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SBE P/N 60043

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SBE 39IM Standard Spares Kit

Kit Contents

SBE P/N	Part Description	Primary SBE Application	QTY
31274	O-ring, Parker 2-029 E603-70	Pressure/Temperature endcap o-rings	4
31332	O-ring, Parker 2-028 E515-80	IM endcap o-rings	4
60039	SBE39 Desiccant Packs, 1gm- 25 ea	Replace Desiccant bag every time you open the sensor	1 can

Procedure for SBE 39IM

A. REPLACING THE BATTERY

WARNING:

Due to the possible buildup of pressure in the sensor ALWAYS remove the coupler endcap first and DO NOT have it pointing toward yourself or any one else during removal.

- 1. Remove the two screws holding the endcap on.
- 2. Pull the endcap out slowly until you have enough room to reach in and disconnect the wire running from the endcap inside to the PCB.
- 3. Disconnect the wire from the PCB by removing the connector from the boardset.
- 4. Unscrew the sensor endcap.
- 5. Carefully pull the SBE39IM sensor assembly out of the housing.
- 6. Remove the 4-40 screw holding the Battery Holder to the boardset
- 7. Hold the battery connector plates with your thumb while replacing 9V battery.
- 8. Reinstall the Battery Holder to the boardset.
- 9. Carefully screw the sensor endcap back in.
- 10. Backfill the sensor with Argon or another Noble gas if available.
- 11. Reattach the connector from the coupler endcap to the PCB.
- 12. Install a new desiccant bag, and reseal the can.
- 13. Replace the coupler endcap and secure with screws.
 - a. Make sure there are no stray parts or wires caught by the endcap as you close the sensor.

B. REPLACING THE O-RINGS

- 1. Remove the old o-ring
 - a. Use a plastic spatula, or other NON-ABRASIVE, soft material to pry in underneath o-ring.
 - b. Pull back so o-ring stretches out of its groove, and cut it. Make sure not to scratch the o-ring seating surface.
 - c. Discard of old o-ring immediately to insure they do not get accidentally reused.
- 2. Installing the new o-Ring
 - a. Make sure o-ring is free of all dust and debris before applying any lubricant. Never clean with any abrasive material.
 - b. Lubricate o-ring with o-ring lubricant. This should be a silicone-based lubricant. Never use petroleum based lubricants on any SBE o-rings.

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- c. Slip o-ring over end cap and into the o-ring groove.
- d. Always close and seal the sensor as soon as possible after replacing an o-ring.
- e. Always clean and lubricate an o-ring before installing it.
- 3. Install a new desiccant bag, and reseal the can.

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