

# SA3C50A LaserMethane

**Operation Manual** 

Read this manual before using the equipment. Keep this manual with the equipment.

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### For Safety

# Prior to using this product, please read the "For Safety" section to ensure safe and appropriate usage

- In this operation manual and product labels, the methods for safely using this product, methods for avoiding danger by users and others, and various cautions are indicated by picture symbols.
- The degree of danger, potential harm, and urgency in case of incorrect operation are indicated by DANGER, WARNING, and CAUTION. Each of these indications denotes important safety-related items. Be sure to observe these items. The symbols and their meanings are as follows.

#### Degree of Injury/Damage and Corresponding Safety Symbol

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	This indicates contents that could result in serious injury or death for the user if this symbol is ignored, and operation is not performed properly.
	This indicates contents that could result in injury for the user or physical damage of the product if this symbol is ignored, and operation is not performed properly.

#### Safety Symbols Used on This Product and in This Manual

0	This indicates a prohibited operation. The prohibited operation is
$\bigcirc$	indicated symbolically in or near the barred circle.
$\bigcirc$	This indicates an obligatory safety precaution. The obligatory
	operation is indicated symbolically in or near the circle.
$\triangle$	This indicates warning or caution. The contents are indicated
	symbolically in or near the triangle.
	This indicates a note. The contents are described in the box.
RA A	This indicates that the marked part should be recycled.

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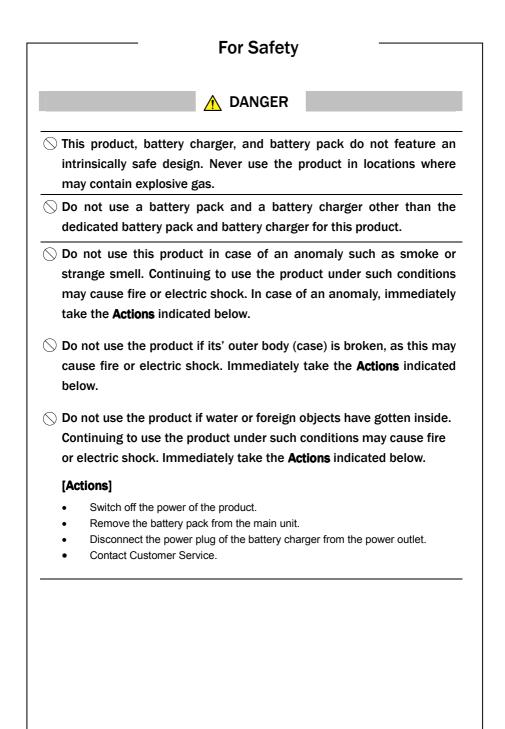
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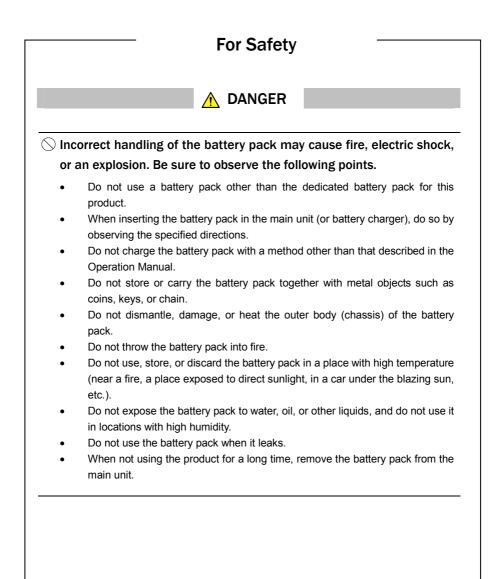
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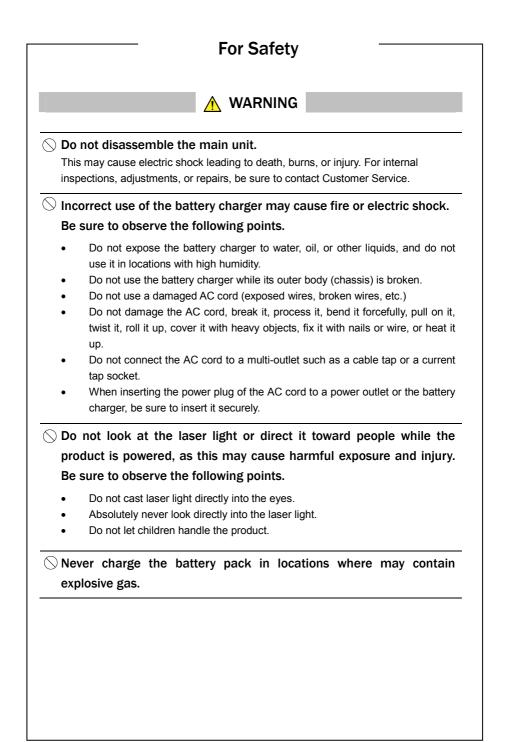
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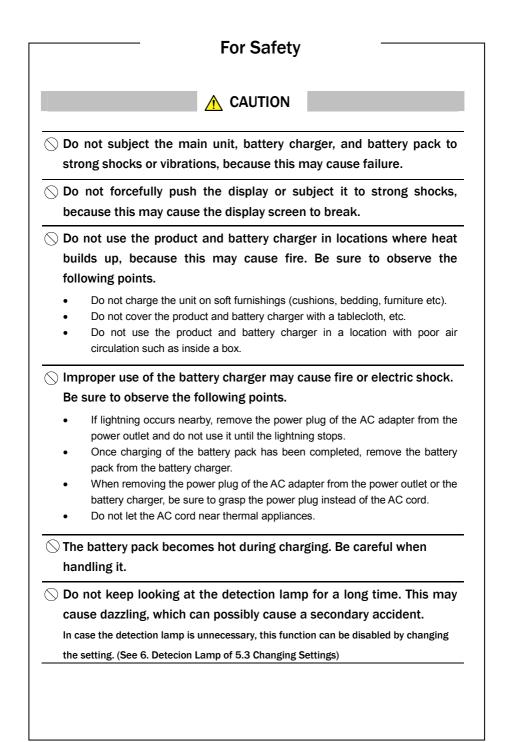
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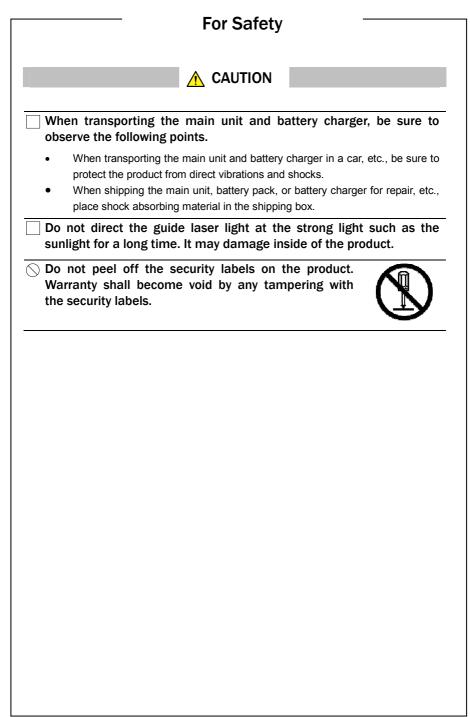








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Reg	gularly charge the battery pack once a month.
	en using this product, be careful with electrostatic discharge. necessary for this product to restart because of the electrostatic discharge.
Brea	en using the product, be sure to use the strap. akage, failure, and foot injury caused by a dropping of the product can be vented by using the strap.
oth ele	curate gas measurement may not be possible in the vicinity of er electric devices or industrial equipment that produces ctrical noise. In this case, perform gas measurement with the duct a little farther away.
(su	not use the product in locations where hydrogen sulfide occurs ch as hot springs), or locations with a lot of salt (such as the accoast), because this may shorten the life of the product.
$\triangle$ Wh	en storing the product, be sure to observe the following points.
• •	Do not store the product in extremely hot locations such as inside a car, or in cold locations directly exposed to outside air. Avoid storing the product in locations where it can be exposed to strong vibrations. Storing the battery pack in high temperatures may shorten its life, so store it at 30°C or lower.





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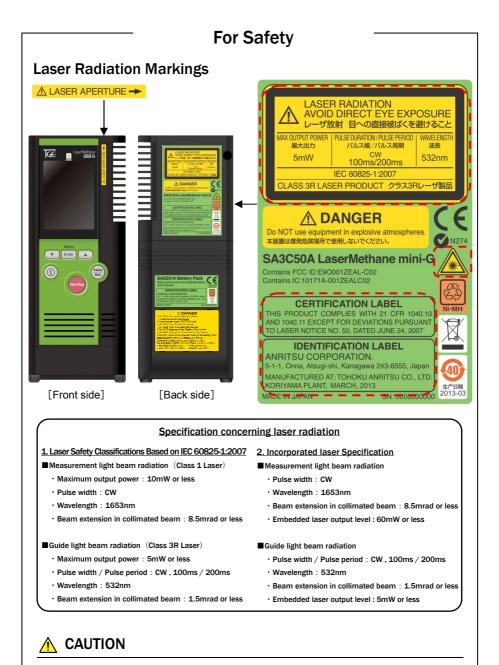
The guide light beam radiation is classified as Class 3R according to the IEC 60825-1 specifications.

Classes are indicated on the label attached to the top of the product (Refer to "Laser Radiation Markings").

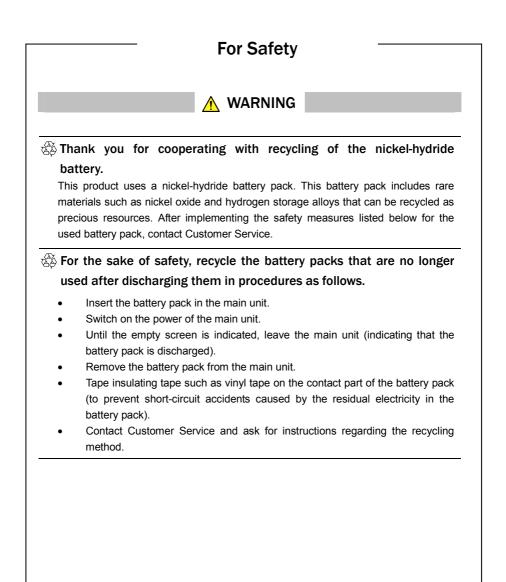
Do not look into the laser guide light directly, because the laser radiation might harm your eyes. Do not use towards other people while the product is powered. The output of the laser guide light can be confirmed with an indication of [LASER] on the display.

Class 1 and 3R indicate the danger degree of the laser beam specified below according to IEC 60825-1.

- Class 1: Laser radiation that is safe under reasonably foreseeable conditions of operation, including the use of optical instruments for intrabeam viewing.
- Class3R: Lasers that emit in the wavelength range from 302,5 nm to 106 nm where direct intrabeam viewing is potentially hazardous but the risk is lower than for Class 3B lasers, and fewer manufacturing requirements and control measures for the user apply than for Class 3B lasers. The accessible emission limit is within five times the AEL (Accessible Emission Limit) of Class 2 in the wavelength range from 400 nm to 700 nm and within five times the AEL of Class 1 for other wavelengths.



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lu	etooth Communication Function
	If either this product or the Android device is placed in a metal case, connection may not be established. After connection is established, if this product or the Android device is placed in a metal case, communication may be disconnected, communication distance become shorter, or each of the devices cannot communicate correctly. Please use this product and the Android device without putting in a metal case. If the Bluetooth function of this product is used near the equipment with the wireless LAN (IEEE802.11b/g), the communication speed of wireless LAN may be degraded. In addition, communication speed between this product and the Android device may also be degraded, or the communication may be disconnected. So in this case, turn off the wireless LAN or please use this product and the Android device may also be device the wireless LAN or please use this product and the Android device and the Android device device the wireless LAN or please use this product and the Android device and the Android device device device and the Android device devic
	away from the equipment with the wireless LAN. The communication distance between this product and the Android device is approximately 10 m. However, it is increased or decreased by the environment of usage or radio wave conditions.
i	The radio wave of 2.4 GHz band used as Bluetooth communication may affect the medical electronic devices. When this product is used at the place that there is medical electronic devices, be careful about the effect to the medical electronic devices.
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#### Notes In Regard To Use

#### Ensure the following points.

- Upon handling this product, please take sufficient precautions against static electricity. Please use this product in an environmemt where sufficient measures are implemented against static electricity.
- This product is not an intrinsically safe product. Never use the product in location that contain explosive gas.

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# CE marking

#### **1. Product Model**

Model:	SA3C50A LaserMethane mini-G			
	and			
Accessories:	SA0Z51A BATTERY PACK			
	SA0Z52A BATTERY CHARGER			
	SA0Z47A AC ADAPTER SET			
	SA0Z44B STRAP (Long type)			
	SA0Z41A PROTECT COVER			

#### **2. Applied Directive**

EMC: Council Directive 2004/108/EC R&TTE: Council Directive 1999/5/EC

#### **3. Applied Standards**

EMC: Emission: EN61326-1: 2006

Immunity: EN61326-1: 2006

	SA3C50A	SA0Z52A	Performance Criteria*
IEC61000-4-2 (ESD)	-		В
IEC61000-4-3 (EMF)	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	А
IEC61000-4-4 (Burst)	-	-	В
IEC61000-4-5 (Surge)	-	-	В
IEC61000-4-6 (CRF)	-	-	А
IEC61000-4-8 (RPFMF)	-	-	А
IEC61000-4-11 (V dip/short)	-	-	C

\*: Performance Criteria

A: Normal performance within the specification limits during testing.

- B: Temporary degradation, or functional loss, which self-recovers during testing.
- C: Temporary functional loss is allowed, provided that the function is self-recoverable or the operational control can be restored.

The power consumption of the AC ADAPTER is 29.70W, which is less than 75W and no limits apply. Therefore it is deemed to comply with EN61000-3-2 without any testing.

R&TTE: HEALTH & SAFETY (Article 3.1(a)): EN60950-1:2006 +A11:2009 +A1:2010 +A12:2011 \*) EN62479:2010 \*)

> EMC (Article 3.1(b)): EN 301 489-1 V1.9.2 (2011-09) EN 301 489-17 V2.2.1 (2012-09)

SPECTRUM (Article 3.2) EN 300 328 V1.7.1 (2006-10) \*)

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	SA0Z41A PROTECT COVER

#### 2. Applied Standards

EMC: Emission: AS/NZS 2064.1/2 (ISM, Group 1, Class A equipment)

#### **FCC Regulations**

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

This transmitter must not be co-located or operated in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

#### **RF Exposure Compliance**

This equipment complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment and meets the FCC radio frequency (RF) Exposure Guidelines in Supplement C to OET65. This equipment has very low levels of RF energy that it deemed to comply without maximum permissive exposure evaluation (MPE). But it is desirable that it should be installed and operated keeping the radiator at least 20cm or more away from person's body (excluding extremities: hands, wrists, feet and ankles).

#### **IC Regulations**

This device complies with Industry Canada licence-exempt RSS standard(s).

Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- (1) this device may not cause interference, and
- (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

Le présent appareil est conforme aux CNR d'Industrie Canada applicables aux appareils radio exempts de licence.

L'exploitation est autorisée aux deux conditions suivantes :

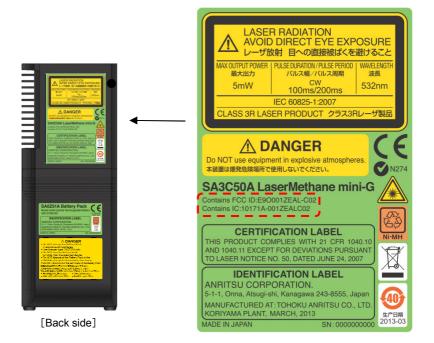
- (1) l'appareil ne doit pas produire de brouillage, et
- (2) l'utilisateur de l'appareil doit accepter tout brouillage radioélectrique subi, même si le brouillage est susceptible d'en compromettre le fonctionnement.

#### **RF Exposure Compliance**

This equipment complies with IC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment and meets RSS-102 of the IC radio frequency (RF) Exposure rules. This equipment has very low levels of RF energy that it deemed to comply without maximum permissive exposure evaluation (MPE). But it is desirable that it should be installed and operated keeping the radiator at least 20cm or more away from person's body (excluding extremities: hands, wrists, feet and ankles).

Cet équipement est conforme aux limites d'exposition aux rayonnements énoncées pour un environnement non contrôlé et respecte les règles d'exposition aux fréquences radioélectriques (RF) CNR-102 de l'IC. Cet équipement émet une énergie RF très faible qui est considérée conforme sans évaluation de l'exposition maximale autorisée. Cependant, cet équipement doit être installé et utilisé en gardant une distance de 20 cm ou plus entre le dispositif rayonnant et le corps (à l'exception des extrémités : mains, poignets, pieds et chevilles).

#### FCC/IC ID Drawing



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#### KC marking



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- 제품명 : LaserMethane mini-G
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#### **About This Manual**

This operation manual describes how to use and maintain the SA3C50A LaserMethane [111]-G (hereinafter, this product). Chapter 1 describes "Outline and Principle" and the following sections provide more detailed explanations.

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## **1. Outline and Principle**

#### 1.1 Outline

This product is a handheld gas detector for remote detection of methane and methane-containing gases (natural gas or similar). Gas leakage and accumulation within approximately 30 meters can be detected quickly by directing a laser beam at the area to be inspected.

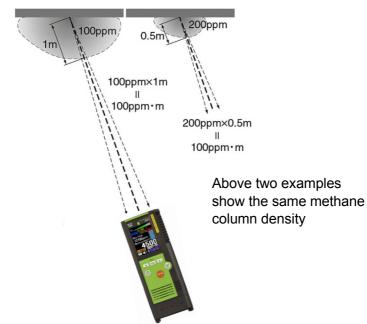
The measuring point is illuminated by a green guide light clearly visible, and then the measured value of methane is displayed on the display in real time.

With this product, after connecting to the Android phone or tablet device (hereinafter, Android device) with the Bluetooth, you can transfer measured data to the Android device. On the Android device, data storage and graphical display are possible with a dedicated application software. Moreover, working with the GPS (Global Positioning System) function mounted on the Android device, measurement and location data can be displayed on the Google Maps.



#### **1.2** Principle

This product is based on Infrared Absorption Spectroscopy using a semiconductor laser for methane detection. The integrated concentration of methane between this product and the target point is measured by transmitting a detection laser beam towards the target point (gas piping, ceiling, wall, floor, ground, etc.) then detecting a fraction of the diffusely reflected beam from that target point. The measured value is expressed by a methane column density (ppm·m): the methane concentration (ppm) multiplied by the thickness (m).



In addition, this product does not respond in principle to gases other than methane (butane, propane, etc.). This product cannot perform detection in places where detection laser beam cannot reach, such as the opposite side of a wall or underground.

## 2. Introduction

#### 2.1 Checking Package Contents

Remove the main unit and the supplied accessories from the package and make sure that you have received all the items listed below. If there are any missing or damaged items, immediately contact Customer Service.

#### Main unit

Main unit: 1 unit



Battery pack: 1 pc.



#### **Standard Accessories**

Battery charger: 1 unit



Protect cover: 1 pc.



AC adapter: 1 unit



Operation manual (this manual): 1 vol.

Strap: 1 pc.





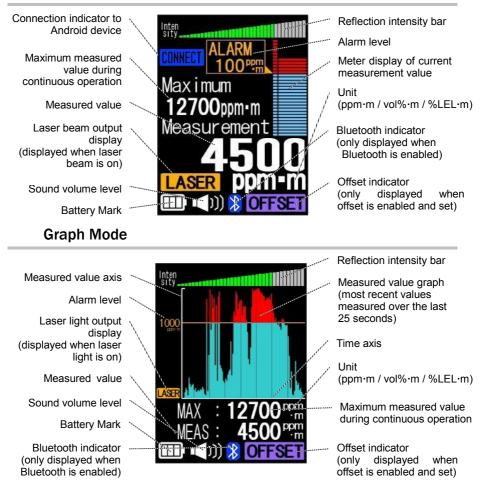
# 3. Nomenclature

# 3.1 Main unit



## 3.2 Display

#### Numeric Mode



When the remaining battery level is shown in the figure on the right, the power will switch off in approx.15 min. If this symbol appears, recharge the battery pack. (See "4.1 Charging Battery Pack")

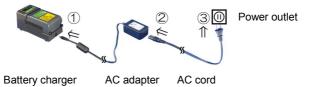


# 4. Preparations Before Use

## 4.1 Charging Battery Pack

#### **Charging Method**

 Connect the battery charger, AC adapter, AC cord, and power outlet in the sequence shown below, (1-2-3).



 Attach the battery pack so that the corner of the battery pack coincides with the ∆ mark on the battery charger (slide the battery pack securely all the way to the end).



- Explanation of LED display of battery charger
  - The orange LED, when lit, indicates that charging is in progress.
  - The green LED, when lit, indicates that charging has been completed.
  - The red LED, when lit, indicates an anomaly.

## 🕂 DANGER

When the red LED of the battery charger lights up, immediately disconnect the power plug of the battery charger from the power outlet, remove the battery pack from the battery charger, and contact Customer Service.  When charging is completed, remove the battery pack from the battery charger by sliding it out.



 Disconnect the power plug of the battery charger from the power outlet after charging is completed.

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The battery pack and the battery charger may become hot during charging.

## 🔥 WARNING

Use the dedicated battery pack only with the dedicated battery charger.

Do not use an AC adapter such as a car charger other than the dedicated one.

## 🔥 WARNING

Never charge the battery pack in a location with flammable gas.

#### 🔥 WARNING

This product, battery charger, and battery pack does not feature an intrinsically safe design.

#### **Replacement Schedule**

The battery pack has a service life of approximately 500 cycles\*. If the operating time of the product becomes extremely short even though it has been fully charged, this indicates that the battery pack has reached the end of its service life. Replace the battery pack with a new one.

\* This figure is a guideline based on JIS C8708 test conditions. (The actual number of cycles may differ according to the product and the usage conditions.)

## 4.2 Attaching Strap

#### Attach the strap

See the figure on the right.



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To prevent breaking of the product due to dropping, be sure to use it with your hand through the strap.

## 4.3 Attaching Battery Pack

#### Attaching the battery pack to the main unit

- Attach the battery pack so that the corner of the battery pack coincides with the ∆ mark on the main unit.
- Tighten the two battery pack fixing screws at the base of the battery pack.



#### Removing the battery pack

- Loosen the two battery pack fixing screws at the base of the battery pack.
- Remove the battery pack by pulling it sideways to the ∆ mark on the main unit and then pull it up.



## A CAUTION

Two months or more, when you do not use it, please remove a battery pack from a main unit. If a battery pack is kept while connecting with a main unit two months or more, there is a case where a battery pack serves as fault electric discharge, and it becomes impossible to use it.

# 5. Operation Method

## 5.1 Starting Up and Ending

#### Switching on the power

- Press the Power button for approximately 2 seconds. (The product will emit a beeping sound.)
- **2.** The startup screen appears for a few seconds, followed by the self-test screen, which is also displayed for a few seconds.
  - The startup time may be longer depending on the temperature.
  - The self-test is a self-diagnostic test for accurate measurement.
  - After the startup and self-test, if you set the "1. Enable" in the "8.

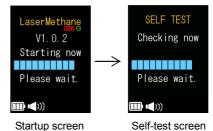
Gas test" on the [SETTINGS]

screen, the proceeding screen for the gas test to be performed by the customer will be displayed.

(See "5.6 Gas test by customer" for details about the gas test.)

- Once the measurement preparations have been completed, the numeric mode screen shown on the right is displayed, and the product becomes stand-by state of measurement.
  - The screen can be switched to the graph mode by pressing the Display/Back button.







#### Switching off the power

Press the Power button for approximately
 2 seconds. (The product will emit a beeping sound.)



2. The screen will switch off.

## 🔥 WARNING

Never use the product in locations that contain explosive gas.

This product, battery charger, and battery pack does not feature an intrinsically safe design.

## 5.2 Measurement

1. Press the Start/Stop button (red button at the center) and direct the guide light toward the area to be measured.

> If the measured value is displayed in white, the

> measurement was done

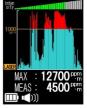
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- When the measurement is started, the guide ٠ light flashes. If you press the Enter button, you can switch the guide light to continuous light.
- The measured value is displayed as shown on the screen on the aximum 2700ppm-m



Numeric mode

Graph mode

- \* If the measured value is displayed in gray, it is a reference value (this is a value with low measurement accuracy due to insufficient received light intensity.).
- ٠ To toggle the screen, press the Display/Back button. (numeric mode  $\leftrightarrow$  graph mode)





- 3. To end measurement, press the Start/Stop button again.
  - During measurement, the measured and maximum values are displayed every 0.5 seconds, and when measurement ends, the data is kept.
  - The measurement values displayed in the graph mode are the most recent values measured over the last 25 seconds.
  - If the reflection intensity bars are not indicated in green, try to increase the sensitivity for example by reducing the measuring distance (until four or more bars are lit).
  - The unit is provided with functions that give an acoustic alarm and a flashing detection lamp when it detects a column density exceeding a preset threshold. (See "5.3 Changing Settings")

## A CAUTION

In ordinary use, please use this product with the flashing guide light. Under the below zero degree environment, please switch to the continuous gide light. Under the low-temperature environment, the flashing guide light power tends to be lower than that of under the normal temperature environment.

# AUTION

Under the below zero degree environment, the guide light may be dark for a few minutes after this product is started up. When the guide light is switched to the continuous light after a while, the guide light will reaches at the specified brightness.

## 🔥 WARNING

Laser beam is on while the "LASER" on the display is lit, never direct the laser beam toward people or look into the laser beam output windows.

## 🔥 WARNING

When not using this product, be sure to switch it off.

## 🔥 WARNING

Never use the product in locations that contain explosive gas.

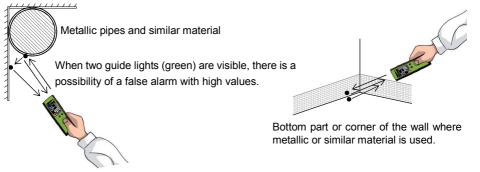
This product, battery charger, and battery pack does not feature an intrinsically safe design.

#### Notes in methane detection

 Upon measuring highly reflective material such as metallic material, please be careful with situations as shown in Figure A, where two guide lights (green) are visible caused by reflection, which may cause false alarms by indicating high values regardless of the presence of methane.

In such case, please point as shown in Figure B, where only a single guide light (green) can be seen.

[Figure-A : Possibility of a false alarm with high values]

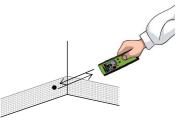


[Figure-B: To get correct value]

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Metallic pipes and similar material

When only a single guide light (green) is visible, correct values can be obtained.



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2. For a PE (polyethylene) pipe with a wall thickness of less than 10mm, please note that you may get wrong measurements if you keep pointing the laser directly at the PE pipe, because laser light penetrates through depending on its thickness.

## **5.3 Changing Settings**

#### Common operations for changing settings

> The [SETTINGS] screen can be displayed in the two ways.

First way; display the [SETTINGS] screen when from the stand-by.

- Press the Menu/Enter button when the product is powered on and on stand-by.
- The [SETTINGS] screen shown on the right will be displayed.
- Select the item from (1 to 9) with the ▲ ▼ buttons, and then press the Menu/Enter button.
  - To return to the measurement standby screen, press the Display/Back button.
  - During the measurement, the [SETTINGS] screen will not be displayed.
  - If you don't do the gas test described below, please select the "8. Gas test" in the [SETTINGS] screen.







#### Second way; display the [SETTINGS] screen when from the power is off.

- Press the Power button for approx. 2 seconds with the Menu/Enter button kept pressed. (The product will emit a beeping sound.)
- The [FUNCTION SELECTION] screen shown on the right will be displayed.
- **3.** Select the [2. Settings] with the  $\blacktriangle \lor$  buttons.
- 4. Press the Menu/Enter button.
- 5. The [SETTINGS] screen will be displayed.
- Select the item from (1 to 9) with the ▲ ▼ buttons, and then press the Menu/Enter button.
  - To return to the [FUNCTION SELECTION] screen, press the Display/Back button in the [SETTINGS] screen.
  - In the case, from the [SETTINGS] screen, it is not possible to go back to the measurement screen. In order to display the measurement standby screen, please switch off the power, and then switch on.
  - If you don't do the gas test described below, please select the "8. Gas test" in the [SETTINGS] screen.









#### 1. Alarm Level

The methane column density level at which an alarm threshold can be set.

In the main menu select "1. Alarm level"

 The [ALARM LEVEL] screen shown on the right will be displayed.

(The default setting value is 100 ppm·m.)



- Select a value with the ▲ ▼ buttons for the 1000's digit, and then press the Menu/Enter button.
  - To leave the value as indicated just press the Menu/Enter button or the Display/Back button as is.
- 3. Likewise, select a value for the 100's digit, 10's digit, and 1's digit.
- **4.** Once the setting for the 1's digit is completed, the buzzer sounds twice to indicate that the setting has been accepted.
- **5.** Your set value will be displayed on the numeric mode and graph mode screen.
  - The set value is not be reset even when the power is switched off.
  - The alarm levels can be set up similarly for the other measuring units.
    (See "7. UNIT" in this section.)

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Set the [Alarm level] greater than the [Offset value]. If the [Alarm level] is not set greater than the [Offset value], the alarm doesn't sound and the detection lamp doesn't flash even when this product detects methane. See [2. Offset Value] about how to set the [Offset value].

#### 2. Offset Value

The measured value is displayed in the screen when it exceeds the offset value.

In the main menu select "2. Offset value"

 The [OFFSET VAL.] screen shown on the right will be displayed.

(The default setting value is 0 ppm·m)



- Select a value with the ▲ ▼ buttons for the 100's digit, and then press the Menu/Enter button.
  - To leave the value as indicated just press the Menu/Enter button or Display/Back button as is.
- 3. Likewise, select a value for the 10's digit, and 1's digit.
- **4.** Once the setting for the 1's digit is completed, the buzzer sounds twice to indicate that the setting has been accepted.
- 5. [OFFSET] is shown on the bottom of the display.
  - The set value will not be reset when the power is switched off.
  - The offset values can be set up similarly for the other measuring units.
    (See "7. UNIT" in this section.)
  - If you enter the offset values greater than the maximum values, the setting screen is not closed, and the offset value is not set. The maximum values for each measuring unit are shown below.

UNIT		Maximum Value
ppm⋅m		500
vol%∙m		0.05
	100%LEL·m = 4.4 vol%·m	1.1
%LEL·m	100%LEL·m = 5.0 vol%·m	1.0

## 3. Sound Volume Level

In the main menu select "3. Sound level"

 The [SOUND LEVEL] screen shown on the right will be displayed.

(The default setting value is 2 (middle).)

- **2.** Adjust the sound volume level with the  $\blacktriangle \lor$  buttons.
- **3.** Press the Menu/Enter button.
- 4. The set value will be shown on the bottom of the display.
  - The set value will not be reset even when the power is switched off.

#### 4. Screen Brightness

In the main menu select "4. Display"

 The [DISPLAY] screen shown on the right will be displayed.

(The default setting value is 5.)

- **2.** Adjust the brightness with the  $\blacktriangle \lor$  buttons.
- **3.** Press the Menu/Enter button.
  - The set value will not be reset even when the power is switched off.





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#### 5. Display Language

In the main menu select "5. Language"

 The [LANGUAGE] screen shown on the right will be displayed.

(The default setting value is "1. English".)

- **2.** Select the language with the  $\blacktriangle \lor$  buttons.
- **3.** Press the Menu/Enter button.
  - The set value will not be reset even when the power is switched off.

#### 6. Detection Lamp

The detection lamp flashes when the methane column density is over the set Alarm Level.

In the main menu select "6. Detect lamp"

 The [DETECT LAMP] screen shown on the right will be displayed.

(The default setting value is "1. Enable")

- 2. Select the enable / disable with the  $\blacktriangle \lor$  buttons.
- **3.** Press the Menu/Enter button.
  - The set value will not be reset even when the power is switched off.





## 7. Unit

In the main menu select "7. Unit"

 The [Unit] screen shown on the right will be displayed.

(The default setting value is "1. ppm·m")

- **2.** Select the unit with the  $\blacktriangle \lor$  buttons.
- **3.** Press the Menu/Enter button.

When the "3. %LEL·m" is selected in the upper right screen, the [Unit] screen shown on the right will be displayed. The lower explosion limit value indicated by the column density can be selected.

- 1. Select the unit with the  $\blacktriangle \lor$  buttons.
- 2. Press the Menu/Enter button.
  - The set value will not be reset even when the power is switched off.

[Unit]
1.ppm·m 2.vol%·m
3. %LEL · m



#### 8. Gas test

- Using the gas cell, you can perform the gas test on this product. For the gas test, you should use our approved gas cell. If you have any questions on the gas cell, contact Customer Service or your local sales agent.
- About the approved gas cell, contact Customer Service or your local sales agent.
- About proceeding to the gas test, refer to the "5.6 Gas test by customer" for details.

In the main menu select "8. Gas test"

 The [GAS TEST] screen shown on the right will be displayed.

(The default setting is "2. Disable")

- **2.** Select the Enable/Disable with the  $\blacktriangle \lor$  buttons.
- 3. Press the Menu/Enter button.
  - The set value will not be reset even when the power is switched off.
  - The gas test is performed at the time of startup.



#### 9. Bluetooth

- With this product, by connecting to the Android device with the Bluetooth, you can transfer measurement data to the Android device. On the Android device, data storage and graphical display are possible with a dedicated application software.
- About the Android device, the dedicated application software, and the proceeding to connection, contact Customer Service or your local sales agent.

In the main menu select "9. Bluetooth"

 The [Bluetooth] screen shown on the right will be displayed.

(The default setting value is "2. Disable")

- 2. Select the Enable/Disable with the  $\blacktriangle \forall$  buttons.
- 3. Press the Menu/Enter button.
- 4. Bluetooth logo is shown on the bottom of the display.
  - The set value will not be reset even when the power is switched off.



## **5.4 Automatic Calibration**

- If "SELF TEST FAILURE" is displayed at startup, perform an automatic calibration using the procedure below.
- After making sure that the power of the product is off, press the Power button for approx. 2 seconds with the Menu/Enter button kept pressed.
- **2.** The [FUNCTION SELECTION] screen shown on the right will be displayed.
- Select the [1. Auto calibration] with the ▲▼ buttons.
- 4. Press the Menu/Enter button.
- Automatic calibration will start, and for 2 to 3 minutes, the [AUTO CALIBRATION] screen shown on the right will be displayed. (The progress status can be checked with the count-down counter at the center of the

screen.)

6. Upon completion of automatic calibration, the self-test is executed. The numeric mode screen shown to the right will be displayed, and the product will enter stand-by state of measurement.





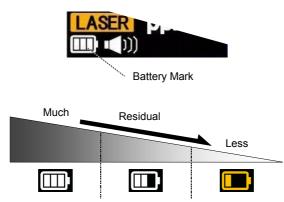




 If automatic calibration does not complete successfully, it is performed again a second time. (Time until completion will be approx. 4 to 5 minutes.) Numeric mode

## **5.5 Indicating Residual Power of Battery Pack**

The battery mark shown on the display indicates the battery pack residual power.



When the battery power of the battery pack is lost until this product doesn't operate, the empty screen shown on the right will be displayed, and there will be an alarm.



## 5.6 Gas test by customer

- If you set the "1. Enable" on the "8. Gas test" of the [SETTINGS] screen, when this product is started up, you can perform the gas test on this product.
- After the startup and the self-test, the [GAS TEST] proceeding screen on the right will be displayed.
- **2.** Follow the proceedings, equip the gas cell, and press the Menu/Enter button.
- **3.** The [Gas TEST] will start, and the performance screen shown on the right will be displayed.
- 4. The result will be shown.



Gas test : OK







- About the proceedings of the gas test, methane concentration, and the approved gas cell, contact Customer Service or your local sales agent.
- If the [Gas test : NG] is displayed, contact Customer Service or your local sales agent.
- You can change the setting of the gas test on the [SETTINGS] screen from when this product is powered off. About how to change the setting of the gas test on the [SETTINGS] screen, please refer to the "Common operations for changing settings" in the "5.3 Changing Settings".

## 5.7 Connect this product with Android device

- If you set the "1. Enable" in the "9. Bluetooth" of the [SETTINGS] screen, you can transfer the measurement data to Android device with the Bluetooth.
- After making sure that the Bluetooth logo is displayed in the bottom of the display.
- 2. Connect this product to the Android device.
  - About the Android device, the dedicated application software, and the proceeding to connection, contact Customer Service or your local sales agent.
- Connection between this product and the Android device is successful, [CONNECT] is displayed on the upper left of the screen.
  - If [CONNECT] does not appear on the upper left of the screen, this product and the Android device are not connected.



 If this product is not connected to the Android device, the measurement data cannot be transferred to the Android device.



# 6. Error Messages

#### 6.1 Explanation of Errors and Measures

#### When "OPERATION ERROR" is displayed

- **1.** Switch off the power of the product.
- **2.** (After checking that the power is switched off), switch on the power.
- If the same error reoccurs, perform automatic calibration after making sure that the power of the product is off. (See "5.4 Automatic Calibration")



 If the same error message is displayed repeatedly, request repair.

CAUSE The product is not in a measurement-enabled state.

#### When "SELF TEST FAILURE" is displayed

- 1. Switch off the power of the product.
- **2.** (After checking that the power is switched off), switch on the power.
  - If the same error message is displayed repeatedly, perform steps 3 and 4 below.
- 3. Switch off the power.
- **4.** Perform automatic calibration.

(See "5.4 Automatic Calibration")

CAUSE

The product does not meet the prescribed measurement capability.



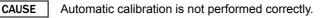


## When "AUTO CALIBRATION FAILURE" is displayed

- **1.** Switch off the power of the product.
- **2.** (After checking that the power is switched off), perform automatic calibration.

(See "5.4 Automatic Calibration")

 If the same error message is displayed repeatedly, request repair.



## When "PARAMETER ERROR" is displayed

- **1.** Switch off the power of the product.
- **2.** (After checking that the power is switched off), switch on the power.
  - If the same error message is displayed repeatedly, request repair.



CAUSE Abnormal operation parameters

## When "SYSTEM ERROR" is displayed

- **1.** Switch off the power of the product.
- **2.** (After checking that the power is switched off), switch on the power.
  - If the same error message is displayed repeatedly, request repair.



CAUSE

Anomaly in control block





#### When "Not enough reflection" is displayed

- Shorten the distance to the detection point.
- Perform measurement from a perpendicular angle rather than a slanting angle against a reflecting object at the detection point.



CAUSE

Insufficient received light

#### When "Too much reflection" is displayed

- Change the detection direction or the angle of the product so that external light such as sunlight does not get in the unit.
- Change the detection point so that strong light does not get in the unit.



CAUSE

Strong light such as sunlight is getting inside the light receiver.

This may be caused by an object with extremely high reflection such as a mirror.

#### When "High density gas" is displayed

- The detectable range of this product is between 1 ~ 50,000 ppm·m.
- The full scale is 50,000 ppm·m.

CAUSE When detecting methane thicker than 50,000 ppm·m, this product cannot measure correctly.



# 7. IN CASE OF TROUBLE

#### 7.1 Problems and Solutions

# The product does not operate even when the Power button is pressed.

• Did you continue pressing until you hear a beep sound? (approx. 2 seconds)

(See "5.1 Starting Up and Ending")

Is the battery pack sufficiently charged?
 Use a fully charged battery pack.

(See "4.1 Charging Battery Pack")

#### No measurement beep sound is emitted

 Has the [SOUND LEVEL] setting been set to off? (See "5.3 Changing Settings")

#### No alarm of alarm

- Has the [ALARM LEVEL] setting been set to a high value? (See "5.3 Changing Settings")
- Has the [SOUND LEVEL] setting been set to off?

(See "5.3 Changing Settings")

#### The battery pack cannot be charged

- Is the battery pack correctly attached to the battery charger? (See "4.1 Charging Battery Pack")
- Are the battery charger, AC adapter, AC cord, and power outlet correctly connected?

(See "4.1 Charging Battery Pack")

• Is the red LED of the battery charger lit?

(See "4.1 Charging Battery Pack")

# 8. Daily Maintenance

## 8.1 Maintenance Method

If the laser beam output window and the light receiver of the product are soiled, gently wipe them clean with a dry soft cloth being careful not to scratch them.

# 9. Main Specifications

# 9.1 Main Specifications of Main Unit

Items	Specifications		
Tamat Oas	Methane (CH <sub>4</sub> ) and methane-containing gases		
Target Gas	(natural gas and similar)		
Units	ppm·m / vol%·m / %LEL·m		
Detection limits	1 ~ 50,000 ppm⋅m (0 ~ 5.00vol%⋅m)		
Accuracy of detection	±10 % note 1)		
Detection speed	0.1 seconds		
Detection distance	0.5 m ~ 30 m		
Detection distance	0.5 m ~ 100 m (using a reflect sheet)		
Battery Rechargeable nickel metal hydride			
	With Bluetooth connected		
	Approx. 4.5 hours		
Operating time	With Bluetooth disconnected		
	Approx. 5 hours		
	(at 25°C, Display level: 5, flashing guide light)		
Laser Safety	IEC60825-1 (JIS C6802)		
Guide light	Output wavelength: 532nm		
	Output level: 5mW (Class 3R) or less		
Measurement light	Output wavelength: 1653nm		
	Output level: 10mW (Class 1) or less		
	NEVER LOOK INTO THE LASER BEAM		
External Communication	Bluetooth Ver.2.1 +EDR Class2		
method	Profile : Serial Port Profile		

note 1) The Accuracy of detection at 100ppm·m and 1,000ppm·m on the special measurement system.

Items	Specifications
	EMC Directive
	EN 61326-1:2006
	R&TTE Directive
Applicable Standarda	EN 60950-1 : 2006 +A11 : 2009 +A1 : 2010 +A12 : 2011
Applicable Standards	EN 62479:2010
	EN 301 489-1 V1.9.2 (2011-09)
	EN 301 489-17 V2.2.1 (2012-09)
	EN 300 328 V1.7.7 (2006-10)
Operating temperature	-17 ~ 50 °C note2)
Operating humidity	30 ~ 90 % (No dew condensation)
Storage temperature	-20 ~ 60 °C
Storage humidity	90 % or less
Dimensions	70 (W) x 179 (D) x 42 (H) mm
Weight	530 g or less (Including Battery Pack)

note 2) Under the below zero degree environment, the guide light may be dark for a while after this product is started up. When the guide light is switched to the continuous light after the elapse of approximately 10 minites, the guide light will reaches at the specified brightness. It does not affect the measurement quality.

# 9.2 Main Specifications of Battery Charger and AC Adapter

Items	Specifications
Specified battery	Dedicated Battery Pack
Charging Time	Approx. 4 hrs
Operating temperature	5 ~ 35 °C
Operating humidity	30 ~ 90 % (No dew condensation)
Storage temperature	-10 ~ 60 °C
Storage humidity	90 % or less
AC adapter input voltage	100 ~ 240VAC
AC adapter output voltage	12VDC



#### WARNING

Never charge the battery pack in a location with flammable gas.



This product, battery charger, and battery pack does not feature an intrinsically safe design.

# **10.** Ordering Information

# 10.1 Main Unit and Standard Accessories

For EU

Model Type	Product Name			Remarks
SA3C50A-B1				
-SA3C50A	LaserMethane mini-G			
	main unit	: 1 unit		
-SA0Z51A	Battery pack	: 1 pc.		
-SA0Z52A	Battery charger	: 1 unit		
-SA0Z47A	AC Adapter Set	: 1 unit	Set in there is	one following
			SA0Z43A AC	CAdapter
			SA0Z45A Po	ower Cable
-SA0Z44B	Strap (Long type)	: 1 pc.		
SA0Z41A	Protect cover	: 1 pc.		
_	Operation manual	: 1 vol.	AD-E0012AZC	)12

• For Republic of Korea

Model Type	Product Name		Remarks
SA3C50A-C1			
-SA3C50A	LaserMethane mini-G		
	main unit	: 1 unit	
-SA0Z51A	Battery pack	: 1 pc.	
-SA0Z52A	Battery charger	: 1 unit	
-SA0Z44B	Strap (Long type)	: 1 pc.	
SA0Z41A	Protect cover	: 1 pc.	
_	Operation manual	: 1 vol.	AD-E0012AZ012

# **11**. Inquiries

Direct any questions about the product or reports about problems to Customer Service or to your local sales agent.

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