

Taylor 9842

Taylor Waterproof Digital Instant Read Thermometer User Manual

Model: 9842 | Brand: Taylor

INTRODUCTION

The Taylor Waterproof Digital Instant Read Thermometer is designed to provide accurate temperature readings for various cooking applications, even in moist environments. Its robust construction ensures continued precision. This manual provides essential information for setup, operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting to ensure optimal performance of your thermometer.

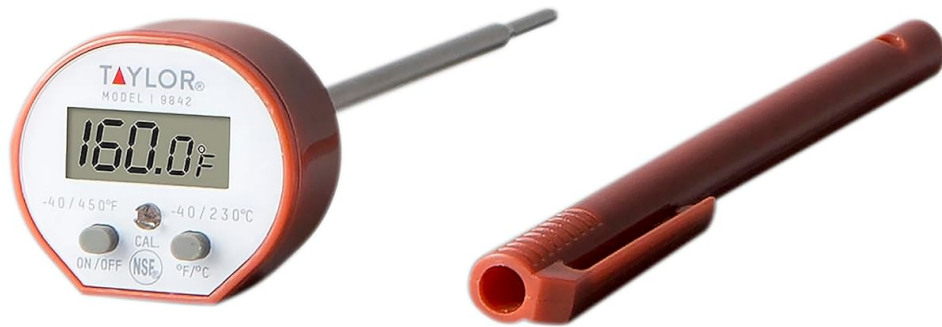


Figure 1: Taylor Waterproof Digital Instant Read Thermometer and Protective Sleeve.

WHAT'S INCLUDED

- One (1) Taylor Waterproof Digital Instant Read Thermometer
- One (1) Protective Sleeve Clip
- One (1) LR44 Battery (pre-installed or included separately)
- Instruction Guide (this manual)

KEY FEATURES

- **Waterproof Design:** Engineered to withstand splashes and wet conditions, ensuring durability and reliability. *Note: The unit should not be submersed in water.*

- **Recalibratable:** Can be recalibrated using the protective sleeve for precise measurements over time.
- **Easy to Use, Easy to Read:** Features a 0.8-inch digital display that is easily visible from various angles.
- **Highly Accurate:** Measures temperatures ranging from -40°F to 450°F (-40°C to 230°C).
- **NSF Certified:** Complies with all required standards for quality, durability, and cleanability of consumer products.
- **Compact Design:** The thermometer measures approximately 7 inches overall with a 5-inch probe, making it convenient for various uses and storage.

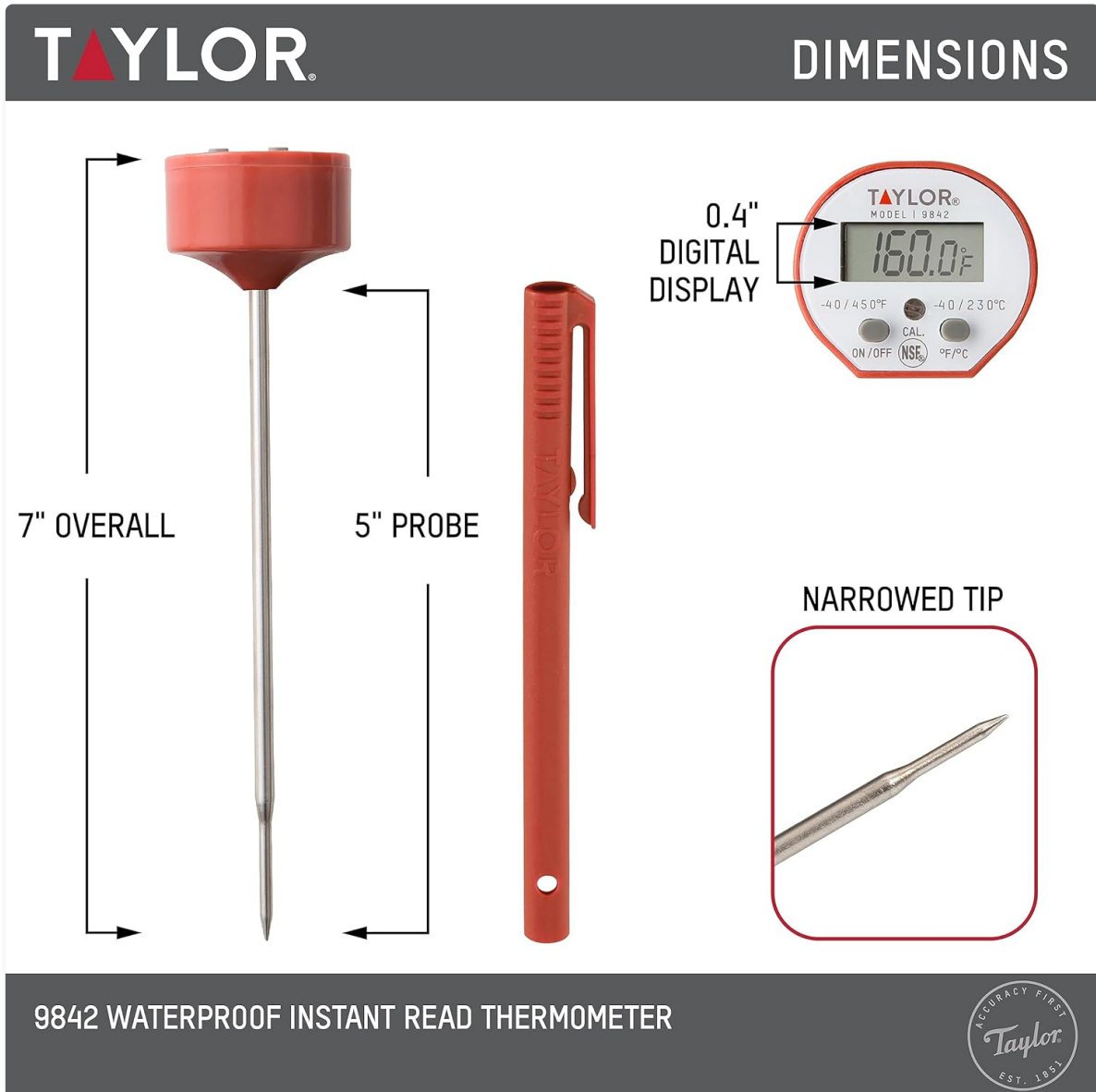


Figure 2: Overview of Thermometer Features.

SETUP

Battery Installation/Check

Your Taylor Digital Instant Read Thermometer comes with one (1) LR44 battery. The battery may be pre-installed. If the display does not turn on, or if the display is dim, the battery may need to be installed or replaced.

1. Locate the battery compartment on the back of the thermometer head.
2. Carefully open the battery compartment cover.
3. Insert or replace the LR44 battery, ensuring the correct polarity (+/-) as indicated inside the compartment.
4. Securely close the battery compartment cover.



Figure 3: Battery Compartment Access.

WARNING: INGESTION HAZARD. This product contains a button cell or coin battery. Keep out of reach of children.



Figure 4: Button Cell Battery Warning.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Taking a Temperature Reading

1. Press the **ON/OFF** button to turn on the thermometer.
2. Select your desired temperature unit (Fahrenheit or Celsius) by pressing the **°F/°C** button.
3. Insert the stainless steel probe into the thickest part of the food, avoiding bone or gristle. The 5-inch probe allows for deep insertion into larger cuts of meat.
4. Wait for the digital display to stabilize. The instant-read feature provides a quick and accurate temperature.
5. Once the reading is stable, remove the thermometer from the food.
6. Press the **ON/OFF** button again to turn off the thermometer and conserve battery life.

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Figure 5: Using the Thermometer for Food Temperature.

Using the Protective Sleeve

The included protective sleeve can be used to safely store the thermometer and also acts as an extension tool for better grip and reach when measuring temperatures in deep pots or ovens.



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Figure 6: Thermometer with Protective Sleeve as Extension.

Important Safety Note

IMPORTANT: The thermometer probe will be hot after use. Always use potholders or oven mitts when handling a hot thermometer.

CALIBRATION

If the thermometer is dropped or appears to be out of calibration, it can be reset using the recalibration method. The calibration button is located on the front face of the thermometer, labeled **CAL**.

1. Prepare a glass of crushed ice and fill it with cold water. Stir the mixture and let it sit for a few minutes to ensure the water temperature reaches 32°F (0°C).
2. Insert the thermometer probe into the center of the ice water, ensuring the probe does not touch the bottom or sides of the glass.
3. Wait for the reading to stabilize. If the reading is not 32°F (0°C), press and hold the **CAL** button until the display shows 32.0°F (0.0°C).

4. Release the button. The thermometer is now recalibrated.



Figure 7: Thermometer Display and Calibration Button.

CARE AND MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Hand wash only. Clean the probe with warm, soapy water after each use. Wipe the body of the thermometer with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the entire unit in water.
- **Storage:** Store the thermometer in its protective sleeve when not in use to prevent damage to the probe. Keep in a dry place.
- **Battery Replacement:** Replace the LR44 battery when the display becomes dim or does not turn on. Follow the battery installation steps in the Setup section.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Thermometer does not turn on or display is dim.	Dead or improperly installed battery.	Replace the LR44 battery, ensuring correct polarity.
Inaccurate temperature readings.	Needs recalibration; probe not fully inserted; probe touching bone/gristle.	Recalibrate the thermometer (see Calibration section); ensure probe is in the thickest part of the food, away from bone.
Display shows "---" or "Err".	Temperature is outside the measurable range (-40°F to 450°F / -40°C to 230°C).	Ensure the temperature being measured is within the specified range.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	9842
Temperature Range	-40°F to 450°F (-40°C to 230°C)
Display Type	LCD Digital
Probe Length	5 inches
Overall Dimensions	1.38 x 1.18 x 7.09 inches
Weight	1.6 ounces
Power Source	1 x LR44 Battery
Material	Plastic (body), Stainless Steel (probe)
Special Feature	Waterproof
Certification	NSF Certified



Figure 8: Thermometer Dimensions.



Figure 9: Narrowed Probe Tip for Accurate Readings.

WARRANTY & SUPPORT

This Taylor Waterproof Digital Instant Read Thermometer comes with a **ONE (1) YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY**. This warranty excludes batteries.

For support or warranty claims, please contact Taylor customer service through their official website or the retailer where the product was purchased.