CASELLA CEL Inc. CEL-350 DBADGE MICRO NOISE DOSIMETER OVERVIEW and SPECIFICATION



CEL-350 & 350IS dBadge™ Micro Noise Dosimeters

### Introduction

The CEL-350 is the easiest and most reliable noise dosimeter on the market. Its small size and light weight give it instant worker acceptance and there is no cable to snag, break or come unplugged. The CEL350 displays detailed test results as the unit is running, and captures all the combinations necessary of exchange rate, threshold and criterion level needed to comply with Federal, State or local requirements - with no user setup Calibration is required! super simple - just place the calibrator over the microphone and the unit will automatically enter 'cal mode' - then tap the control button twice and you are done!

#### **Operation and use**

A simple drop-in rapid battery charger system provides very fast 90 minute maximum recharging time. The CEL-350 dBadge<sup>™</sup> can run for up to 28 hours continuously on a full charge. Even better - just 30 minutes charge time will give adequate capacity for a full 8hour shift Dosimetry test. An integral 2-line LCD display shows the noise exposure results and confirms the acoustic calibrations before and after the actual run. The unit is easilv locked using the controls to prevent tampering by the wearer. Four time history profiles are saved with the Q=3 and Q=5 time weighted average value plus the C and the Z peak levels.

Using the companion software, Insight<sup>™</sup>, you decide exactly which metrics to include with your analysis and presentation report.

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#### CEL-350 dBadge micro noise dosimeter

CASELLA CEL Products come with 2 year warranty and free user training and support!





CEL-6362 (or 6363) Drop in charger for dBadge system - completely recharges up to 3 units in under 90 mins

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## **Key benefits**

Lightweight; less than 2.4 oz

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- Small size: only 2.8 in long and 1.7 in wide and 2.0 in tall
- Quick battery recharge: full in less than 90 minutes from complete discharge
- Stores all data parameters for review
- Calculates all relevant noise dose parameters
- Time history profiling of 4 results at fixed 1 m intervals
- Wide dynamic range from 65 to a full 140 dB
- Measures simultaneously 3 dB and 5 dB exchange rates
- Lockable for security
- One-touch automatic calibration with standard acoustic calibrator

The dosimeter displays the % noise dose plus the Lavg & TWA for the run, or even more metrics in the Pro mode. Our **CEL-350** is the ideal unit for industrial hygienists, technicians and safety engineers responsible for monitoring the noise exposure of workers particularly in situations where conventional belt-worn noise dosimeters with a remote cable microphone is inconvenient

Casella's dedicated download and analysis program,  $Insight^{TM}$ comes with the *dBadge* system allowing all stored data to be downloaded, analyzed and stored in any file format the user requires. Multiple reports can be obtained from the same data without needing to re-measure the noise. This saves both data collection time and analysis time. A II measurement kits come complete with calibrator, s/w and download cable plus rugged case.





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Technical Specifications		
Acoustic accuracy	ANSI S1.25, IEC61252 2002 Personal sound exposure meters	
Dynamic range (dB)	65 to 140	
Frequency weightings	A for rms values plus Z and C for peak measurements	
Time weightings	Slow for Q=5 data plus non for Q=3 data as required for standards	
Exchange rate (Q dB)	5 and 3 simultaneously	
Threshold level (dB)	Any levels from 70 to 90 in 1 dB steps	
Criterion level (dB)	Any level between 70 and 90 in 1 dB steps	
Microphone capsule	Removable 1/2" type 2 device can be calibrated with any standard	
	acoustic calibrator using 1/2" diameter cavity	
Calibration method	Automatic recognition and calibration to user set dB level	
Display screen	96 x 26 pixel graphics LCD with 2 line text messages	
Alarm warning indicators	Red and blue LED's showing level noise exceedances during run	
Indicators	2 stage hi intensity LED's for memory, battery or noise warnings	
User controls	2 push buttons for On/Off and OK/Accept	
Weight (oz, g)	< 2.4 oz (68 g)	
Size (in, mm)	< 2.8 x 1.7 x 2.0 in (72 x 42 x 52 mm)	
Case molding	High impact ABS plastic molding	
Battery pack	Two half AAA size NiMH rechargeable cells	
Battery life (hr)	32 hours continuous, unit gives expected remaining battery life in	
	hours when switched on by "fuel gauge" display icon	
Charging unit	3 way dBadge master charger base with drop in charging	
	via connections on back of dBadge casing	
Memory storage (results)	At least 180 hours at 4 profiles every minute with unit showing	
	remaining memory recording time in hours when switched on	
Stored profile values	Lavg(Q=5), LZpk, Leq(Q=3), LCpk	
Storage interval	Fixed 1 minute for all 4 results simultaneously	
Real time clock	Date and time stamp on all calibration data and profile results	
Fixing method to worker	Various fixing clips provided for clothing and hard hat mounting	
Microphone protection	Lockable foam windscreen to protect microphone	
Security features	dBadge can be locked prior to being placed on worker to	
	prevent tampering - displaying only duration and run in progress	
Localization of menus	Up to 5 standard languages can be selected for screen prompts,	
	English, Spanish, French, German, Italian	
Identification of multiple units	2 lines of ID text can be uploaded from Insight program	

# **Ordering information**

CEL-350/K1*	Single pack dBadge noise dosimeter kit with standard accessories	
CEL-350/K2	Twin pack dBadge noise dosimeter kit with standard accessories	
CEL-350/K5	Five pack dBadge noise dosimeter kit with standard accessories	
CEL350/K10	Ten pack dBadge noise dosimeter kit with standard accessories	
CEL-350	Single dBadge micro noise badge unit with mounting clips and windscreen	
CEL-120/2	Class 2 acoustic calibrator 114 dB at 1 kHz	
CEL-6362	3 way drop in rapid master charger including PC18 universal power supply	
	(can be "daisy chained" together for multiple kits with CEL-6358 slave charger unit)	
CEL-6363	Slave charger unit and link cable to master charger for up to 3 additional dosimeters	
Insight	Windows based download and database software package supplied on CD	
193200B	USB Infrared adaptor for pc download and programming	
CEL-6355	Multi pack kit case with space for up to 12 dBadge dosimeters and accessories	

\*NOTE: All kits include CEL-350 *dBadge* dosimeter(s) with attachment clips and foam windscreen, CEL-120/2 acoustic calibrator, 3 bay charger base unit(s) and power supply(s), USB infrared download adaptor, Insight pc software, and rugged kit case Add IS after part number for the intrinsically safe version of the *dBadge*.

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