# OPERATION MANUAL 98701/98702/98703 WOOD MOISTURE METER



## **FEATURES**

- Large digit display.
- Pen size fits in your pocket.
- Auto power off with disable feature (15 minutes).
- Data hold function freezes readings on display.
- Simply use to check water content of wood.
- Quick to read moisture value in seconds.
- Selectable different wood categories from 4 groups.
- Measure environment temperature(98702.98703).
- °C / °F select function.(98702.98703).
- Measure environment relative humidity %RH (Model 98703).
- When measure RH%, environment temperature shows at the corner for monitoring reference.
- Additional pins are optional for 50pcs(25 pairs) or 100pcs (50pairs).

Easy to replace pins without tool.

## MATERIAL SUPPLIED

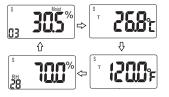
- Meter with sensor cap
- CR 2032 3V battery x1 pc
- Operation manual
- 1 pair needles / pins (98701.98702.98703)

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## SELECT MODE

Press **MODE** button to read from Moisture  $\neg$ Temp.(°C) $\rightarrow$ Temp.(°F) $\neg$ RH circularly.

<u>NOTE:</u> Under RH mode, left corner appear the current Temp. for reference.



### TAKING MEASUREMENT

- 1. Remove the sensor cap, expose the pins(needle).
- Hold the meter and push the needles (pins) into the wood. (Select the correct group of the wood species by pressing SET button: 98702.98703, by pressing MODE button for model 98701)

**<u>NOTE</u>**: Make sure you have selected the correct species to the 4 group, there are 1~4 group for users' selection. See more detail in next operation.



There are four (4) groups contain different wood species. Check the wood species /wood species group table next page and select the specified group to get correct and accurate readings.

## LOW BATTERY

When power is lower, recommend to replace with a new CR2032 battery , when power weak, icon  ${\bf BAT}$  will display at the bottom to the right corner.

Use a coin to remove the battery compartment cover on the rear of the meter. Replace the CR-2032 lithium battery; install the new battery face up (+) in the battery compartment.



You might see other icons which are not available for the moisture meter. Please ignore them in this case.

## **KEY PAD(CONTROLS)**

PWR: Turn on / off the meter (Long press)

or data hold mode (Short press).

MODE: Display Temperature <sup>o</sup>C/ <sup>o</sup>F, relative humidity %,Moisture % SET: Select wood species group from 1 ~ 4 while displaying Moisture % (No response when other mode is selected)

## **OPERATION**

#### (1) POWER ON / OFF

Press **PWR** button for more than 2 seconds to turn on the meter, press and hold **PWR** button to turn off the meter

### (2) AUTO POWER OFF

The meter is default as auto power off, i.e. the meter turns off automatically in 15 minutes if no button is pressed. "**S**" shows top on the left corner stands for auto power off function is activated.



To disable auto power off function, turn off the meter, press and hold **MODE + PWR** buttons until "**S-no**" shows on screen , release the buttons, "**S**" disappear on the display.



Short press **PWR** button to freeze reading, press **PWR** button again to return to normal mode.( 98702.98703). Press **HOLD** to freeze reading ( 98701 only)

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Group	Moist range	Stored characteristics curves for		
1	2~40%	Rhodesian Teak, Afromosia, Brazilian Walnut.		
2	2~50%	Walnut,Keruing,White Poplar,Teak		
3	2~60%	Corkwood,Padauk, Elm, Gumari, Hemlock,Gurjun, Oak, Fir,Douglas Fir, Lauan,Ash,White Fir, Maple, White Ash		
4	2~70%	Masson Pine, Chile Pine, White Pine, Larch, Apitong, Birch, Basswood		

## **SPECIFICATION**

Model/Spec	98701	98702	98703	
Display	Digital large size LCD			
Measuring range	2%~ 70% (Wood moisture)			
Accuracy	±1%, 0.5 resolution			
Ambient Temp.	NO	<b>-10~50°</b> ℃ (14~122°F)		
Resolution	N/A	0.1°C/0.1°F		
Accuracy	N/A	<b>± 1</b> °C / <b>2</b> °F		
Relative Humidity	NO	NO	10.0~90.0% RH	
Resolution	N/A	N/A	0.1%RH	
Accuracy	N/A	N/A	± 5%RH	
Data hold	Data hold function freezes reading			
Power	CR2032 3V battery			
Dimension	147 x 36 x 18 mm (L X W X H)			