

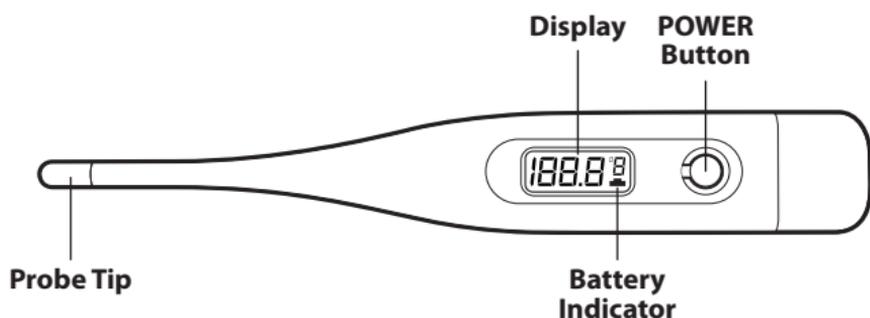
Digital Thermometer

PBT-1-FB

User Guide



OVERVIEW OF THE DIGITAL THERMOMETER



SPECIFICATIONS

- Temperature Range: 90.0°F-109.2°F.
- Accuracy (at room temperature of 71°F- 77°F):
 - +/-0.3°F (less than 95.0°F)
 - +/-0.2°F (between 95.0°F-102.0°F)
 - +/-0.3°F (greater than 102.0°F)
- Battery: One, LR41, 1.55V button size battery or equivalent.
- Battery Life: More than 200 hours of continuous operation.
- Power Consumption: 0.15 milliwatts in measurement mode.
- Type of Thermometer: Predictive

READ AND SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

Thank you for purchasing the Packard Bell Digital Thermometer. Please read these instructions carefully to ensure accurate temperatures and safe operation.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

- High, prolonged fever requires medical attention especially for young children. Please contact your physician.
- Do not allow children to take their temperatures unattended.
- Do not allow children to walk or run during temperature taking.

OPERATING THE THERMOMETER

1. Press the **POWER** button to power on the thermometer.
2. Wait for thermometer to get ready.

- A beep will sound and the display will perform a self- test for about 2 seconds (Fig. 1).

Fig. 1



- The display will show the last temperature reading for 2 seconds, and then will display 98.6°F (Fig. 2).

Fig. 2



- When “F” flashes on the display, the thermometer is ready to use (Fig. 3).

Fig. 3



3. Select a temperature location (oral, under the arm, or rectal).
4. While the thermometer is measuring the temperature, “F” will continuously flash on the display.
5. When “F” stops flashing (about 1 minute), the thermometer will beep indicating the process has been completed and the temperature reading will be displayed.
6. Press the **POWER** button to power off the thermometer and then place it in its storage case.

NOTE: The thermometer will automatically power off after 10 minutes of inactivity.

PROBE COVERS (not included)

When taking temperature readings, it is recommended to use disposable probe covers. Place a cover on the thermometer's probe tip to help prevent contamination. Disposable probe covers can be purchased at most pharmacies.

SELECTING A TEMPERATURE LOCATION

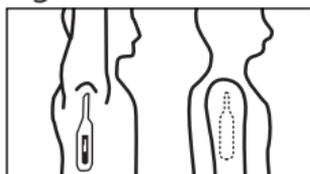
Oral (recommended)

1. Cover the probe tip with a probe cover (not included) and place the probe tip of the thermometer well under the tongue. For an accurate measurement, it is important to keep your mouth closed and stay still. Be careful not to bite down on the thermometer.
2. Dispose of the used probe cover and wash the thermometer as recommended (See Cleaning Instructions).

Under the arm

1. Wipe the underarm with a tissue or towel before using.
2. Place the probe tip under the arm so the probe tip is touching the skin and position your arm next to your body (Fig. 4).

Fig. 4



3. Wash the thermometer as recommended (See Cleaning Instructions).

NOTE: This method is less accurate and may take longer than a temperature taken orally.

Rectal

1. Cover the probe tip with a probe cover (not included) and lubricate with a water-soluble jelly for easier insertion. Do not use a petroleum jelly. Read the label of the lubricant to be sure you are using the right kind.
2. Take the temperature while the patient is on his or her side. For infants, the proper position is for the baby to lay on its stomach with legs hanging down. This positions the infant's rectum for safe and easy insertion of the thermometer.

3. Gently insert the probe tip of the thermometer NO MORE THAN 1/2 inch into the rectum. If you detect resistance, stop. Hold the thermometer in place during measurement.
4. Dispose of the used probe cover and wash the thermometer as recommended (See Cleaning Instructions).

NOTE: This method produces a temperature reading, 1° higher than a temperature taken orally.

CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS

- Clean the probe tip by washing with soap and warm water or by disinfecting with rubbing alcohol (70% isopropyl alcohol).
- Only the probe tip is water resistant, avoid getting the display wet.
- Wipe dry with soft cloth.
- DO NOT soak the entire thermometer in water.
- DO NOT BOIL OR CLEAN IN DISHWASHER.
- Do not wash the unit with any thinner or chemical solvent.

CHANGING THE BATTERIES

The thermometer features a long life battery. When “” appears on the display, the battery needs to be replaced.

1. Remove the battery cover as shown.
2. Replace the battery with a **1.55V, LR41 battery** or equivalent. Insert the new battery with the positive (+) side facing up.
3. Replace the battery cover, making sure that it is secure to protect the battery compartment from moisture.



WARNING:

- Swallowing the battery may be fatal.
- Do not attempt to recharge the battery.
- Do not dispose of the battery in or near fire as it may explode.

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