# Tel-Tru OT303F Thermometer **Operating Instructions**

The thermometer is a non-contact infrared HACCP thermometer that also includes a thermocouple probe. You can select only one measurement Mode at a time, but you can change the Mode at will. Please remember to keep away from baby and children and don't use it for medically-related applications. \* Special Features:

1. Food Code Zone Display;

2. Water Proof (IP65)

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White Light

## In Non-contact Infrared Thermometer function (IRT Mode)

# The white light wills automatically turns ON while the Scan button is pressed.

Simply aim the thermometer at the measure target with "Infrared Lens" and press Scan (infrared) key to display the surface temperature. The distance to target ratio is 2.5:1 therefore the thermometer should be positioned as close to the target as possible.

Probe

Scan

(infrared) key

Probe key

Distance:Spot (FOV)= 2.5:1 Emissivity = 0.1~1 Step.01 Wave Length = 8-14um

While scanning, the newest temperature will be updated on the LCD and the measurement will continue as long as the Scan (infrared) key is depressed. When the Scan (infrared) key is released, icon "Hold" will appear on the display and the last measurement will remain visible for 15 seconds before the display goes blank.

Mode Selection MIN  $\rightarrow$  MAX  $\rightarrow$  LOCK  $\rightarrow$  °C/ °F  $\rightarrow$  EMIS

### MINIMUM OR MAXIMUM MODE

The thermometer will display the minimum or maximum reading during the measurement period only until the Mode key is pressed.

To utilize the minimum mode, please press Scan (infrared) key  $\rightarrow$  Mode key  $\rightarrow$  Scan (infrared) key. And keep pressing Scan (infrared) key for measurement.

To utilize the maximum mode, please press Scan (infrared) key  $\rightarrow$  Mode key \*twice $\rightarrow$  Scan (infrared) key. And keep pressing Scan (infrared) key for measurement.

## LOCK MODE

The lock mode is particularly useful for continuous monitoring of temperatures. The thermometer will continuously display the temperature for up to 60 minutes or until the Scan (infrared) key button is pressed. To utilize the lock mode, please press Scan (infrared) key  $\rightarrow$  Mode key \*three times  $\rightarrow$  Scan (infrared) key.

## °C OR °F MODE

To change the  ${}^{0}C'$  or  ${}^{0}F'$  mode, please press Scan (infrared) key  $\rightarrow$  Mode key \*four times  $\rightarrow$  Scan (infrared) key.

Same steps can be taken when switching from <sup>o</sup>F to <sup>o</sup>C.

## EMISSIVITY

The infrared thermometer is supplied with a default emissivity of 0.95. The emissivity can be changed from

0.10 (10E) to 1 (100E). Changes should only be carried out by experienced personnel. For information Infrared Lens relating to the emissivity of specific materials, please contact the nearest retailer. Note: non-contact infrared thermometers are

not recommended for use in measuring the temperature of shiny or polished metals. To change the emissivity, please Scan (infrared) key  $\rightarrow$  Mode key \*five times  $\rightarrow$  Scan (infrared) key for each 0.01 (1E) adjustment  $\rightarrow$  Mode key.

#### In Contact Thermocouple Probe function (COT Mode) Rubber Gasket

(Screw's location) Attach the thermometer at the measure target with "Probe" and press Probe key to continuously display the temperature for up to 4 minutes. After that the device will automatically shut off to extend the battery life. Press Probe key will interrupt the scanning to display the last temperature with a 'Hold' wording. Battery Cover To reenter scanning just press Probe key again.

1. Do not twist the probe and rotate the probe in wrong direction.

- 2. Over stress on probe may cause break.
- 3. After measure high temp, the probe may remain HOT for a while.

4. Probe is dangerous for human when the probe is in an open position. Remember to hold the probe back when not in use.

- $\Delta$  The probe of contact thermometer may be damaged if exceeding the specification of measurement temperature range.
- ⚠To avoid electric shock and thermometer damage, do not measure live circuit where voltage exceeding 24V AC RMS or 60V DC with the thermocouple probe.

#### HACCP check

The "HACCP CHECK" feature is incorporated in our thermometer temperature to graphically indicate critical temperature zone. The icons and LED indicators located above the display indicate a food product stays in a safe or unsafe HACCP " Danger Zone" temperature. The green and red LED light will always be lit before power off.

HACCP

1460°C

A Green LED appears with icon " 🕸 " indicates a safe cool or frozen condition below  $4^{\circ}C(40^{\circ}F)$  or appears with icon " holding temperature above 60°C(140°F).



When temperature is between 4°C and 60°C, the red LED with icon " HACCP "Danger Zone" from 4°C to 60°C (40~140°F).

## LCD ERROR MESSAGES

The thermometer incorporates visual diagnostic messages as follows:



'Hi' or 'Lo' is displayed when the temperature being measured is outside of the range of the instrument, 'Hi' when higher than +250°C (482°F) and 'Lo' when lower than -55°C (-67°F).



'Er2' is displayed when the thermometer is exposed to rapid changes in the  $[\mathbf{E} - \mathbf{2}]_{\mathbf{F}} \mathbf{E} - \mathbf{3}]_{\mathbf{F}}$  ambient temperature. 'Er3' is displayed when the ambient temperature exceeds o°C (32°F) or +50 °C (122 °F). The thermometer should be allowed plenty of time (minimum 30 minutes) to stabilize to the working/room temperature.



For all other error messages it is necessary to reset the thermometer. To reset it, waiting for auto power off, remove the battery and wait for a minimum of one minute, reinsert the battery and turn on. If the error message remains please contact the Service Department for further assistance.

## BATTERIES

The thermometer incorporates visual low battery indication as follows:

'Battery OK': measurements are possible

'Battery Low': battery needs to be replaced, measurements are possible 'Battery Exhausted': measurements are not possible

## Changing Batteries





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 $\triangle$  To ensure the thermometer is waterproof, please make sure the battery cover is tight with the rubber gasket installed.

- 1. Please pick-off the rubber "plug" on the battery cover by using small, pointed screwdriver with the "X" shaped, then release the screw on the battery cover.
- 2. Open the battery cover.
- 3. Install the new battery.
- (Power Supply: AAA<sup>\*</sup>2pcs, 1.5V)
- 4. First, close the bottom side and insert the battery cover, push downward and then press forward.
- 5. Use the same way as point 1 to close the battery cover and reinsert the "plug" in the screw hole.
- When the 'Low Battery' icon indicates the battery is low, the battery should be replaced immediately with AAA\*2 batteries . Please note: It is important to turn the instrument off before replacing the battery otherwise the thermometer may malfunction. Dispose of used battery promptly and keep away from children.

## SPECIFICATION

	Infrared Scan function (IRT Mode)	Thermocouple Probe (K-type, Grounded) (Contact Mode)
Measurement Range	-55~250°C (-67~482°F)	-55~330°C (-67 to +626°F)
Operating Range	0~50°C (32~122°F)	
Accuracy (Tobj=15-35°C, Tamb=25°C)	+/-0.6°C (1.1°F)	±1% of reading or 0.8°C (1.4 °F) which is greater (tested in Tamb=23±6 °C)
Accuracy (Tamb=23±3°C)	0 to 65°C : ±1°C(1.8°F) (HACCP range) -33°C to 0°C: ±(1°C+0.1°C / degree) 65°C to 250°C: ±1.5% of reading	
Resolution (-9.9~199.9°C)	0.1°C/0.2°F	0.2°C/0.5°F
Dimensions	22.18*38*190.09mm(0.87*1.50*7.48 inch)	
Weight (with AAA batteries)	98.1g(3.15oz)	
Battery Life	18 hours continuous use (auto power off after 15 seconds)	

## ▲EMC/RFI

Readings may be affected if the unit is operated within a radio frequency electromagnetic field strength of approximately 3 volts per metre, but the performance of the instrument will not be permanently affected.

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