## TACKLIFE

## User Manual

Laser Distance Meter


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## Battery Installation



- Discharge the battery door on the back of device, and place battery according to correct polarity, then cover the battery door.
- Only 1.5 V AAA alkaline battery is applied to the meter.
- If the meter is not used frequently, please take out the battery to avoid battery corrosion to meter body.


## Start and Settings

- Turn on / off the Instrument

Under off status, press button READ, device and laser get starting instantly and start to work.
Under on status, long press button clean for 3 seconds to turn off the device. The device can also be off without any operation for 150 seconds.

## - Unit setting

Under the measuring mode, long press button unit, reset measurement unit, the default unit is: 0.000 m
There are 6 units for selection.
Units:

|  | Length | Area | Volume |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | 0.000 m | $0.00 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$ | $0.000 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ |
| 2 | 0.00 m | $0.00 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$ | $0.00 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ |
| 3 | 0.0 in | $0.00 \mathrm{ft}^{2}$ | $0.00 \mathrm{ft}^{3}$ |
| 4 | $1 / 16 \mathrm{in}$ | $0.00 \mathrm{ft}^{2}$ | $0.00 \mathrm{ft}^{3}$ |
| 5 | $0.00 \mathrm{OL} 1 / 16$ | $0.00 \mathrm{ft}^{2}$ | $0.00 \mathrm{ft}^{3}$ |
| 6 | 0.00 ft | $0.00 \mathrm{ft}^{2}$ | $0.00 \mathrm{ft}^{3}$ |

## －Changing Reference Point

Short press ${ }_{\text {dj }}$ © $\Theta$ key to change the reference point．System default reference point is under its bottom．

## －Delaying Measurement

Long press 媦 ，values shows in the screen．User can press 五 or $\pm$ to adjust the time of measurement between 3 s to 60 s ．
Press REAO $_{\text {俗 }}$ to start，the measure start when the time turns to 0 ．

## －Back Light On／Off

The back light is set to turn on and off automatically．The back light can be on for 15 s while operating，and it will be shut off automatically in 15 s when there is no operation to the device．

## －Sound on／off

Short press button unit to turn on or off the buzzer．

## Self－Calibration

This function can keep the precision of the device automatically．Instruction： Power off，press button ciek on the screen．User can adjust the figure with button ■，$\pm$ according to the accuracy of the meter．Adjusting range：-9 to 9 mm ，then press button READO to save the calibration result．

## Length Measurement \＆Calculation

－Single Distance Measuring：
Short press reão to turn on the laser beam under measuring mode．Press the button ${ }_{\text {REMO }}$ again for single measurement of length，then the measured results will display on the major display area．

## －Continuous Measurement：

Long press button READ under measuring mode and enter into continuous measuring mode．Maximum and Minimum measuring result will display in auxiliary display area，current result will show in major display area．Short press button READ or clikf （to withdraw continuous measuring mode．

- Area Measurement

Press button once, $\square$ shows on the screen. One of the side of rectangle blinking on the display, please follow the below instructions for area measuring:
Press read once for length measurement
Press READ again for width measurement
The device calculates and shows the result in the major display area.
The resent measuring result of length is showed in the auxiliary display area.
Press ciean , clear off the result and measuring again if necessary.
Press $\begin{gathered}\text { ORFA } \\ \text { ciear } \\ \text { again }\end{gathered}$ again to exit the mode.

## - Volume Measurement

Press button twice to enter volume measurement mode. A will shows on the top of screen. Please follow the below instruction for volume measuring:
Press rean for Length measurement
Press nह̂̃ again for Width measurement
Press ह६ि० thirdly for height measurement
The device calculates and shows the result in the major display area.
The resent measuring result of length is showed in the auxiliary display area.
Press cief , clear off the result and measuring again if necessary.
Press ciEkA again to exit the mode.

## - Painter Function

When the meter is in area mode, you can use the add / subtract function to total up the area of several surfaces.
Press button three times till showing in the display.
Press READ to measure the height of the wall first;
Press READ to measure the bottom edge of the first wall, get the first area in the major display area;
Press $\underset{\text { READ }}{ }$ to measure the bottom edge of another wall, get the sum of these two walls.


Repeat these operations for more walls. Press button to cofe clear the previous measuring result and start new measurement.
 mode.

- Pythagoras


There are four Pythagoras modes in case that user gets difficulties to measure directly.

1. Calculate the length of two legs by measuring the hypotenuse and the angle.
Short press four times, when the hypotenuse of
 blinking, Press reAd, measure the length of hypotenuse (a), and calculates the angle ( $\alpha$ ) between the bevel and the bottom at the same time.

Device calculates the horizontal distance (b) and vertical height (h).

2. Calculate the hypotenuse by measuring the length of two legs.

Short press $\sqrt{\mathbb{1}}$ five times, when one leg of $\qquad$ blinking,
Press hEAD, measure the length of one leg (a)
Press $\underset{\text { READ }}{\text {, measure the length of another leg (b) }}$
Device calculates the length of hypotenuse ( $x$ )
3. Press six times till the one side of blinking on the screen.

Press महलि), measure the length of one side (a)
Press read , measure the length of the median line (b)
Press read , measure the length of another side (c)
Device calculates the length of the leg in full line (x)
4. Press seven times till the hypotenuse of $\measuredangle$ blinking on the screen.
Press read , measure the length of one hypotenuse (a)
Press ran , measure the length of another hypotenuse (b)

Device calculates the length of the leg in full line (x)
Legs must short than hypotenuse, or there will be "err" shows on screen. In order to guarantee the accuracy, please make sure all measurements are start from the same point.

- Addition / subtraction

The device can be used for length addition and subtraction. Press select the function once get the length measuring result.
Press $\pm /$, "+" shows in the major display area, entering cumulation mode. Value of last measurement and the result of cumulation will be showed on the screen.
Press $\pm$ again, "-" shows in the major display area, entering regressive mode. Value of last measurement and the result of cumulation will be showed on the screen.
Can choose the addition or subtraction mode by pressing the button $\pm$. Not only length can be calculated in addition and subtraction, but area and volume can do the calculation as well. Take area as example:
Area cumulative function: Measure the first area as showing in PIC1. Then press button $\pm$, and measure the second area as showing in PIC2, there is a "+" in the left bottom. At last, press button reAD to get the summation result of these two areas which is showing in PIC3.


## Memory Function

Long press button 目 for 3 s to record your measuring result under measuring mode.
It can also record the result under Area, Volume and Pythagoras mode. All the calculating records can be saved by the device.
－Read／Delete the Record：
Short press button 目，read the records by press button 苗 and ． Short press ciek to delete recent record and long press ciefear to clear up all the records．Press 目 or READ to exit rec ord mode．

When the storage is full，the screen will display the［itildmark．

## －Angle measurement

The angle information is displayed at the top of the screen，and the angle measurement range is $-90.0^{\circ}$ to $90.0^{\circ}$ ．

## Tips

You may get some warning information as below：

| Info <br> message | Cause | Solution |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Err | Out of distance <br> measurement <br> range | Use the device within the range |
| Err1 | Signal is too weak | Chose the surface with stronger <br> reflectance．Use the reflecting <br> plate． |
| Err2 | Signal is too strong | Chose the surface with weaker <br> reflectance．Use the reflecting <br> plate． |
| Err3 | Low battery voltage | Change the power supply． |
| Err4 | The working <br> temperature is out <br> of working range | Use the device in the specified <br> temperature． |
| Err5 | Pythagoras <br> measuring error． | Re－measure and ensure that <br> Hypotenuse is bigger than <br> Cathetus． |
| Err6 | Angle sensor error <br> Depot Repair |  |

## Technology specifications:

| ITEM | S3-50 | S3-100 | S4-60 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Working Range | 0.05 ~ 50m | 0.05 ~ 100m | 0.05 ~60m |
| Distance measurement precision | $\pm 2 \mathrm{~mm}$ * |  |  |
| Continuous measurement function | yes |  |  |
| Area measuremen function | yes |  |  |
| Volume measurement function | yes |  |  |
| Pythagorean proposition measurement function | Full mode |  |  |
| Painter function | yes |  |  |
| Angel function | yes |  |  |
| Add and subtract measurement function | yes |  |  |
| Min/Max value | yes |  |  |
| Self-Calibration | yes |  |  |
| Laser level | II |  |  |
| Laser type | $635 \mathrm{~nm},<1 \mathrm{~m}$ | 50 | -535nm,<1mW |
| Max storage | 99 units |  |  |
| Automatically cut off laser | 20s |  |  |
| Automatic shutdown | 150s |  |  |
| Battery life | 8000 times for single measurement |  |  |
| Laser level | II |  |  |
| Storage temperature | $-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}-60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |
| Working temperature | $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \sim 40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |
| Storage humidity | RH 20\% ~85\% |  |  |
| Battery | $3 \times 1.5 \mathrm{~V}$ AAA |  |  |
| angle Range | $\pm 90^{\circ}$ |  |  |
| Dimension | $118 * 52^{*} 27 \mathrm{~mm}$ |  |  |

Note: Use a target plate to increase the measurement range during daylight or if the target has poor reflection properties.

Typical Tolerance: $\pm 2 \mathrm{~mm}$, when reflectivity $100 \%$ (white surface), environment light <2000 LUX. $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Tolerance is usually affected by the distance, reflectivity, and environment light etc. It probably gets tolerance around $\pm$ ( $2 \mathrm{~mm}+0.2 \mathrm{~mm} / \mathrm{m}$ ).

## Instrument Maintenance:

- The meter should not be stored in high temperature and strong humidity environment for long time; if it is not used very often, please take out the battery and place the meter in the allocated potable bag and store in cool and dry place.
- Please keep the device surface cleaning. Wet soft cloth is applied to clean dust, but erosion liquid is never allowed to use for the meter maintenance. Laser output window and its focus lens can be maintained according to maintenance procedures for optical device.

