Basic Navigation

Starting to Navigate

Basic navigation with your eTrex Legend requires only three steps: mark, move, and return. Mark your location as a waypoint, move a distance away, and then return after choosing one of several methods to help you find your way.

To mark a waypoint:
1. Press in and hold the THUMB STICK for two seconds to display the Mark Waypoint Page. Your current location is marked as a waypoint and automatically assigned a three digit number.
2. The ‘OK’ button is highlighted so press the THUMB STICK to save the waypoint.

To move about with the Map Page:
1. Use the PAGE button to access the Map Page and view the new waypoint.
2. Press the ZOOM IN button to get a more detailed view of the map.
3. Walk or drive around for a few minutes, make a right or left turn, then continue for a few more minutes and then stop. The ‘position icon’ shows your location and the dotted line shows your path of travel (a Track).

To return to a waypoint using Goto:
1. Press the FIND button to display the Find Menu.
2. Use the THUMB STICK to highlight ‘Waypoints’ and then press it in.
3. Use the THUMB STICK to highlight ‘Nearest’ and then press it in.
4. Use the THUMB STICK to highlight the waypoint and then press it in to display the Information Page.
5. With the on-screen ‘Goto’ button highlighted, press the THUMB STICK to activate the Goto navigation feature.

To finish your return:
1. The Navigation Page displays the ‘Bearing Pointer’ indicating the direction to go. Because you can’t always travel in a straight line, refer to the Bearing Pointer from time to time. As you move and whenever possible, turn in the direction the Bearing Pointer directs.
2. Use the PAGE button to move to the Map Page to see your location marked by the Position Icon and a straight dark line leading to the waypoint.
3. To stop navigating, highlight the Options Menu button on either page, press the THUMB STICK, select ‘Stop Navigation’, and then press the THUMB STICK.

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Installing the Batteries

The eTrex Legend operates on two AA batteries (not included), which are placed in the back of the unit. Rechargeable Alkaline, NiMH, NiCad or Lithium batteries may be used, but cannot be charged in the unit. Stored data will not be lost when changing the batteries.

To install the batteries:
1. Remove the battery cover from the back of the unit by turning the D-ring 1/4 turn counter-clockwise and pulling out.
2. Insert the batteries observing proper polarity as shown at the right.
3. Reinstall the battery cover by turning the D-ring 1/4 turn clockwise.

Setting the Time Zone

To change the Time Zone:
1. Use the PAGE button to access the Main Menu.
2. Use the THUMB STICK to highlight the SetUp icon and then press it in to display the SetUp Menu.
3. Use the THUMB STICK to highlight the Time Zone icon and then press it in to display the Time Page.
4. Use the THUMB STICK to highlight the ‘Time Zone’ field then press it in to display the list of time zones.
5. Highlight a time zone and then press the THUMB STICK.
6. The correct time is displayed at the bottom of the page.

The Main Pages, Setting the Time Zone

The five pages are shown in order below.
1. Press and hold the POWER button.
2. Press the PAGE button to acknowledge the copyright.
3. Carefully read the warning message and press the PAGE button to acknowledge and proceed to the Satellite Page.

The unit may take up to 5 minutes to establish a position: the first time you use it outside with a clear view of the sky. After that, it should take only 15 to 45 seconds.

The Main Menu - A directory of advanced features and settings.
Trip Computer - Provides a variety of trip and navigation data.
Satellite Page - Provides a visual reference of satellites being tracked.
Navigation Page - Provides guidance to your destination.
Displaying the Map Page - Provides a visual reference of the area being navigated.

Adjusting Backlight/Contrast

To turn the backlight On and Off:
1. Press the POWER button to turn the backlight On.
2. Press again to turn the backlight Off.
3. If no button is pressed (after 15 seconds*), the backlight will turn Off automatically.

*To set the backlight feature for longer On Time, refer to the Owner’s Manual.

Additional Map Data Available

You can transfer optional detailed map data to the eTrex Legend from a GARMIN MapSource® CD-ROM. Available choices include the MetroGuide, Points of Interest (Businesses, Landmarks, Cities, and Marine navais), BlueChart™, Fishing Hot Spots, Topographic maps, Roads and Recreation, and WorldMap mapping guides.

See your Owner’s Manual for connection details.

TOOLBOX

Points of Interest

Map Showing Restaurant

External Power and Data Connector
Protective Cover
Connectors
Indexing (Alignment) Bar

NOTES: While designed to be field tested and operated on the left hand, this unit can be used with the right hand, if preferred.