

# Falcon<sup>®</sup> PT40

Compact Bar Code Data Collection Terminal



#### Features:

- Compact – size of a cell phone
- Integrated bar code laser
- Lightweight – 4.2 oz /119 grams
- 26 key numeric keypad (cell phone layout)
- Up to 2MB of memory
- Large capacity Lithium Ion main battery
- Rechargeable Lithium backup battery
- Supports task switching – up to 4 applications
- Powerful program generator (PPG) to develop applications

#### Compact Data Collection

The new Falcon PT40 is a very compact, sleek portable data terminal, sized to fit in your shirt pocket or on a belt clip like a cell phone. Complete with integrated bar code laser and multiple memory options, the PT40 is powerful enough to handle most any batch data collection task. The Falcon PT40 is designed primarily for retail and light industrial applications where low cost and an extremely small form factor are desired.

#### Small in Size, Big on Features

With its built-in laser, the PT40 is very snappy at scanning bar codes at distances from 2 inches/5cm up to 34 inches/87cm. The PT40 offers memory options from 256K up to 2MB for large look-up files or extensive data storage. The PT40 even supports the ability to instantly switch between up to 4 applications, providing added flexibility. Additionally, the PT40 features a long lasting Lithium-Ion main battery, providing many hours, or even days of use between charges. Backed by a rechargeable Lithium backup battery, the PT40 will retain its memory for 3-5 days even when the main battery is completely discharged. A full 26 key keypad is laid out virtually identical to a typical cell phone, providing easy transition for the average user. The crisp display is even backlit for low-light situations. Tested to repeated 1.2 meter (4 foot) drops to concrete, the PT40 is designed to handle demanding data collection tasks.

#### Powerful Programming Tool

The PT Program Generator (PPG) is a Windows based programming tool that features a graphical user interface to quickly and easily create your PT40 portable application. The latest version of PPG allows an existing PT 2000 or TopGun application to run without modification on the PT40 (with a simple re-compile).

#### International Capabilities

The PT40 was designed for data collection users worldwide. Initially supporting Chinese Simplified and Chinese Traditional (Big5) fonts, the PT40 will continue to be expanded to support other double byte languages in the near future.

#### Ease of Use

The PT40 comes with PAL, a simple, yet effective application pre-loaded on every terminal. PAL allows you to start using the PT40 right out of the box to scan bar codes and collect basic inventory data. Simply drop the PT40 in the docking station (or connect the direct connect cable) and send your collected data to your PC.



# Specifications

## Falcon® PT40

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### Mechanical

#### Dimensions

Length: 5.35" (136 mm)  
Width: 1.89" (48 mm)  
Height: .93" (24 mm)

Weight : 4.2 oz. (119 g) including battery

#### Display

Type: Backlit Graphics FSTN LCD  
Size: 96 x 48 pixels  
Text: 6 lines x 16 characters wide (small font)  
4 lines x 12 characters wide (large font)  
Double Byte (Chinese): 3 lines x 8 characters wide

#### Keypad

26 keys with full alphanumeric capability  
(cell phone layout)  
Four function keys

#### Construction

ABS plastic  
Chemical resistant

### Environmental

#### Temperature rating

Operating: 32° to 122° F (0° to 50° C)  
Storage: -4° to 158° F (-20° to 70° C)

Humidity: 5 to 95% RH (non-condensing)

Shock: multiple 4-ft. (1.2 m) drops to concrete

### Decoding Capability

(autodiscriminates between)

UPC A, E / EAN 8, 13 / JAN 8, 13 (extensions)

Code 128 Interleaved 2 of 5

Code 39 Code 39 Full ASCII

Code 93 Codabar

### Safety & Regulatory

Electrical: Complies to CE

Emissions: FCC Part 15 - Class A

Laser: CDRH Class 2; IEC Laser Class 2

(CAUTION: Laser Radiation -  
do not stare into beam)



### Optical

Light source: 650nm Visible Laser Diode (VLD)

Rate: 50 ± 6 scans/sec. bi-directional

Scan angle: 46.5° typical

Depth-of-field: Refer to chart below

Ambient light immunity:

Artificial light: 450 ft-candles (4,844 lux)

Sunlight: 8,000 ft-candles (86,112 lux)

### Depth-of-Field Chart

printing resolution, contrast and ambient light dependent

TYPICAL RANGE				
LABEL DENSITY	5 mil	2.6" to 5.9"	6.6	to 15.0cm
	7.5 mil	2.0" to 9.2"	5.0	to 23.4cm
	10mil	1.7" to 12.4"	4.3	to 31.5cm
	13mil	1.8" to 14.5"	4.6	to 36.8cm
	20mil*	*** to 20.3"	***	to 51.6cm
	40mil*	*** to 29.7"	***	to 75.4cm
55mil*	*** to 34.4"	***	to 87.4cm	

(\*Minimum distance determined by width of bar code and scan angle)

### Accessories



### System

#### Hardware

16-bit CMOS Microprocessor  
Real-time Clock and Calendar  
RAM: 256 KB to 2 MB  
FLASH: 512 KB

#### Beeper

Software programmable speaker volume, duration, and pitch

#### Data Communications

##### PT40

Serial (requires serial cable)  
RS-232C; ASCII 7- or 8-bit; Selectable Parity;  
300 to 38,400 baud programmable;  
Supports CTS/RTS and Xon/Xoff

##### Docking Station

Serial (cable included with dock)  
RS-232C; ASCII 7- or 8-bit; Selectable Parity;  
300 to 38,400 baud programmable;  
Supports CTS/RTS and Xon/Xoff

#### Protocols

ACK/NAK; X Modem; Carriage return only

#### Power

Main Battery: 600 mAh rechargeable Li-Ion.

Typical recharge time: 3-4 hours

Backup Battery: Rechargeable lithium protects RAM and real time clock

#### AC Adaptor: (required for dock)

Input: 100-240v, 50-60Hz, 0.3A

Output: 9VDC, 1.3A

#### Software

Supports programs generated with PT Program Generator (PPG)

Supports task switching between up to 4 applications

#### International Character Sets

Supports Chinese Traditional (Big 5) and Chinese Simplified

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