

W88723V2 FAQs

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AC Power

- The design of this alarm clock is to use AC power (5-volt) as primary power source.
- When operating with the AC power cord, the [backlight](#) can be on continually.
- When operating on AC power, batteries are optional and are not required in the alarm clock.
- The [backlight](#) will turn off or operate at 4 levels of intensity at your discretion.
- You have the option to set the backlight to AUTO DIM at selecting times.

Batteries

Explanation: Many problems are resolved with fresh batteries of the appropriate voltage. Many items sent in under warranty work when tested with fresh batteries. Batteries manufactured this year will have an expiration date 10 years (or more) in the future. Battery technology has improved, and batteries will maintain voltage longer in storage. However, the environment the batteries reside in for the 10 years can deplete the power.

- We suggest name brand Alkaline batteries for **indoor displays**.
- A minimum voltage of 1.48V for each battery is necessary for proper performance.
- Use batteries dated more than six years in advance of the current year. Batteries dated earlier than six years from now may still work but may be unstable in performance.
- Good name brand batteries make less noise, which reduces the chance of RF (radio frequency) interference from the battery compartment.

Alarm Clock Factory Restart

Explanation: The factory restart returns the alarm clock to an “out-of-the-box” state and often resolves an issue.

Factory Restart:

1. Remove all power (batteries and power cord) from the alarm clock.
2. Press one of the buttons on the alarm clock at least 20 times to clear all memory.
3. Verify that the alarm clock is blank before proceeding (some lines are painted on and will not disappear).
4. **Leave without power for 15 minutes** (very important).
5. Insert the power cord into the wall outlet then into the alarm clock.
6. Do not press buttons for 15 minutes.

12-Hour or 24-Hour Time Format

- Display the time in 12-hour or 24-hour format
- Default is 12-hour time
- Use the [Program Menu](#) to switch time formats

Fahrenheit/Celsius

- Use the [Program Menu](#) to switch the temperature display from Fahrenheit to Celsius.

Inaccurate Indoor Temperature Reading

Explanation: These symbols are error messages indication the indoor sensor is outside of its readable range. For indoor readings, this is generally a power related issue.

- [Batteries](#) may be overpowered or underpowered. Remove power from the alarm clock.
- Press any button 20 times. Leave the alarm clock unpowered for 1-2 hours.
- Install the AC cord or fresh Alkaline batteries with correct polarity.
- If the indoor temperature is still shows dashes, HH.H or LL.L, the alarm clock may need replacement.

Does the clock have a backlight?

Yes. Press and release the LIGHT/SNOOZE button to adjust the backlight 5 levels of intensity. Intensity Levels: OFF | 1.5% | 20% | 50% | 100%.

What is Auto Dim backlight?

The AUTO DIM setting allows you to select a time when your backlight will dim to level 1 and a time it will return to level 4.

1. Hold the LIGHT/SNOOZE button to enter the Auto Dim settings.
2. Use the + or - button to turn the Auto Dim feature ON or OFF. Press the LIGHT/SNOOZE button to confirm.
3. If ON was selected, START TIME will flash on screen. Use the + or - buttons to adjust your Auto Dimmer's starting hour. Press the LIGHT/SNOOZE button to confirm.
4. STOP TIME will flash. Use the + or - buttons to adjust your Auto Dimmer's ending hour. Press the LIGHT/SNOOZE button to confirm and exit.

Manually Set Time/Date: Program Menu

1. Hold the **SET** button 3 seconds to enter settings mode.
2. Press the + or - button to adjust the flashing values.
3. Hold the + or - buttons to adjust quickly.
4. Press the **SET** button to confirm adjustments and move to the next item.
5. Press LIGHT/SNOOZE button at any time to exit

Settings order:

- Language (English, Español, Français)
- Beep ON/OFF
- 12/24 Hour Time
- Hour
- Minutes
- Year
- Month
- Date
- Temperature Fahrenheit/Celsius

To begin:

1. Hold the SET button for 2 seconds to enter setting mode. **ENGLISH** will flash. Press the + or - button to select a different language.
2. Press SET to confirm and move to beep sound ON/OFF. **BEEP ON** will show. ON flashes. Press the + or - button to turn the button beep sound off.
3. Press SET to confirm and move to 12/24 hour. The **12Hr** will flash and **FORMAT** will show. Press the + or - button to choose 12 hour or 24 hour time format.
4. Press SET to confirm and move to the hour. The **HOUR** will flash. Press the + or - button to choose the hour.

5. Press SET to confirm and move to the minutes. The **MINUTES** will flash. Press the + or - button to choose the minutes.
6. Press SET to confirm and move to the year. The **YEAR** will show. **2019** will flash. Press the + or - button to change the year.
7. Press SET to confirm and move to the month. The **MONTH** will show. Three letter Month will flash. Press the + or - button to change the month.
8. Press SET to confirm and move to the date. **DATE** will show. Date number will flash. Press the + or - button to change the date.
9. Press SET to confirm and move to the temperature unit. **TEMP °F** will show. °F will flash. Press the + or - button if you prefer °C (Celsius).
10. Press SET to confirm and exit.

Set Time Alarm

Set Alarm Time

1. Hold the ALARM button for 3 seconds to enter alarm time set mode. The alarm hour will flash. Press the + or - buttons to set alarm **hour**
2. Press the ALARM button to confirm and move to the minutes. The alarm minutes will flash. Press the + or - buttons to set the **minutes**.
3. Press the ALARM button to confirm and move to snooze duration. The snooze time will flash and start at the pre-set of 10 minutes. The date area will read "SNOOZE"
4. Press + or - buttons to set snooze duration. Increase or decrease in 5 min intervals up to 120 min.
5. Press and release the ALARM button to confirm and exit.

Note: Alarm is crescendo sound. When the alarm sounds, it continues for 2 minutes and then shuts off completely.

Activate/Deactivate Time Alarm

Deactivate Alarm:

1. From normal time display, press and release the ALARM button to activate or deactivate alarm.
2. Alarm time will show for 3 seconds (with or without bell icon). Everything else disappears on screen.
3. Alarm icon will show when active and disappear when deactivated.
 - Alarm icon will flash when alarm sounds.
 - When alarm sounds, press any button except for LIGHT/SNOOZE to stop ringing for one day

Snooze Alarm

Snooze

- When alarm sounds, press LIGHT/SNOOZE button to stop the alarm and activate SNOOZE function. SNOOZE - **duration** will show in date area. Alarm icon will flash.
- During snooze count down, press any button except for LIGHT/SNOOZE to exit snooze count down
- During snooze count down, press LIGHT/SNOOZE only to change backlight
- When snooze alarm sounds, SNOOZE – duration “00 m 00” will flash. Clock beeps for 2 minutes then returns to normal display or press any button to stop ringing and return to normal display. Press any button except for LIGHT/SNOOZE to stop alarm and exit snooze function.
- **Repeat:** When snooze alarm sounds, SNOOZE – duration “00 m 00” will flash, for up to 2 minutes with alarm sounding. Press LIGHT/SNOOZE button to stop the sound and activate the snooze function again.

USB Charge Port

Explanation: The alarm clock has an integrated USB charging port that will charge a device when the alarm clock is operated on AC power.

Note: This is a power-output charging port. It does not supply power to the projection alarm.

- Connect your external device’s USB charging cable (not included) to the USB charging port.
- Charging times will vary.
- USB Power Output: 1.0A maximum current
- Charge 1.0A devices or devices that are self-regulating

Note: Some USB cables are for data transfer only and cannot be used for charging. Make sure that the USB cable you use will charge your device. Most USB cables included with mobile devices will work for charging.

Note: Many devices may require more power to charge than provided by this alarm clock.

Moon phase is incorrect.

- Check that your Year, Month, and Date are correct.

- The moon phase may be off a few days from the moon phase seen on the Internet.

Alarm clock has distorted or frozen display

Explanation: On a brand new alarm clock, check for thin plastic film of **printed scratch guard** that may be on the screen of the alarm clock. This thin piece of plastic has printed numbers for store displays. When the batteries are installed, the “real” numbers show behind the printed scratch guard and create distortion.

- With all power removed, the alarm clock should be blank.
- If numbers still appear, please check for scratch guard.

- **Power:**
- Check that the batteries and power cord are installed correctly.
- This is generally a power related issue.
- Batteries may be overpowered or underpowered.
- Remove batteries from alarm clock.
- Press any button 20 times. Leave the batteries out of the display for 2 hours.
- Insert power cord and batteries into the alarm clock.

Day of the week is incorrect.

- Check the year setting in the program menu. The day of the week sets automatically based on the setting of the year, month and date.