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ACTECK A-CK65BS

Acteck A-CK65BS Digital Shipping Postal Scale User Manual

Model: A-CK65BS

1. Introduction

This manual provides detailed instructions for the proper setup, operation, and maintenance of your Acteck A-CK65BS Digital Shipping Postal Scale. Please read this manual thoroughly before using the scale to ensure accurate measurements and safe operation.
The Acteck A-CK65BS is a digital shipping postal scale designed for weighing packages and parcels up to 65 pounds with a precision of 0.1 ounces. Its sleek design and robust structure make it suitable for various shipping needs.

2. Important Safety Information

- Do not overload the scale beyond its maximum capacity of 65 lbs (29.5 kg).
- Avoid dropping or subjecting the scale to strong impacts, as this may damage internal components.
- Keep the scale away from extreme temperatures, humidity, and direct sunlight.
- Clean the scale with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or immerse the scale in water.
- Ensure the scale is placed on a stable, flat surface for accurate readings.
- If using batteries, ensure they are inserted with correct polarity. Remove batteries if the scale will not be used for an extended period.

3. Package Contents

Please verify that all items are present in the package:

- Acteck A-CK65BS Digital Shipping Postal Scale
- AC Power Adapter
- 3 x AAA Batteries
- User Manual (this document)



Image: The Acteck A-CK65BS Digital Shipping Postal Scale, shown with its included AC power adapter and three AAA batteries.

4. Setup

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove all components from the packaging.
2. **Placement:** Place the scale on a firm, flat, and level surface to ensure accurate measurements. Avoid placing it near vibrating equipment or in areas with significant air currents.
3. **Power Supply:** The scale can be powered by either the included AC adapter or AAA batteries.
    - **AC Adapter:** Connect the AC adapter to the power port on the side of the scale and plug it into a standard electrical outlet. When using the AC adapter, the scale will not automatically turn off.
    - **Batteries:** Open the battery compartment on the underside of the scale. Insert the 3 AAA batteries, ensuring correct polarity (+/-). Close the compartment. When operating on batteries, the scale will automatically turn off after 90 seconds of inactivity to conserve power.
4. **Remove Cardboard:** Ensure any protective cardboard or plastic inserts under the weighing platform are removed before first use.

5. Operating Instructions

5.1 Power On/Off

Press the **"U"** button (Power button) to turn the scale on. The display will show "88888" then "0.0" or "0.00" indicating it is ready for use. Press and hold the **"U"** button to turn the scale off.

5.2 Unit Conversion

The scale supports multiple measuring units: ounces (oz), grams (g), and pounds/ounces (lb/oz). To switch between units, press the **"kg/lb"** button. The current unit will be displayed on the LCD screen.



Image: Top-down view of the scale, highlighting the LCD display and the power, unit, tare, and hold buttons.

5.3 Tare Function

The Tare function allows you to zero out the weight of a container or packaging, so you can weigh only the contents. This is useful for weighing multiple items in a single container.

1. Place the empty container or packaging on the weighing platform. The display will show its weight.
2. Press the **"0.0"** button (Tare button). The display will reset to "0.0" or "0.00".
3. Now, place the items you wish to weigh into the container. The display will show only the net weight of the items.
4. To clear the Tare function, remove all items from the platform and press the **"0.0"** button again.

5.4 Hold Function

The Hold function allows you to lock the displayed weight after removing the item from the platform. This is particularly useful when weighing large or awkwardly shaped packages that might obscure the display.

1. Place the item to be weighed on the platform.
2. Once the weight stabilizes, press the **"HOLD"** button. The displayed weight will be locked.
3. You can now remove the item from the platform, and the weight will remain displayed.
4. Press the **"HOLD"** button again to release the hold and return to normal weighing mode.



Image: The Acteck A-CK65BS scale with its weighing platform lid opened, demonstrating its design for easy storage and use with larger items.

6. Maintenance

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the scale surface with a soft, slightly damp cloth. Do not use harsh chemicals, abrasive cleaners, or immerse the scale in water.
- **Storage:** Store the scale in a cool, dry place. If storing for an extended period, remove the batteries to prevent leakage.
- **Calibration:** While the scale is factory-calibrated, environmental factors can affect accuracy over time. If you suspect inaccuracies, refer to the troubleshooting section or contact customer support for calibration procedures.

7. Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Scale does not turn on.	Dead batteries or AC adapter not connected/faulty.	Replace batteries or ensure AC adapter is securely connected and functional.
Inaccurate readings.	Scale not on a flat surface, overloaded, or needs calibration.	Place on a stable, flat surface. Do not exceed 65 lbs. Consider calibration if issues persist.
Display shows "Err".	Overload or internal error.	Remove item from scale. If error persists, power cycle the scale.
Auto-off feature activates too quickly.	Operating on batteries.	This is normal behavior for battery operation (90 seconds). Use AC adapter for continuous power.

8. Specifications

Feature	Detail
Brand	ACTECK
Model	A-CK65BS
Capacity	65 lbs (29.5 kg)
Graduation	0.1 oz (2.86 g)
Measuring Units	oz, g, lb/oz
Display Type	LCD with backlight
Power Supply	3 x AAA batteries (included) or AC adapter (included)
Auto-Off	90 seconds (battery mode only)
Product Dimensions	9.2 x 6.1 x 1.5 inches (23.4 x 15.5 x 3.8 cm)
Weighing Platform Dimensions	7.3 x 6 inches (18.5 x 15.2 cm)
Item Weight	1.7 pounds (0.77 kg)



Image: The Acteck A-CK65BS scale with key dimensions indicated, including overall size and weighing platform area.

9. Warranty and Support

ACTECK products are manufactured to high-quality standards. For warranty information or technical support, please refer to the contact information provided with your purchase or visit the official ACTECK website. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

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