

INSTRUCTION MANUAL – ENGLISH

The SONIN MOISTURE TEST TOOL is designed to alert users to possible moisture problems. The metal contact and 4 lamp system tell how much moisture is present. Check surfaces before painting, wallpapering or laying floors or tile.

READ COMPLETELY AND BE SURE YOU UNDERSTAND ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING THIS TOOL.

BEFORE USE:

Install a 9V battery (not included) in the battery compartment, pressing tabs firmly in place. Keep probes from touching anything, including your fingers to complete this test. Press the TEST button, Green lamp will light if battery is good and tool is ready to start testing. If green lamp is faint or fails to light, replace the battery.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE:

1. Remove cap (A) from top of the MOISTURE TEST TOOL.
2. Press the probes about 1/8" (4mm) into wood wallboard, or "soft" material to be tested. For concrete, brick or "hard" materials and painted surfaces, hold the probes against the surface to be tested.
3. Press and hold the red test button. The lamps will light to show the extent of moisture present.

LAMP READING	MOISTURE CONTENT	LABEL
GREEN	0 – 14%	DRY
GREEN + 1 RED	14.5 – 15.5%	SAFE
GREEN + 2 RED	15.2 – 20%	ATTENTION *
GREEN + 3 RED	20 – 100%	ACTION **

* Requires further investigation

** Requires immediate action



IMPORTANT:

Abnormally high readings may be caused by the surface salts on newly plastered walls or by contact with metal or steel reinforces bars, etc., behind a particular surface. Readings on concrete should be interpreted with caution and must be assessed in conjunction with a physical investigation. The test tool may indicate damp conditions at very low levels of moisture.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For additional information, or help using any Sonin product, call Sonin Customer Service at **800-223-7511** or email info@sonin.com

To qualify for Warranty repair or replacement within one year of your purchase, you will need to keep a copy of your original sales receipt. Call our Warranty Department at **800-223-7511** or email techsupport@sonin.com for more information.