

# Aeon Labs Home Energy Meter

(Z-Wave Home Energy Meter)



## Introduction:

The Aeon Labs Home Energy Meter is energy meter for the entire home. It can wirelessly report immediate wattage and kWh usage of the AC mains to a Z-Wave gateway.

By taking advantage of the Z-Wave mesh network, commands can be routed to their destination via intermediary "listening" Z-Wave products. Products that are Z-Wave certified can be used and communicate with other Z-Wave certified devices.

### Z-Wave Network Instructions:

The Aeon Labs Home Energy Meter must be paired (included) into a Z-Wave network before it can receive Z-Wave commands to report its energy usage. The home energy meter can only communicate to devices within it's own z-wave network.

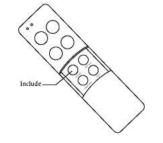
<u>Note</u>: If the Home Energy Meter is not currently paired into a Z-Wave network, the LED on the Home Energy Meter will blink after pressing the button located near the batteries.

- Adding/Including/Pairing the Home Energy Meter into a Z-Wave Network
- 1. Press the button on the Aeon Labs Z-Stick to begin the Z-Wave inclusion process.



Press the button labeled "Include" on the Aeon Labs Minimote to begin the Z-Wave inclusion process.

OR



<u>Note</u>: To include the Aeon Labs Home Energy Meter with other controllers, please consult the operation manual for these controllers on how to include Z-Wave products into an existing network. For instructions on select partner gateways, visit www.aeon-labs.com/support.

 After placing 4 AA batteries into the Home Energy Meter, press the button located near the batteries.

<u>**Troubleshooting</u>**: If the Aeon Labs Home Energy Meter was not successfully included into any Z-Wave network, the LED will blink after pressing the button near the batteries. If the Aeon Labs Home Energy Meter was successfully included to a Z-Wave network, the LED will be lit solid after pressing the button.</u>

## Removing/Excluding/Resetting the Home Energy Meter from your Z-Wave Network

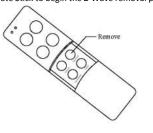
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1. Hold the button on the Aeon Labs Z-Stick to begin the Z-Wave removal process.



Press the button labeled "Remove" on the Aeon Labs Minimote Stick to begin the Z-Wave removal process.



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2. After placing 4 AA batteries into the Home Energy Meter, press the button located near the batteries .

**Troubleshooting**: If the Aeon Labs Home Energy Meter was removed from the Z-Wave network, the LED will blink after pressing the button near the batteries. If the Aeon Labs Home Energy Meter was not successfully removed from a Z-Wave network, the LED will be lit solid after pressing the button.

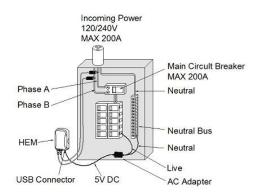
#### Power by an USB/AC Adapter

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While the Aeon Labs Home Energy Meter can operate for nearly a year on batteries, it can also be powered through it's USB port. While powered by the USB port, the Home Energy Meter can track kWh energy usage and report wattage every few seconds.

### AC Mains Installation

**IMPORTANT:** It is recommened that a licensed electrician assist with the installation as you must open the main circuit box (usually located outside of your house).



After opening the main circuit box panel, clip each of the clamps of the Aeon Labs Home Energy Meter around the two incoming wires that connect to the main circuit breaker from the main wire going into the box.

If you have purchased the optional Home Energy Meter AC Adapter, you may insert one of the AC adapters exposed wires into one of the neutral bus terminals and the other exposed wire into the live terminals coming from the main circuit breaker.

**Note:** Some AC Mains boxes are made of metal and may reduce the radio communication power from the Home Energy Meter to other Z-Wave devices within the house. To improve radio performance, the Home Energy Meter may be placed outside of the main circuit box. The Home Energy Meter is IP43 weatherized to be resistant to rain and snow when placed vertically with the wires protruding from the bottom of the unit.

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#### • Monitoring Energy Consumption

The Aeon Labs Home Energy Meter can report wattage energy usage or kWh energy usage to a Z-Wave gateway or controller when requested. If this function is supported by the gateway/controller, the energy consumption will be displayed in the user interface of the gateway/controller. (The specific Z-Wave commands supporting energy monitoring are the Meter Command Class and Multilevel Sensor Command Class.) Please consult the operation manual for these gateways/controllers for specific instructions on monitoring the Home Energy Meter.

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  - Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

#### Warning:

Do not dispose of electrical appliances as unsorted municipal waste, use separate collection facilities.

Contact your local government for information regarding the collection systems available.

#### Certifications (regional):





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