

# PT GPS Installation Instructions



## Portable GPS Device - Getting Started

Each portable GPS device ordered should include:

- 1 GPS tracking device with battery cover and belt clip
- 1 battery
- 1 A-to-mini-B USB cable
- 1 Car DC power adaptor
- 1 Wall power adaptor

### Install the Battery

To install the battery, remove the belt clip and battery cover. Insert the battery into the device, being sure the 3 metal contact points on the battery connect with the 3 contact points in the GPS unit.

### Charging and Battery Use

On the side of the device, under a gray rubber flap, is a mini-B USB port for charging. Use the included USB cable to connect to a computer's USB port, or into the included wall or car adaptors. Battery life will vary depending on how many hours per day the device is moving and how often it is programmed to report in during movement. Average life for 2-minute reporting on an 8-hour charge is 3 days. Note: if the device's battery runs out of charge, you will lose the ability to electronically track it.

### Lights

*No lights* – No power source; battery is removed or has less than 5% charge

*ON* – Blinks every 10 seconds when running on battery; on solid when plugged into power source

*GPS* – Blinks every 2 seconds when GPS signal is good

*BAT* – Blinks every 10 seconds if less than 20% charge; every 2 seconds during charging; none when fully charged or dead

### Buttons

The buttons on the device exist for future feature development and are not currently used. Notice there is no power button. Once the battery is installed and charged, the device is ready to go.

### Install It on the Vehicle

Once the device is functional, install it in the vehicle in a clean, safe, dry place. It should not be enclosed in thick metal or other radio-frequency-blocking materials. Similar rules to cell phone reception apply, but remember that GPS satellites are overhead rather than to the sides. The portable GPS tracking device has worked very well in a variety of scenarios -- in glove boxes, in car trim, in appliances, in plastic bags and duct taped to a vehicle's axle... we've heard some interesting uses! There may be some experimentation to discover the best placement. You can use the units GPS light to see that it has a GPS lock, but give it 15-20 to get locked in.

### View the Results

Log into your account at [www.trackwhatmatters.com](http://www.trackwhatmatters.com) to see the locations of your device. An email containing your login information should have been sent to you. For training and questions, please call support at 1-800-293-0420.



For more detailed installation information, including pictures, go to: [www.trackwhatmatters.com/install](http://www.trackwhatmatters.com/install)



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