## USER MANUAL

VT3500 VOLTAGE DETECTOR

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#### **OVERVIEW**





- DEVICE
- 01 Probe (NCV inductive head)
- 02 Flashlight
- 03 Induced voltage signal LED
- 04 Battery cover
- KEYPAD
- A Signal intensity indicator
- B Power button
- C Flashlight button
- D AC voltage range selector

## SAFETY

Please read the safety instructions provided in the separate booklet with the device.

Test device on a known live circuit before use to ensure the device fuctions properly.

Before using this tester, even there's no sound or light alarm, voltage may still exist. The tester only indicates the valid voltage when there's AC voltage generating electrostatic field with sufficient intensity. If the electric field intensity is very low, the tester may not detect.

### NOTE

Be extra carefull when measuring voltages over AC 36V to avoid electric shock.

## BATTERY

This device uses 2 Alkaline 1,5 Volt AAA batteries. Inserted in the back of the device by unscrewing the cap [04].

When the battery is low, the power indicator will flash three times while the buzzer sounds.

Replace the battery as soon as this happens.

## **FIRST TIME USAGE**

Remove all plastics from the device before using and insert the batteries that came with the device.

### USE

#### TURNING ON/OFF THE DEVICE

· To turn on the testing device, press the power button [B].

All the devices' indicators and buttons will flash once to indicate that the device is on and functioning.

· Press the power button [B] again to turn off the device.

#### NOTE

The device will remain on stand-by mode once turned on for 5 minutes, even if there are no lights indicating it, the device is turned on!

#### TURNING ON/OFF THE FLASHLIGHT

The voltage detector has a built-in flashlight that allows the user to work safely and accurately in darker spaces.

- To turn on the device's built-in flashlight, press the flashlight button [C].
- Press the flashlight button [C] once more to turn off the flashlight.

#### AC DETECTION RANGE SELECTION

The Voltage Detector has multiple ranges in which it can detect voltage. The default range will always be 48~1000V.

- Press the AC voltage range selector button [D], the button will light up and the range will be switched to 12~1000V
- Pressing the button [D] again will reset you to the default range, the light turns off again.

#### AC VOLTAGE DETECTION

Using the probe [01] of the tester, we can check if a wire or power socket is live.

• Insert the probe [01] of the tester into power socket or get close to the live wire.

When the tester detects an AC voltage signal, the induced voltage signal indicator [03] flashes, and the tester lights up corresponding signal intensity indicator[A] according to the detected signal intensity.

Low  $\rightarrow$  Green flashes - Medium  $\rightarrow$  Green continuous -High  $\rightarrow$  Red continuous.

The buzzer makes alarming sounds of different frequencies.

## NEUTRAL LINE / LIVE WIRE DISTINCTION

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Before we can judge which of two wires is the live/neutral wire, we have to separate the wires as far as possible.

- Hold the probe [01] close to each wire or insert it in the socket.
- · Check what subject has the highest induced signal strength. This will be the live wire.
- The subject with the lowest/no signal strength is the neutral line.

## **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

MODEL	VT3500					
AC voltage range	12~1000V	48~1000V				
Frequency	50Hz/60Hz					
Warning method	Audible and visible alarm					
Automatic shutdown	5 minutes of inactivity					
NCV sensitivity	3 Automatic sensitivities					
Operating temperature	0°C - 40°C					
Storage temperature	-10°C - 50°C					
Altitude	<2000m					
Security	CE CAT.III 1000V/ CAT.IV 600V					
Power supply	2x 1.5V AAA Battery					
Dimensions	156 x 20 x 20 mm					
Weigth	About 40g					

## C E DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY

Futech (Belgium) declares under its own responsibility that this device: - VT3500 Voltage Detector

is in conformity with the standards

EN61326-2-2:2013 EN61000-3-2:2014 EN61000-3-3:2013 EN61010-2-030:2010 EN61010-1:2010

under the directive:

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