ABSTRACT

Rotator Shaker is one of the mixing device that replaces the sample with reagents by shaking manually. Mixing tube is placed in a container or tube that is placed in such a way that can be rotated on an axis. The resulting turbulence is 360° rotating the sample continuously, mechanically rotated by a motor with a rotation speed of 40, 45, 50, 55, 60 rpm.

During the mixing process has been developed with a variety of tools shaker. This tool enabled the manufacture of samples to mix in small amounts.

To ease the task of medical personnel in the field laboratory in the mixing process, they invented instruments "Rotator Shaker" AT89S51 microcontroller-based timing which contained 5, 10 and 15 minutes. The end of the mixing process is characterized by sound indicator (buzzer).

According to the measurement data timer, error value obtained from the comparison between the measurements on the display with a stopwatch timer in 5 minute measurement error 0.4%, 0.4% error 10 min, 15 min 0.4% error. As for the motor rotation speed of 40 rpm, the error value obtained 0.825%, motor rotation speed of 45 rpm, the error value obtained 0733%, motor rotation speed of 50 rpm, the value obtained 0% error, motor rotation speed of 55 rpm, the error value gained 0.6% and the motor rotation speed of 60 rpm, the error value obtained 12:55%.

Based on the results of measurements of the timer and the motor rotation speed error value obtained is less than 5%.

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