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1, General

The instrument is a high performance, high accuracy, 3 3/4 digit multi-meter, it uses the LCD with 42mm high figure to make the reading clear, the display simple and the operation convenient.

The instrument can measure DC and AC voltage, DC and AC current, Resistance, Capacitance, Frequency, Duty Circle, Diode and Continuity test; And it also has the features of Bar Graph, Unit Indication, Data Hold, Relative Value Measurement (REL), USB Interface, AUTO/MANUAL range selection, Auto Power Off and Alarm Buzzer. The instrument adopts the directly driven 4 digits microprocessor and dual-integral A/D converter, which provide the high solution and high accuracy digital displaying driver. Because of its outstanding features, it is an excellent tool and most suitable for lab, factory, maintenance and repair users.

2. Open-package Inspection

Open the gift box and take out the instrument, carefully check the following accessories. If any accessory was lost or damaged, please contact the manufactory at once.

Digital Multimeter	1pc
Operation Manual	1pc
Test Lead	1 set
Temperature Cable	1pc
USB Cable	1pc
Software disc	1pc

3、Safety Note

The instrument meets the standard of IEC1010 (safety standard promulgated by the International Electrician Committee). Design and manufacture complied with the standard of Pollution Degree 2.

🛆 Warning:

To avoid endangering the safety of the users, should read the operation manual carefully before operation, and strictly abide by the safety warning information and operation description to use the instrument.

- Caution to avoid the electric shock when measuring the voltage higher than 30V, the current higher than 10mA, AC Power Lines with Inductive Load and the AC Power Lines during the period of Electric Power Fluctuation.
- 2.Before measuring, should check if the function knob is set in the correct range, make sure the test lead connects reliably, links up correctly, and insulates properly to avoid the electric shock.
- 3.It meets the requirements of the safety standard only to use the instrument with the equipped test lead. If the test lead is broken, should replace it by the same type and same electric specification test lead.
- 4.Do not replace the inside fuse by the unconfirmed one. Only replace it by the same type and specification fuse. Before replacement, should keep the test lead off the tested point to make sure there is no any signal at the input terminal.
- 5.Do not replace the inside battery by the unconfirmed one.

Only replace it by the same type and electric specification battery. Before replacement, should keep the test lead off the tested point to make sure there is no any signal at the input terminal.

- 6.When measuring electricity, do not connect the body with the ground directly, and do not touch the possible exposed metal terminal, output socket or lead clamp with ground potential. Usually use the dry cloth, rubber overshoes, rubber cushion and other insulated materials to keep the body isolated with the ground
- Do not store and use the instrument in high humility, high temperature, combustible, explosive and strong magnetic places.
- 8. It is possible to damage the instrument and endanger the safety of the users when measuring the voltage over the range limit. The allowed maximum voltage is printed on the front panel of the instrument, do not input the range limit specified to avoid the electric shock and instrument damage.
- 9. Do not measure any voltage when connecting the test lead

with the current terminal to avoid damaging the instrument and endangering the safety of the users.

- 10.Do not try to calibrate or repair the instrument, should operate it by the specially trained or qualified professional people.
- 11. The functionrange selection knob should be set in the correct range when measuring. When switching the function/range selection knob, keep the test lead off the tested object to make sure there is no any signal at the input terminal. Do not switch the function/range selection knob when measuring.
- 12. When LCD displays " , please replace the battery in time to make sure the measuring accuracy.
- 12. Do not allow to measure the voltage when connecting the test lead with the current terminal!
- 13.Do not try to modify the inner circuit at will to avoid damaging the instrument and endangering the safety of the users.

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\triangle	Warning		DC
	High Voltage! Dangerous!	\langle	AC
<u>+</u>	GND	ξ	DC & AC
	Dual Insulation	Œ	Meets the direction of European IEC
+ -	Low Battery		Fuse

5. Front Panel Description

- 1. Instrument Model Numb
- 2. LCD Display
- 3.Buttons
 - 3-1. HOLD: Date Hold button, press the button, the value is held on LCD; Press the button again to exit the hold mode and get in the normal measuring status.
 - 3-2. HZ/DUTY: Frequency/Duty Circle selection button,

press the button to switch between the Frequency and Duty Circle mode at Frequency Range; Press the button to switch to Voltage or Current/Frequency/Duty Circle model at AC Voltage or AC Current Range SELECT: button switch, press the button to switch the measuring function.

- 3-3.SELECT: Press it to choose different function.
- 3-4. MAX/MIN: Maximum, Minimum, press the button, the instrument gets into the MAX mode, the measuring maximum value will be held at this mode; Press the button again to get into the MIM mode, the measuring minimum value will be held at this mode. At the MAX/MIN mode, the maximum or minimum value will be held on LCD. Under this circumstance, there are no Bar Graph and Auto Power Off function, hold pressing MAX/MIN button for 2 seconds, exit the MAX/MIN mode.
- 3-5. RANGE: Auto Range/ Manual Range switch, the default is set as Auto Range mode when turning on, press the button and switch to Manual Range. At the Manual Range mode, press the button once, the range is switched to the

higher one, press the button again to switch the range to the lowest one when measuring the highest range, the cycle is in proper order from low to high. Keep pressing the button for 2 sec., return to Auto Range mode. There is no Auto Range mode at Frequency and Capacitance range

- 3-6. REL: Relative Value Measurement, press the button to the mode of Relative Value Measurement, press again to cancel the Relative Value Measurement. Keep pressing the button more than 2 seconds to switch to RS232, RS232 symbol appears on LCD, it indicates the instrument is getting into the status of data transmission. Keeping pressing the button more than 2 seconds, RS232 symbol disappears, the data transmission is stopped.
- Function/range selection knob: select the measuring function and range
- 10A current input terminal: Measuring AC/DC 10A positive input terminal, insert red test lead.
- 6. uA/mA /°C input terminal: Measuring AC/DC uA/mA and Temperature positive input terminal.

- COM input terminal: negative input terminal, insert the black test lead.
- 8. √ΩHZ input terminal: measure Voltage, Frequency/Duty Circle, Resistance, Capacitance, Diode and Continuity positive input terminal, insert the red test lead.

6、 Property General Feature

- 1-1 Display: LCD
- 1-2 Max Display: 3999 (3 3/4) counts automatic polarity display and unit display.
- 1-3 41bar graph display, 30times/second
- 1-4 Measuring method: dual-integral A/D converter
- 1-5 Sampling rage: 3 times/second
- 1-6 Over range indication: display "OL"
- 1-7 Low battery indication: "appearance
- 1-8 Operation environment: $0 \sim 40^{\circ}$ C, relative humidity <80%
- 1-9 Storage environment: -10 $\sim 50\,^\circ \rm C$, relative humidity ${<}80\%$
- 1-10 Power: 2pcs 1.5V batteries (AAA 7# battery)

1-11 Dimension: 192mm x 95mm x 48mm

1-12 Weight: Approx. 390g (including batteries)

Technic Property

1. Accuracy: (a% \times reading + digits) at 23 \pm 5°C, relative humidity <75%.

2. One year calibration guarantee since the time dispatched from the factory.



3. The instrument was preset as the Auto Range mode of DCV

measurement, displays "AUTO" symbol on LCD, press "RANGE" button to switch to the Manual Range mode.

4. Connect the test lead to the tested circuit in parallel, the polarity of the red test lead and the tested voltage value will be displayed on LCD simultaneously.

Note:

- a) Do not measure the voltage higher than DC 1000V or AC 750V.
- b) When measuring the high voltage, caution to avoid electric shock. Cut the connection between the test lead and tested circuit at once after measurement.
- c) At the Manual Range mode, if "OL" is displayed
- d) on LCD, it indicates the tested voltage value
- e) has exceeded the present range limit, please
- f) select the higher range to complete the measurement.

Range	Accuracy	Resolution
400mV		0.1mV
4V	±(0.5%+4d)	1mV
40V		10mV

400V		100mV
1000V	±(1.0%+6d)	1V

Input impedance: >40M Ω at Range 400mV , 10M Ω at other range.

Overload protection: 1000V DC or 750V AC peak value.

8. AC Voltage(ACV)

- 1. Turn the function/range selection knob to ACV. Insert the red and black test lead separately to V Ω Hz and VCOM input terminal, displayed as the right picture.
- 2. The instrument was preset as the Auto Range mode, displays "AUTO" symbol on LCD, press "RANGE" button to switch to the Manual Range mode. ACVmV only can be operated under "RANGE". Press "Hz/DUTY" button to measure Frequency/Duty Circle at the Auto Range or Manual ACA model, but the frequency response is very low, at this time, it suits to measure the circuit of high voltage and low frequency under the circumstance of magnetic disturbance, such as 220V/50Hz-400Hz,380V/50Hz —

400Hz。

4. Connect the test lead to the tested circuit in parallel, the polarity of the red test lead and the tested voltage value will be displayed on LCD simultaneously.



- a) Do not measure the voltage higher than DC 1000V or AC 750V.
- b) When measuring the high voltage, caution to avoid electric shock. Cut the connection between the test lead and tested circuit at once after measurement.

Range	Accuracy	Resolution
400mV	±(1.6%+8d)	0.1mV
4V		1mV
40V	±(0.8%+10d)	10mV
400V		100mV
750V	±(1.0%+10d)	1V

Input impedance: >40M Ω at Range 400mV , 10M Ω at other range.

Overload protection: 1000V DC or 750V AC peak value.

Frequency response: 40-400Hz. Indication: average value response (RMS of sine wave). Duty Circle indication (0.1%-99.9%)

9、DC Current(DCA)

- 1. Insert the black test lead to "COM" input terminal and the red test lead to "uAmA "or "10A", the max input current value is respectively 400mA and 10A, displayed as the right picture, if the display is less than 4mA, turn back to " μ A".
- Turn the function/range selection knob to current range, press "SELECT", switch to DC measurement mode, then connect the test lead with the tested circuit in series, the polarity of the



red test lead and the tested current value will be displayed

on LCD simultaneously.

- 3. If "OL" is displayed on LCD, it indicates the tested current value has exceeded the present range limit, please select the higher range to complete the measurement.
- a) Do not measure the current higher than 10A at Range 10A and higher than 4000uA at uA Range and higher than 400mA at mA Range, otherwise the fuse will be burnt out or the instrument will be damaged.
- b) Do not connect the test lead to any circuit in parallel when the test lead is inserted in the current input terminal, otherwise it is possible to damage the instrument or endanger the safety of the users. Cut the connection between the test lead and tested circuit at once after measurement.

Range	Accuracy	Resolution
400uA	±(1.0%+10d)	0.1µA
4000uA		1µA
40mA		10μΑ
400mA		100μΑ
4A	±(1.2%+10d)	1mA

10A	10mA
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Max input current: 10A (less than 15 seconds). Overload protection: 0.5A/250V fuse, 10A/250V fuse.

10, AC Current (ACA)

- 1.Insert the black test lead to "COM" input terminal and the red test lead to "uAmA "or "10A"input terminal,displayed as the right picture.
- 2.Turn the function/range selection knob to current range, press "SELECT", switch to



"SELECT", switch to AC measurement mode, then connect the test lead to the tested circuit in series, the polarity of the red test lead and the tested current value will be displayed on LCD simultaneously.

3. If "OL" is displayed on LCD, it indicates the tested current

value has exceeded the present range limit, please select the higher range to complete the measurement.

Note:

- a) Do not measure the current higher than 10A at Range 10A and higher than 400mA at mA Range.
- b) Do not connect the test lead to any circuit in parallel when the test lead is inserted in the current input terminal, otherwise it is possible to damage the instrument or endanger the safety of the users. Cut the connection between the test lead and tested circuit at once after measurement.

Range	Accuracy	Resolution
400uA	±(1.5%+10d)	0.1µA
4000uA		1μΑ
40mA		10μΑ
400mA		100μΑ
4A	±(2.0%+15d)	1mA
10A		10mA

Max input current: 10A (less than 15 seconds). Overload protection: 0.5A/250V fuse, 10A/250V fuse.

Frequency response: 40-100Hz.

Duty Circle Indication: (0.1%-99.9%)

11, Resistance (Ω)

- 1. Turn the function/range selection knob to " Ω ", insert the red and black test lead separately to" V/ Ω /Hz" and" COM" input terminal.
- 2. Connect the test lead to the tested resistance in parallel, the tested resistance value will be displayed on LCD.
- Auto Range mode is preset when turning on, press "RANGE" button to switch to Manual Range mode.
- 4. If "OL" is displayed on LCD, it indicates the tested resistance value has exceeded the present range limit, please select the higher range to complete the measurement.

Note:

a) When measuring the in-circuit resistance, be sure all the power of the tested circuit has been turned off and all capacitors are fully discharged.

- b) It will cause the reading incorrect to input any voltage when measuring the resistance. If the voltage exceeds 250V, over-range protection voltage, it is possible to damage the instrument and endanger the safety of the use
- c) At Range 400 Ω , short-circuit the test lead to measure the wire resistance, and then subtract it from the real measurement.

Range	Accuracy	Resolution
400Ω	±(0.8%+5d)	0.1Ω
4kΩ		1Ω
40kΩ	±(0.8%+4d)	10Ω
400kΩ		100Ω
4MΩ		1kΩ
40MΩ	±(1.2%+10d)	10kΩ

Open circuit voltage: 400 mV. Over range protection: 250V

AC/DC peak value.

12. Diode and Continuity Test

1. Turn the function/range selection knob to →···)) 19 "Range. Insert the red and black test lead separately to "V Ω Hz" and "COM" input terminal. Press "SELECT" button to choose the Buzzer and Diode measurement function, displayed as the right pictures.

- Connect the RED test lead to the positive pole of the tested diode, BLACK test lead to the negative pole.
- 3. Read the present test result from LCD.

Note:

- a) If the diode is open circuit or the polarity is connected counter, "OL" will be displayed on LCD.
- b) When measuring the in-circuit diode, make sure all the power of the tested circuit has been turned off and all capacitors are fully discharged.
- c) Cut the connection between the test lead and tested circuit at once after measurement.

Range	Display	Test Condition
-▶	Diode Forward voltage drop	Forward AC Current: 1.0mA , Backward Voltage: 3.0V



Buzzer sound at less than 50Ω

Overload protection: 250V DC/AC peak value.Warning: Do not input the voltage at the range for safety. Open Voltage: 0.5V



13, Capacitance (C)

- 1.Turn the function/range selection knob to Capacitance Range. Insert the red and black test lead separately to "V Ω Hz" and "COM "input terminal.
- 2.Connect the test lead to the tested capacitor in parallel, the tested capacitor value will be displayed on LCD.
- 3.If "OL" is displayed on LCD, it indicates the test capacitor value has exceeded the present range limit or the capacitor is short-circuit, please select the higher range to complete the measurement.
- 4.Read the present test result from LCD.



- a) When measuring the in-circuit capacitor, make sure all the power of the tested circuit has been turned off and all capacitors are fully discharged.(Note: no Bar Graph display at this range) if testing the capacitance which is less than 40nF, the long testing line will cause the problem which the display do not back to "o", this moment press "REL" and wait it back to nomal.
- b) It requires longer testing time when measuring the large capacitor, it takes about 15 seconds at Range 100uF.
- c) Cut the connection between the test lead and tested circuit at once after measurement.

Range	Accuracy	Resolution
40nF	±(5.0%+30d)	10pF
400nF		100pF
4μF	±(3.5%+8d)	1nF
40µF		10nF
200µF	±(5.0%+10d)	100nF

Overload protection: 250V DC/AC peak value.

14、Frequency (Hz)

- Turn the function/range selection knob to" Hz" Range. Insert the red and black test lead separately to "VΩHz" and" COM" input terminal.
- Connect the test lead to the tested signal source in parallel. (Note: no Bar Graph display at this range)
- When measuring Frequency, press "Hz/DUTY" button once to get into the mode of DUTY measurement, and press "Hz/DUTY" button again to return to the mode of Frequency measurement.
- 4. When measuring AC current or voltage, press "Hz/DUTY" button to get into the mode of Frequency measurement, and press "Hz/DUTY" button again to get into the mode of Duty Circle measurement, and press the button third to return to the mode of AC current or voltage measurement.
- 5. Read the present test result from LCD.



a) Do not input the signal more than 60V. Otherwise it is

possible to damage the instrument and endanger the safety of the users.

b) Cut the connection between the test lead and tested circuit at once after measurement.



Range	Accuracy	Resolution
100Hz	±(0.5%+4d)	0.01Hz
1000Hz		1Hz
10kHz		10Hz
100kHz		100Hz
1MHz		1kHz
30MHz		10kHz

Input sensitivity: 1.0V.

Overload protection: 250V DC/AC peak value.

15, Temperature Test

- Turn the function/range selection knob to Temperature Range.
- Insert the two ends of the temperature sensor Into the "VΩHz" and "uAmA"input terminal, the positive end into the "VΩHz"input terminal.
- 3. Connect the sensor of the temperature cable to the surface or inside of the tested object, displayed as the right picture.
- 4. Read the present test result from LCD.
- Press "SELECT" button to choose F temperature measurement mode, and press "SELECT" button again to choose C temperature measurement mode, circulated like this.

Mote:

a) Without the signal input, LCD automatically displays the normal temperature.Do not input any other signal, caution to avoid damaging the instrument or endangering the safety of the users.

- b)Do not replace the temperature sensor at will. Otherwise the accuracy can't be assured.
- c)Do not input the voltage at Temperature Range! Otherwise

there is the danger to damage the instrument.

Range	Accuracy	Resolution	
- 20°C - 400°C	±(1.0%+5d)	1°C	
400°C - 1000°C	±(1.5%+15d)	IC	
0°F - 750°F	±(1.0%+5d)	1 %	
750°F - 1832°F	±(1.5%+5d)	1 1	

Overload protection: 0.5A/250V

16, Other Functions and Instrument Maintenance

1) Other Function

1.Date Hold

Press "HOLD" button, the present value is held on LCD; Press the button again, exit the hold mode and get in the normal measuring status.

2.Auto Power Off

Stop working for 15 seconds, the instrument will auto power

off, and get into the sleeping mode. The buzzer inside will sound 5 times one minute before powering off, there is a long sound one minute late and the instrument gets into the sleeping mode. Press any key to restart the power.

3.Press "REL/RS232"button to get into the Relative Value Measurement mode, Keep holding "REL/RS232" button more than 2 seconds, RS232 symbol is displayed on LCD, it indicates it is the status of the instrument connecting with PC, then connect the instrument to PC by USB Cable, accessory of the instrument, and then can transmit the measuring data to PC, it is convenient to record, analyze, process and print the measuring results, etc. Please refer the details to the description in the software.

2) Instrument maintenance

This is a highly precise instrument, do not try to modify the inner circuit at will.

- Keep the instrument dry, and keep it away form dust and shock.
- 2. Do not store and use the instrument in high humility, high

temperature, combustible, explosive and strong magnetic places.

- Clean the surface of the instrument with the damp cloth and gentle detergent, do not use the strong solvent like the abrasive cleaner and alcohol, etc.
- 4. Take out the batteries if do not use the instrument for a long time to prevent the batteries from leaking the liquid to corrode the instrument.
- When LCD displays " "symbol, should replace the batteries as the following steps:
 - Loose the screw that fixes the batteries, and remove the battery case.
 - ② Remove the spent 1.5V batteries, and replace them by two same type new batteries. It is better to use alkaline batteries for lengthening the usage time.
 - ③.Fit on the battery case and lock the screw tightly.
 - ④.The steps of replacing the fuse are same as the above. When replacing the fuse, please use the same specification, same type of fuse.

Note:

- Do not input the voltage more than 1000V DC/AC peak value.
- Do not measure the voltage at the Current, Resistance, Diode and Buzzer Range.
- Do not use this instrument before fixing the battery or tightening the bottom case.
- Please remove the test lead from the tested point and turn the power off before replacing the battery or fuse.

The instruction manual is subject to chance without notice.

The contents in the instruction manual are considered to be correct, if the users find any errors or pretermissions, etc., please contact the manufacturer.

The manufacturer hereby will not be responsible for any accident and damage caused by the improper operation.

The functions described in this instruction manual do not be the reason for special usage.

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