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INSTRUCTION MANUAL

CDEB

Soldering-Assistant Station

This manual corresponds to the following references:

CDE-9BQA (100V)
CDE-1BQA (120V)
CDE-2BQA (230V)

Packing List

The following items are included:

Control Unit .... 1 unit

General Purpose Handle .... 1 unit
Ref. T245-A

Power Cord .... 1 unit
Ref. 0024092 (100V)
        0023715 (120V)
        0023714 (230V)

Brass Wool .... 1 unit
Ref. CL6210

Sponge ....**.........** 1 unit
Ref. S0354

Manual .... 1 unit
Ref. 0026942
Other languages availabe on www.jbctools.com

Features and Connections

Adjustable Tool Holder

Adjustable Cable Collector

Cartridge Holder

Cartridge Exchanger

Display

Tip Cleaner with Antisplash Membrane (Brass Wool inside)

USB-A Connector

Wiper

T245
General Purpose Handle

C245*
Cartridge Range

* not included, sold separately

Pedal Connector

Tool Connector

Equipotential Connector

Main Switch

USB-B Connector

Fuse

Earthing Fuse

Power Socket

Fume Extractor Connector

Peripherals Connector

CDEB Work Display

CDEB offers an intuitive user interface which provides quick access to station parameters.
Original PIN: 0105

System Notifications

Current Tip Temperature

Selected Temperature

Power Indicator

Selected Cartridge Type

Menu

Help Information
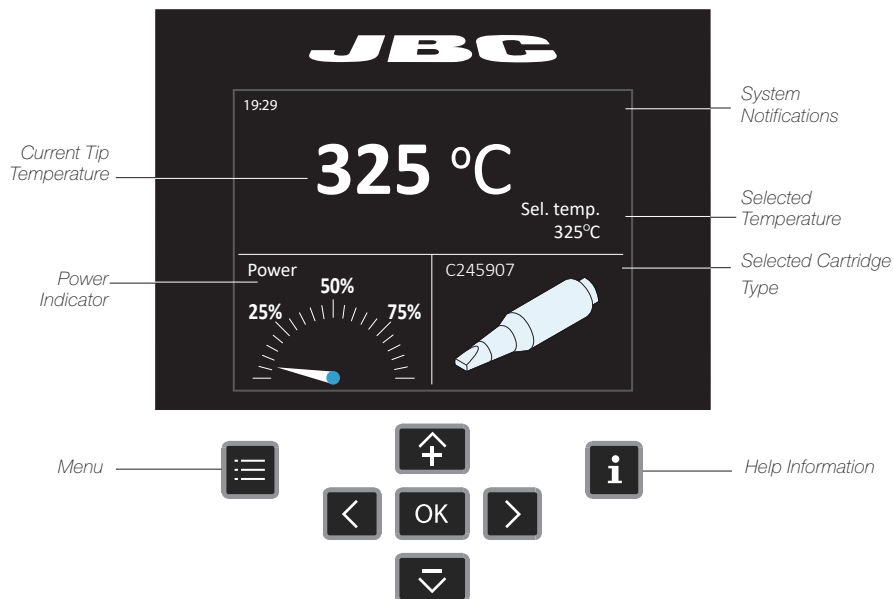
System Notifications (Status Bar)

- USB flash drive is connected.

- Station is controlled by a PC.

- Warning. Press INFO for failure description.

- Station software update. Press INFO to start the process.

- Error. Press INFO for failure description, the type of error and how to proceed.
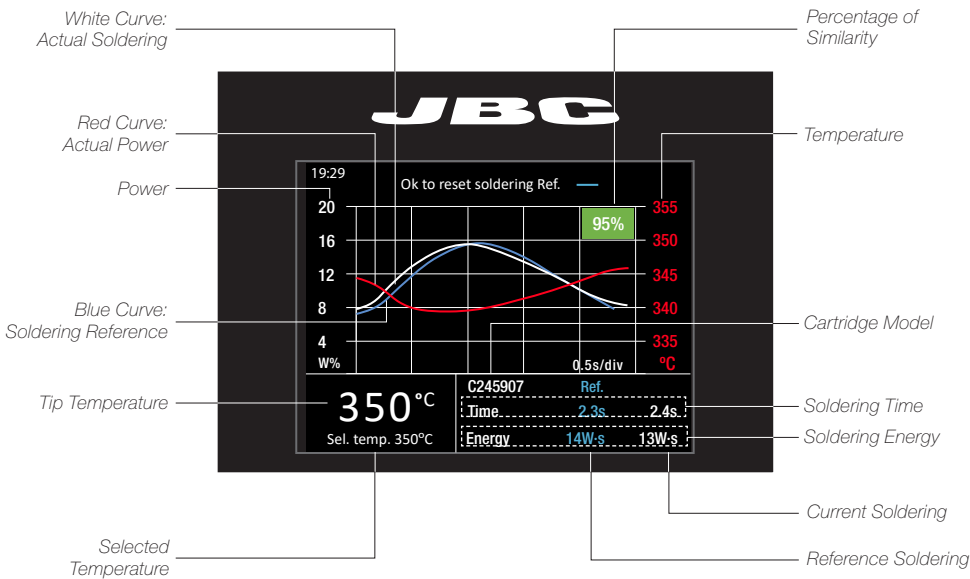
Troubleshooting

Station troubleshooting available on the product page at www.jbctools.com

Soldering Assistant

The Soldering Assistant allows to analyze and compare manual soldering processes in real time, obtaining a qualification of the process.
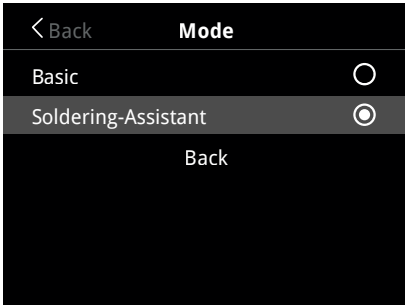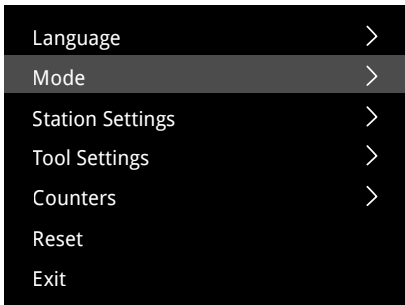
The station compares all new solderings with the reference soldering profile. According to the soldering performed the station gives the user feedback, displaying a color - red or green - along with the percentage of similarity.
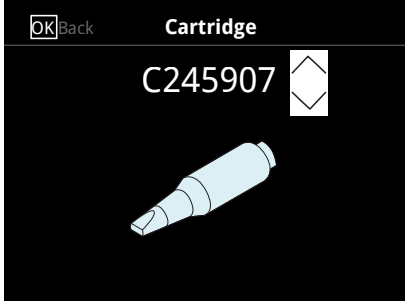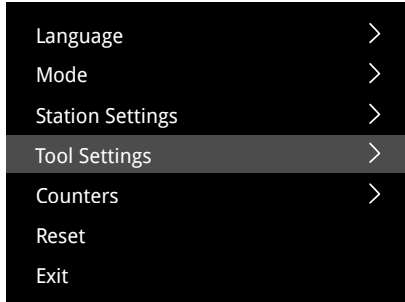
Soldering Assistant Main Display

White Curve: Actual Soldering

Red Curve: Actual Power

Power

Blue Curve: Soldering Reference

Tip Temperature

Selected Temperature

Percentage of Similarity

Temperature

Cartridge Model

Soldering Time

Soldering Energy

Current Soldering

Reference Soldering

19:29

Ok to reset soldering Ref.

95%

20
16
12
8
4
W%

355
350
345
340
335
°C

0.5s/div

350°C

Sel. temp. 350°C

C245907	Ref.	
Time	2.3s.	2.4s.
Energy	14W·s	13W·s

1. Soldering Assistant Activation

Access to station menu by pressing 🔲 .

Language	>
Mode	>
Station Settings	>
Tool Settings	>
Counters	>
Reset	
Exit	

‹ Back	**Mode**	
Basic		○
Soldering-Assistant		◉
	Back	

2. Cartridge Selection

Access to station menu by pressing 🔲 .

Language	>
Mode	>
Station Settings	>
Tool Settings	>
Counters	>
Reset	
Exit	

OK Back	**Cartridge**
	C245907 ◇

3. Work Temperature Selection

Change temperature (from 90 to 450ºC). Use ⬆ and ⬇ buttons.

19:29	Ok to reset soldering Ref. ──	
20		355
16		350
12	**Selected**	345
8	**Min 200** **Min 400**	340
4	**350 ºC**	335
W%		**ºC**

180 ºC	C245907	Ref.	
	Time	2.3s	---
Sleep	Energy	14W·s	---
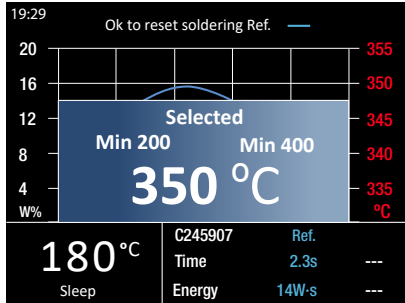
4. Acceptance Limits Setting

The JBCs default percentage is: | 0-60% | 61-100% |
red *green*
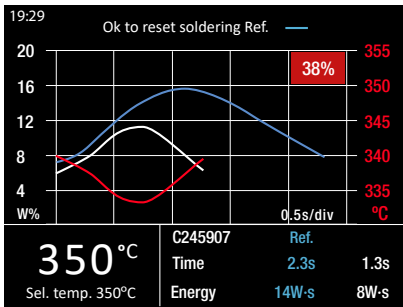
Red percentage:
Less energy was applied (white curve) than the reference (blue curve), therefore less time. The result could be a solder joint with few tin, not evenly distributed or a cold solder joint.
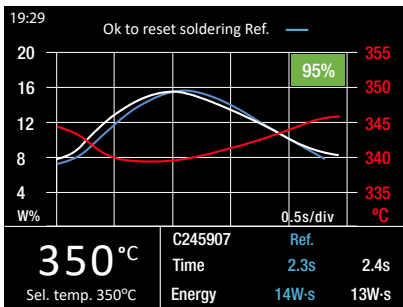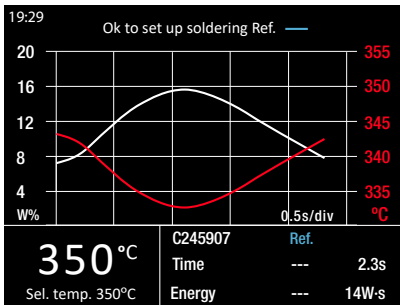
Green percentage:
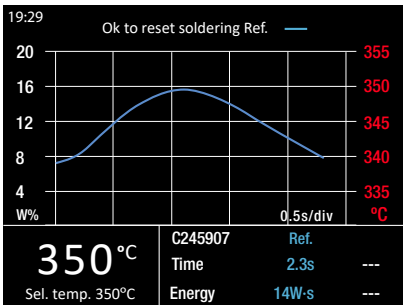There is a huge similarity between two solder joints (white and blue curves) and the amount of provided energy.

Note: To modify acceptance limits access to station menu: General Settings/Red Limits.

5. Soldering Reference Setup

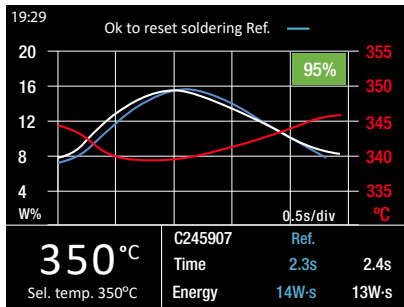When the calibration is finished, perform a soldering joint and press OK to set up the reference.

White: last soldering

Blue: reference soldering

6. Working With Soldering Assistant

Perform solderings and the station will compare them with the soldering reference.

19:29	Ok to reset soldering Ref. ——		

350 °C	C245907	Ref.
Sel. temp. 350ºC	Time	2.3s	2.4s
	Energy	14W·s	13W·s

7. Soldering Joint Information Display

By pressing the **i** access to the detailed parameters for each solder joint.

With **<** and **>** you can select the curve comparision of the last five solder joints.

SOLDERING JOINT INFO			1/3
	Last	Ref.	Diff.
Sel. temp.	350ºC	350ºC	
Cartridge	C245907	C245907	
Time	2.4s	2.3s	-2%
Max temp	350ºC	350ºC	+0%
Min temp	335ºC	340ºC	-1%
Energy	13W·s	14W·s	+29%
Result	95%		

Operation

JBC's Most Efficient Soldering System

This revolutionary technology is able to recover tip temperature extremely quickly. This allows the user to work at a lower temperature. As a result, tip life is five times longer than with other brands.
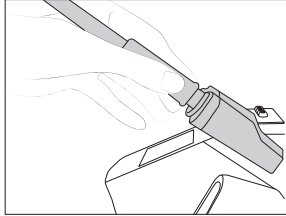
1. Work	2. Sleep	3. Hibernation

Long time in the stand
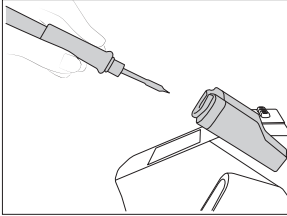
When the tool is lifted from the stand the tip will heat up to the selected temperature.

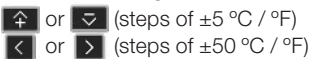When the tool is in the stand, the temperature falls to the preset sleep temperature.
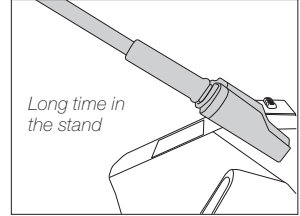
After longer periods of inactivity, the power is cut off and the tool cools down to room temperature.

19:29

325 ºC
Sel. temp.
325ºC

Power 50%
25% 75%
C245907

19:29

Sleep
Tool in the stand
Actual Temp: 290ºC
Delay to hibernation: 9:43

Power 50%
25% 75%
C245907

19:29

Hibernation
Tool in the stand
Actual Temp: 140ºC

Power 50%
25% 75%
C245907
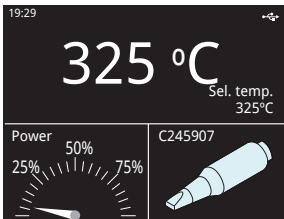
Tool Settings:
· Operating Temp.

Select temperature between 90 and 450 ºC using:

or (steps of ±5 ºC / ºF)
or (steps of ±50 ºC / ºF)
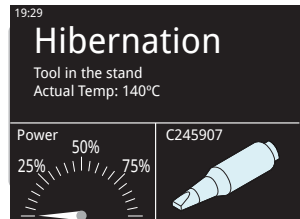
Tool Settings:
· Temp. Levels

Press , select *Tool Settings* and activate the *Temp. Levels* option.

Use or (steps of ± 5 ºC / ºF)
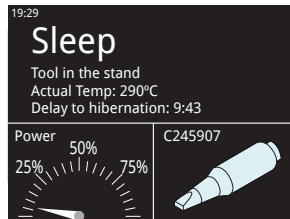
Tool Settings:
· Sleep

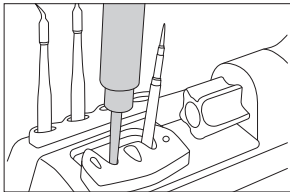Change Sleep temperature and set Sleep delay from 0 to 9 min or no Sleep.

Tool Settings:
· Hibernation

Change Hibernation delay from 0 to 60 min or no Hibernation.
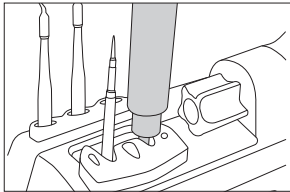
Cartridge Exchanger

Save time and change cartridges safely without switching the station off.
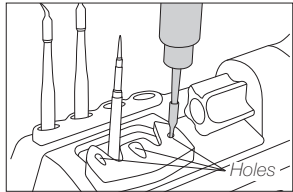
1. Removing

Place the handle in the extractor and pull to remove the cartridge.

2. Inserting

Place the handle on top of the new cartridge and press down slightly.

3. Fixing

Holes

Depending on the shape of the tip, use one of the holes for fixing the cartridge.
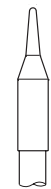
*Important: It is essential to insert the cartridges as far as the mark for a proper connection.

Mark

Compatible Cartridges

The CDEB stations work with C245 cartridges and T245 handles.
Find the model that best suits your soldering needs in www.jbctools.com
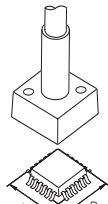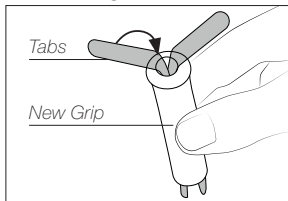
Conical

Chisel

Conical Bent

Bevel

Special Models

Changing Grips*

Replace the soft foam grips easily using slip-on tabs. **Note:** Choose the correct grip depending on your handle model.
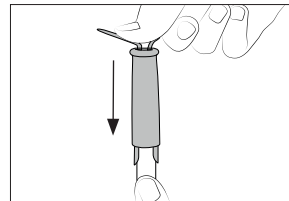
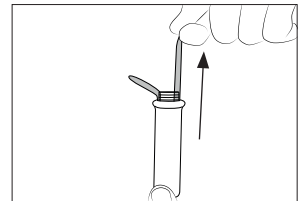| Handles	Green grips	Blue grips	Black grips
T210, T210P, T210N	T8658	T3310	T3311
T245, T245G, T245P	T6057	T1528	T1530

1. Inserting Tabs

Tabs

New Grip

Put the slide-on tabs into the new grip.

2. Inserting Grip

Push the grip with the tabs onto the handle.

3. Removing Tabs

Hold the grip and pull the tab. Use pliers if necessary.
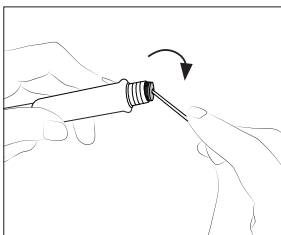
Replacing Sealing Plugs

The sealing plug prevents undesirable flux vapors or particles from entering the tool. Its usage is highly recommended for intensive applications when soldering is exposed to FOD environments or for applications where the soldering iron works close to a vertical position.

Note: Choose the correct sealing plug depending on your handle model.

⚠ Before replacing the sealing plug, unplug the power supply and make sure the device is not hot.

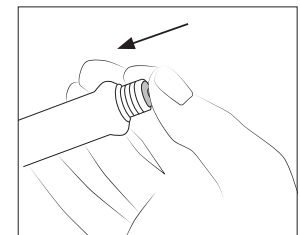| Handles	Sealing Plug
T210	OB1000
T245, T470	OB2000

1. Removing Sealing Plug

Enter a small shaft or screwdriver, not deeper than 8mm, and lift and pull the sealing plug. Never use a cartridge to do this operation.

2. Mounting Position

Chamfered side
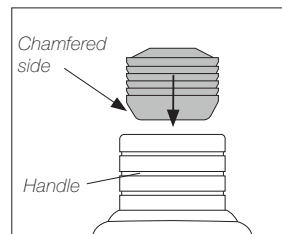
Handle

Note: The chamfered side has to be positioned towards the handle.

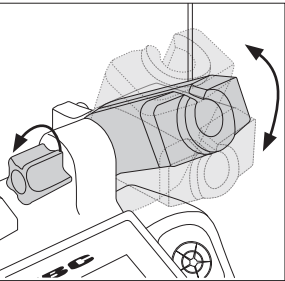**3. Inserting Sealing Plug**

Push the sealing plug inside the handle until the sealing plug and handle edges are aligned.
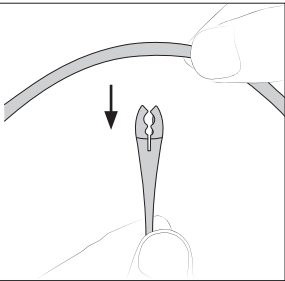
* not included, sold separately

Adjust. Tool Holder

Adjust the tool holder to suit your work position.
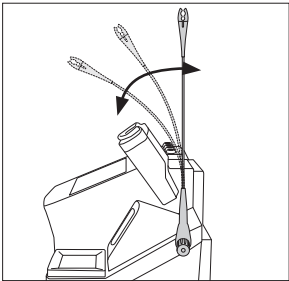

Adjustable Cable Collector (Ref. CC1001)

The cable collector keeps the cable away from the work area and prevents the weight of the cable from disturbing the operator while soldering.

Insert the cable into the cable collector clip. Do not leave the cable longer than necessary to reach the work area freely.

The cable collector is flexible. It accompanies and adapts to the movements during the soldering process.

Tip Cleaner

Select the option to suit your needs and improve the thermal transfer of the tip.

Splashguard
Ref. 0017576
Using the brass wool prevents the splashing of solder particles.

Antisplash Membrane
Ref. CL7882
Prevents splashing and keeps the work area clean.

Brass Wool
Ref. CL6210
Very effective cleaning method. Leaves a small layer of solder on the tip preventing oxidation between cleaning and rewetting.
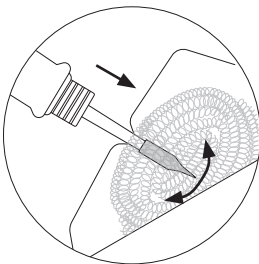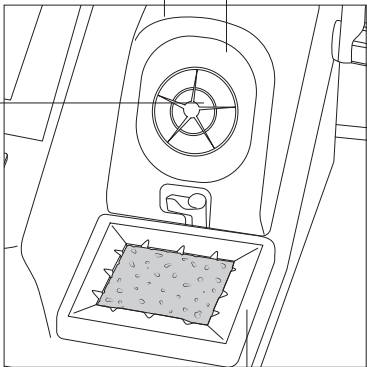
If the tip is very dirty, JBC recommends first cleaning it with the wiper to remove excess solder.

Wiper
Ref. CL7984
A temperature-resistant receptacle for removing excess solder by gently tapping or wiping.

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Wool/Brush Replacement

1. Unlock the splashguard.

Lock
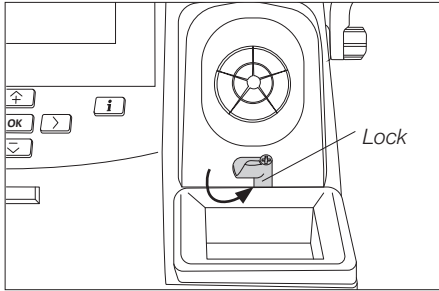
2. Lift off the splashguard and change the worn brasswool/brush for a new one.
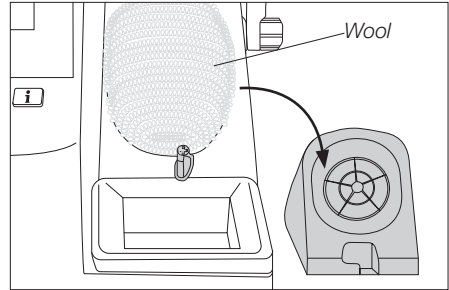
Wool

More cleaning options:
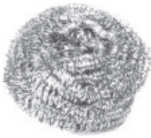
Inox Wool*
Ref. CL6205
Stronger cleaning method than brass wool.

Metal Brush*
Ref. CL6220
When used carefully, it provides more thorough cleaning.

Wiper
Ref. CL7984
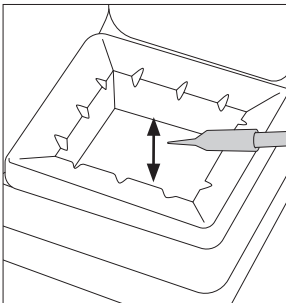
Sponge
Ref. S0354

Tapping:
Tap gently to remove excess solder.
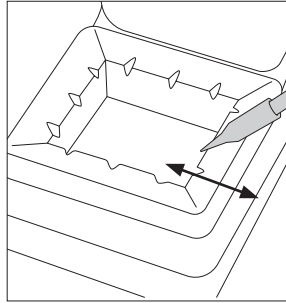
Wiping:
Use the slots to remove the remaining particles.

The softest cleaning method. Keep the sponge damp with distilled water when working to avoid tip wear.

* not included, sold separately

Menu Settings

The menu gives acces to the following menu entries:

Select station language —
Choose between "Basic" and "Soldering Assistant" —
See table below —
See table page 15 —
Shows a register of solder joint values, use for more information —
Reset to default parameters —
Return to main menu —

Language	>
Mode	>
Station Settings	>
Tool Settings	>
Counters	>
Reset	
Exit	

Parameters

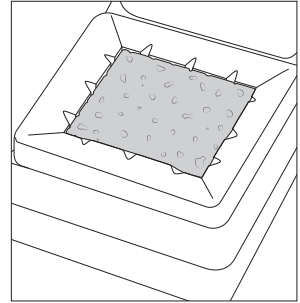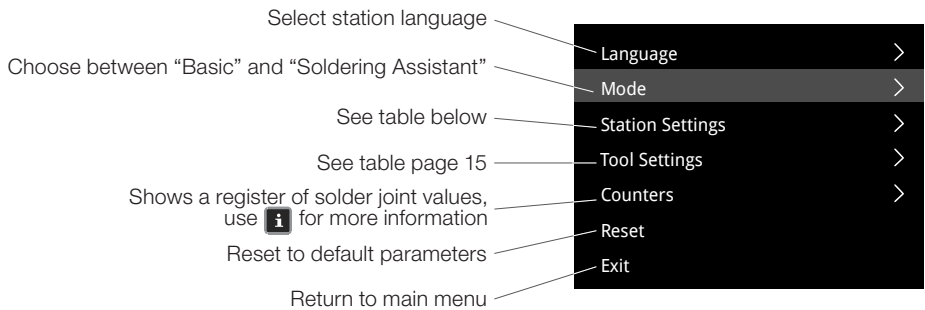Be careful when changing these parameters as they may reduce the tip life if not used properly. Please follow the recommended guidelines:

Station Settings

Parameter Description	Recommendations	Warnings
Program Version Shows the program version number.		
Maximum Temperature Set the maximum temperature to work with. Max. temp by default is 400°C (750°F). This is considered high enough to work with most lead-free applications. **Minimum Temperature** Set the minimum temperature to work with. Min. temp. by default is 200°C (392°F). This is considered to be a proper starting point for leaded applications.	The station temperature range is 90-450°C (190-840°F). Change the temperature limits when working with less common applications such as low / high melting point soldering (HMP) or plastics (e. g. riveting).	⚠ In most cases, working with temperatures over 400°C (750°F) can damage the PCB and its components. Even in short time periods of tip contact with the soldering joint, the flux may not work properly and could seriously reduce tip life. If the solder joint requires more power (e.g. multilayered or high dissipation boards), JBC strongly recommends to use preheaters.

Station Settings

Parameter Description	Recommendations	Warnings
PIN Change the default security PIN number (0105).	The PIN must be entered every time a parameter is changed.	
Sound Enable/disable the beep sound of the keypad.		
Temp Units Celsius (ºC) or Fahrenheit (ºF)		
Date & Time Set the Date and the Time.		

Tool Settings

Parameter Description	Recommendations	Warnings
Cartridge Select the cartridge.		
Temp Adjust It provides a more precise adjustment between the selected temperature and the current one.	Set values within ±50°C (± 90°F) to achieve zero deviation. JBC strongly recommends the use of TID-A or TIA-A Thermometers to obtain precise readings.	⚠ When the user changes the cartridge type, the parameter should be reset to 0°C/F or to the value needed for this cartridge. E.g. If a correction of +20°C (+36°F) is set for the C245966 (thick type) and then the user changes the cartridge for a C245030 (which is thinner) without resetting, they would be working at a temperature of +20°C (+36°F) lower for the C245030 which does not need any temperature adjustment.

Tool Settings

Parameter Description	Recommendations	Warnings
Temp Level Set The user can set up to 3 different temperatures.	Switch between 3 different leves by just one "click". Set them according to the allowed values for your soldering applications.	
Sleep Delay Set the time that the tool will remain at the selected temperature when in the stand before entering sleep mode. The tip temperature will then drop to the Sleep temperature.	Because our tools reach the working temperature from the deafult Sleep mode in only a few seconds, this parameter is preset to 0 min. Once the tool is returned to the stand the temperature will automatically drop to the sleep temperature, extending tip life and avoiding oxidation. Retinning the tip before placing the tool in the stand will protect the tip and extend its life.	⚠ Setting these parameters to higher values will unnecessarily accelerate oxidation and shorten tip life especially when working.
Sleep Temp This is the set temperature the tip reaches when returned to the stand.	The sleep temperatures are set to achieve a balance between preventing oxidation and reaching the working temperature in a few seconds.	
Hibernation Delay Set the time the tool will remain at Sleep temperature before entering the Hibernation mode. At this time, the power supply is cut off and the tip remains at room temperature.	This function completely protects the tip from oxidation during long periods of inactivity while the tool is in the stand. Retinning the tip before placing the tool in the stand also helps prevent oxidation and extends the life of the tip.	⚠ Increasing the default value will accelerate oxidation and shorten the tip life.
Peripherals Link connected peripherals		

USB Connectors

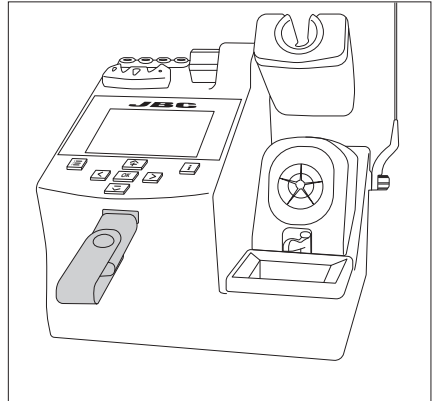Download the latest software from our website to improve your soldering station.

Station Update

Update

Download the JBC Update File from **www.jbctools. com/software.html**

Insert the USB flash drive with the file downloaded to the station.

Maintenance

Before carrying out maintenance, always switch the device off and disconnect it from the mains. Allow the equipment to cool down.

- Clean the station display with a glass cleaner or a damp cloth.

- Use a damp cloth to clean the casing and the tool. Alcohol can only be used to clean the metal parts.

- Periodically check that the metal parts of the tool and the tool holder are clean so that the station can detect the tool's status.

- Maintain the tip surface clean and tinned before storage to avoid tip oxidation. Rusty and dirty surfaces reduce heat transfer to the solder joint.

- Periodically check all cables.

- Replace any defective or damaged pieces. Only use original JBC spare parts.

- Repairs should only be performed by a JBC authorized technical service.

Clean periodically
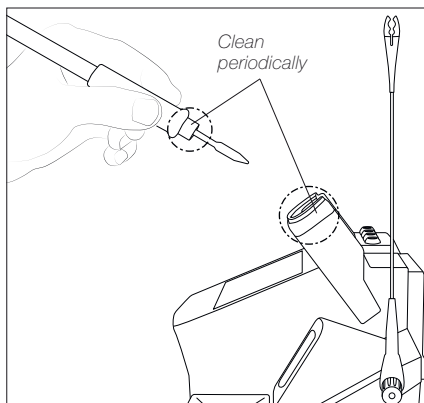
- ⚠ EARTH FUSE When this warning appears on the main screen, earthing fuse must be replaced.

- Replace a blown fuse as follows (applies to both the earthing fuse and the main fuse):

  1. Pull off the fuse holder and remove the fuse. If necessary, use a tool to lever it off.

  2. Insert the new fuse into the fuse holder and return it to the station.

Main Fuse

Earthing Fuse

Fuse holder

EARTHING FUSE
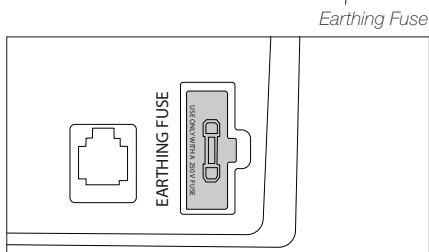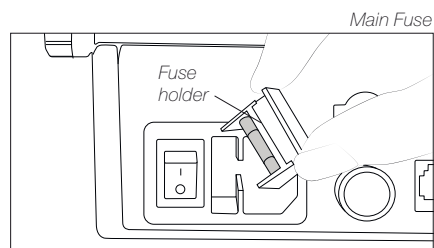
Safety

⚠	**It is imperative to follow safety guidelines to prevent electric shock, injury, fire or explosion.**

- Do not use the units for any purpose other than soldering or rework. Incorrect use may cause a fire.

- The power cord must be plugged into approved bases. Be sure that it is properly grounded before use. When unplugging it, hold the plug, not the wire.

- Do not work on electrically live parts.

- The tool should be placed in the stand when not in use in order to activate the sleep mode. The soldering tip or nozzle, the metal part of the tool and the stand may still be hot even when the station is turned off. Handle with care, including when adjusting the stand position.

- Do not leave the appliance unattended when it is on.

- Do not cover the ventilation grills. Heat can cause inflammable products to ignite.

- Avoid flux coming into contact with skin or eyes to prevent irritation.

- Be careful with the fumes produced when soldering.

- Keep your workplace clean and tidy. Wear appropriate protection glasses and gloves when working to avoid personal harm.

- Utmost care must be taken with liquid tin waste which can cause burns.

- This appliance can be used by children over the age of eight and also people with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience provided that they have been given adequate supervision or instruction concerning the use of the appliance and understand the hazards involved. Children must not play with the appliance.

- Maintenance must not be carried out by children unless supervised.

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Specifications

CDEB
Soldering-Assistant Station
Ref.: **CDE-9BQA** 100V 50/60Hz. Input fuse: T2A. Earthing fuse: F1.25 A. Output: 23.5V.
Ref.: **CDE-1BQA** 120V 50/60Hz. Input fuse: T2A. Earthing fuse: F1.25 A. Output: 23.5V.
Ref.: **CDE-2BQA** 230V 50/60Hz. Input fuse: T1A. Earthing fuse: F1.25 A. Output: 23.5V.

- Nominal Power: 160W
- Peak Power (Tool):   130W
- Selectable Temperature: 90 - 450 °C / 190 - 840 °F
- Idle Temp. Stability (still air):   ±1.5ºC / ±3ºF (Meets and exceed IPC J-STD-001)
- Temp. Accuracy: ±3% (Using reference cartridge)
- Temp. Adjustment: ±50ºC / ±90ºF (Through station menu settings)
- Tip to Ground Voltage/Resistance: Meets and exceed
                                                    ANSI/ESD S20.20-2014   IPC J-STD-001F
- Earthing Fuse: F 1.25A
- Connections: USB-A   Uptade and files import-export
                                                    USB-B   Connection Station-PC
                                                    RJ12 Connector
- Ambient Operating Temp: 10 - 50 ºC / 50 - 122 ºF
- Control Unit Dimensions / Weight: 170 x 176 x 145 mm / 2.8 kg
  (L x W x H)   6.7 x 6.9 x 5.7 in / 6.17 lb

- Total Net Weight: 2.94 kg / 6.48 lb
- Total Package Dimensions / Weight: 234 x 234 x 258 mm / 3.54 kg
  (L x W x H)   9.2 x 9.2 x 10.2 in / 7.80 lb

Complies with CE standards.
ESD safe.

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Warranty

JBC's 2 year warranty covers this equipment against all manufacturing defects, including the replacement of defective parts and labour.

Warranty does not cover product wear or misuse.

In order for the warranty to be valid, equipment must be returned, postage paid, to the dealer where it was purchased.

Get 1 extra year JBC warranty by registering here: https://www.jbctools.com/productregistration/ within 30 days of purchase.

This product should not be thrown in the garbage.
In accordance with the European directive 2012/19/EU, electronic equipment at the end of its life must be collected and returned to an authorized recycling facility.

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