

Water Alarm™

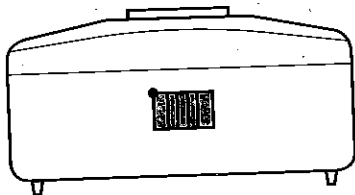
by Gizmode™
The Early Water Detection System

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This guide contains important information on the operation of the Water Alarm™. Read this guide and save it for future use.

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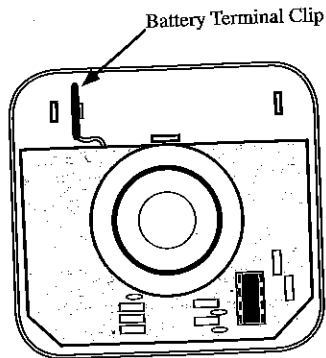
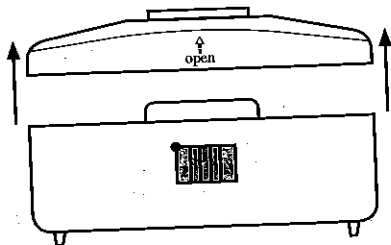
The Water Alarm™:



How to install the Battery in the Water Alarm™:

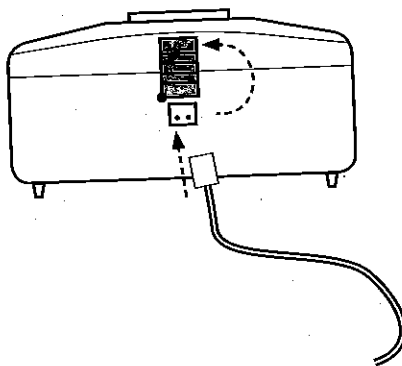
Remove the top of the Water Alarm™ by gently pressing on the 'open' indicators and pull the top off. Match the terminals of a 9 volt Alkaline battery (do NOT use rechargeable batteries) to the connections on the Water Alarm™. Set the battery into the Water Alarm™ and replace the top.

When the battery is nearing the end of its useful life, the Water Alarm™ will 'chirp' approximately once every 10 minutes. When this occurs, the battery should be replaced as soon as possible.



Using the Water Alarm™ Expansion Ports:

Every Water Alarm™ has two Expansion Ports, one on each side of the unit. Pull back the rubber tab and rotate exposing the expansion port. They support add-on units that are sold separately, like the SP01, Sensor Pad unit. They can also be used for alarm systems and are in a "normally open" position. Detection of liquids closes the circuit on both expansion ports so you could use one port with an add on sensor, and the other for an alarm system, or both for add-on products.



How to test your Water Alarm™:

Correct operation of your Water Alarm™ can be verified by standing it on a damp towel. The alarm should sound within 3 seconds. If it does not, replace the battery and re-test.

This is the only way to ensure that the Water Alarm™ is working properly. If it is not, it should be repaired or replaced immediately.

Where the Water Alarm™ should be placed:

Place the Water Alarm™ level, with all 4 legs flat on the surface to be monitored for water.

Place a Water Alarm™ in areas where there is a potential for water damage from leakage. Suggested areas are:

- Near or under washing machines, dish washers, refrigerators, sinks, etc.
- Next to your water heater.
- Under a water bed.
- In the bathroom where toilets, tubs, or sinks could overflow.
- In the basement where ground water or leaky water lines may cause damage.
- On the floor under potentially leaky pipes.

What the Water Alarm™ can do:

The Water Alarm™ is designed to detect water that comes in contact with the sensors in its legs. Standing water is not required for detection - only a slight dampness is actually necessary. The metal sensors in the legs will penetrate slightly into carpeting for better sensitivity. Water that does not come in contact with the sensors cannot be detected.

The Water Alarm™ is designed to give early warning of leaks and water that could cause damage. It can provide time for you to stop a leak or move valuables before damage occurs.

How to care for your Water Alarm™:

Your Water Alarm™ has been designed to be as maintenance-free as possible. To keep your Water Alarm™ in good working order, you must:

- Test your Water Alarm™ monthly (See "How to Test your Water Alarm™").
- Replace the battery once a year or when the unit "chirps" or fails when tested.
- Do not allow lint or debris to accumulate around the top opening.
- Remove the Water Alarm™ from water as soon as possible. Although it will actually float, water in contact with the battery terminals will drain the battery rapidly.

What to do if there is water in your home:

- Identify the source of the water.
- Stop the flow of water immediately if possible.
- Move susceptible items away from dampness into open air.
- Clean up the water as soon as possible.

Emergency Water Planning:

- Know the location of the main water shutoff for your home or business and become familiar with its operation.
- Train family members/employees in procedures for shutoff in case of water leakage.

WARNING

General limitations of Water Detectors:

Water detectors will not work without battery power. Water detectors will not work without properly installed batteries. Test monthly for proper operation.

Water Detectors will not sense water that doesn't come in contact with the sensing probes. If there is a leak near the Water Alarm™ but the moisture cannot come in contact with the sensors in the legs of the unit, the alarm will not sound and damage could occur. The Water Alarm™ should be placed so that leaking water will come into contact with the legs immediately.

Water detectors may not be heard. The loudness of the alarm in your detector meets or exceeds current standards. However, if the water detector is placed in the basement, it may not be heard on the second floor. If the sound is blocked by distance, closed doors, normal noise such as traffic, stereo, radio, television, air conditioner, or other appliances, it may not be heard. The alarm may not be heard by people that are hard of hearing.

Water detectors are not foolproof. Like all other electronic devices, water detectors have limitations. Water detectors may not sense every kind of water problem every time. They cannot be expected to sense water in locations other than where the detector is located. They may not give adequate warning for fast-growing water problems (i.e. water main break, flash flood).

Water Detectors are not substitutes for property insurance. The Water Alarm™ is designed to alert you to potential water damage. There is no guarantee, expressed or implied, that it will prevent water damage.

One Year Limited Warranty

Gizmode warrants the enclosed Water Alarm™, excluding the battery, to be free from defects in materials and workmanship under normal use and service for a period of one year from the date of purchase. Gizmode makes no other express warranty for this device. No agent, representative, dealer, or employee of the Company has the authority to increase or alter the obligations or limitations of this Warranty. The company's obligation under this Warranty shall be limited to the repair or replacement of any part of the detector which is found to be defective in materials or workmanship under normal use and service during the warranty period. During the warranty period commencing with the date of purchase, such repair or replacement shall be made without charge. Units in need of repair should be returned, together with proof of purchase, shipping prepaid, to: Customer Service Department, Gizmode, 8675 S. Sandy Pkwy. Bldg 110, Sandy, Utah 84070. We are not able to accept COD shipments. The company shall not be obligated to repair or replace units which have been damaged through unreasonable use, modifications or alterations.

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