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Model: 3226-0003 | Brand: MINELAB

1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Minelab PRO-FIND 35 is a high-performance waterproof pinpointer metal detector designed for expert detectorists. It offers advanced features such as Tone ID and adjustable sensitivity, making it an essential tool for accurately locating coins, rings, and gold.





Figure 1: Minelab PRO-FIND 35 Pinpointer, showing its compact design and yellow/black casing.

The device is built with durability in mind, featuring a robust construction suitable for various environmental conditions, including underwater use up to 10 feet (3 meters).

2. KEY FEATURES

- **DIF Technology:** Detector Interference Free (DIF) technology significantly reduces interference with an operating metal detector when the pinpointer is switched off. This ensures minimal disruption to your main detector's performance.

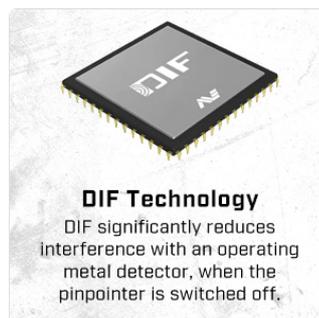


Figure 2: Diagram illustrating the Detector Interference Free (DIF) technology chip.

- **Fully Waterproof:** The PRO-FIND 35 is fully waterproof up to 10 ft (3 m), allowing for accurate detection of

targets in shallow water, riverbeds, and wet soil.

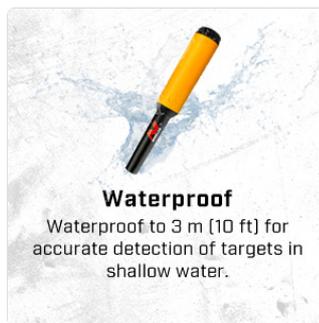


Figure 3: Image depicting the pinpointer being used in water, highlighting its waterproof capability.

- **Ferrous Tone ID:** This feature provides two different audio responses to help distinguish ferrous junk from nonferrous treasure, even with non-discriminating detectors.
- **Adjustable Sensitivity:** With 5 sensitivity levels, you can maximize depth, minimize noise, and adapt the pinpointer to various ground conditions.
- **Audio & Vibration Indication:** The pinpointer provides intensifying vibrations and increasing audio tones as it approaches a target, ensuring precise location.
- **Built-in Flashlight:** An integrated LED flashlight assists in illuminating targets in low-light conditions or dark holes.
- **Holster & Lanyard Included:** Comes with a durable holster that can attach to any belt for easy access, and a lanyard to prevent loss.



Figure 4: Image showing the included holster for convenient carrying of the pinpointer.

3. SETUP

3.1 Battery Installation

The PRO-FIND 35 requires 4 AA batteries. To install or replace batteries:

1. Unscrew the battery cap at the base of the pinpointer.
2. Insert 4 AA batteries, ensuring correct polarity (+/-).
3. Securely screw the battery cap back on, ensuring a tight seal for waterproofing.

3.2 Initial Power On

To power on the device, press and hold the power button until you hear an audible tone and the LED light illuminates. The pinpointer is now ready for use.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 Pinpointing a Target

Once your main metal detector has located a target, use the PRO-FIND 35 to precisely pinpoint its location within the excavated hole or soil plug.

1. Turn on the pinpointer.
2. Slowly sweep the tip of the pinpointer over the area where the target is suspected.
3. Listen for increasing audio tones and feel for intensifying vibrations, indicating proximity to the target.
4. Narrow down the target's location by moving the pinpointer until the signal is strongest.



Figure 5: A hand using the Minelab PRO-FIND 35 to locate a target within a freshly dug hole.

4.2 Adjusting Sensitivity

The PRO-FIND 35 features 5 sensitivity levels. To adjust:

- Press the '+' button to increase sensitivity for deeper targets or less mineralized ground.
- Press the '-' button to decrease sensitivity to minimize noise in highly mineralized ground or for very shallow targets.

4.3 Ferrous Tone ID

To utilize the Ferrous Tone ID, listen for the distinct low tone indicating ferrous (iron) targets, and a higher tone for non-ferrous targets like coins or gold. This helps in quickly deciding whether to dig or move on.

4.4 Using the Flashlight

The built-in LED flashlight automatically activates when the pinpointer is turned on, providing illumination for your search area.

5. MAINTENANCE

5.1 Cleaning

After each use, especially in wet or muddy conditions, clean the pinpointer with fresh water. Ensure all dirt and debris are removed. Wipe dry with a soft cloth.

5.2 Battery Care

To prolong battery life and prevent corrosion, remove batteries if the pinpointer will not be used for an extended period. Always use fresh, high-quality AA batteries for optimal performance.

5.3 Waterproofing

Before submerging the pinpointer, always ensure the battery cap is securely tightened to maintain its waterproof seal. Regularly inspect the O-ring seal on the battery cap for any signs of wear or damage. Replace if necessary.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No power/No response	Dead or incorrectly installed batteries.	Replace with fresh AA batteries, ensuring correct polarity.
Weak or inconsistent signal	Low battery, incorrect sensitivity setting, or highly mineralized ground.	Replace batteries. Adjust sensitivity using the '+' or '-' buttons. Try re-calibrating by turning off and on.
False signals/Chattering	High sensitivity in noisy environments or near electrical interference.	Reduce sensitivity using the '-' button. Move away from known sources of electrical interference.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Water leakage	Battery cap not securely tightened, or damaged O-ring.	Ensure battery cap is fully tightened. Inspect and replace O-ring if damaged.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Brand: MINELAB

Model: 3226-0003

Color: Black

Power Source: Battery Powered (4 AA batteries required)

Battery Life: Approximately 30 Hours

Item Weight: 6.4 ounces

Product Dimensions: 3.54"L x 2.36"W x 18.9"H

Waterproof Depth: Up to 10 ft (3 m)

Recommended Uses: Treasure Hunting, Gold/Mineral Prospecting, Beach Combing

Display Type: Digital

8. SAFETY INFORMATION

Always adhere to general safety guidelines when using metal detectors:

- Keep the metal detector away from children under 8 years old.
 - Use in safe areas, avoiding roads, railways, and other potentially dangerous locations.
 - Be aware of your surroundings to prevent accidents.
 - Do not use the metal detector near medical devices such as pacemakers, as it may interfere with their operation.
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9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

The Minelab PRO-FIND 35 Pinpointer is covered by a manufacturer's warranty. For detailed warranty information, product support, or service inquiries, please refer to the official MINELAB website or contact their customer service directly. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase for warranty claims.

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