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# Instruction Manual

(Safety and Explosion-Proof Requirements)

**Steam Trap Management System**  
**Pocket TrapMan.**

PT3

(ATEX/IECEx-certified Model)

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# Introduction

Thank you for purchasing the TLV Pocket TrapMan steam trap management system.

When the product is delivered, before doing anything else, check the specifications and external appearance to make sure nothing is out of the ordinary. Also be sure to read this manual carefully before use and follow the instructions to be sure of using the product properly.

To ensure safe and correct use of this product, be sure to observe the safety precautions listed in this manual as they relate to installation, operation, maintenance and repair of the product. Please keep it in a safe place for future reference.

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# Safety Considerations

- Read this section carefully before use and be sure to follow the instructions.
- Installation, inspection, maintenance, repairs, disassembly, adjustment and valve opening/closing should be carried out only by trained maintenance personnel.
- The precautions listed in this manual are designed to ensure safety and prevent equipment damage and personal injury. For situations that may occur as a result of erroneous handling, three different types of cautionary items are used to indicate the degree of urgency and the scale of potential damage and danger: DANGER, WARNING and CAUTION.
- The three types of cautionary items above are very important for safety: be sure to observe all of them as they relate to installation, use, maintenance and repair. Furthermore, TLV accepts no responsibility for any accidents or damage occurring as a result of failure to observe these precautions.

## Cautionary items and definitions



### Danger

Indicates an urgent situation which poses a threat of death or serious injury



### Warning

Indicates that there is a potential threat of death or serious injury



### Caution

Indicates that there is a possibility of injury or equipment/product damage

## General Precautions



### Danger

**DO NOT disassemble or modify the device or battery.** Failure to observe this precaution could result in fire or malfunction. Failure to observe this precaution could result in leakage of the battery fluid, excessive heat generation, rupture or ignition. If battery fluid leaks and comes into contact with your body or gets into your eyes, immediately rinse the affected area with clean water and see a doctor.



### Danger

**DO NOT apply heat to the batteries or throw them into a fire.** Whether the battery or the device is new or used, do NOT dispose of them by throwing them into a fire, as they may EXPLODE causing injury.



### Danger

**DO NOT let the device become immersed in water.** If the device is submerged, immediately stop using it and return it to TLV. Do not immerse or let the device become immersed in water or other liquids.

## Charging Precautions



### Warning

**Make sure the battery is connected to PT3 when charging.** Failure to observe this precaution could result in heat generation or fire.



### Warning

**After charging is complete, disconnect the USB cable from the device.** Failure to do so may result in heat generation or fire.

**Warning**

**DO NOT plug or unplug the charger with wet hands.** Failure to observe this precaution could result in electrocution.

**Warning**

**DO NOT charge the battery in hazardous areas.** Failure to observe this warning may result in explosion, fire or injury.

## Battery Precautions

**Danger**

**DO NOT replace the battery in hazardous areas.** Make sure to replace the battery in non-hazardous areas. Failure to observe this precaution could result in explosion, fire or injury.

**Danger**

**DO NOT open, disassemble or crush the battery.** Failure to observe this precaution could result in leakage of the battery fluid, battery overheating, rupture or ignition. If battery fluid leaks and comes into contact with your body or gets into your eyes, immediately rinse the affected area with clean water and see a doctor.

**Danger**

**DO NOT apply heat to the battery or throw it into a fire.** Do not throw the battery into a fire or heat it, neither before nor after use. Both are very dangerous and could result in explosion, ignition or rupture. The temperature should be kept between 0 to 40 °C while charging and -10 to 50 °C while in use.

**Danger**

**DO NOT let the battery become immersed in water.** Do not immerse or let the battery become immersed in water or other liquids. Failure to observe this precaution could result in leakage of the battery fluid, battery overheating, rupture or ignition.

**Danger**

**DO NOT use the battery if damaged.** Do not use the battery in the case of any abnormalities such as battery overheating, unusual odors, discoloration or deformation, etc. Battery damage could result in overheating, expansion, leakage, smoke, ignition or explosion.

**Danger**

**DO NOT incinerate the battery.** Failure to observe this precaution may result in fire or explosion.

**Danger**

**DO NOT use a battery other than the specified model.** When replacing the battery, use only the TLV CO., LTD model P11-22050-x battery. Failure to observe this precaution may result in fire or injury.

**Danger**

**DO NOT use or leave the device in areas that will become very hot.** Do not leave the device where it will be exposed to direct sunlight or in areas that will become very hot, such as interiors of cars, near heating equipment, etc. Failure to observe this precaution could result in leakage of the battery fluid, battery overheating, rupture or ignition.

**Danger**

**Keep the device out of reach of children.** Failure to observe this precaution could result in injuries, overheating, smoke, ignition or explosion.

**Warning**

**DO NOT use the battery in the case of any abnormalities such as battery fluid leakage, unusual odors, battery overheating, discoloration or deformation, etc.** Failure to observe these precautions may result in damage to the device, fire or burns.

**Warning**

**If battery fluid leaks and comes into contact with the body, rinse immediately.** There is danger of resultant damage to the skin. Immediately rinse any battery fluid off with clean water.

**Caution**

**Be sure to charge the battery regularly.** If the device is not used for a long time with the battery installed, fully charge the battery once a month. The battery will deteriorate and become unusable.

**Caution**

**DO NOT remove the battery from the device.** Water resistance may be impaired. If the battery has deteriorated and needs to be replaced, send it to TLV.

**Caution**

**Return unnecessary battery to your local TLV office or distributor either before or after use of the battery, insulating the contact terminals with tape or dispose according to your company regulations.**

## Usage/Storage Precautions

**Warning**

**DO NOT operate the device with wet hands.** Do not plug or unplug the charger with wet hands. Failure to observe this precaution could result in electrocution.

**Caution**

**This device is explosion-proof certified. The explosion-proof marking is indicated on the device nameplate.** The device should be used by trained personnel with knowledge of the hazardous locations/classifications.

**Caution**

**DO NOT allow any foreign matter to enter the device.** In areas with small foreign matter such as metal dust, use the device after taking measures to prevent foreign matter entering the device. Failure to observe this precaution could result in fire or malfunction.

**Caution**

**Surface temperature measurement range is -40 to 350 °C.** If an object with a surface temperature of 350 °C or higher is measured, the probe tip or internal parts may be damaged. If the surface temperature is expected to exceed 350 °C, stop measuring.

**Caution**

**DO NOT drop the device or otherwise subject it to strong impacts.** Doing so may cause damage, malfunction, battery ignition or burns.

**Caution**

**DO NOT leave the device in areas that will become very hot.** Do not leave device where it will be exposed to direct sunlight or in areas that will become very hot, such as interiors of cars, near heating equipment, etc. This may cause the device to malfunction or fail.

**Caution**

**DO NOT use sharp objects such as pens to operate the buttons.** This may damage the buttons.

**Caution**

**DO NOT place any part of the device other than the tip of the probe against a hot location.** Failure to observe this precaution could result in malfunction.

**Caution**

**DO NOT drag the tip of the probe across the surface of the object being measured.** Failure to observe this precaution could result in malfunction.

**Caution**

**DO NOT leave the device in places subject to excessive dust and strong vibrations.** Failure to observe this precaution could result in malfunction.

**Caution**

**DO NOT remove the temperature sensor from the tip of the probe.** Forcibly removing the sensor may cause malfunction.

**Caution**

**Return the unnecessary device to your local TLV office or distributor for disposal, or dispose according to your company regulations.**

## Precautions related to Site Inspections

**Danger**

**DO NOT use earphones other than those specified.** Any earphones other than those specified should not be used in hazardous areas.

**Warning**

**DO NOT operate the device while walking.** Failure to observe this precaution could lead to accidents such as tripping or collisions.

**Warning**

**Take measures to prevent getting caught in rotating machinery.** When passing by or working near rotating machinery, take measures to prevent the strap, earphone cord, clothing etc. from getting caught in the machinery. This may result in accident or injury and damage to the device or equipment.

**Warning**

**Before using the product, make sure to take measures to prevent burns.** Take measures to prevent burns from accidentally touching hot piping.

**Caution**

**Turn down the volume first when using earphones.** Using earphones in places where there is loud noise or vibrations may result in hearing loss.

## Specific condition of use

1. Do not charge or replace the battery in hazardous areas. Use only TLV model P11-22050-x battery.
2. The equipment must only be connected to the charger using lead type USB Type-C. The battery must only be charged at a voltage no more than 6.0 V, in an ambient between 0 to 40 °C.

# Replacing the Battery



## Danger

**DO NOT replace the battery in hazardous areas.** Make sure to replace the battery in non-hazardous areas. Failure to observe this precaution could result in explosion, fire or injury.

**DO NOT disassemble the battery.** Failure to observe this precaution could result in leakage of the battery fluid, excessive heat generation, rupture or ignition.

Use only the P11-22050-x battery (TLV CO., LTD.) when replacing the battery.

1. Turn off the power of the device. Refer to the instruction manual for details.
2. Remove the four hex bolts (M2) that hold the battery cover on the back of the device.
3. Remove the battery from the device and disconnect it from the connector. Make sure to disconnect the battery by holding the connector instead of the wiring cable to prevent the wire from breaking.
4. Connect a new battery and insert it to the device. Be careful to observe the correct polarity of the battery.
5. Secure the battery cover with the four hex bolts (removed in step 2) (tightening torque: 0.14 N·m).



## Note

Please note that if the screws are not tightened to the specified torque, IP54 protection rating for water and dust resistance may not be met.

# Adjustment

The tip of the probe, which is used to detect temperature and ultrasonic waves, is a crucial component of the device. The detection sensitivity may change, not only if the device is dropped or knocked about, but also as a result of regular wear and use.


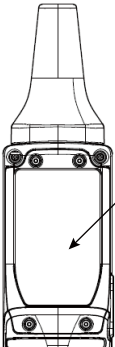
Therefore, periodic calibration is recommended.

Frequency: Every 2 years, after 30,000 measurements, or when the sensor is warped or damaged

Adjustment can only be performed with special equipment at TLV's factory.

Contact your local TLV representative or your regional TLV office for details.

# Specifications

Type	<b>Steam Trap Management System</b>		
Device name	<b>Pocket TrapMan</b>		
Model	<b>PT3</b>		
Classification markings of hazardous locations	<b>ATEX:</b>	 II 3G Ex ic IIB T3 Gc Certificate No.: CML 23ATEX2072X	
	<b>IECEX:</b>	Ex ic IIB T3 Gc Certificate No.: IECEX CML 23.0030X	
	Mark for certified electrical equipment	Ex	Indicates explosion-proof structures
	Type of protection	ic	Intrinsically safe structure This equipment can be used in Zone 2.
	Applicable gas groups	IIB	Applicable to gases (Acetylene, etc.) with minimum ignition current ratio is from 0.45 or more to 0.8 or less.
	Temperature class	T3	Applicable when maximum surface temperature of the device is 200 °C.
	EPL (Equipment Protection Level)	Gc	This equipment can be used in Zone 2. (For use in explosive atmospheres due to the presence of gas, with a 'high' level of protection that is not the source of ignition in normal operation or when subject to expected malfunctions, although not on a regular basis.)
Indication regarding product information	Company name, product name, serial number, certification information and precautions are included in the product information. <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Product information location</p> </div>		
Power supply	TLV CO., LTD.: Model P11-22050-x battery ("x" for 1 alphanumeric character) Lithium-ion battery Rated voltage: 3.7 V Rated capacity: 1,000 mAh		
Measurement temp. range	-40 to 350 °C		
Allowable temp. range	When in operation: -10 to 50 °C (No condensation or freezing) When stored: -10 to 50 °C (No condensation or freezing, battery fully charged every month) When charging: 0 to 40 °C (No condensation or freezing)		
Protection class	IP54		
Charging port	USB Type-C		

Frequency range	2402 to 2480 MHz (Bluetooth® Ver. 5.0) 125 kHz (RFID)
Transmit power	-3.54 dBm (e.i.r.p) (Bluetooth®) -3.67 dBm (e.i.r.p) (Bluetooth® LE) 2.63 dBµA/m @ 10 m (RFID)

# Applicable Standards

Refer to the declaration of conformity for details.

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