# **3M** Dynatel<sup>™</sup>

### Cable/Pipe Locator 2250M Cable/Pipe and Marker Locator 2250M-iD



GPS Interface Allows Real-Time Mapping

### INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY FOR LOCATING UNDERGROUND UTILITIES WITHOUT ANY DOUBT

3M<sup>™</sup> Dynatel<sup>™</sup> Cable/Pipe Locator 2250M and Cable/Pipe and Marker Locator 2250M-iD incorporate advanced electronics to quickly and efficiently trace the path of underground cables and pipes (with metallic tracer wire).

They provide accurate cable/pipe, or Sonde depth measurements, giving a digital readout in inches, feet and inches, or centimeters (user-selectable). Lightweight, compact and well-balanced, these cable and pipe locators allow you to accurately and easily:

- Locate cable and pipe path
- Measure cable/pipe, or Sonde depth with the push of a button
- Display relative signal current in the cable or pipe
- Identify cable using toning
- Tone shorts and grounds in aerial cable
- Identify cable pairs through wet sections
- Locate energized power and CATV cable



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#### ADVANCED FEATURES DETECT MORE INFORMATION ABOUT UNDERGROUND UTILITIES

A feature exclusive to the 3M<sup>™</sup> Dynatel<sup>™</sup> Cable/Pipe and Marker Locator 2250M-iD is the ability to write, read and lock programmed information into the 3M<sup>™</sup> Electronic Marker System iD Ball Markers 1400 Series.

Information such as a pre-programmed unique identification number, facility data, owner information, application type, placement date and other details from up to 100 markers can all be stored with date/time stamp, and GPS coordinates\*, and transmitted back to your PC through a standard RS232 serial port for enhanced resource management.

Designed to be more accurate, faster and more integrated, the new locators can perform these additional functions:

- Pinpoint the location and estimate the depth of all existing models of properly installed underground passive EMS markers
- Conduct direct depth reading of RFiD markers
- Locate two different marker frequencies simultaneously
- Trace a cable or pipe path while simultaneously finding buried markers along the way

#### **EXCLUSIVE GPS SYSTEM ADDS ACCURACY WITH EASE**

The 2250M/2250M-iD locators are now compatible with select GPS/GIS field mapping instruments for real-time mapping of marker placement. The customized Dynatel interface remotely commands the GPS/GIS device allowing even a generalist field technician to perform real-time mapping. Exporting information directly into leading CAD and GIS systems creates an automated paperless system for records updating.

Visit our website at http://www.3m.com/dynatel for more details.

### SEVERAL UNIQUE MODES OF OPERATION FOR ACCURATE LOCATES IN EVERY SITUATION

For cable or pipe locating, 2250M/2250M-iD locators have a highly accurate multi-antenna design for various user-selected locating modes—Directional Peak, Multi-Directional Null, plus an ultra-sensitive Special Peak mode for extreme depths.

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A unique "expander" function makes peaks and nulls more pronounced. Directional Peak mode combines the response from four peak antennas to indicate direction to the cable/pipe while a bar graph and numeric display indicate the sharp and accurate dual-peak response.

Semi-automatic gain set with manual override provides maximum flexibility and control. Multi-directional null mode shows null signal response with automatic gain and shows cable/pipe location and direction on a unique compass-like graphic display.

\* When connected to standard NMEA compliant GPS devices.

#### A SIMPLE, EASY-TO-USE SYSTEM

The 3M<sup>™</sup> Dynatel<sup>™</sup> Cable/Pipe Locators 2250M/2250M-iD require very little operator training. An RS232 communications port allows interface to an external computer for uploading/downloading of data, unit configuration and remote software upgrades. Estimated operating time is more than 30 hours on eight AA alkaline batteries.

The system consists of two basic components:

- Transmitter with built-in ohmmeter, which also measures the presence of foreign voltage and tests the continuity of the circuit.
- Rugged, one-piece hand-held receiver with large high-resolution LCD display. Bar graph signal strength and direction indicates received signal and proximity to the cable. M-iD versions locate and read/write to all EMS-RFiD markers.

The 2250M/2250M-iD locators use four active trace frequencies (individually or simultaneously) to compensate for varying field conditions. The receiver incorporates passive power, CATV, and auxiliary frequencies that do not require the use of the transmitter. The receiver also offers four user-definable auxiliary frequencies.

With the easy-to-use configuration tool, users can enable or disable any of 22 frequencies. Both the receiver and the transmitter feature a self-test routine that is executed each time the unit is turned on.



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#### STANDARD 3M<sup>TH</sup> DYNATEL<sup>TH</sup> ACCESSORIES

PRODUCT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION		
8006	Ground Rod, Stainless steel		
3019	Dyna-Coupler Kit, Consists of 3 in. Dyna-Coupler, Coupler Cable and Pouch		
2876	Direct-Connect Transmitter Cable, 3 m (10 ft.) in length; for Utility (U) models		
9012	Direct-Connect Transmitter Cable, 1,5 m (5 ft.) in length; for Communications (C) models		

#### **OPTIONAL 3M<sup>™</sup> DYNATEL<sup>™</sup> ACCESSORIES**

PRODUCT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
2892	Small Clip Direct-Connect Transmitter Cable, 3 m (10 ft.) in length
9043	Ground Extension Cable
3001	Dyna-Coupler 3 in., for use on cables up to 7,6 cm (3 in.) in diameter
1196	Dyna-Coupler 6 in., for use on cables up to 17,5 cm (6.9 in.) in diameter with pouch
9011	Dyna-Coupler Cable 12 ft.
2200M	Carrying Case/Bag
2200RB	Rechargable auxilliary battery for 5-watt units

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Operating temperature	-20° C to 50° C (-4° F to 122° F)
Storage temperature	-20° C to 70° C (-4° F to 158° F)
Standard	IP54
Regulatory	CE (Export Models Only)

#### **PHYSICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

	SIZE (H X W X D) CM (IN.)	WEIGHT (INCLUDING BATTERIES)
Transmitter	17,2 x 28,6 x 19,7 (6.75 x 11.25 x 7.75)	2,4 kg (5.2 lb.)
Receiver	26,7 x 26,1 x 76,2 (10.25 x 10.5 x 30)	2250M - 1,9 kg (4.05 lb.), 2250M-iD - 2,3 kg (4.85 lb.)
Shipping	N/A	2250M - 7,9 kg (17 lb.), 2250M-iD - 8,1 kg (17.6 lb.)

#### **ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

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RECEIVER	
Frequencies Trace and tone modes	Active: 577Hz, 8kHz, 33kHz, and 200kHz (577Hz, 8kHz, 33kHz, 133kHz CE Approved Models) Passive power: 50L, 50H, 100, 60L, 60H, 120 Passive (other): CATV 31.5kHz (LF 9-30 kHz) Auxiliary: 560, 512, 460, 400, 393, 340, 333, 273Hz User defined: up to four frequencies (50-999Hz)
Display resolution Depth display range Depth units Depth accuracy* Cable current display	0.1 dB 9 m (0 to 30 ft.) cm, inch, ft in. +/- 2% +/- 5 cm (3 in.) 1,5 m (0 to 60 in.) +/- 6% +/- 5 cm (3 in.) 1,5 to 3 m (61 to 120 in.) +/- 10% +/- 5 cm (3 in.) 3 to 4,5 m (121 to 180 in.) 0.1 dB resolution or 0.01 mA resolution Units: dB and mA
Power	Battery type: Eight AA size, alkaline
Typical battery life	40 hours - M-units 30 hours - M-iD units
TRANSMITTER	
Output frequencies Trace mode Sheath (earth return) fault mode Tone mode Induction mode	577Hz, 8kHz, 33kHz, 200kHz (577Hz, 8kHz, 33kHz, 133kHz CE Approved Models) 10/20 Hz for sheath (earth return) fault; 577Hz and 33kHz for tracing 577Hz and 200kHz pulsed at 8Hz 33kHz, 200kHz
<b>Output voltage (maximum)</b> Sheath (earth return) fault Trace Tone	70 Vrms 70 Vrms Normal setting: 10 Vrms, high setting: 60 Vrms
Output power	Normal setting: Limited to 0.5W High setting: Limited to 3W, or 5W with external DC power
Output protection	240 Vrms
Power	Battery type: Six C size, alkaline (LR14) cells; External DC: 9-18V DC (1A) (5-watt units only)
Typical battery life	Normal output level: 50 hours High output level: 10 hours

\*Note: Locators are tested in model field conditions with no adjacent signals. Actual operating conditions may result in decreased depth accuracy due to outside signal disruptions.

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#### **FEATURES**

RECEIVER	2250M	2250M-iD
Directional peak, directional null, single peak locate modes	X	X
Large backlit, high-resolution graphic display	×	×
Push-button cable/pipe depth readout with continuous depth measurement mode		
	X	X
Active duct probe (Sonde) depth measurement	Х	X
Signal current measurement	Х	X
Toning amplifier function	Х	X
Cable identification	Х	X
Marker alert mode while path tracing		x
Expander amplifier	X	x
Pre-set auxiliary frequencies for power, CATV, radio and long haul fiber applications	Х	x
Four user-definable auxiliary frequencies (50-999Hz)	Х	x
PC interface via standard RS232 serial port	X	x
User-configurable frequencies	X	x
Detects all seven EMS marker frequencies		x
Locator PC tools software	Х	x
RFiD marker read/write capability		x
Dual marker frequency search-simultaneous		х
Marker depth estimation		x
GPS communications capability with selected GPS receivers		X
TRANSMITTER	2250M	2250M-ID
Simultaneous signals	X	x
Built-in ohmmeter and continuity tester	Х	х
Indicates presence of hazardous voltage	X	x
Three tone application methods (direct connect, coupler, inductive)	x	x
Auto load (impedance) matching	X	X
High and normal output level	Х	X
3-watt and 5-watt models available	x	X

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