## **Model 193**MicroR Ratemeter

Part Number: 48-2959

## **Features**

- Used with External Scintillator Detectors
- Special Algorithms for Finding Loose Sources
- User-Adjustable Audible and Visual Alarms
- Rugged Construction
- 0 to 5000 μR/hr Range (others available)
- Indoor or Outdoor Use



The Ludlum Model 193 Survey Meter is a portable gamma survey instrument with adjustable audio and visual alarms: a user adjustable meter-driven alarm for readings above a particular set-point, and a deviation beep alarm to indicate a rise of radiation above background levels. The instrument is designed to be used with external scintillation detectors for optimum performance in locating and measuring low-level (near "background") gamma radiation.



## **Specifications**

**METER SCALE**: 0 to 5  $\mu$ R/hr provides an overall range of 0 to 5000  $\mu$ R/hr (other meter scales available)

METER: 1 mA, 6.4 cm (2.5 in.) scale, pivot-and-jewel suspension

**LINEARITY**: reading within 10% of true value

HIGH VOLTAGE: externally adjustable and variable from 200 to 1500 Vdc

**CONTROLS**:

Range selector switch  $\times 1000$ ,  $\times 100$ ,  $\times 10$ , and  $\times 1$ 

Audio ON-OFF toggle switch FAST-SLOW toggle switch

Reset pushbutton to zero meter

Calibration controls hidden behind cover plate for setting alarms, discriminator, HV, and range adjustments

**AUDIO OUTPUT:** built-in unimorph speaker, audible click-per-deviation; beeps for every 1/8 second interval that is 2 sigma above background level, enabled or disabled by the audio ON/OFF switch, corresponds to the ALARM lamp initiation

**ALARM**: the alarm is adjustable from 10% of full meter scale to greater than full meter scale, and is manifested by an alarm lamp on the front panel and an audio signal

**DETECTOR FAILURE**: indicated by a rapid audible beep and meter reading of zero, instrument waits for 8 seconds after initial power-up sequence before giving indication to a detector failure (no count) condition

**POWER**: two standard alkaline "D" cell or NiCd rechargeable batteries secured in an isolated compartment

**BATTERY LIFE: 600 hours** 

**CONSTRUCTION**: cast and drawn aluminum with beige powder-coat and silk-screened nomenclature

**SIZE**:  $16.5 \times 8.9 \times 21.6 \text{ cm}$  ( $6.5 \times 3.5 \times 8.5 \text{ in.}$ ) (H × W x L), including instrument handle

WEIGHT: 1.6 kg (3.5 lb), including batteries