

Configuring A GPIB (HPIB) GC Instrument Module Using The ChemStation Configuration Editor Windows® 95 / Windows NT 4.0®

Before an ONLINE instrument session can be utilized, the instrument module(s) must be configured for the ChemStation software via the Configuration Editor application. The following is a procedure for performing this process:

I. Start The HP Configuration Editor Application

- 1. Select the Start button on the Windows Task Bar
- 2. From the **Start** menu select **Programs**
- 3. From the **Programs** menu select **HP ChemStations**
- 4. From the HP ChemStations menu select HP Configuration Editor

II. Configure the Overall Instrument Type

- 1. Select the Instrument # (1,2,3,4) panel in the middle of the Configuration Editor panel
- Pull down the Configure menu and select Instruments

Note: If the instrument session is already configured and only module addition is required, skip this step (II) by immediately selecting the **OK** button on this panel

- 3. From the instrument type list, select the instrument type you wish to configure
 - A. 5890 GC
 - B. 6890 GC
 - C. 35900 A/D

35900C - External A/D

35900E - External A/D

35900D - Internal A/D Card

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- 4. Enter an instrument name into the Instrument Name field
- 5. Select the **OK** button

III. Adding / Configuring Modules On The GC System

- 1. 5890 GC System
 - A. Enter the GPIB (HPIB) address for the 5890 mainframe into the **Instrument HPIB** address field (factory default GPIB (HPIB) address is 15)
 - B. Select additional module from the **Options** list, enter the GPIB (HPIB) address for the module being added, and select the **Add** button (see Appendix for module GPIB (HPIB) address listing)
 - C. Repeat step "B" above for additional modules
 - D. Select the **OK** button

2. 6890 GC System

- A. Enter the GPIB (HPIB) address for the 6890 mainframe into the **Link Options HPIB** address field (factory default GPIB (HPIB) address is 0)
- B. Select additional module from the **Options** list, enter the GPIB (HPIB) address for the module being added, and select the **Add** button (see Appendix for module GPIB (HPIB) address listing)
- C. Repeat step "B" above for additional modules
- D. Select the **OK** button

3. 35900 A/D

A. 35900C / 35900E

- 1) Enter the GPIB (HPIB) address for the 35900 into the **Interface** address field (factory default GPIB (HPIB) address is 13)
- 2) Select acquisition channels **A and/or B** (must select at least 1)
- 3) Select the **OK** button

B. 35900D

- 1. Enter the Select Code for the 35900 into the **Interface** address field (factory default Select Code is 6)
- 2) Select acquisition channels **A and/or B** (must select at least 1)
- 3) Select the **OK** button

IV. Repeat Steps II and III Above For Additional Instrument

V. Save The Configuration And Exit The Application

- 1. Pull down the **File** menu and select **File**
- 2. Pull down the File menu and select Exit

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Appendix

GC Module / Default (Factory) GPIB (HPIB) Address Listing

5890 GC 5890 GC Instrument (Mainfra Autosampler	me)	15 8
6890 GC Instrument (Mainfra	me)	0
35900 A/D 35900C 35900E 35900D	Select Code	13 13 6

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