



## DL-502/503 ELECTRONIC DIGITAL LEVEL



- PRE-INSTALLED MEASUREMENT PROGRAMS
- HEIGHT DIFFERENCE MEASUREMENT
- Inverse Staff Reading for Ceiling Height
- INTERNAL MEMORY

## It's time.

Topcon DL-500 series digital levels maximize work efficiency and minimize human errors, providing consistent measurement precision and speed regardless of operator's skill levels.

Incorporating cutting-edge Random-Bidirectional (RAB) coding technology and optimum digital processing algorithm, the DL-500 provides exceptional measurement accuracy, stability, and speed, under a variety of environmental conditions. Even when the staff surface is partially shaded, or in dim lighting conditions as low as 20 lux, one single button triggers measurement and the DL-500 instantly shows reliable results.

The world's first "Wave-and-Read" technology provides an additional survey style option that allows a rod person to wave the staff back and forth, instead of keeping the staff plumb.

Pre-installed measurement programs assist various leveling tasks and accompanied calculations. Internal memory stores the valuable data which can be directly transferred to a computer, eliminating human errors.





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#### Quick. Easy. Reliable. No Error. Less Fatigue.



#### **Single Button Operation!**

After focusing on the staff, just press one button. The DL-500 reads height and distance, and stores data. Digital technology eliminates misreading and reduces operator's eye fatigue.



Auto levels require you to read the graduations on the staff with your own eye



DL-500 electronically reads the code and displays the results in 3 seconds.



### High Accuracy! 0.6mm/0.8mm

Two models are available for different accuracy requirements.

DL-502: 0.6mm (Invar staff), 1.0mm (fiberglass staff) DL-503: 0.8mm (Invar staff), 1.5mm (fiberglass staff)



## Maximum Reliability! Field-proven Compensator

Incorporating field-proven pendulum compensator with magnetic damping system, the DL-500 provides stability you need when working on busy roads or bridges subject to vibrations.



#### Measures Ceiling Height! Inverse Staff Reading

RAB Code staff can be read in inverse position. This feature dramatically facilitates height measurement of ceilings, tree branches, road signs, bridges, tunnel crowns, and other structures.



#### "Wave-and-Read" The World's First Technology

DL-500 tracks the RAB Code staff waved back and forth, and automatically reads the correct height. The staff reading becomes the minimum when it stands vertically. The DL-500 automatically finds the least value of staff readings.

This world's first technology allows for error-free readings of waved staffs, while dramatically reducing operator's eyestrain.

#### **Digital Technology Speeds Up All Leveling Tasks!**





#### Practical Measurement Programs! No Need for Calculators

Onboard programs support various measurements such as elevation, height difference, ceiling height, as well as cut/fill and stakeout in horizontal distance.

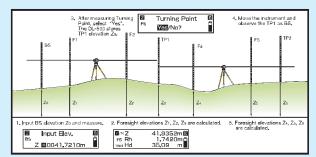


### Internal Memory and Easy Data Transfer!

DL-500 stores up to 2,000 measurement data. The "DL-500 TOOL" software transfers data to a computer in CSV format.

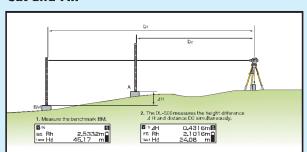
\* DL-500 TOOL is available at the Topcon websites.

#### **Elevation**



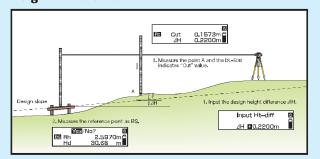
Calculates elevation of foresight (FS) with reference to the backsight (BS) elevation. Elevation of turning point (TP) is used for a new backsight, allowing for consecutive leveling.

#### **Cut and Fill**



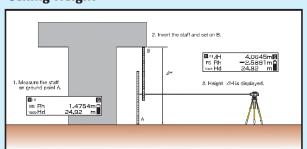
Cut and fill stakeout facilitates slope works. Measurement can be taken with 0.1mm or 1mm (0.001ft. or 0.01ft.) resolutions.

#### **Height Difference**



Automatically displays the height difference between backsight (BS) and foresight (FS) in 0.1/1mm (0.001/0.01ft.) unit.

#### **Ceiling Height**



Two measurements provide a ceiling height; one with a staff placed on the ground, the other with an inverted staff put onto the ceiling. Elevation of ceiling can also be calculated with reference to the benchmark elevation.

#### **Optional Accessories**

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#### Invar RAB-code staff

	BIS20	BIS30
Length	2m	3m
Weight	4.3kg	5.5kg
Number of section	1	I
Linear expansion	1ppm/°C	

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#### Fiberglass RAB-code staff

	BGS40	BGS50 BGS50G3
Length	4m	5m
Weight	2.4kg	3.0kg
Number of section	3	4
Rear graduation	Metric*	
*BGS50G3 has 'feet/	10th/100th'	graduations.



#### Aluminum RAB-code staff

	BAS55
Length	5m
Weight	1.9kg
Number of section	5 (telescopic)
Rear graduation	Metric

#### F-4/F-24 Interface cable

Connects the DL-500 and PC.

#### **Standard configuration**



DL-502/503 Digital Level unit BDC46B Li-ion battery CDC68 charger EDC113 AC power cable Hex wrench Vinyl cover User manual Carrying case



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#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

Telescope	DL-502	DL-503	
Magnification	32X	28X	
Objective aperature	45mm (1.78in.)	36mm (1.42in.)	
Resolving power	3"	3.5"	
Field of view	1°2	20"	
Minimum focus	1.5m (5.0ft.)		
Image	Erect		
Stadia ratio	10	00	
Compensator			
Туре	Pendulum compensator wit	h magnetic damping system	
Working range	±1	15'	
Height mesurement			
Accuracy (standrd deviation fo	r 1km double run levelimg)		
Electronic reading			
Invar staff	0.6mm	0.8mm	
Fiberglass staff	1.0mm	1.5mm	
Optical reading	1.0mm	2.0mm	
Measuring range	1.6 to 100m	(5.3 to 328ft.)	
Measuring time			
Fine	3 sec. (single/continuous/average)		
Tracking	1 sec.		
Least count	0.0001/0.001m, 0	0.0001/0.001m, 0.001/0.01ft., 1/8in.	
Minimum brightness conditior	20lx. at the	staff surface	
Distance measurement (D=	measuring distance)		
Accuracy			
D≦10m	±10mm	(±0.4in.)	
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50m <d< td=""><td>±0.2</td><td>%×D</td></d<>	±0.2	%×D	
Least count	0.01/0.1m,	0.1/1ft., 1in.	
User interface			
Display		LCD with backlight	
Keyboard	8 keys (7 on front pa	inel, 1 on side panel)	
Cricular level sensitivity	10'/2	2mm	
Mesurement program			
	rage / Elevation / Height differer	nce / Cut & Fill / Stakeout distance	
Data storage			
Internal memory		2,000 points	
JOB		Max. 20 jobs	
Data output format	C	SV	
Interface			
	RS-2	232C	
Environmental			
Water resistance	IPX4 (IEC 6		
Operating temperature		(-4°F to 122°F)	
Ct t	-40°C to 70°C (	-40°F to 158°F)	
Storage temperature			
Others			
<b>Others</b> Power supply	BDC46B (Li-io	n battery, 7.2V)	
Others Power supply Operating time	BDC46B (Li-ion Approx.	16 hours	
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