

Ferro Tec FT10 | Advanced ferromagnetic metal detector

Principle of Operation of the FerroTec FT10 Lost Manhole and Valve Locator

• Buried iron objects disturb the earth's magnetic fields which surround them. The magnetic field at the end of the FT10's sensor rod, A, is not the same as at sensor B; it is the difference in these levels that is measured and allows the FerroTec FT10 to

locate objects that are buried far deeper than a conventional metal detector can.

 The FerroTec FT10 offers outstanding performance with detection of objects down to 15m (objects with mass of 100kg).

 Detection of cast iron pipes is even possible particularly if they run north south.
 Target Display

FerroTec FT10 - Display

Current locating intensity
(aiming circle)

Strength of alternating field (bar)

Symbol area

Current locating value

Symbol area

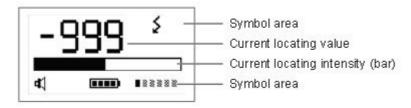
A circle increases in size as you get closer to the target object. Simultaneously a numerical value is displayed either as a positive or a negative value dependent on the objects orientation to the earth's magnetic field. This information is useful as it can indicate the orientation/shape of the cover or spindle or

 50 Hz alternating current (power cables) are indicated with signal strength. This can alert you to the presence of live electric cables.*

Bar Graph Display

other object in the ground.

- A bar graph increases or decreases from the centre zero point depending on the orientation of the object to the earth's magnetic field.
- A numerical value is displayed- the higher the value (left or right) the closer you are to the object
- In the Bar Graph Display mode 50 Hz alternating field (power cables) is indicated .
 (no signal strength) This can alert you to the presence of live electric cables.*



FerroTec FT10 Lost Manhole and Valve Locator - Features

- In built speaker with varying tone indicates peak reading
- Two object location display options
- In built LED on display for use at night
- Re-zero button- Resets to ignore current reading levels. This can be useful when working near a fence; it can be set to ignore the fence and only show increases from the background levels.
- · One handed operation
- Capacitive operating membrane
- Six sensitivity levels with a Boost function making it one of the most sensitive locators available (3 nanotesla)
- Powered by internal rechargeable battery (10 Hrs)
- Sensor rod temporarily submersible (IP 67)

* Note: Only cables carrying current can be indicated. When making excavations the FT10 is not intended as a substitute for cable detection tools. Proceed with extreme caution in the vicinity of electrical cables. When making excavations a safe system of work should be followed such as that described in the UK's Health and Safety Executive's guidance: HSG47 - Avoiding Danger from underground Services

