

PRECAUTIONS

Maintenance

- Always clean the instrument after use.
- Wipe off moisture completely if the instrument gets wet during survey work.
- Never use an abrasive cleaner, ether, thinner, benzene, or other solvents.

Other precautions

- Before starting work or during operation, check that the instrument is functioning correctly and performance is normal.
- Protect the instrument from heavy shocks or vibration.
- Always make sure the instrument is completely dry before storing. Dry any moisture with a soft, clean cloth.
- Remove batteries before storing when the instrument will not be used for periods on 1 month or more. Batteries may leak fluid when left inside the instrument causing malfunction.

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- The manufacturer, or its representatives, assumes no responsibility for any damage, or loss of profits (change of data, loss of data, loss of profits, an interruption of business etc.) caused by use of the product or an unusable product.
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- Product failures caused by rebuilding are out of warranty.
- Cautions and warnings included in this manual do not cover all the possible events.

Class 2 Laser Product

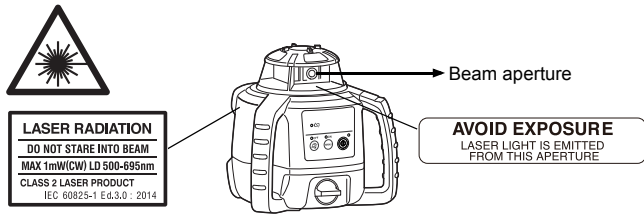
Thank you for selecting our products.

- Please read this Instruction manual carefully, when using this product.
- The specifications and general appearance of the instrument, and the content of this manual are subject to change without notice.
- Some of the diagrams shown in this manual may be simplified for easier understanding.
- Always keep this manual in a convenient location and read it when necessary.
- Please read the Instruction manual of the paired instrument in conjunction with this manual.

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LASER SAFETY INFORMATION

The RL-H5B is classified as a Class 2 Laser Product according to IEC Standard Publication 60825-1 Ed.3.0: 2014 and United States Government Code of Federal Regulation FDA CDRH 21CFR Part1040.10 and 1040.11 (Complies with FDA performance standards for laser products except for deviations pursuant to Laser Notice No.50, dated June 24, 2007.)



CAUTION

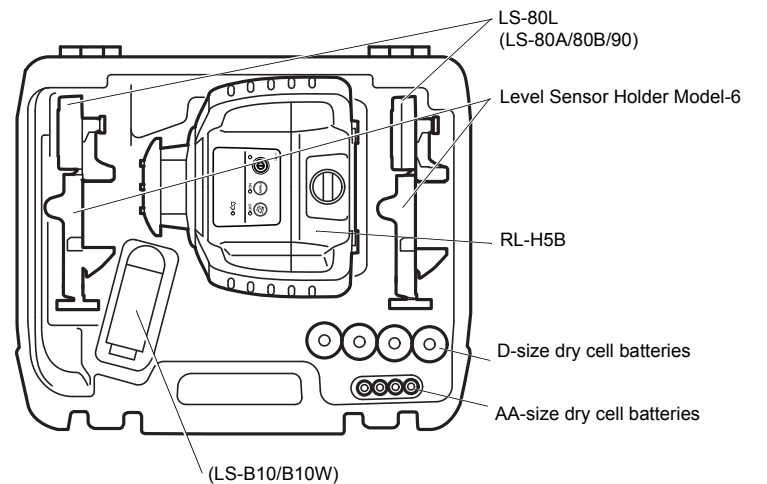
- Perform checks at start of work and periodic checks and adjustments with the laser beam emitted under normal conditions.
- When the instrument is not being used, turn off the power.
- When disposing of the instrument, destroy the battery connector so that the laser beam cannot be emitted.
- Operate the instrument with due caution to avoid injuries that may be caused by the laser beam unintentionally striking a person in the eye. Avoid setting the instrument at heights at which the path of the laser beam may strike pedestrians or drivers at head height.

WARNING

- Use of controls or adjustments or performance of procedures other than those specified herein may result in hazardous radiation exposure.
- Never intentionally point the laser beam at another person. The laser beam is injurious to the eyes and skin. If an eye injury is caused by exposure to the laser beam, seek immediate medical attention from a licensed ophthalmologist.
- Do not look directly into the laser beam. Doing so could cause permanent eye damage.
- Do not stare at the laser beam. Doing so could cause permanent eye damage.

HOW TO STORE

After using the instrument, store it as shown below.



• LS-70 cannot be stored.

NOMENCLATURE AND FUNCTIONS

Battery power lamp (Red)

Blinking:
The power is low, but laser is still usable. (Blinking continues for one minute.)
Solid:
Dead batteries. Replace the batteries with new ones. (The lamp is solid for five minutes, then turned off automatically.)

Manual mode ON lamp (Red)

Self-leveling does not function.

Height alert OFF lamp (Red)

Height alert function is not active.

Height alert OFF key

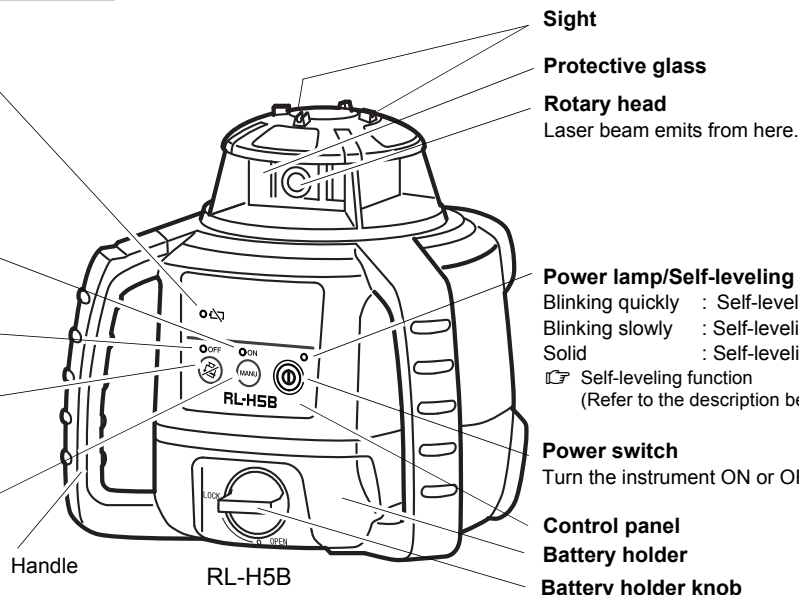
OFF: Push twice continuously.
ON: Push once.
☑ Height alert function (Refer to the description on the back page.)

Manual mode ON key

ON: Push twice continuously.
OFF: Push once.

Note: In manual mode

- Self-leveling function is not active.
- Height alert function is not active.



Sight

Protective glass

Rotary head
Laser beam emits from here.

Power lamp/Self-leveling lamp (Green)

Blinking quickly : Self-leveling is in process.
Blinking slowly : Self-leveling is almost complete.
Solid : Self-leveling is complete.
☑ Self-leveling function (Refer to the description below.)

Power switch
Turn the instrument ON or OFF.

Control panel
Battery holder
Battery holder knob

Self-leveling function

When the power is turned on, the laser beam is automatically positioned within the accuracy range by the self-leveling function.

Power switch

The power switch turns ON or OFF by pressing.

On-Grade precision switch

Two on-grade precision options are available, normal precision (±2mm) and high precision (±1mm). By pressing this switch, the precision options are switched alternately. Confirm the precision choice by the indicator. (Normal precision is the default setting each time the sensor is turned on.)

Indicator

The indicators are located on front and back sides of the instrument.
☑ LS-80L Indicator (Refer to the description on the back page.)

Beam receiving window

Turn the beam receiving window side towards RL-H5B to detect the laser beam.

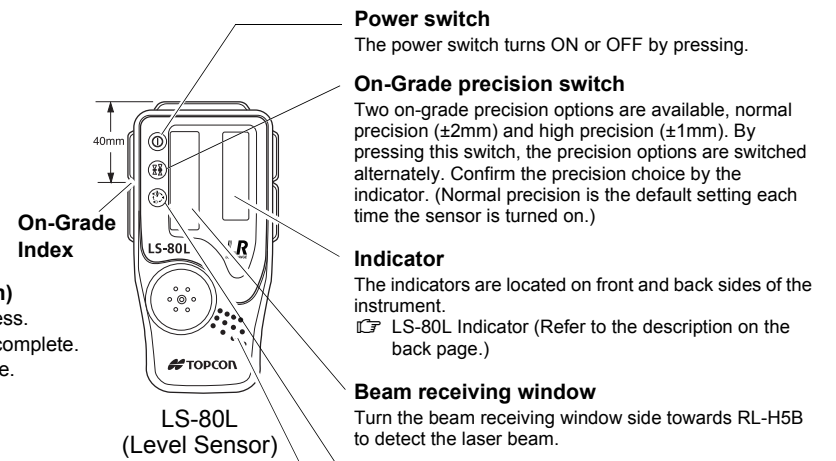
Buzzer sound switch

Volume of the sensor buzzer can be alternately switched to LOW/LOUD/OFF by pressing the switch.

Buzzer speaker

Auto-cut off function

The power will be turned off automatically if no laser beam is detected for approximately 30 minutes. (To turn on the level sensor, press the power switch again.)



POWER SOURCE

RL-H5B

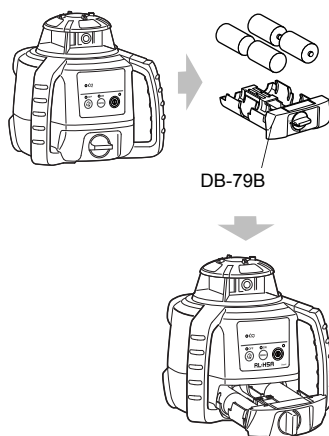
Replacing the dry cell batteries

- 1 Remove the DB-79B battery holder by turning battery holder knob to "OPEN" side.
- 2 Install the new 4xD size dry cell batteries (alkaline) referring to the illustration on the battery holder.*1), 2), 3)
- 3 Install the battery holder. Tighten the battery cover knob to "LOCK" side.

*1 Replace all 4 batteries with new ones at the same time. Do not mix used and new batteries, and do not mix different types of batteries together.

*2 Use alkaline dry cells. Nickel hydrogen dry cells and nickel cadmium dry cells can be used too, but the operating time is different from the time of alkaline dry cells.

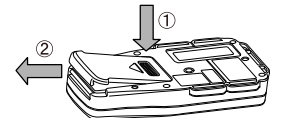
*3 Generally, performances of dry cell deteriorate temporarily in low temperature, but recover in normal temperature.



LS-80L

Replacing the dry cell batteries

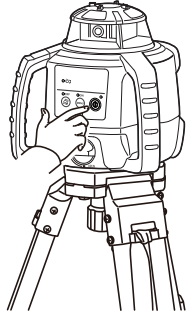
- 1 Keep pushing the battery cover in 1 direction, and then try to slide the cover in 2 direction. The cover does not move but it will be open.
- 2 Take out the batteries and place new ones (2xAA size alkaline dry cell batteries) into the battery box.
- 3 Press the lid down and click to close.



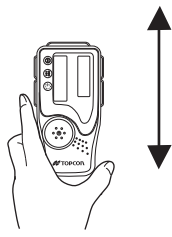
OPERATION

How To Operate

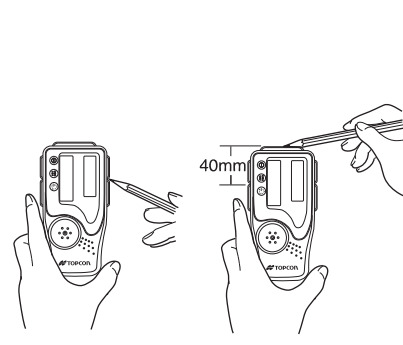
- 1 Set the instrument to the tripod or smooth surface. Make sure instrument is roughly level.
- 2 Press power switch (ON).



- 3 Press power switch on level sensor (ON).
- 4 Select the precision mode by pressing the On-Grade precision switch.
- 5 Locate the on-grade position "----" by moving the level sensor up and down.



- 6 Mark the position of On-Grade index. (Top of the level sensor is 40mm [1 9/16"] from index for offset marking.)



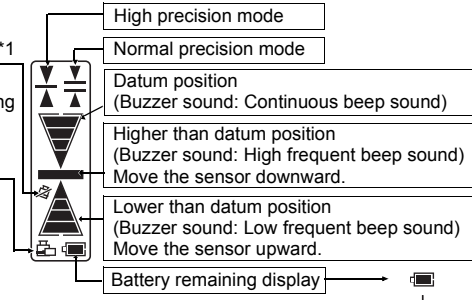
LS-80L Indicator

Height alert warning of rotating laser*1

A flash and a buzzer sound signifies that the height alert function of rotating laser is operating.

Rotating laser battery warning*2

A flash shows that the rotating laser power is low.



Detective Range

Display	Precision
	High $\pm 1\text{mm}$ (2mm width)
	Normal $\pm 2\text{mm}$ (4mm width)
	Level sensor is moved upward or downward from laser beam.

(1) Battery is sufficient.

(2) The power is low, but laser is still usable.

(3) Dead battery. Replace the dry battery with new one.

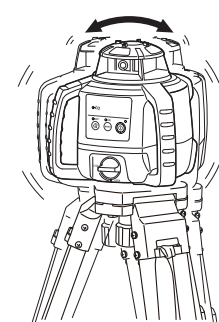
Note: The warning displays *1 and *2 are the functions that the level sensor detects alarm signal from the rotating laser. The level sensor can be canceled the alarm detection from the rotating laser. To be canceled the detection; Press the power switch while pressing the buzzer sound switch when powering on.

Height Alert Function

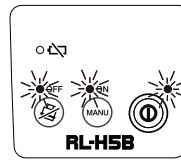
When the instrument system detects a shock, this function informs the operator of it.

- When the instrument's installation status (height) is sharply changed by the contact of the operator or the like, this function stops self-leveling to keep the operation accuracy and informs the operator of the situation. The three lamps blink at the same time as shown at the right.
- After 1 minute has passed since the self-leveling function was activated and the laser beam was emitted, this function works.
- The height alert function does not work in the "Manual" mode.

Shock is given to the instrument.



Height alert status

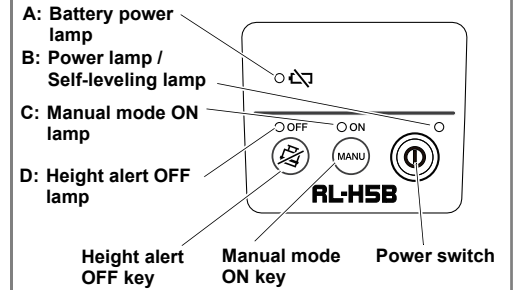


The three lamps blink at the same time and the rotary head rotates at low speed.

[How to reset]

- 1 Turn off the power switch.
- 2 Check whether the instrument is installed correctly.
- 3 Turn on the power switch. Self-leveling starts again. After self-leveling is finished, the laser beam is emitted.
- 4 Make sure that the laser beam is set at the correct height. Then, restart the operation.

Lamp Position



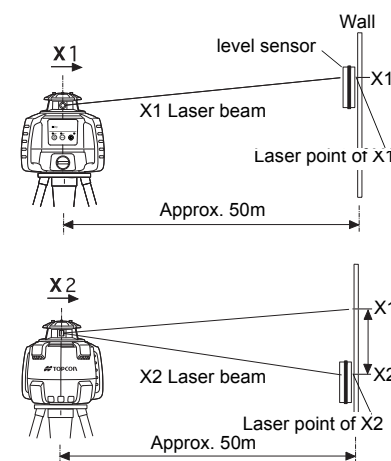
CHECKS AND ADJUSTMENTS

Checking and adjusting calibration

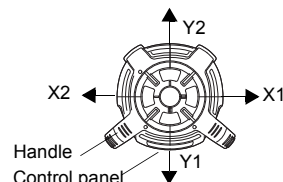
Horizontal calibration of the laser beam can be checked by the user.

[Checking]

- 1 Set up a tripod approx. 50m (160ft) from a wall. Mount the instrument on the tripod, facing the X1 side toward the wall.
- 2 Turn the instrument on and allow self-leveling to complete.
- 3 Put the level sensor in fine detection mode by pressing the On-Grade precision switch.
- 4 By using the level sensor, mark the center position of laser beam on the wall. (X1)
- 5 Turn off the instrument. Loosen the tripod screw, rotate the instrument 180 degrees and re-secure it on the tripod. The X2 side of the instrument faces toward the wall. When rotating the instrument, avoid changing the height.
- 6 Turn the unit on again and allow self-leveling to complete.
- 7 By using the level sensor, mark the center position of laser beam on the wall. (X2)
- 8 If the difference value of marked two laser beam heights (difference value of X1 and X2) are less than 5mm, adjustments are not needed. The difference value is greater than 5mm, adjust the instrument as described in right.*
- 9 Check the Y side as the same way.



* If the difference value is greater than 40mm ($\pm 90^\circ$), it exceeds the adjustment range. Please contact your local dealer.



[To calibrate the X axis]

- 1 Face the X1 side of the instrument toward a wall, press the Power switch while pressing the height alert OFF key. Then the height alert OFF lamp will light, and manual mode ON lamp will blink. (X axis is selected.)
- 2 Press the height alert OFF key to calibrate the X axis. The manual mode ON lamp will light. When self-leveling finishes, the laser beam will emit.
- 3 Using the level sensor, mark the on-grade height of laser beam on a wall.
- 4 Rotate the instrument 180 degrees to face X2 side toward a wall.
- 5 In the same way as step 3, mark the on-grade height of laser beam on a wall.
- 6 Press the manual mode ON key or power switch to make adjustment so that the laser beam height may be at the center between the positions of Step 3 and Step 5.
- 7 Press the height alert OFF key to memorize the new laser beam calibration. The height alert OFF lamp will blink. Power will shut off automatically when the calibration memorization is complete. The X axis adjustment is completed now.

[To calibrate the Y axis]

- 1 Face the Y1 side of the instrument (Control panel side) toward a wall, press the Power switch while pressing the height alert OFF key. Then the height alert OFF lamp will light, and manual mode ON lamp will blink. (Y axis is selected.)
- 2 Press the height alert OFF key to calibrate the Y axis. The self-leveling lamp will light.
- 3 Press the height alert OFF key to calibrate the Y axis. The self-leveling lamp will light.
- 4 Using the level sensor, mark the on-grade height of laser beam on a wall.
- 5 Rotate the instrument 180 degrees to face Y2 side toward a wall.
- 6 In the same way as step 4, mark the on-grade height of laser beam on a wall.
- 7 Press the manual mode ON key or power switch to make adjustment so that the laser beam height may be at the center between the positions of Step 4 and Step 6.
- 8 Press the height alert OFF key to memorize the new laser beam calibration. The height alert OFF lamp will blink. Power will shut off automatically when the calibration memorization is complete. The Y axis adjustment is completed now.

If the height alert OFF lamp blinks quickly and the power is not automatically turned off when pressing the height alert OFF key to memorize the height, the height exceeds the adjustment range. Please contact your local dealer.

To discontinue calibration the instrument, press the Power switch.

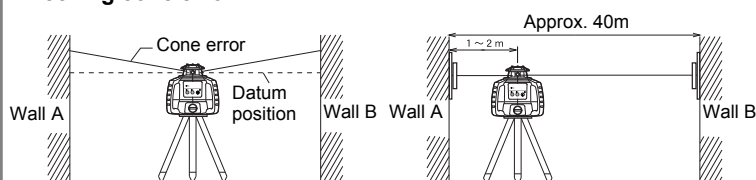
Perform the following check after completing horizontal calibration procedure.

[Checking]

- 1 Set up the laser centered between two walls approximately 40m (131ft) apart. Orient the instrument so one axis, either X or Y, is facing the walls.
- 2 Locate and mark the position of the rotating laser beam on both walls using the level sensor.
- 3 Turn off the instrument and move the instrument closer to wall A (1m to 2m / 3 ft to 6 ft). Do not change the axis orientation of the instrument. Turn the instrument on.
- 4 Again locate and mark the position of the rotating laser beam on both walls using the level sensor.
- 5 Measure the distance between the first and second marks on each wall. If the difference between each set of marks is less than 4mm (5/32 of an inch), no error exists.

* If the difference value is greater than 4mm (5/32 inch), contact your local dealer.

Checking cone error



ERROR CODE

Use the table below to determine operation errors indicated by blinking lamps on the control panel. (For the lamp indication, refer to "Lamp position".) If corrective action listed does not correct error, please contact your local dealer.

Lamp Indication	Error Code	Corrective Action
Lamp B, C and D blink in turn	Self-leveling range error	Correct tilt of the instrument until it less than 5 degrees.
Lamp A lights	Battery power error	Replace the four alkaline dry cell batteries with new ones at a time.
Lamp B, C and D blink simultaneously	Height alert error	Turn power off, rough level the instrument, then turn power on again. Check height of laser beam as it may have changed.
Lamp D blinks quickly	Calibration error	Repeat calibration procedure. If error repeats contact your local dealer.
Lamp A, B, C and D blink simultaneously	Internal error	Turn power off, then on again in stable locations. If error repeats contact your local dealer.

SPECIFICATIONS

RL-H5B

Laser source:	Laser diode (Visible, 635 nm) IEC Class 2
Laser output:	0.9 mW
Self-leveling range:	$\pm 5^\circ$
Accuracy:	$\pm 20''$
Rotational speeds:	600 r.p.m
Operating range:	Diameter Approx. 2 to 400 m (When using LS-80L)
Power source/Operating time at 20°C (68°F):	4 x D size dry cell batteries (alkaline) / 100 hours
Dust and water resistance:	IP66 (Based on the standard IEC60529)
Operating temperature:	-20 to 50°C (-4 to +122°F)
Storable temperature range:	-30 to 60°C (-22 to +140°F)
Remote warning display:	RL-H5B height alert warning (Warning is displayed on the indicator of LS-80L.) RL-H5B battery warning (Warning is displayed on the indicator of LS-80L.)
Size:	172(L)x211(W)x205(H) mm
Laser beam height:	171.8 mm (Height from the instrument's bottom surface to the center point of laser beam)
Weight:	2.3 kg (5.1 lbs) (with dry cell batteries)
Tripod screw:	5/8X11 threads for surveying instrument

LS-80L

Beam detection width:	50 mm (2.0 in)
On-Grade precision:	High: $\pm 1\text{mm}$ ($\pm 0.04\text{ in}$) Normal: $\pm 2\text{mm}$ ($\pm 0.08\text{ in}$)
Beam detection indication:	Liquid crystal (both sides) and buzzer
Power source:	2 x AA size dry cell batteries
Operating time (at 20°C):	Approx. 120 hour (Using alkaline manganese dry cell batteries)
Automatic shutoff:	after 30 minutes (without beam detection)
Dust and water resistance:	IP66 (IEC60529: 2001)
Operating temperature:	-20 to 50°C (-4 to 122°F)
Storage temperature:	-30 to 60°C (-22 to 140°F)
Size:	146(L)x76(W)x26(H) mm
Weight:	0.19 kg (0.41 lbs) (with dry cell batteries)

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