

# OPERATION MANUAL

## TestPhone 295B



### **Main Features:**

Digital Line Compatible (Integral ADSL Filter)  
Tone/Pulse Dial Selection with Indication  
Ultra Hi-Z on/off-hook Line Polarity Indication  
Hi-Z Monitoring  
Ultra Low Line Current with Over Current Protection  
Three Ringer Melody's ( 3 x 3- Tone)  
Five Level Volume Control  
Microphone Mute  
12 x 21 Digit Memories  
Quick Change Battery  
Quick Change Cords or RJ11 Lead  
High Impact Resistance  
Fully Sealed to IP67  
CE & Rohs Approved  
Rugged Belt Clip  
Two Year Warranty

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## Introduction

The Testphone 295B is a test telephone designed for use on Public Switched Telephone Networks (PSTN). It is designed for use on both Dual-tone Multi-frequency (DTMF - tone dialling) and Loop Disconnect (LD - pulse dialling) lines. Fitted with an integral ADSL filter, the telephone will not cause interference when connected to ADSL/Broadband lines in either `on hook` or `off hook` mode.

## Dialling

### `DTMF` dialling

To dial out press the **[HK TN]** button located on the underside of the handset. Then enter a telephone number, press **[LNR]** to redial or dial a pre-stored number from memory and conduct a vocal call upon connection.

When `off hook` the relative polarity will be indicated - Green LED positive polarity on Line A, Red LED positive polarity on Line B.

This mode is indicated by the **`PL/TN`** LED being Green.

### `LD` dialling

To dial out press **[HK PL]** and proceed as above.

The revised state will be indicated by the **`PL/TN`** LED being Red.

### Terminating A Call

To terminate a call press either **[HK TN]** or **[HK PL]**. Should the call not be manually terminated it will automatically be terminated after 30 minutes.

### Volume Adjustment

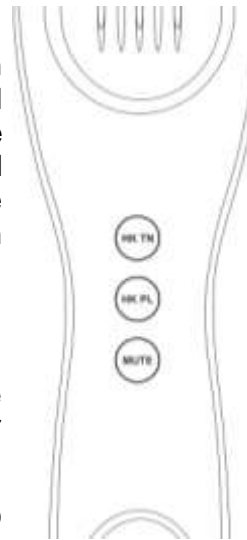
During a call the receive volume can be varied by pressing **[V+]** or **[V-]** as required.

### Mute

To mute the telephone during a call, press **[MUTE]**. A short burst of confidence tone will be heard. While Mute mode is in operation the **`PG/MT`** LED will flash. To initiate conversation, press **[MUTE]** again.

### Last Number Redial (LNR)

Pressing **[LNR]** will initiate the last number redial.



### **Timed Break Recall (TBR)**

Pressing [TBR] will initiate a 100 millisecond timed break recall.

### **Earth Recall (ER)**

Pressing [ER] will instigate an earth looped recall. This can only be carried out if the telephone has an earth connection.

### **Incoming Ring**

Incoming calls ring the internal tone caller. To answer the call press either the [HK TN] or [HK PL].

### **Telephone Memory Store**

The telephone has a 12 address memory store.

**Note: Programming the memory locations can only be carried out when the telephone is connected to an active telephone line.**

To store a number:

- go `off hook` by pressing [HK TN] or [HK LD]
- press [PG] (yellow `PG/MT` LED will flash)
- press [MR] followed by the memory location [0]-[9], [★] or [#]
- enter the required number (max 21 digits) on the numerical keypad (enter pauses by pressing [LNR])
- press [PG] to store the number
- press [HK TN] to go `on hook`

To access the store:

- press [MR] followed by the store location [0]-[9], [★] or [#]



If `LNR` or `MR` retrieval becomes difficult, it is likely that the battery needs replacing.

**Note: The unit should not be operated without a battery in place. To avoid loss of memory the battery should be replaced while the telephone line is connected. If used without a battery then errors will occur when used in `PL` mode.**

### **Polarity Indication**

When `off hook` the relative polarity will be indicated - Green LED positive polarity on Line A, Red LED positive polarity on Line B.

### **Monitoring**

High Impedance monitoring is carried out by connecting the telephone to a line and monitoring the line.

## Field Repairs

Field repairs are limited to battery replacement or line cord replacement.

To replace **the battery**, with the telephone keypad uppermost remove the two screws in the centre of the body and remove the top moulding. Using a suitable tool remove the CR 2032 (or pattern) battery. Replacement is a reversal of this operation.

To replace **the line cord**, additionally remove the two screws holding the line cord in position, remove the existing line cord. Replacement is a reversal of this operation.

## Tone ringer (Melody/Volume)

The tone ringer melody repetition rate/volume may be configured as follows:

[PG] [#] [0] [PG] - Ringer off  
[PG] [#] [1] [PG] - 1 time @ -16dB  
[PG] [#] [2] [PG] - 1 time @ -7dB  
[PG] [#] [3] [PG] - 1 time @ 0dB [max]  
[PG] [#] [4] [PG] - 4 times @ -16dB  
[PG] [#] [5] [PG] - 4 times @ -7dB  
[PG] [#] [6] [PG] - 4 times @ 0dB [max. default]  
[PG] [#] [7] [PG] - 10 times @ -16dB  
[PG] [#] [8] [PG] - 10 times @ -7dB  
[PG] [#] [9] [PG] - 10 times @ 0dB [max]

## Connections

‘PSTN’ line - RJ11 [FCC4/4] socket and 3 terminals, identified as ‘LINE’.

Pin 1 - Line A; Pin 2 - Earth Recall; Pin 3 - NC; Pin 4 - Line B

## Characteristics

### **DC Electrical Characteristics**

PSTN idle current (on-hook) < 40uA @ 50Vline  
PSTN operational current (off-hook) 13 – 60mA nominal (60mA limited)  
5 – 13mA reduced performance  
0 – 5mA power-down  
PSTN line protection 200V SAD + Dual 130mA PTC  
Battery voltage 3V nominal (CR2032 type)  
Battery supply current 5uA typical (no line connected)

### **AC Electrical Characteristics**

PSTN transmit gain 36.6dB typical  
PSTN transmit soft clip level 2V typical  
PSTN transmit soft clip attach 30uS/6dB  
PSTN transmit soft clip decay 20mS/6dB  
PSTN transmit mute attenuation 60dB  
PSTN receive gain 3dB typical  
PSTN receive volume range -5.4/+8.1dB in 5 steps  
PSTN receive soft clip level 1V typical  
PSTN receive soft clip attach 30uS/6dB  
PSTN receive soft clip decay 20mS/6dB

### **Default parameters**

Earth Recall duration ER button press time  
Auto on-hook timer 30 minutes  
Button de-bounce time 20mS  
Pulse [LD] Make period 33mS

Pulse [LD] Break period 66mS  
Pulse [LD] dial rate 10pps  
Inter-digit pause (Pulse[LD]) 790mS  
Tone [DTMF] tone duration 82mS  
Tone [DTMF] tone pause 82mS  
TBR duration 101mS  
Pause duration 2 S  
Pre-digit pause (Pulse[LD]) 35mS  
Post TBR pause 274mS  
Line Loss Compensation (LLC) Off default, 20-50mA  
DTMF level (low group) -4dBm  
Tone [DTMF] comfort tone -30dB

Operating Environment temperature -25°C - +70°C;  
humidity up to 80% non-condensing

Dimensions 24.5 x 8.0 x 6.5 (cm)  
Weight 414 (g)

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