





Twist and lock mechanism allows easy attachment of speculum. Twist clockwise to attach and anti-clockwise to remove 3 x magnification viewing lens rotates left or right or can be removed completely to allow use of instruments through speculum





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Do not open the instrument, power supply or battery handle in the vicinity of the patient.





Veterinary Slit Otoscope





OPTICLAR VisionVet Slit Otoscope



Congratulations on the purchase of your new OPTICLAR VisionVet Slit Otoscope.

Opticlar instruments are designed and manufactured to the highest standards and utilise the latest advances in miniaturised optics to provide you, the veterinary professional with the best possible performance from your diagnostic instruments.

Here are some of the fantastic features of your new OPTICLAR Slit Otoscope:

- True-Tone LED illumination source superior, brighter, homogenous illumination with excellent colour-rendering.
- Economical incredible LED bulb life of more than 10,000 hours.
- Multi-Voltage Illumination suitable for use with battery, rechargeable and wall units with no need to change the bulb.
- Interchangeability optional compatibility with Heine and Welch Allyn veterinary
- Fibre Optic light transmission carefully positioned FO stem eliminates any visual blind-spot.
- Sealed Fibre Optics sealed distal end protects the delicate fibres from accidental damage for a longer working life.
- Open Head Design for maximum accessibility when operating through the otoscope
- Choice of Otoscope Tips available with open or closed metal tips in a range of sizes.
- Swing-Away Lens provides 3x magnification of the image and swing-away design allows introduction of instruments through the otoscope.
- Robust metal construction to further reduce risk of accidental damage.

Before you begin 🛗

Carefully unpack your new OPTICLAR instrument and take a few minutes to familiarise yourself with the features and components of the set.

WARNING: Do not use in the presence of flammable gases. Do not immerse in fluids. Use only with an approved Opticlar power source or compatible Heine or Welch Allyn source - call 01202 601177 for further details

Selecting a Power Supply



The Opticlar VisionVet slit otoscope is designed for use with the Opticlar Adapt. handle or E handle power supply systems and Opticlar wall units. Please refer to the instructions included with your power supply system before using your otoscope.

The full range of Opticlar power supply systems can be purchased separately through your local veterinary supplier. Please call 01202 601177 for details of your nearest Opticlar stockist.

Cross-Manufacturer Interchangeability



The Opticlar VisionVet otoscope and other VisionVet equipment is available fully compatible with the systems of other manufacturers. Interchanging Opticlar with your existing Heine. Welch Allyn or other system can save you money and further enhance the performance of your diagnostic equipment. Please call 01202 601177 with the details of your existing equipment and we can advise you on the Opticlar product(s) vou will need.

Operating your Opticlar Veterinary Slit Otoscope

The otoscope is designed for examination of the outer, inner and middle ear and enables the veterinary professional to recognise diseases and conditions within the ear and monitor treatments effectively. A selection of tips are available for use in small through to large animal breed examinations.

Before you begin, please select either a metal (reusable) speculum or a plastic (singleuse) speculum and fit to the otoscope body by locating the guide pin's and twisting in a clockwise direction.

Veterinary speculum, in a full range of sizes can be purchased through your preferred veterinary supplier, or by calling 01202 601177. Please use the following codes when placing your order:

VisionVet metal (re-usable) veterinary speculum:

700.000.001	Closed speculum, 57mm long x 4mm distal diameter
700.000.002	Closed speculum, 65mm long x 6mm distal diameter
700.000.003	Closed speculum, 90mm long x 7mm distal diameter
700.000.004	Closed speculum, 150mm long x 10mm distal diameter
700.000.010	Open gutter speculum, 65mm long x 6mm distal diameter
700.000.011	Open gutter speculum, 90mm long x 7mm distal diameter
700.000.020	Spreadable speculum with 4 position click stops

VisionVet plastic (single-use) veterinary speculum, sold in packs 10:

700.000.021	Closed speculum, 57mm long x 4mm distal diameter
700.000.022	Closed speculum, 65mm long x 6mm distal diameter
700.000.023	Closed speculum, 90mm long x 7mm distal diameter
700.000.024	Open gutter speculum, 65mm long x 6mm distal diameter
700.000.025	Open gutter speculum, 90mm long x 7mm distal diameter

Turning On and Off

Turn on the otoscope by twisting the rheostat control on the top of your chosen power supply handle. The LED will come on and the light will be visible from the distal end of the fibre optic light stem, directing the illumination through the chosen speculum. Perform the examination and switch off immediately after use to conserve battery power.

Swivel Lens and Working with External Instruments





When performing procedures, it is possible to use a fine instrument through the otoscope head. The 3x magnification viewing lens can be swivelled left or right or removed completely to allow access through the otoscope head and chosen speculum. Only fine instruments should be used and great care should be taken to not obscure the view excessively and to not damage the fibre optic light stem.

Care and Maintenance



The Opticlar veterinary otoscope requires no routine maintenance. All external surfaces, excluding the lens, can be cleaned using a damp cloth or suitable surface disinfectant, for example:

- Alcohol / Isopropyl based wipes
- Sanicloth disinfectant wipes
- Actichlor, at a ratio of 1000ppm (0.1%) or 10,000ppm (1%) following blood contamination etc.

The instrument must not be immersed in disinfectant solutions. Viewing windows and lenses must be cleaned with a damp cloth and mild detergent only and dried immediately using a lint-free cloth or Q-tip in a circular motion.

Cleaning metal speculum / tips:

The VisionVet metal speculum should be decontaminated after use using a suitable sterilant / disinfectant solution. They can also be sterilised by autoclaving at 134°C.

Disposing of plastic (single-use) speculum / tips:

VisionVet single-use speculum should be removed after the examination or procedure is completed and disposed of in clinical waste.



When not in use for extended periods, the batteries should be removed and the otoscope stored in a dry, safe location. Avoid excessive hot or cold temperatures and dusty environments.

Replacing the LED Bulb

Opticlar LED bulbs are guaranteed against failure for a period of 10 years from date of purchase. The bulb is located in the base of the instrument head, which is accessed by removing the handle. To remove the bulb, simply grip the exposed end and pull gently. Replace the bulb taking care to protect the glass from damage and fingerprints.

Warranty 0



Your Opticlar veterinary otoscope is guaranteed for a period of 2 years from date of purchase. Register your new purchase by emailing OPTICLAR@albertwaeschle.com and we will automatically upgrade your 2 year warranty to 5 years, free of charge. In addition all Opticlar LED bulbs are guaranteed for 10 years.

Should you experience any problem with your Opticlar instrument please return it to your original supplier who will arrange for repair by an authorised service agent

Applicable Standards

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Electrical Compliance

Protection Class II - Internal Flectrical Power Source





















L28 Lens range

- 25 20 15 1-10 0 1-10 12 15 20 40 +



AL68 Lens range -30 to +38 full range in single diopter steps

- 30 28 +

The LED is situated in the base of the head. Remove the handle to access the LED for replacement



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Opticlar Vision Med L28 and AL68 Ophthalmoscope

Instructions for Use

Congratulations on the purchase of your new OPTICLAR Ophthalmoscope.

OPTICLAR instruments are designed and manufactured to the highest standards and utilise the latest advances in miniaturised optics to provide you, the medical professional with the best possible performance from your diagnostic instruments.

Here are some of the features included in your new OPTICLAR Ophthalmoscope:

- LED illumination source superior, brighter, homogenous illumination provides a clear retinal image with excellent colour-rendering.
- Economical incredible LED life of more than 10,000 hours.
- Co-Axial Optics produces a superb image with edge-edge clarity and a large retinal view even through undilated pupils.
- Multiple Filters including cobalt blue, green and polarisation.
- Choice of Lens Range 28 lenses on L28 and 68 lenses on AL68 ophthalmoscope, for specialist use.
- **Dust Resistant** the instrument is sealed on all openings to prevent ingress of dust and particles in to the instrument.
- Robust metal and impact resistant plastics are used to further reduce risk of accidental damage.

Before you begin



Carefully unpack your new OPTICLAR instrument and take a few minutes to familiarise vourself with the features and components of the set.

Selecting a Power Supply



The OPTICLAR L28 and AL68 Ophthalmoscopes are designed for use with OPTICLAR'S Adapt handle or E handle power supply systems and OPTICLAR wall units. Please refer to the instructions included with your power supply system before using your Ophthalmoscope.

The full range of OPTICLAR power supply systems can be purchased separately through your local medical supplier. Please call 01202 601177 for details of your nearest OPTICLAR stockist.

Operating your Opticlar Ophthalmoscope



The ophthalmoscope is designed for direct examination of the eye. It enables the medical professional to recognise diseases and conditions apparent through changes to the eye and monitor treatments effectively. A practiced user can obtain a clear, focused image of the rear section of the retina, including the optic disk and macula regions and using the functions of the ophthalmoscope, adjust colour, light and focus to gain the most suitable image possible. The ophthalmoscope can also be used for examination of the anterior

segment of the eye, usually for the detection of corneal damage and abrasion.

Before you begin, make sure the patient is seated and comfortable. Prepare the ophthalmoscope by checking you have power, select a normal aperture (medium spot) and neutral (0) lens. We recommend you start with a reduced brightness, especially with young and elderly patients who are particularly light sensitive. The examination should be performed with the practitioners left eye to the patients left eye and right eye to right eye. Ask the patient to look at a fixed point over your shoulder. Look through the ophthalmoscope and bring the light in front of the patients eve from a distance of about 30cm, until you see the red-reflex in the patients pupil. Move closer to the patient, until you are looking through the pupil from a distance of a 1-2cm from the patients eye, almost cheek to cheek. You should now have a view of the posterior section of the patients retina, including the macula and disc. You can adjust the brightness and focus to improve the image and add aperture filters as required. Complete the examination and repeat in the opposite eye as necessary.

A few points to remember:

- 1. The larger the pupil the better the image, so dim the lights in the room before you begin to relax the patient and increase their pupil size.
- 2. Start with a lower light output and increase slowly to limit pupillary reaction to the light.
- 3. Use the lens wheel to sharpen the image focus.
- 4. If you are dilating the pupil with drops, then make sure the patient does not drive for 2 hours following the examination.

Features of the Ophthalmoscope



The OPTICLAR L28 and AL68 ophthalmoscopes are packed with features to assist you in performing your examination:

Lens selection:

L28 -30d, -20d, -15d, -12d, -10d to -1d, 0, +1d to +10d, +12d, +15d, +20d, +30d

AL68 -30d to -1d (single diopter steps), 0, +1d to +38d (single diopter steps)

Aperture Selection:

Small Spot – macula fixation / pin spot

Medium Spot – general examination, light sensitive patients

Large Spot – general examination through a large or dilated pupil

Slit – for determining surface changes on the retina and cupping of the optic disk

Fixation Graticule – for central fixation of the macula and referencing of retinal changes Cobalt Blue Filter – for corneal examination using a fluorescent to detect abrasions and

other injuries.

Filter Selection:

Clear White – for normal examination with 100% illumination

Polarising Filter – softens the light to reduce glare and is particularly suitable for light-sensitive patients.

Green Filter – removes red-spectrum light for better contrast of the image. The foveal reflex is seen better with a red-free light.

Care and Maintenance



OPTICLAR VISIONMED Ophthalmoscopes require no routine maintenance. All external surfaces, excluding windows and lenses, can be cleaned using a damp cloth or suitable surface disinfectant, for example:

- · Alcohol / Isopropyl based wipes
- Sanicloth disinfectant wipes
- Actichlor, at a ratio of 1000ppm (0.1%) or 10.000ppm (1%) following blood contamination etc

The instrument must not be immersed in disinfectant solutions. Viewing windows and lenses must be cleaned with a damp cloth and mild detergent only and dried immediately using a lint-free cloth or Q-tip in a circular motion.



When not in use for extended periods, the power source should be removed and the ophthalmoscope stored in a dry, safe location. Avoid excessive hot or cold temperatures and dusty environments.

Warranty 1



Your OPTICLAR Ophthalmoscope is guaranteed for a period of 2 years from date of purchase. Register your new purchase by emailing OPTILCAR@albertwaeschle.com and we will automatically upgrade your 2 year warranty to 5 years, free of charge. In addition all OPTICLAR LEDs are guaranteed for 10 years.

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Statutory Regulations

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