

# Medgraphics Gas Analyser



# Start up

- Turn on the power supply at the base of the trolley, press for 3 seconds
- Switch on the medgraphics unit. The switch is located at the back of the monitor unit



- Allow 10 minutes for the unit to warm up

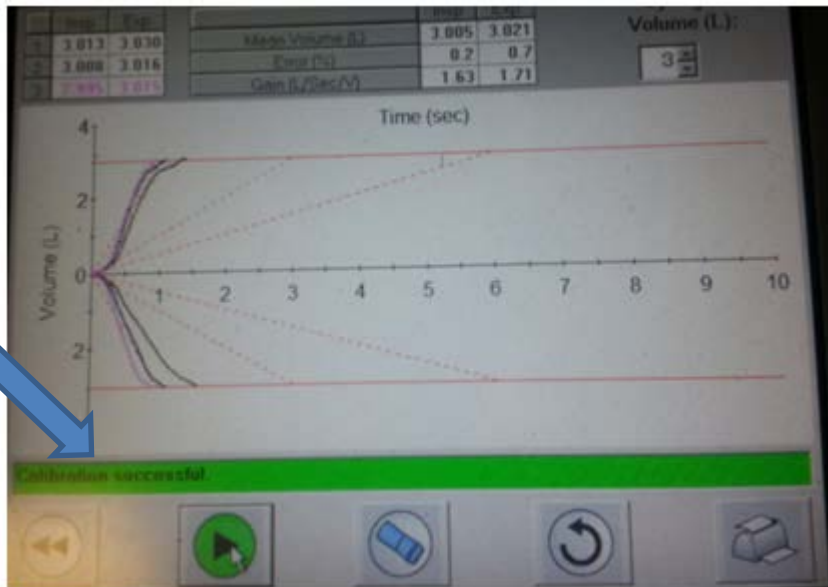
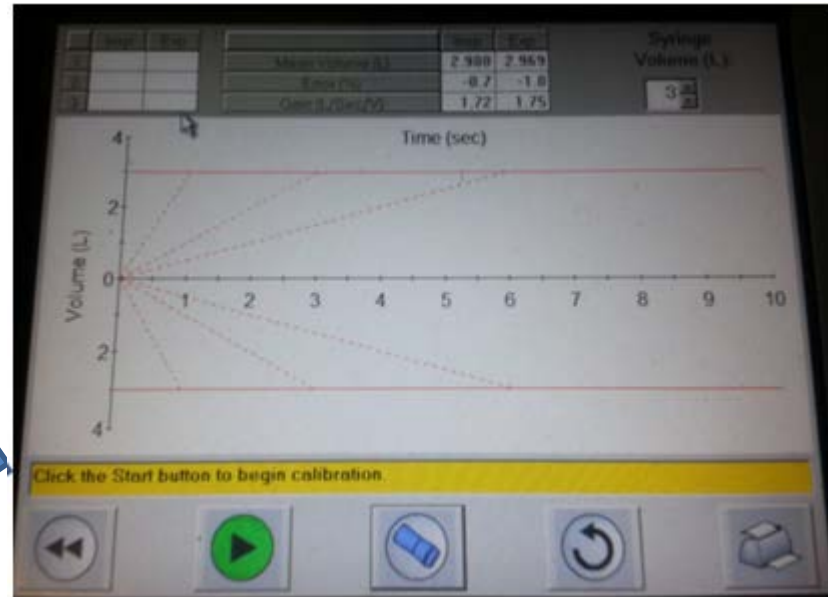
# Volume Calibration

- Click on the spanner symbol on the home screen
- Click the image of the syringe on the following screen
- Connect the syringe to the sample line and mouthpiece



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- Click the green play button
- Follow the instructions on screen as to when the retract and push in the syringe
- Calibration successful will appear on screen if it has been carried out correctly



# Patient Information

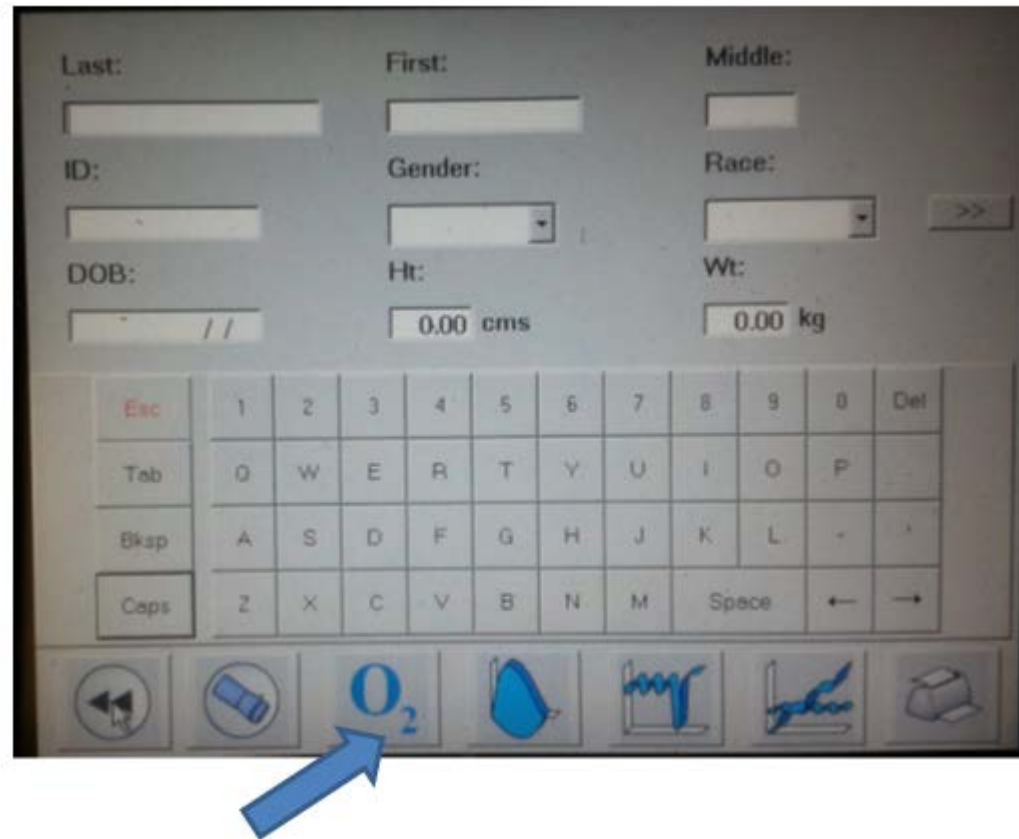
- After the volume calibration is complete, click the back arrows until you return to the patient screen
- Once the warm up is complete, tap the screen using the pointer to enter the medgraphics software from the initial display screen
- The patient database screen will be displayed
- Either double tap on an existing patient or press the person and star button to enter a new patient into the database



Patient ID	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Visit Date
A6		SAM		09/10/2014 05:2
A6		SAM		09/10/2014 05:1
A6		SAM		09/10/2014 03:5
A6		SAM		09/08/2014 05:2
A6		SAM		09/08/2014 05:1
A6		SAM		09/08/2014 03:2
A4		OWEN	J	09/06/2014 10:4
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A4		OWEN	J	09/06/2014 10:2
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A6		SAM		09/05/2014 05:1
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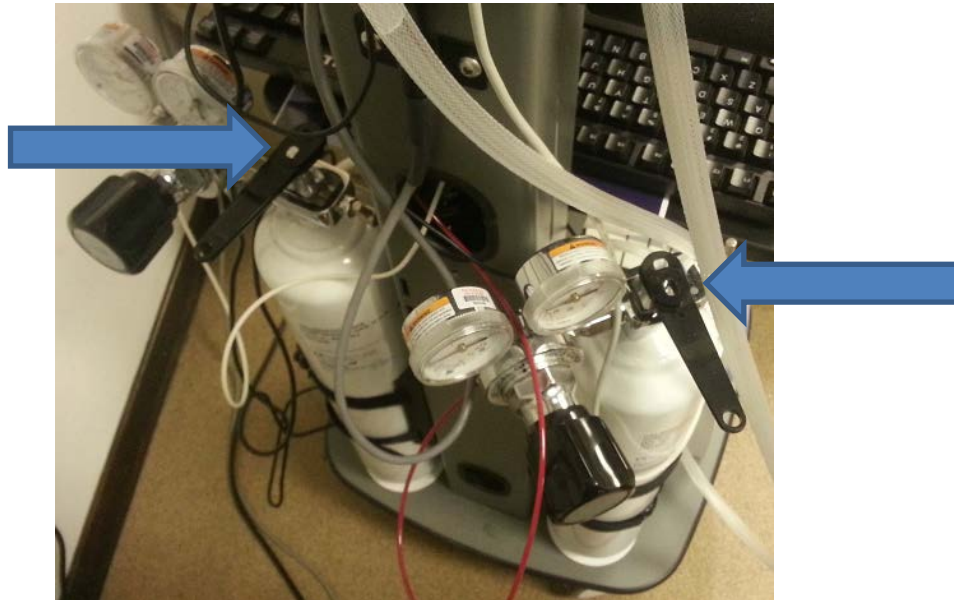
# Inputting a new patient

- You will need to fill out, last name, first name, ID, Gender, Race, DOB, Height (Ht) and Weight (Wt)
- Once entered, press the O<sub>2</sub> button



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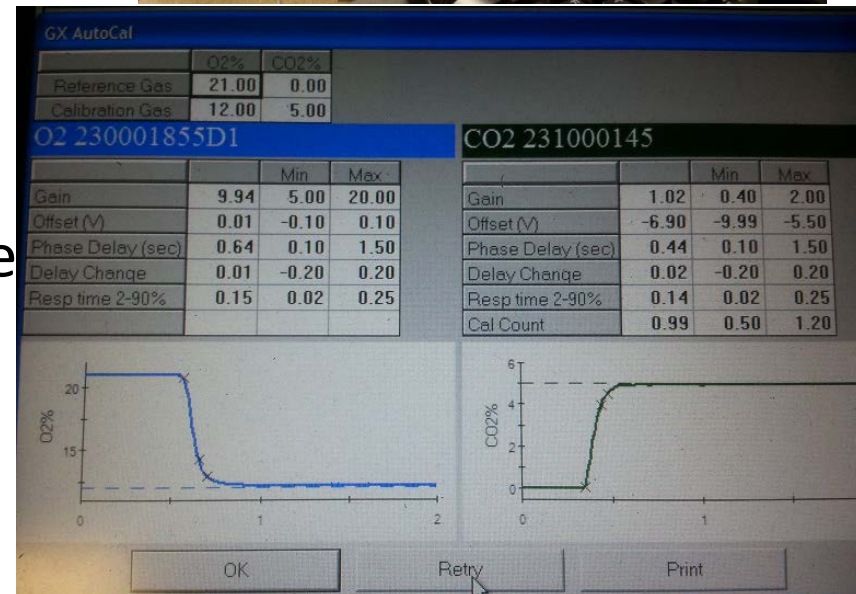
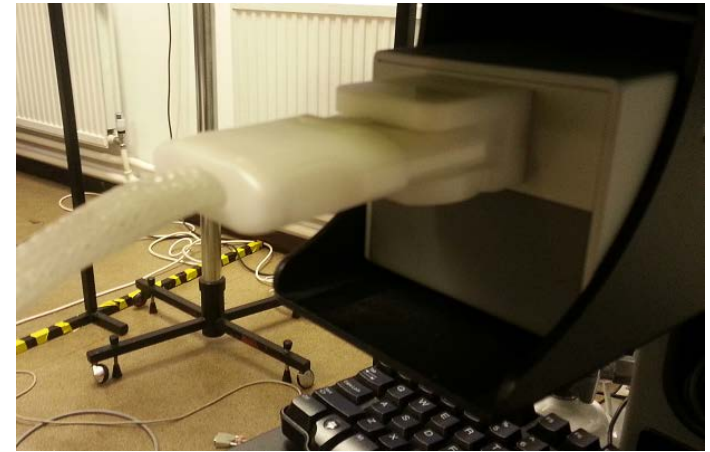
- The analyser will then undertake a 5 minute check before displaying a yellow prompt to 'press calibration button'
- Turn both gases on at the valve by half a turn





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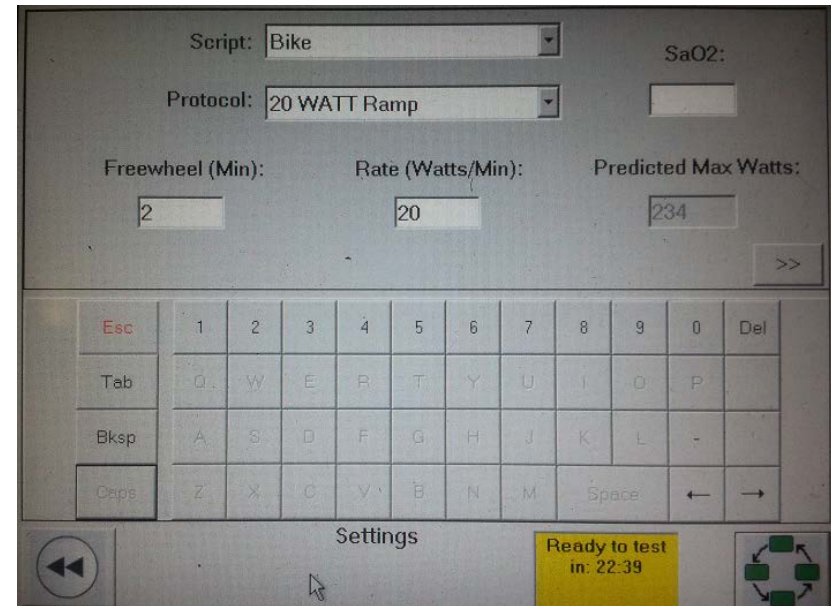
- Remove the sample line from the top of the analyser and plug into the calibration box, ensure that the three metal tubes on the connector align with the holes in the calibration box
- Press the calibration button. The analyser will display a calibration results screen once completed
- Click ok if successful
- Turn off both gases and remove the sample line from the calibration box





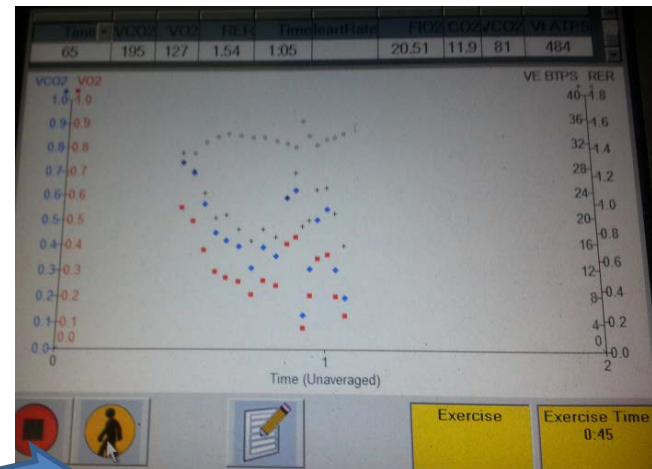
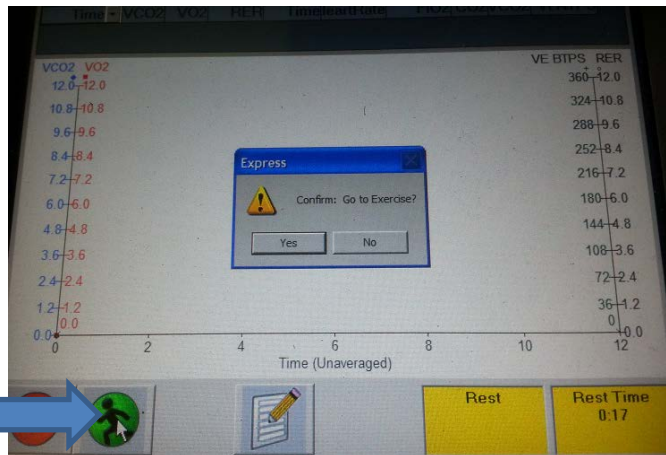
# Selecting equipment

- You may wish to use a Lode bike with the gas analyser or simply run the gas analyser without any other equipment connected
- If using it as a standalone gas analyser select 'None' from the script dropdown menu
- Alternatively select 'Bike' and then choose a protocol
- Click the next button



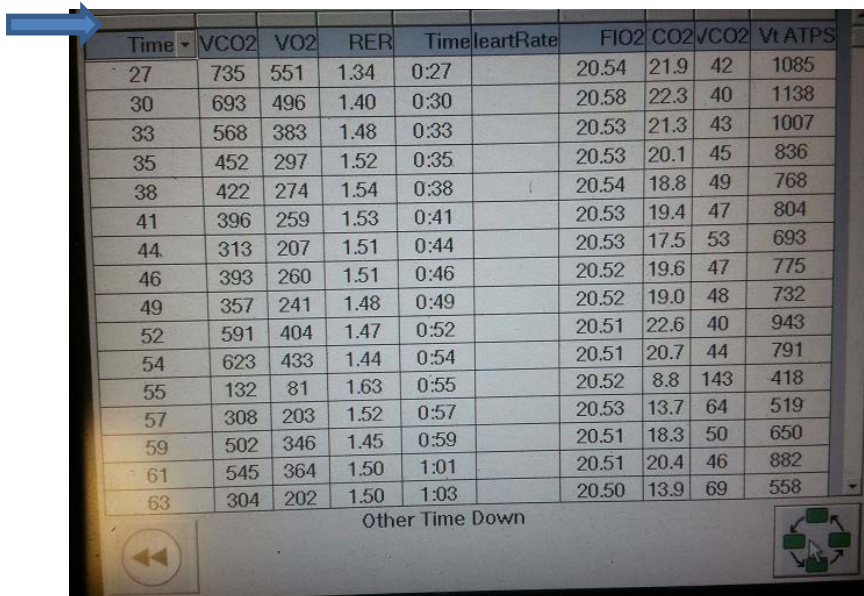
# Running a test

- Connect up the mouthpiece assembly
- Press the green arrow button to start recording data in the REST phase of the test
- Press the green running person to start the EXERCISE phase of the test
- At the end of the test press the amber person to record data in the RECOVERY phase, then press the red stop button to finish data recording



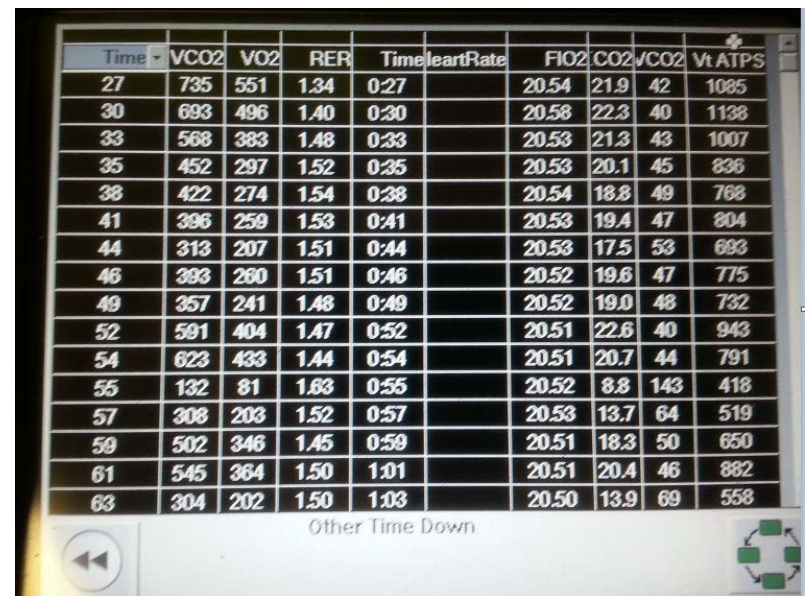
# Exporting Data

- Using the screen rotation button (bottom right of screenshots) click until you reach the other time down selection with the data columns
- Using the pointer drag across the top of the columns to select all the columns and highlight them black
- Press control c on the keyboard to copy
- Then press the windows key on the keyboard. Open excel and paste the data into the spreadsheet.
- Save onto a memory stick



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33	568	383	1.48	0:33		20.53	21.3	43	1007	
35	452	297	1.52	0:35		20.53	20.1	45	836	
38	422	274	1.54	0:38		20.54	18.8	49	768	
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44	313	207	1.51	0:44		20.53	17.5	53	693	
46	393	260	1.51	0:46		20.52	19.6	47	775	
49	357	241	1.48	0:49		20.52	19.0	48	732	
52	591	404	1.47	0:52		20.51	22.6	40	943	
54	623	433	1.44	0:54		20.51	20.7	44	791	
55	132	81	1.63	0:55		20.52	8.8	143	418	
57	308	203	1.52	0:57		20.53	13.7	64	519	
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# Running another test/Power off

- Press the back key until you reach the patient screen
- Choose another subject if required
- Alternatively press the power off symbol at the bottom right of the screen to shut down everything
- The screen will prompt when it is safe to turn off the medgraphics unit using the switch at the back

