

## RECOMMENDIONS FOR WASHER MAINTENANCE

1. Prior to washer operating, check a hermiticity of closed containers “WASH” and “WASTE”, check the function “RINSE” with washing solution two-three times.
2. Always pay attention to the level of liquid in WASTE-container. Overfilling of WASTE-container can lead to a reflux of liquid back to the vacuum pump and work failure of the latter.
3. In case of poor filling of some wells on the plate it is necessary to carry out cleaning of filling needles of the washer manifold by means of mandrins.
4. In case of insufficient aspiration of liquid in some wells it is necessary to carry out cleaning of filling needles of the washer manifold.
5. On completion of all washings prior to switching of the washer off, it is necessary to wash abundantly with warm distilled water (3-4 times) (water should be warmed up only in clean glass ware).
6. If You use different test kits with different washing solutions, then before changing of the one washing solution to the another it is also necessary to conduct washing of all system of the washer with distilled water (three-four times).
7. If your washer is inactive for prolonged period (more than three days), then after washing with distilled water there is a need to conduct “dry washing” (air blowing) of the device. For that purpose the “RINSE” container is to be released from contents and conduct blowing (“washing”) three times with an empty “RINSE” container.
8. Periodically (once a month) disinfection of the device is to be carried out with 30% ethyl alcohol.
9. After work completion, liquids are to removed from “WASTE” and “WASH” containers.