



## ■ DC Characteristics

**Accuracy Specifications**  $\pm (\% \text{ of reading} + \% \text{ of range})$  [ 1 ]

Function	Range [ 3 ]	Test Current or Burden Voltage	24 Hour [ 2 ] $23^\circ\text{C} \pm 1^\circ\text{C}$	90 Day $23^\circ\text{C} \pm 5^\circ\text{C}$	1 Year $23^\circ\text{C} \pm 5^\circ\text{C}$	Temperature Coefficient $^\circ\text{C}$ $0^\circ\text{C} - 18^\circ\text{C}$ $28^\circ\text{C} - 55^\circ\text{C}$
<b>DC Voltage</b>	100.0000 mV		0.0030 + 0.0030	0.0040 + 0.0035	0.0050 + 0.0035	0.0005 + 0.0005
	1.000000 V		0.0020 + 0.0006	0.0030 + 0.0007	0.0040 + 0.0007	0.0005 + 0.0001
	10.00000 V		0.0015 + 0.0004	0.0020 + 0.0005	0.0035 + 0.0005	0.0005 + 0.0001
	100.0000 V		0.0020 + 0.0006	0.0035 + 0.0006	0.0045 + 0.0006	0.0005 + 0.0001
	1000.000 V		0.0020 + 0.0006	0.0035 + 0.0010	0.0045 + 0.0010	0.0005 + 0.0001
<b>Resistance</b> [ 4 ]	100.0000 $\Omega$	1 mA	0.0030 + 0.0030	0.008 + 0.004	0.010 + 0.004	0.0006 + 0.0005
	1.000000 $k\Omega$	1 mA	0.0020 + 0.0005	0.008 + 0.001	0.010 + 0.001	0.0006 + 0.0001
	10.00000 $k\Omega$	100 $\mu\text{A}$	0.0020 + 0.0005	0.008 + 0.001	0.010 + 0.001	0.0006 + 0.0001
	100.0000 $k\Omega$	10 $\mu\text{A}$	0.0020 + 0.0005	0.008 + 0.001	0.010 + 0.001	0.0006 + 0.0001
	1.000000 $M\Omega$	5 $\mu\text{A}$	0.002 + 0.001	0.008 + 0.001	0.010 + 0.001	0.0010 + 0.0002
	10.00000 $M\Omega$	500 nA	0.015 + 0.001	0.020 + 0.001	0.040 + 0.001	0.0030 + 0.0004
	100.0000 $M\Omega$	500 nA // 10 $M\Omega$	0.300 + 0.010	0.800 + 0.010	0.800 + 0.010	0.1500 + 0.0002
<b>DC Current</b>	10.00000 mA	< 0.1 V	0.005 + 0.010	0.030 + 0.020	0.050 + 0.020	0.002 + 0.0020
	100.0000 mA	< 0.6 V	0.01 + 0.004	0.030 + 0.005	0.050 + 0.005	0.002 + 0.0005
	1.000000 A	< 1 V	0.05 + 0.006	0.080 + 0.010	0.100 + 0.010	0.005 + 0.0010
	3.000000 A	< 2 V	0.10 + 0.020	0.120 + 0.020	0.120 + 0.020	0.005 + 0.0020
<b>Continuity</b>	1000.0 $\Omega$	1 mA	0.002 + 0.010	0.008 + 0.020	0.010 + 0.020	0.001 + 0.002
<b>Diode Test</b>	1.0000 V	1 mA	0.002 + 0.010	0.008 + 0.020	0.010 + 0.020	0.001 + 0.002
<b>DC:DC Ratio</b>	100 mV to 1000 V		( Input Accuracy ) + ( Reference Accuracy )			
			Input Accuracy = accuracy specification for the HI-LO input signal. Reference Accuracy = accuracy specification for the HI-LO reference input signal.			

### Transfer Accuracy ( typical )

( 24 hour % of range error )

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#### Conditions:

- Within 10 minutes and  $\pm 0.5^\circ\text{C}$ .
- Within  $\pm 10\%$  of initial value.
- Following a 2-hour warm-up.
- Fixed range between 10% and 100% of full scale.
- Using 6½ digit slow resolution ( 100 PLC ).
- Measurements are made using accepted metrology practices.

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### Measuring Characteristics

#### DC Voltage

Measurement Method:	Continuously integrating, multi-slope III A/D converter.
A/D Linearity:	0.0002% of reading + 0.0001% of range
Input Resistance:	Selectable 10 MΩ or >10 GΩ [11]
0.1 V, 1 V, 10 V ranges	10 MΩ ±1%
100 V, 1000 V ranges	< 30 pA at 25°C
Input Bias Current:	Copper alloy
Input Terminals:	1000 V on all ranges

#### Resistance

Measurement Method:	Selectable 4-wire or 2-wire ohms. Current source referenced to LO input.
Max. Lead Resistance: (4-wire ohms)	10% of range per lead for 100 Ω, 1 kΩ ranges. 1 kΩ per lead on all other ranges.
Input Protection:	1000 V on all ranges

#### DC Current

Shunt Resistor:	0.1Ω for 1A, 3A. 5Ω for 10 mA, 100 mA
Input Protection:	Externally accessible 3A, 250 V fuse Internal 7A, 250 V fuse

#### Continuity / Diode Test

Response Time:	300 samples/sec with audible tone
Continuity Threshold:	Adjustable from 1 Ω to 1000 Ω

#### DC:DC Ratio

Measurement Method:	Input HI-LO / Reference HI-LO
Input HI-LO	100 mV to 1000 V ranges
Reference HI-Input LO	100 mV to 10 V ranges (autoranged)
Input to Reference	Reference LO to Input LO voltage < 2 V
	Reference HI to Input LO voltage < 12V

#### Measurement Noise Rejection

##### 60 Hz ( 50 Hz ) [ 5 ]

DC CMRR	140 dB
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#### Integration Time

100 PLC / 1.67s (2s)	60 dB [ 7 ]
10 PLC / 167 ms (200 ms)	60 dB [ 7 ]
1 PLC / 16.7 ms (20 ms)	60 dB [ 7 ]
0.2 PLC / 3 ms (3 ms)	0 dB
0.02 PLC / 400 μs (400 μs)	0 dB

#### Normal Mode Rejection [ 6 ]

### Operating Characteristics [ 8 ]

Function	Digits	Readings/s	Additional Noise Error
DCV, DCI, and Resistance	6½	0.6 (0.5)	0% of range
	6½	6 (5)	0% of range
	5½	60 (50)	0.001% of range
	5½	300	0.001% of range [10]
	4½	1000	0.01% of range [10]

#### System Speeds [ 9 ]

Function Change	26/sec
Range Change	50/sec
Autorange Time	<30 ms
ASCII readings to RS-232	55/sec
ASCII readings to HP-IB	1000/sec
Max. Internal Trigger Rate	1000/sec
Max. External Trigger Rate to Memory	1000/sec
Max. External Trigger Rate to HP-IB	900/sec

#### Autozero OFF Operation

Following instrument warm-up at calibration temperature  $\pm 1^\circ\text{C}$  and <10 minutes, add 0.0002% range additional error + 5  $\mu\text{V}$ .

#### Settling Considerations

Reading settling times are affected by source impedance, cable dielectric characteristics, and input signal changes.

#### Measurement Considerations

HP recommends the use of Teflon® or other high-impedance, low-dielectric absorption wire insulation for these measurements.

[ 1 ] Specifications are for 1-hour warm-up at 6½ digits.

[ 2 ] Relative to calibration standards.

[ 3 ] 20% overrange on all ranges, except 1000 Vdc, 3 A range.

[ 4 ] Specifications are for 4-wire ohms function, or 2-wire ohms using Math Null. Without Math Null, add 0.2 Ω additional error in 2-wire ohms function.

[ 5 ] For 1 kΩ unbalance in LO lead.

[ 6 ] For power-line frequency  $\pm 0.1\%$ .

[ 7 ] For power-line frequency  $\pm 1\%$ , subtract 20 dB.  
For  $\pm 3\%$ , subtract 30 dB.

[ 8 ] Readings speeds for 60 Hz and ( 50 Hz ) operation, Autozero Off.

[ 9 ] Speeds are for 4½ digits, Delay 0, Autozero OFF, and Display OFF. Includes measurement and data transfer over HP-IB.

[ 10 ] Add 20  $\mu\text{V}$  for dc volts, 4  $\mu\text{A}$  for dc current, or 20 mΩ for resistance.

[ 11 ] For these ranges, inputs beyond  $\pm 17\text{V}$  are clamped through 100 kΩ (typical).

## ■ AC Characteristics

**Accuracy Specifications**  $\pm$  ( % of reading + % of range ) [ 1 ]

Function	Range [ 3 ]	Frequency	24 Hour [ 2 ] $23^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 1^{\circ}\text{C}$	90 Day $23^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 5^{\circ}\text{C}$	1 Year $23^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 5^{\circ}\text{C}$	Temperature Coefficient/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$ $0^{\circ}\text{C} - 18^{\circ}\text{C}$ $28^{\circ}\text{C} - 55^{\circ}\text{C}$
<b>True RMS AC Voltage</b> [ 4 ]	100.0000 mV	3 Hz – 5 Hz	1.00 + 0.03	1.00 + 0.04	1.00 + 0.04	0.100 + 0.004
		5 Hz – 10 Hz	0.35 + 0.03	0.35 + 0.04	0.35 + 0.04	0.035 + 0.004
		10 Hz – 20 kHz	0.04 + 0.03	0.05 + 0.04	0.06 + 0.04	0.005 + 0.004
		20 kHz – 50 kHz	0.10 + 0.05	0.11 + 0.05	0.12 + 0.05	0.011 + 0.005
		50 kHz – 100 kHz	0.55 + 0.08	0.60 + 0.08	0.60 + 0.08	0.060 + 0.008
		100 kHz – 300 kHz [ 6 ]	4.00 + 0.50	4.00 + 0.50	4.00 + 0.50	0.20 + 0.02
	1.000000 V to 750.000 V	3 Hz – 5 Hz	1.00 + 0.02	1.00 + 0.03	1.00 + 0.03	0.100 + 0.003
		5 Hz – 10 Hz	0.35 + 0.02	0.35 + 0.03	0.35 + 0.03	0.035 + 0.003
		10 Hz – 20 kHz	0.04 + 0.02	0.05 + 0.03	0.06 + 0.03	0.005 + 0.003
		20 kHz – 50 kHz	0.10 + 0.04	0.11 + 0.05	0.12 + 0.05	0.011 + 0.005
		50 kHz – 100 kHz [ 5 ]	0.55 + 0.08	0.60 + 0.08	0.60 + 0.08	0.060 + 0.008
		100 kHz – 300 kHz [ 6 ]	4.00 + 0.50	4.00 + 0.50	4.00 + 0.50	0.20 + 0.02
<b>True RMS AC Current</b> [ 4 ]	1.000000 A	3 Hz – 5 Hz	1.00 + 0.04	1.00 + 0.04	1.00 + 0.04	0.100 + 0.006
		5 Hz – 10 Hz	0.30 + 0.04	0.30 + 0.04	0.30 + 0.04	0.035 + 0.006
		10 Hz – 5 kHz	0.10 + 0.04	0.10 + 0.04	0.10 + 0.04	0.015 + 0.006
	3.00000 A	3 Hz – 5 Hz	1.10 + 0.06	1.10 + 0.06	1.10 + 0.06	0.100 + 0.006
		5 Hz – 10 Hz	0.35 + 0.06	0.35 + 0.06	0.35 + 0.06	0.035 + 0.006
		10 Hz – 5 kHz	0.15 + 0.06	0.15 + 0.06	0.15 + 0.06	0.015 + 0.006
<b>Additional Low Frequency Errors ( % of reading )</b>				<b>Additional Crest Factor Errors ( non-sinewave ) [ 7 ]</b>		
Frequency	Slow	AC Filter Medium	Fast	Crest Factor	Error ( % of reading )	
10 Hz – 20 Hz	0	0.74	—	1 – 2	0.05%	
20 Hz – 40 Hz	0	0.22	—	2 – 3	0.15%	
40 Hz – 100 Hz	0	0.06	0.73	3 – 4	0.30%	
100 Hz – 200 Hz	0	0.01	0.22	4 – 5	0.40%	
200 Hz – 1 kHz	0	0	0.18			
> 1 kHz	0	0	0			

### Sinewave Transfer Accuracy ( typical )

Frequency	Error ( % of range )
10 Hz – 50 kHz	0.002%
50 kHz – 300 kHz	0.005%

### Conditions:

- Sinewave input.
- Within 10 minutes and  $\pm 0.5^{\circ}\text{C}$ .
- Within  $\pm 10\%$  of initial voltage and  $\pm 1\%$  of initial frequency.
- Following a 2-hour warm-up.
- Fixed range between 10% and 100% of full scale ( and <120 V ).
- Using 6½ digit resolution.
- Measurements are made using accepted metrology practices.

## Chapter 8 Specifications

### AC Characteristics

#### Measuring Characteristics

##### Measurement Noise Rejection [ 8 ]

AC CMRR 70 dB

##### True RMS AC Voltage

Measurement Method:	AC-coupled True RMS – measures the ac component of input with up to 400 Vdc of bias on any range.
Crest Factor:	Maximum 5:1 at full scale
AC Filter Bandwidth:	
Slow	3 Hz – 300 kHz
Medium	20 Hz – 300 kHz
Fast	200 Hz – 300 kHz
Input Impedance:	1 MΩ ± 2%, in parallel with 100 pF
Input Protection:	750 V rms all ranges

##### True RMS AC Current

Measurement Method:	Direct coupled to the fuse and shunt. AC-coupled True RMS measurement (measures the ac component only).
Shunt Resistor:	0.1 Ω for 1 A and 3 A ranges
Burden Voltage:	1 A range: < 1 V rms 3 A range: < 2 V rms
Input Protection:	Externally accessible 3A, 250 V fuse Internal 7A, 250 V fuse

##### Settling Considerations

Applying >300 V rms (or >1 A rms) will cause self-heating in signal-conditioning components. These errors are included in the instrument specifications. Internal temperature changes due to self-heating may cause additional error on lower ac voltage ranges. The additional error will be less than 0.02% of reading and will generally dissipate within a few minutes.

#### Operating Characteristics [ 9 ]

Function	Digits	Reading/s	AC Filter
ACV, ACI	6½	7 sec/reading	Slow
	6½	1	Medium
	6½	1.6 [ 10 ]	Fast
	6½	10	Fast
	6½	50 [ 11 ]	Fast

##### System Speeds [ 11 ], [ 12 ]

Function or Range Change	5/sec
Autorange Time	<0.8 sec
ASCII readings to RS-232	50/sec
ASCII readings to HP-IB	50/sec
Max. Internal Trigger Rate	50/sec
Max. External Trigger Rate to Memory	50/sec
Max. External Trigger Rate to HP-IB/RS-232	50/sec

- [ 1 ] Specifications are for 1-hour warm-up at 6½ digits, Slow ac filter, sinewave input.
- [ 2 ] Relative to calibration standards.
- [ 3 ] 20% overrange on all ranges, except 750 Vac, 3 A range.
- [ 4 ] Specifications are for sinewave input >5% of range. For inputs from 1% to 5% of range and <50 kHz, add 0.1% of range additional error. For 50 kHz to 100 kHz, add 0.13% of range.
- [ 5 ] 750 Vac range limited to 100 kHz or  $8 \times 10^7$  Volt-Hz.
- [ 6 ] Typically 30% of reading error at 1 MHz.
- [ 7 ] For frequencies below 100 Hz, slow AC filter specified for sinewave input only.
- [ 8 ] For 1 kΩ unbalance in LO lead.
- [ 9 ] Maximum reading rates for 0.01% of ac step additional error. Additional settling delay required when input dc level varies.
- [ 10 ] For External Trigger or remote operation using default settling delay ( Delay Auto ).
- [ 11 ] Maximum useful limit with default settling delays defeated.
- [ 12 ] Speeds are for 4½ digits, Delay 0, Display OFF, and Fast AC filter.

## ■ Frequency and Period Characteristics

**Accuracy Specifications**  $\pm$  ( % of reading ) [ 1 ]

Function	Range [ 3 ]	Frequency	24 Hour [ 2 ] 23°C $\pm$ 1°C	90 Day 23°C $\pm$ 5°C	1 Year 23°C $\pm$ 5°C	Temperature Coefficient/ $^{\circ}$ C 0°C – 18°C 28°C – 55°C
<b>Frequency, Period</b> [ 4 ]	100 mV to 750 V	3 Hz – 5 Hz 5 Hz – 10 Hz 10 Hz – 40 Hz 40 Hz – 300 kHz	0.10 0.05 0.03 0.006	0.10 0.05 0.03 0.01	0.10 0.05 0.03 0.01	0.005 0.005 0.001 0.001

**Additional Low-Frequency Errors ( % of reading )** [ 4 ]

Frequency	Resolution	
3 Hz – 5 Hz	6½	5½
5 Hz – 10 Hz	0	0.12
10 Hz – 40 Hz	0	0.17
40 Hz – 100 Hz	0	0.2
100 Hz – 300 Hz	0	0.06
300 Hz – 1 kHz	0	0.03
> 1 kHz	0	0.01
		4½
		0.21
		0.07
		0.02

**Transfer Accuracy ( typical )**  
0.0005% of reading

**Conditions:**

- Within 10 minutes and  $\pm 0.5^{\circ}$ C.
- Within  $\pm 10\%$  of initial value.
- Following a 2-hour warm-up.
- For inputs > 1 kHz and > 100 mV.
- Using 6½ digit slow resolution ( 1 second gate time ).
- Measurements are made using accepted metrology practices.

## Chapter 8 Specifications Frequency and Period Characteristics

### Measuring Characteristics

#### Frequency and Period

Measurement Method:	Reciprocal-counting technique. AC-coupled input using the ac voltage measurement function.
Voltage Ranges:	100 mV rms full scale to 750 V rms. Auto or manual ranging.
Gate Time:	10 ms, 100 ms, or 1 sec

#### Settling Considerations

Errors will occur when attempting to measure the frequency or period of an input following a dc offset voltage change. The input blocking RC time constant must be allowed to fully settle ( up to 1 sec ) before the most accurate measurements are possible.

#### Measurement Considerations

All frequency counters are susceptible to error when measuring low-voltage, low-frequency signals. Shielding inputs from external noise pickup is critical for minimizing measurement errors.

### Operating Characteristics [ 5 ]

Function	Digits	Reading/s
Frequency,	6½	1
Period	5½	9.8
	4½	80

#### System Speeds [ 5 ]

Configuration Rates	14/sec
Autorange Time	<0.6 sec
ASCII readings to RS-232	55/sec
ASCII readings to HP-IB	80/sec
Max. Internal Trigger Rate	80/sec
Max. External Trigger Rate to Memory	80/sec
Max. External Trigger Rate to HP-IB/RS-232	80/sec

- [ 1 ] Specifications are for 1-hour warm-up at 6½ digits.
- [ 2 ] Relative to calibration standards.
- [ 3 ] 20% overrange on all ranges, except 750 Vac range.
- [ 4 ] Input > 100 mV.  
For 10 mV input, multiply % of reading error x10.
- [ 5 ] Speeds are for 6½ digits, Delay 0, Display OFF, and Fast AC filter.

## ■ General Information

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### General Specifications

Power Supply:	100 V / 120 V / 220 V / 240 V $\pm$ 10%.
Power Line Frequency:	45 Hz to 66 Hz and 360 Hz to 440 Hz. Automatically sensed at power-on.
Power Consumption:	25 VA peak ( 10 W average )
Operating Environment:	Full accuracy for 0°C to 55°C
Storage Environment:	Full accuracy to 80% R.H. at 40°C -40°C to 70°C
Operating Altitude:	Up to 2,000 meters
Rack Dimensions (HxD):	88.5 mm x 212.6 mm x 348.3 mm
Weight:	3.6 kg (8 lbs)
Safety:	Designed to CSA 231, UL 1244, IEC 1010-1 (1990)
EMI: [ 1 ]	MIL-461C (data on file),  
Vibration and Shock:	MIL-T-28800E Type III, Class 5 (data on file)
Warranty:	3 years standard

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### Accessories Included

Test Lead Kit with probes, alligator, and grabber attachments.  
User's Guide, Service Guide, test report, and power cord.

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### Triggering and Memory

Reading HOLD Sensitivity:	0.01%, 0.1%, 1%, or 10% of reading
Samples per Trigger:	1 to 50,000
Trigger Delay:	0 to 3600 sec ( 10 $\mu$ s step size )
External Trigger Delay:	< 1 ms
External Trigger Jitter:	< 500 $\mu$ s
Memory:	512 readings

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### Math Functions

Null, Min/Max/Average, dB, dBm, Limit Test (with TTL output).  
dBm reference resistances: 50, 75, 93, 110, 124, 125, 135, 150,  
250, 300, 500, **600**, 800, 900, 1000, 1200, or 8000 ohms.

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### Standard Programming Languages

SCPI (*Standard Commands for Programmable Instruments*)  
HP 3478A Language Emulation  
Fluke 8840A, Fluke 8842A Language Emulation

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### Remote Interface

HP-IB (IEEE-488.1, IEEE-488.2) and RS-232C

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[ 1 ] Slight accuracy degradation may result when subjected to 3 V/m radiated fields.