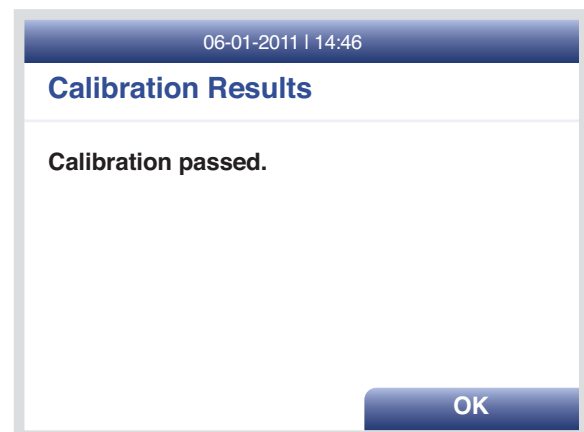
The Analyzer display will indicate when the calibration is completed.

NOTE: If calibration cannot be completed successfully, notify the on-site Supervisor or contact Quidel Service for assistance.

After successful calibration, select **OK** to return to the Main Menu.

Press eject to remove and return the Calibration Cassette to the storage pouch.

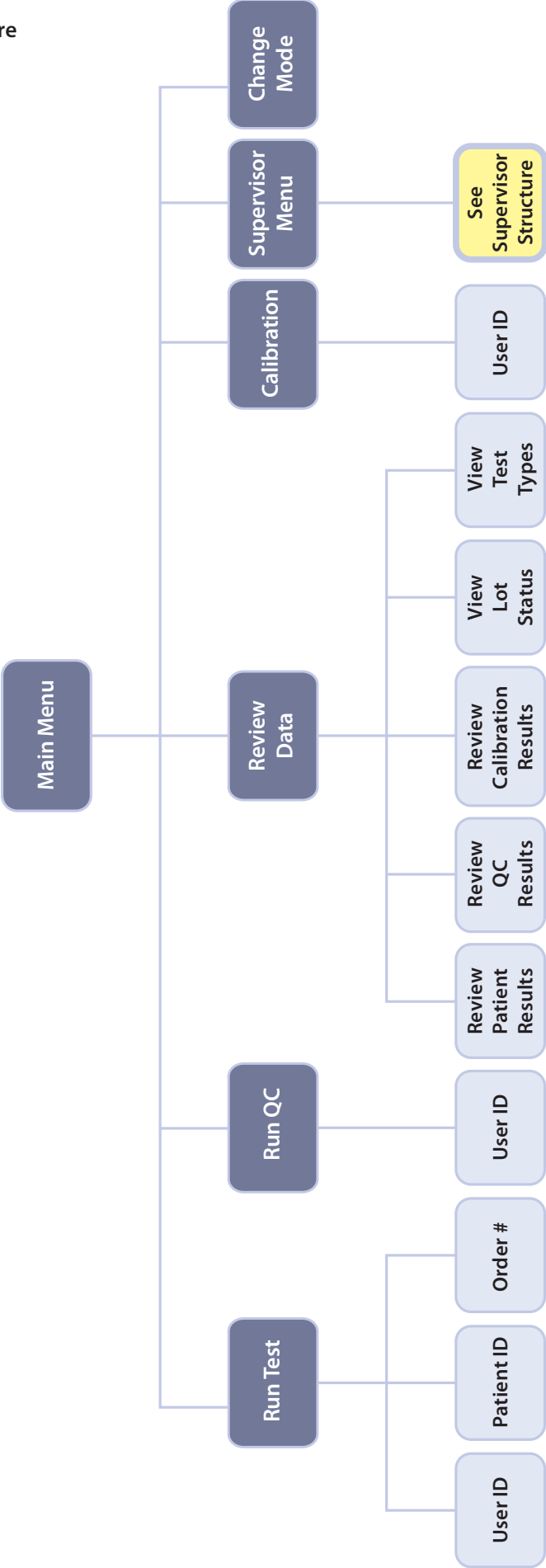
Important: Store the Calibration Cassette in the provided storage pouch between uses.



Run QC according to assay specific package insert.

MENU STRUCTURES

User Menu Structure



Supervisor Menu Structure

