



# *Operator's Manual*



**Conductivity /  
Total Dissolved  
Solids  
Pocket Tester**

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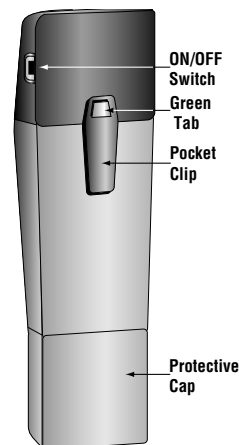
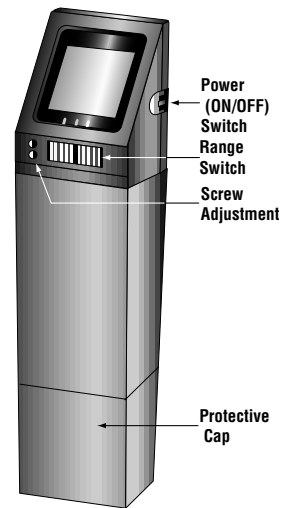
## GENERAL DESCRIPTION

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The HHCD Conductivity/Total Dissolved Solids Tester is an economical, portable handheld unit, ideal for quick field checks of water-based solutions. It features large display (.5"-12.7mm), for easy reading, automatic temperature compensation, and calibration trimmers. All readings are referenced to 25°C using a 2% per °C temperature coefficient. The HHCD displays Conductivity in microsiemens/cm and millisiemens/cm, or Total Dissolved Solids in ppm and ppt (1ppm=2uS/cm). The change from Conductivity to TDS is done from the switch below the batteries.

Caution: Never immerse the tester more than 2 inches from the sensor tip.

1. Remove the protective cap.
2. Turn the HHCD on using the ON/OFF switch located on the top right side of the unit. Check display units of measure for TDS or conductivity ranges and remove green plug-in electrode to access the two position switch below batteries.
3. With a clean probe the unit should read 00.
4. Select the range for the solution to be measured from the Range Switch.
5. Dip the HHCD to the immersion level, and stir gently, allowing few seconds for the reading to stabilize.
6. Units are shipped factory calibrated; however, should calibration be required, the "Z" zero and "S" span adjustments are on the left side of the Range Switch. Start by checking and adjusting zero in air if needed, then immerse the unit in a standard solution of a known value. The value of this solution should be close to that of the solution to be measured. To calibrate adjust the span trimmer until the display matches the value of the standard solution.
7. To improve performance, clean the stainless steel electrodes periodically with a mild detergent or solvent (i.e. alcohol) because salts can built up. Rinse with distilled or de-ionized water.
8. When not in use, switch off the instrument. Rinse the electrode with distilled water, shake off any excess, and place the protective cap on.



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## CHANGING BATTERIES

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Remove the green plug-in electrode by pressing the green tab above the pocket clip. Replace old batteries with fresh ones. The notice polarity is shown in the battery compartment.

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## SPECIFICATIONS

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### Range:

Cond.	0 to 199 $\mu$ S/cm	.0 to 1.99 mS/cm	0.0 to 19.9 mS/cm
TDS	0 to 199 ppm	.0 to 1.99 ppt	0.0 to 19.9 ppt

**Resolution:** 1 $\mu$ S/cm or ppm      .01mS/cm or ppt      .1mS/cm or ppt

**Accuracy:**  $\pm$ 2% of full scale  
 $\pm$ 4 $\mu$ S/cm or ppm       $\pm$ .04mS/cm or ppt       $\pm$ .4mS/cm or ppt

**Electrodes:** Stainless steel

**Operating Temperature:** 0 to 70 °C (32 to 158 °F), Automatic Temperature Compensation uses a precision temperature sensor with 2% per °C temperature coefficient; readings are referenced to 25 °C.

**Display:** 2 1/2 digits 12.7mm (0.5") high LCD

**Battery:** Three 1.35V (included)(EVEREADY 357)

**Battery Life:** 50 hours continuous

**Dimensions:** 162 x 43 x 23mm (6"H x 1.7"W x 0.9"D)

**Weight:** 113 g (4 oz)

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