

# **INFRARED THERMOMETER**

**ATE-2566** 

# **User's Manual**



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#### Features:

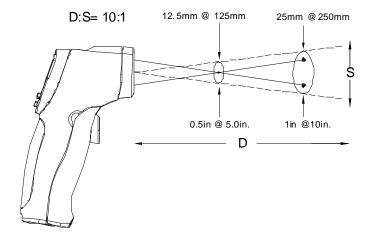
- Rapid detection function
- Precise non-contact measurements
- User selectable °C or °F
- Dual laser sighting
- Automatic Data Hold
- Trigger lock
- Emissivity Digitally adjustable from 0.10 to 1.0
- MAX/MIN temperature displays
- Automatic selection range and Display Resolution 0.1°C(0.1°F)
- Automatic Data Hold & Auto power off
- Set high and low alarms
- The meter at 10 inches away measure 1 inch target
- Backlight LCD display

## Wide range application:

Food preparation, Safety and Fire inspectors, Plastic molding, Asphalt, Marine and screen printing, measure ink and dryer temperature, Diesel and Fleet maintenance.

## **Field of View**

The meter's field of view is 10:1, meaning that if the meter is 10 inches from the target, the diameter of the object under test must be at least 1 inch. Other distances are shown below in the field of view diagram. Refer to the chart printed on the meter for more information.



### 1. SAFETY

- Use extreme caution when the laser beam is turned on.
- Do not let the beam enter your eye, another person's eye or the eye of an animal.
- Be careful no to let the beam on a reflective surface strike your eye.
- Do not allow the laser light beam impinge on any gas which can explode.



# 2. SPECIFICATIONS

# General specifications

MEAS. RANGES	-35.0°C to 800 °C /-31.0 °F to 1472 °F	
Response time	300ms	
OVER RANGE INDICATION	LCD will show ""	
POLARITY	Automatic (no indication for positive polarity); Minus (-) sign for negative polarity.	
EMISSIVITY	Digitally adjustable from 0.10 to 1.0	
FIELD OF VIEW	D/S = Approx. 10:1 ratio (D = distance, S = spot) (Has 90% encircled energy at the focal point)	
DIODE LASER	Output <1mW, Wavelength 630~670nm,class 2 (II) Laser product	
SPECTRAL RESPONSE	8~14um	
POWER OFF	Automatic shut off after 7 seconds, approx.	
OPERATING TEMP.	0°C to 50°C (32 °F to 122 °F)	
STORAGE TEMP.	-10°C to 60°C(-14°F to 140°F)	
RELATIVE HUMIDITY	10%~90%RH operating, <80%RH storage	
POWER SUPPLY	9V battery, NEDA 1604A or IEC 6LR61, or equivalent	
SIZE	82 x 41.5 x 160mm	

Range	Basic Accuracy	
-35.0 °C to 20 °C (-58°F to 68°F) 20 °C to 300 °C (68 °F to 572 °F) 300 °C to 800 °C (572 °F to1472 °F)	± 2.5 °C (4.5 °F ) ±1.0%±1of reading ±1.5%±1 of reading	
Resolution	<b>0.1</b> °C / °F 1 °C	<1000 >1000

## Note:

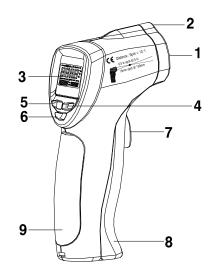
Accuracy is given at 18  $^{\rm O}$ C to 28  $^{\rm O}$ C (64  $^{\rm O}$ F to 82  $^{\rm O}$ F), less than 80%RH.

## Field of View:

Make sure that the target is larger than the unit's spot size. The smaller the target, the closer you should be to it. When accuracy is critical, make sure the target is at least twice as large as the spot size.

# 3. FRONT PANEL DESCRIPTION

- 1 IR sensor
- ② Laser pointer beam
- 3 LCD Display
- Down/Backlight key
- ⑤ Up/Laser key
- Mode key (for cycling through the mode loop)
- Measurement Trigger
- 8 Battery Cover
- Handle Grip



#### 4. INDICATOR

- MAX/MIN readout
- 2 Digital readout
- ③ Measuring indication
- 4 Data Hold
- (5) Laser Point
- ⑥ LOCK Symbol
- High Alarm Symbol
- 8 LOW Alarm Symbol
- ① Temperature T (Fahrenheit)
- ① LOW battery indicator
- Emissivity readout

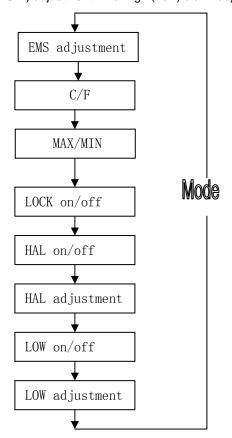
# 5. Functional Design

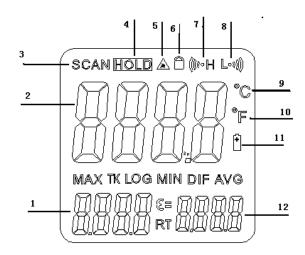
- 1. IN the hold time up keys to turn on or off the laser Down keys to turn on or off the backlight
- 2. MODE Button Function Press the mode button also allows you to access the set state Emissivity(EMS), C/F, Max/Min,Lock on/off,HAL on/off, HAL adjustment LOW on/off,LOW adjustment,Each time you press set you advance through the mode cycle. The diagram shows the sequence of functions in the mode cycle.
- 3. EMS adjustment. The Emissivity(EMS) digitally adjustable from 0.10 to 1.0
- **4.** LOCK on/off. The lock mode is particularly useful for continuous monitoring of temperatures. Press the up button or down button to turn on or off. Press the Measurement Trigger to confirm the lock measurement mode. The ATE-2566 will continuously display the temperature until press again the Measurement Trigger.

In lock mode, press the up button or down button adjustable the Emissivity.

High (LOW) on/off. Press the up button or down button to turn on or turn off. Press the Measurement Trigger to confirm the High(Low)alarm mode.

Hal(LOW) adjustment. The High (Low) alarm adjustable form -35 to 800





#### **MEASURMENT OPERATION**

- ① Hold the meter by its Handle Grip and point it toward the surface to be measured.
- ② Pull and hold the Trigger to turn the meter on and begin testing. The display will light if the battery is good. Replace the battery if the display does not light.
- While measuring, the SCAN display icon will appear in the upper left hand corner of the LCD.
- (4) Release the Trigger and the HOLD display icon will appear on the LCD indicating that the reading is being held.
- The meter will automatically power down after approximately 7 seconds after the trigger is released.

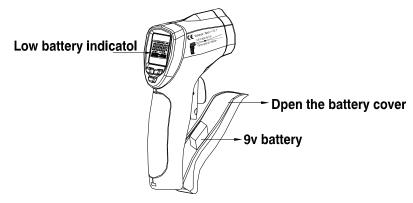
#### Note: Measurement considerations

Holding the meter by its handle, point the IR Sensor toward the object whose temperature is to be measured. The meter automatically compensates for temperature deviations from ambient temperature. Keep in mind that it will take up to 30 minutes to adjust to wide ambient temperatures are to be measured followed by high temperature measurements, some time (several minutes) is required after the low (and before the high) temperature measurements are made.

This is a result of the cooling process which must take place for the IR sensor.

#### 7. BATTERY REPLACEMENT

- ① As battery power is not sufficient, LCD will display " Treplacement with one new battery type 9V is required.
- ② Open battery cover, then take out the battery from instrument and replace with a new 9-Volt battery and place the battery cover back.



### 8. NOTES:

#### How it Works

Infrared thermometers measure the surface temperature of an object. The unit's optics sense emitted, reflected, and transmitted energy, which is collected and focused onto a detector. The unit's electronics translate the information into a temperature reading which is display on the unit. In units with a laser, the laser is used for aiming purposes only.

## Field of View

Make sure that the target is larger than the unit's spot size. The smaller the target, the closer you should be to it. When accuracy is critical, make sure the target is at least twice as large as the spot size.

# Distance & Spot Size

As the distance (D) from the object increases, the spot size (S) of the area measured by the unit becomes larger. See: **Fig: 1**.

# • Locating a hot Spot

To find a hot spot aim the thermometer outside the area of interest, then scan across with an up and down motion until you locate hot spot.

## Reminders

- ① Not recommended for use in measuring shiny or polished metal surfaces (stainless steel, aluminum, etc.).See **Emissivity**
- ② The unit cannot measure through transparent surfaces such as glass. It will measure the surface temperature of the glass instead.

③Steam, dust, smoke, etc., can prevent accurate measurement by obstructing the unit's optics.

#### Emissivity

Emissivity is a term used to describe the energy-emitting characteristics of materials.

Most (90% of typical applications) organic materials and painted or oxidized surfaces have an emissivity of 0.95 (pre-set in the unit). Inaccurate readings will result from measuring shiny or polished metal surfaces. To compensate, cove the surface to be measured with masking tape or flat black paint. Allow time for the tape to reach the same temperature as the material underneath it. Measure the temperature of the tape or painted surface.

## **Emissivity Values**

Substan	Thermal	Substance	Thermal
Asphalt	0.90 to 0.98	Cloth (black)	0.98
Concret	0.94	Human skin	0.98
Cement	0.96	Lather	0.75 to 0.80
Sand	0.90	Charcoal	0.96
Earth	0.92 to 0.96	Lacquer	0.80 to 0.95
Water	0.92 to 0.96	Lacquer (matt)	0.97
Ice	0.96 to 0.98	Rubber (black)	0.94
Snow	0.83	Plastic	0.85 to 0.95
Glass	0.90 to 0.95	Timber	0.90
Ceramic	0.90 to 0.94	Paper	0.70 to 0.94
Marble	0.94	Chromium	0.81
Plaster	0.80 to 0.90	Copper oxides	0.78
Mortar	0.89 to 0.91	Iron oxides	0.78 to 0.82
Brick	0.93 to 0.96	Textiles	0.90

## 9. MAINTENANCE

- Repairs or service are not covered in this manual and should only be carried out by qualified trained technician.
- Periodically, wipe the body with a dry cloth. Do not use abrasives or solvents on this instrument.
- For service, use only manufacturer's specified parts.