

VP-15: BUFFER SENSOR CHECK (pg 1 of 2)

Time: 5 minutes

Purpose: To verify that buffer and AVR sensors operate properly

1. Enter Dispense Hand Controls:
 - MONITOR
 - HND_CNTL
 - DISPENSE
2. Check INACT_DIL sensor:
 - a. Remove INACT_DIL bottle.
YYY changes to NYY
 - b. Replace INACT_DIL bottle.
NYY changes to YYY

Move active syringe				Indicates Diluent Syringe is active				Diluent Syringe status				Valve A status				Sample Syringe status				INACT_DIL bottle present				SYS_DIL bottle present				AVR locked				# of steps moved			
Sensor		Steps		Sensor		Steps		Sensor		Steps		Sensor		Steps		Sensor		Steps		Sensor		Steps		Sensor		Steps		Sensor		Steps					
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NEXT				HOME				UP				DOWN				DONE																			

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3. Check SYS_DIL sensor:
 - a. Remove SYS_DIL bottle.
YYY changes to YNY
 - b. Replace SYS_DIL bottle.
YNY changes to YYY
4. Check AVR sensor:
 - a. With AVR in LOCKED position,
status should be YYY.
 - b. With AVR in UNLOCKED position,
status should be YYN.

If display does not indicate correct AVR arm position, refer to [IP-87](#) for corrective actions.