

### Operating Specifications

- **Display** 256 color active back lit LCD
- **Power Source** AC adapter/lithium ion rechargeable batteries
- **Interfaces** Serial port for direct printing from Validator™ and USB port for uploading/downloading files to/from a laptop/PC
- **Operating System** Linux
- **Keypad** Full navigation set with easy alpha/numeric data entry and soft key functions.

### Physical Characteristics

#### Physical Dimensions

- **Main Unit**  
Size: 22.9 x 11.4 x 5.3 cm  
(9 x 4.5 x 2.1 inches)  
Weight: 710 grams (1 lb 9 oz.)  
with battery
- **Remote**  
Size: 14.2 x 11.2 x 4.4 cm  
(5.6 x 4.4 x 1.8 inches)  
Weight: 341 grams (12 oz.) with battery

#### Environmental

- Operating temperature:  
0 to 50°C (32 to 122°F)
- Storage temperature:  
-20 to 70°C (-4 to 158°F)
- Humidity: 10% to 85%, non-condensing

#### Interfaces

- USB cable assembly
- 32 MB compact flash card

#### Test Connectors

- 8-position shielded modular jack (data)
- 6-position modular jack (telephone)
- F-coax (video) and dual banana jack (security, speaker, etc.)

#### Cable Types

- Shielded or unshielded Cat3, 5, 5E, 6
- Telephone, coax, speaker wire, security, fire, and alarm

#### Battery Type

Rechargeable, removable lithium ion packs

#### Maximum cable length for testing for split pairs

Up to 1500 feet, depending upon cable type

### Signal Quality Testing on Network Cable

- Wiremap up to 20 locations at a time
- Length of cable (TDR) distance to Opens and Shorts
- SKEW
- NEXT—All combinations on all pairs (12)
- Channel Response
- Echo Testing (Return Loss)—impedance mismatches
- Signal to Noise Ratio
  - Attenuation
  - Amplitude
  - Return Loss

### Performance and Speed Certification

- Supports IEEE 802.3 signal speed carrying specifications to 1 gigabit
- Test interconnect specifications per TIA568/570
- Measures the quality of the signal through the cable against set criteria on cable data-carrying capability in real time. 100Mbit/gigabit speeds
- Real-time testing of the performance capability of the cable
- Measures signal quality in actual link environments that could account for cable inadequacies. Physical installation, kink, loops etc., physical terminations, dry shorts, miswires etc.

*Specifications subject to change.*

#### Validator™ Kit (NT950) includes

- Validator™ Main Unit and Smart Remote
- 2 lithium ion rechargeable long-life batteries
- 2 AC adapter/charger units
- 4 adapter cable assemblies
- USB cable assembly
- Compact flash card
- Plan-Um™ design layout software
- Deluxe carrying case with cushioned sides



# Network/Cabling Certifier

- Tests to TIA 568/570 interconnect standards
- Certifies CAT5, CAT5E, and CAT6 cables to be IEEE compliant to 1 gigabit speed
- Tests coax, telephone, audio, and security cables
- Powerful Plan-Um™ design software included
- Creates and prints job reports
- Wiremap new or existing cable systems
- Simple to use



**Validator™ gives you 4 steps to more professional, productive and profitable installations...**

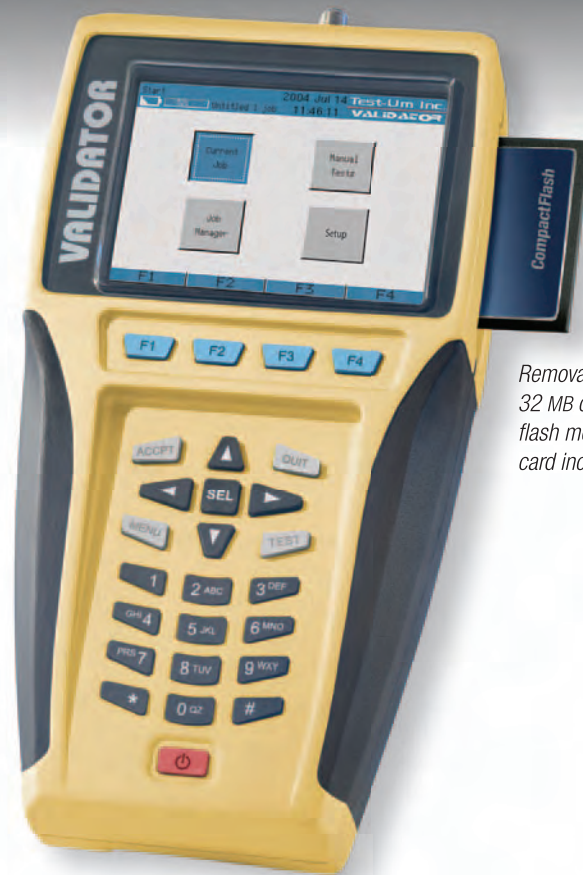
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# Define the Job, Make the Tests, Print the Results, Store the Data...



Removable  
32 MB compact  
flash memory  
card included

## No other tester/certifier does so much, so easily and so economically.

Validator measures and presents fast and clear SPEED and PERFORMANCE results up to 1 gigabit. The included powerful Plan-Um™ software ties together all the different cable criteria that are found in complex voice/data/video installations and presents concise information in printed reports, while storing data for future use.

Speed certification assures your customer that the cabling will do the job it is rated to do. Attached components, switches, hubs, routers and systems will then operate at maximum efficiency.

Completing and billing a cable installation job has never been easier. Simply layout your customer's requirements in a matter of minutes, then define cable types and runs. Test/certify each cable run. Print the results and attach them to your invoice. That's all there is to it.



dedicated I/O ports for  
network, telephone, coax and paired cables

## 1. Layout

- Create custom floor plans

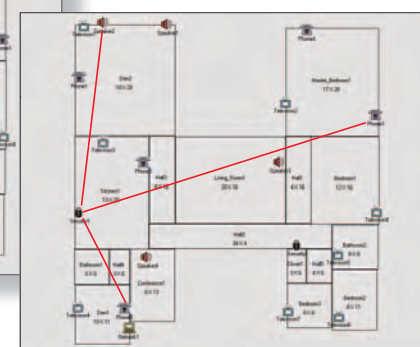


Powerful Plan-Um™ software included

- Show specific ports:  
network, telephone, cable



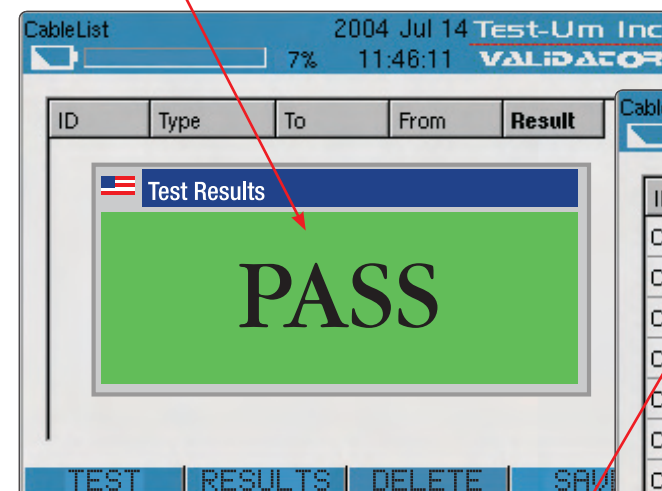
- Indicate cable runs



- Print or e-mail  
layout for  
approval
- Save layouts for  
future jobs
- Automatically  
creates cable  
test schedule

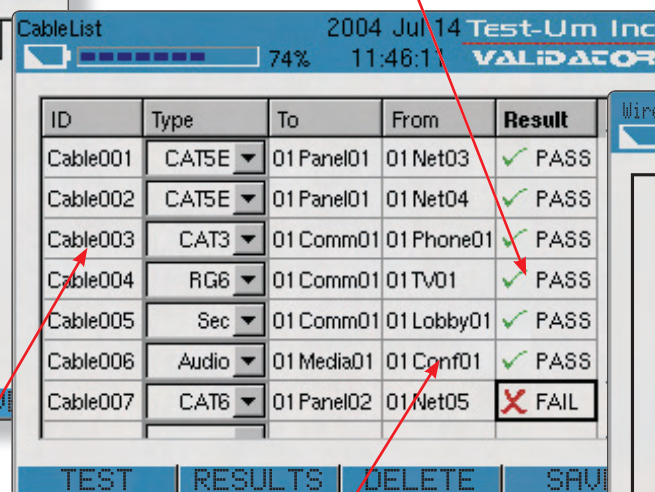
## 2. Certify

- Clear test results



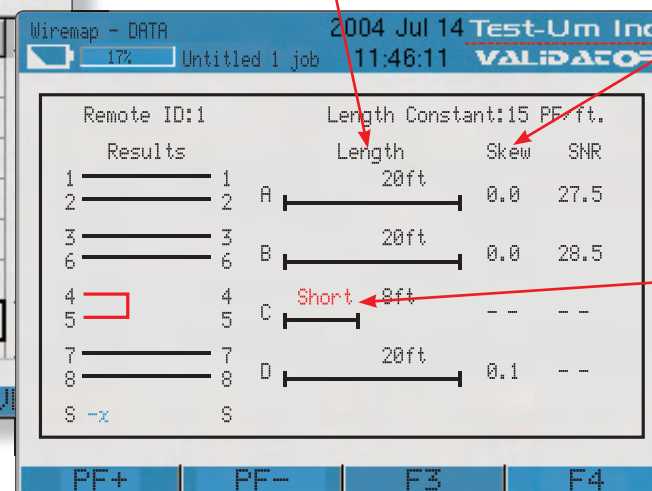
- Test/certify network cables to 1 gigabit per IEEE 802.3 speed criteria. Typical measurements include NEXT, signal/noise ratios, attenuation, return loss and bit error rates to determine cable carrying capability

- Test telephone, coax, security/alarm cables for continuity, proper termination and polarity



- Wiremap individual runs to locate and identify cable routes

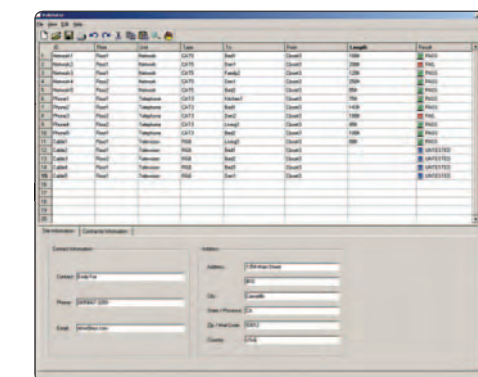
- Measure cable length and distances to opens and shorts using advanced TDR technology



- Skew and  
signal/noise  
ratio results  
shown on  
faulty cables

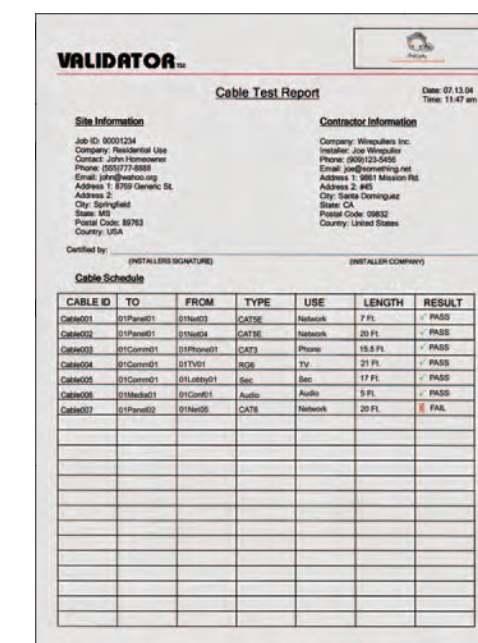
- Test interconnect specifications per TIA 568/570, including opens, shorts, miswires, split pairs, etc.

## 3. Document



- List cable runs against a defined job
- Each cable run is displayed for cross-checking
- Verify all tests are done against the plan
- Cable List shows run starting points and end points
- Pass/fail
- Print End of Job Report for billing purposes

## 4. Archive



- Store finished jobs for reference in doing future adds, moves or changes
- Store data on either a laptop/PC or in flash card memory up to 2 GB. Thousands of jobs can be saved!
- Use archived info when upgrading or changing previously installed systems