

Basic Operation of the Garmin eTrex GPS Receiver – Part 5

Measuring distance

Make sure you have a clear view of navigation satellites.

Use the Page/Quit button to go to the Map page. Press the menu button on the left side of the unit.

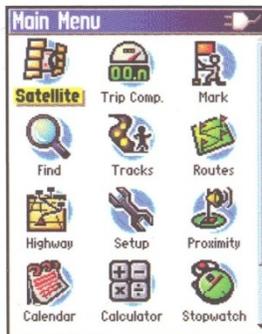
Choose “Measure Distance” and start moving. The distance and heading will be displayed.

Raytown Rd	
N 38°53.076'	083°
W094°28.546'	17.5°

You can also stand in one place and use the thumbstick to move the cursor to the waypoint you marked on the map page. The distance to that waypoint will be displayed.



Measuring area

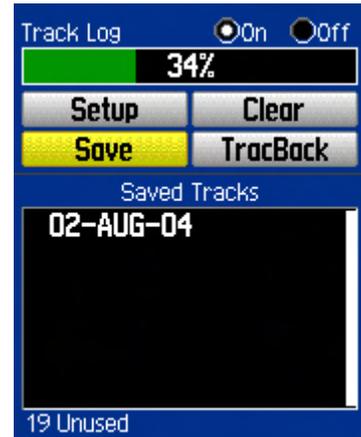


Main Menu

From the Main Menu, use the thumbstick to choose Tracks.

Tap the menu button on the left side of the unit and choose “Area Calculation”.

When you are ready to begin, click the Start button with the thumbstick and walk in a square, circle or irregular path, returning to your original position.



As you move, the area enclosed by your path is displayed on the screen.

You can change the unit for the area enclosed using the dropdown menu.