

# The Fluke 568 Ex Intrinsically Safe Infrared Thermometer

Intrinsically safe temperature measurements.
Anywhere in the world.

### **Technical Data**



The Fluke 568 Ex Intrinsically Safe Infrared Thermometer is the one product you can use in Class I Div 1 and Div 2 or Zone 1 and 2 hazardous environments anywhere in the world. Whether you work in petroleum, chemical, oil & gas or pharmaceutical environments, the new 568 Ex allows you to carry the most trusted name in test tools into most Ex rated areas all around the globe.

With a straight-forward user interface and soft-key menus, the Fluke 568 Ex makes even complex measurements easy. Quickly navigate and adjust emissivity, save data or turn on and off alarms, with just a few pushes of a button. All in a single intrinsically safe tool certified by major rating bodies from around the world.

#### **Product Highlights**

With a rugged, easy-to-use, ergonomic design, the Fluke 568 Ex can stand up to tough industrial, electrical, and mechanical environments.

- Meets intrinsically safe certifications in Class I Div 1 and Div 2 or Zone 1 and 2 hazardous environments from recognized safety agencies around the world
- Measure -40 °C to 800 °C (-40 °F to 1472 °F)
- Conductive Case for carrying the IR thermometer safely into hazardous area
- Easily access advanced features with the soft-key buttons and graphical display
- Measure small objects from further away, with a distance-to-spot ratio of 50:1
- Compatible with mini-connector K-type thermocouple (KTC) probe
- Confidently measure a wide variety of surfaces with the adjustable emissivity feature, including a built-in material table
- Capture up to 99 points of data
- Confidently troubleshoot equipment with ± 1% measurement accuracy
- Versatile interface with five languages from which to choose
- Two-year warranty



#### **Specifications**

|  | Fluke 568 Ex Infrared Thermometer  |  |
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| Infrared temperature range                   | -40 °C to 800 °C (-40 °F to 1472 °F)   |  |
| Infrared accuracy                            | < 0 °C (32 °F): $\pm$ (1.0 °C ( $\pm$ 2.0 °F) + 0.1°/1 °C or °F); $\geq$ 0 °C (32 °F): $\pm$ 1 % or $\pm$ 1.0 °C ( $\pm$ 2.0 °F), whichever is greater       |  |
| Display resolution                           | 0.1 °C/0.1 °F  |  |
| Infrared spectral response                   | 8 μm to 14 μm  |  |
| Infrared response time                       | < 500 ms   |  |
| Thermocouple Type-K input temperature range  | -270 °C to 1372 °C (-454 °F to 2501 °F)  |  |
| Thermocouple Type-K input accuracy           | <-40 °C: ±(1 °C + 0.2 °/1 °C)<br>≥-40 °C: ±1 % or 1 °C, whichever is greater<br><-40 °F: ±(2 °F + 0.2 °/1 °F)<br>≥-40 °F: ±1 % or 2 °F, whichever is greater |  |
| D:S (distance to measure-<br>ment spot size) | 50:1   |  |
| Laser sighting                               | Single-point laser   |  |
| Minimum spot size                            | 19 mm (0.75 in)  |  |
| Emissivity adjustment                        | By built-in table of common materials or digitally adjustable from 0.10 to 1.00 by 0.01  |  |
| Data storage                                 | 99 points  |  |
| Hi/Low alarms                                | Audible and two-color visual   |  |
| Min/Max/Avg/Dif                              | Yes  |  |
| Display                                      | Dot matrix with function menus   |  |
| Backlight                                    | Two levels, normal and extra bright for darker environments  |  |
| Trigger lock                                 | Yes  |  |
| Switchable Celsius and Fahrenheit            | Yes  |  |
| Power  | 2 AAA/LRO3 type-approved Batteries (For a list of type-approved batteries, refer to Product Safety Instructions)   |  |
| Battery life                                 | 4 hours with laser and backlight on; 100 hours with laser and backlight off, at 100 % duty cycle   |  |
| Operating temperature                        | 0 °C to 50 °C (32 °F to 122 °F)  |  |
| Storage temperature                          | -20 °C to 60 °C (-4 °F to 140 °F)  |  |
| Bead thermocouple<br>Type-K range            | -40 °C to 260 °C (-40 °F to 500 °F)  |  |
| Bead thermocouple<br>Type-K accuracy         | $\pm$ 1.1 °C (2.0 °F) from 0 °C to 260 °C (32 °F to 500 °F), typically within 1.1 °C (2.0 °F) from -40 °C to 0 °C (-40 °F to 32 °F)                          |  |

## **Ordering information**

FLUKE-568 Ex Intrinsically Safe Infrared Thermometer

#### **Included equipment**

- K-type thermocouple bead probe
- Conductive IS hard carrying case
- User's manual

#### **Safety Certifications**

| Agency          | Safety rating  |
|-----------------|--|
| ATEX/IECEX      | Zone 1 and 2<br>IECEx EPS 13.0006X<br>Ex ia IIC T4 Gb<br>$0 ^{\circ}\text{C} \leq \text{Ta} \leq 50 ^{\circ}\text{C}$<br>EPS 13 ATEX 1.525 X<br>II 2G Ex ia IIC T4 Gb      |
| NEC-500/NEC-505 | Class I Division 1 and 2 Class I, Division 1, Groups ABCD T4 Class I, Division 2, Groups ABCD T4 Class I, Zone 1, AEx ia IIC T4 Ex ia IIC T4 $0$ °C $\leq$ Ta $\leq$ 50 °C |
| GOST            | Zone 1 and 2<br>POCC DE. $\Gamma$ BO5.B<br>Ex ia IIC T4 Gb X<br>OT 0 °C $\square$ QO +50 °C<br>EPS 13 ATEX 1 525 X<br>II 2G Ex ia IIC T4 Gb<br>0 °C $\leq$ Ta $\leq$ 50 °C |
| PCEC            | Zone 1 and 2 PCEC Ex ia IIC T4 Gb CE13. EPS 13 ATEX 1 525 X II 2G Ex ia IIC T4 Gb $0 \text{ °C} \le \text{Ta} \le 50 \text{ °C}$   |
| INMETRO NOMETRO | Zone 1 and 2<br>IEX 13.0122X<br>EX ia IIC T4 Gb<br>EPS 13 ATEX 1 525 X<br>II 2G EX ia IIC T4 Gb<br>0 °C ≤ Ta ≤ 50 °C   |

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