

Specifications

Display	16x2 Transflective LCD					
Keypad	3x4 slim matrix					
Environmental Sealing	Not waterproof – Limited sand/dust protection					
Battery	Li-ion 2500mAh (up to 92 hours run time)					
File Limit	4					
Item Limit	4					
ID Limit	99					
Compatible Coils	3kHz - 7.5kHz - 18.75kHz					

Instructions

Navigation:

- Press **0-9** to enter an ID. Buttons **1-4** are used to select the database and coil.
- Press # to enter an ID. Pressing # when a -> is present at the bottom right of the screen will move to the next page.
- Press * to clear an ID. Pressing * when a <- is present at the bottom right of the screen will
 return to the previous page. This also must be pressed to return after viewing a discovered
 ID.
- HOLD # for 1 second while on the 'waiting' screen to view current battery level.
- HOLD * for 1 second while on the 'waiting' screen to toggle on/off LCD backlight. Note: turning off backlight while outdoors will reduce battery consumption by approx. 40%.

Set-Up:

- 1. Turn on power switch.
- 1a. If battery is less than 1%, device will lock. Turn off, charge device and turn on when complete.
- 1b. If no SD card is present, or there is an error, device will continue trying to look for an SD card every 4 seconds.
- 2. Use # and * to cycle between first and second pages of databases on SD card. Use corresponding number keys to select desired database.
- 3. Select the coil that is currently fitted to the metal detector using the same procedure as above.
- 4. Reminder instructions will appear for 2 seconds and then the device will be waiting for ID input.

NOTE: To change selections from the setup process, the device must be turned off and on again. Settings will not persist through power cycles.

Checking IDs:

- 1. Obtain a consistent reading from the metal detector.
- 2. Ensure Metal ID is on the 'waiting' screen.
- 3. Using the **0-9** number keys, enter the reading on the device.
- 3a. A **0** in front of single digit numbers returns the same result.
- 4. Press # key to search for the ID.
- 5. If no matching item is found in the database, "Unknown item" will be displayed for 2 seconds, otherwise the relevant item/s will be displayed on screen.
- 6. Cycle between the 2 pages using # or * when a -> or <- is displayed on screen.
- 7. If items were found, dismiss the page by pressing * to return to the 'waiting' screen.

Database Management

Criteria & Notable Points:

- Files must be of .CSV format.
- File names are restricted to 8 characters long (not including the .CSV file format at the end of the name).
- Do not have a space in the file name. Use an _ or if required.
- There is a limit of 4 database files. If there are more **.CSV** files on the SD card, only the first 4 in alphabetical order will be read.
- There is a limit of 4 items per **ID** # due to memory constraints.
- Items must be limited to 16 characters in length.
- If there are 3 or 4 items for an **ID** #, items 2 and 4 are restricted to 14 characters, as characters 15 and 16 on the LCD will be replaced with either <- or ->.
- Edit in Microsoft Excel or similar program to avoid mismatched columns.
- The number in the **ID** # column is the corresponding ID from the metal detector, not the left hand 'Row Numbers' displayed in Excel.
- Do not move/rearrange rows, columns or headings, only the corresponding items.
- Do not store files in folders on the SD card.

Adding a New Database:

- Copy existing .CSV database and rename it to the desired machine name, restricted to 8 characters long.
- 2. Open the new database in Microsoft Excel or similar editing program.
- 3. Highlight all **items** and press **DEL** to remove existing entries.
- 4. Input newly discovered **items** in the relevant coil columns on the correct **ID** # row.
- 5. Save the file and close.
- 6. If asked to continue saving as **.CSV** file format due to losing any formatting, accept this and continue.

Editing Existing Database:

- 1. Open up desired database in Microsoft Excel or similar editing program.
- 2. Locate and move to the relevant **ID** # row.
- 3. Locate the first column of the relevant coil type. See **Database Format** below for reference.

Column 2 = 3kHz

Column 6 = 7.5kHz

Column 10 = **18.75kHz**

- 4. Input new item text in correct cell, or edit the existing items. Remember the character length points from **Criteria & Notable Points** section.
- 5. Save the file and close.
- 6. If asked to continue saving as **.CSV** file format due to losing any formatting, accept this and continue.

Database Format:

ID#	3kHz	3kHz	3kHz	3kHz	7.5kHz	7.5kHz	7.5kHz	7.5kHz	18.75kHz	18.75kHz	18.75kHz	18.75kHz
	Col.	Col.	Col.	Col.	Col.	Col.	Col.	Col.	Col.	Col.	Col.	Col.
0	Item	Item	Item	Item	Item 1	Item 2	Item 3	Item 4	Item 1	Item 2	Item 3	Item 4
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