SOP: Fisher Accu 124D Balance Operation

Approvals:
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1. Purpose:

2. Scope:
   2.1. Applies to the weight measurement of laboratory materials.

3. Responsibilities:
   3.1. It is the responsibility of the course instructor/lab assistant to ensure that this SOP is performed as directed and to update the procedure when necessary.
   3.2. It is the responsibility of the students/technicians to follow the SOP as described and to inform the instructor about any deviations or problems that may occur while performing the procedure.

4. References:

5. Definitions: N/A

6. Precautions: N/A

7. Materials:
   7.1. Appropriate weighing container(s) such as a weigh boat, weigh paper, beaker, flask, bottle, etc.
   7.2. Fisher Accu 124D Balance

8. Procedure:
   8.1. Simple Weighing
       8.1.1. Press the “ON/OFF” button if balance is not on.
       8.1.2. Place weighing container on the balance weighing pan. Press the “TARE” button to zero the weight display. The display will read 0.0000g (or selected units to the designated resolution). When the reading is stable the weigh units will appear under the weight reading on the display.
       8.1.3. Remove the weighing container. Load weighing container with material to be weighed. Place loaded weighing container on the weighing pan. When the reading is stable the weigh units will appear under the weight reading on the display. Record the weight indicated on the display.
       8.1.4. Remove the loaded weighing container.
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9. Attachments:

Figure 1: Fisher Accu 124D

10. History:

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