## **VENTILATOR ABBREVIATIONS**

## **Shown Measured Values**

Default variables in boldface:

Ppeak Maximum inspiratory pressure

Pressure during end-inspiratory pause

Pmean Mean airway pressure

PEEP<sub>tot</sub> Intrinsic positive end expiratory pressure PEEP Total positive end expiratory pressure

RR Respiratory Rate  $V_{ee}$  End expiratory flow

*I:E* Inspiration to expiration ration (only during controlled ventilation)

 $T_i$  Inspiration time

 $T_i/T_{tot}$  Duty cycle or ration of inspiration time to total breathing cycle time

(only during spontaneous breathing) and Bi-Vent ventilation.

 $O_2$  Oxygen concentration in vol.%  $MV_i$  Inspiratory Minute Volume  $MV_e$  Expiratory Minute Volume  $VT_i$  Inspiratory Tidal Volume  $VT_e$  Expiratory Tidal Volume

 $C_{static}$  Static compliance, respiratory system

*E* Elastance

 $C_{dyn}$  Dynamic characteristics Ri Inspiratory resistance Re Expiratory resistance WOB p Work of breathing, patient

WOB v Work of breathing, ventilator

*Tc* Time constant

SBI Shallow Breathing Index

 $EtCO_2$  End tidal carbon dioxide concentration ( X CO<sub>2</sub> Analyzer) VCO<sub>2</sub> Volume of expired CO<sub>2</sub> per minute. ( X CO<sub>2</sub> Analyzer)

VTCO<sub>2</sub> CO<sub>2</sub> tidal elimination. ( X CO<sub>2</sub> Analyzer)

MVe sp Spontaneous expiratory minute volume (X Bi-Vent)

MVe sp/MVe The relation between spontaneous expired minute volume and total

expired minute volume (only applicable in X Bi-Vent)