

Digital Impedance Meters



- Automatic L, R, C, G and D measurements
- Basic accuracy 0.25%
- Auto-ranging version, 253
- Test frequency 1 kHz
- Shielded four-terminal connections to unknown
- Optional rechargeable battery power pack

TEGAM Models 252 and 253 are used for evaluating and inspecting components. These meters provide direct, digital display of inductance, capacitance, resistance, conductance and dissipation. They have the versatility and basic measurement accuracy (0.25%), to satisfy demanding engineering and inspection applications, while being extremely easy to use.

Simply push the button for the desired function, set the range and connect to the unknown. True four-terminal connections are ensured by the standard Kelvin Klip[®] test leads. The measurement is displayed on the large 3½-digit readout.

The Model 253 has all of the above characteristics, an auto-ranging feature, and includes one additional measurement range for C and G.

An optional battery power pack (252/SP2596 or 253/SP2598) is available on both versions. This allows these meters to be used with line power when available and unplugged when convenient or necessary.

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252 Ranges									
Range No.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
L _s	200 μH	2 mH	20 mH	200 mH	2 H	20 H	200 H		
C _p	200 pF	2 nF	20 nF	200 nF	2 μF	20 μF	200 μF		
R _s	2 Ω	20 Ω	200 Ω	2 kΩ	20 kΩ	200 kΩ	2000 kΩ		
G _p	2 μS	20 μS	200 μS	2 mS	20 mS	200 mS	2000 mS		
D	1.999								
253 Ranges									
Range No.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
L _s	200 μH	2 mH	20 mH	200 mH	2 H	20 H	200 H	200 H	
C _p	200 pF	2 nF	20 nF	200 nF	2 μF	20 μF	200 μF	2000 μF	
R _s	2 Ω	20 Ω	200 Ω	2 kΩ	20 kΩ	200 kΩ	2000 kΩ	2000 kΩ	
G _p	2 μS	20 μS	200 μS	2 mS	20 mS	200 mS	2000 mS	20 S	
D	1.999								
Accuracy (15° C to 35° C)									
L _s	±(0.25% + (1 + 0.002R _s [*]) counts)**	±(0.25% + (1 + 0.001R _s [*]) counts)					±(0.25% + (1 + 0.010R _s [*]) counts)		±(0.25% + (1 + 0.010R _s [*]) counts)
C _p	±(0.25% + (1 + 0.002G _p [*]) counts)**	±(0.25% + (1 + 0.001G _p [*]) counts)					±(0.25% + (1 + 0.010G _p [*]) counts)		±(0.5% + (1 + 0.004G _p [*]) counts)
R _s	±(0.25% + (1 + 0.002L _s [*]) counts)	±(0.25% + (1 + 0.001L _s [*]) counts)					±(0.25% + (1 + 0.010L _s [*]) counts)		0.25% + (1 + 0.010L _s [*]) counts)
G _p	±(0.25% + (1 + 0.002C _p [*]) counts)	±(0.25% + (1 + 0.001C _p [*]) counts)					±(0.25% + (1 + 0.010C _p [*]) counts)		±(0.5% + (1 + 0.004C _p [*]) counts)
D	±(1% + 0.002) for L or C ≥ 200 counts; ±(2% + 0.010) for L or C from 50 to 199 counts							±(2% + 0.10)	
Test Signal									
Voltage C _p , G _p	1.0 V _{RMS}			0.1 V _{RMS}				0.01 V _{RMS}	
Current L _s , R _s	100 mA	10 mA	1 mA	100 μA	10 μA			1 μA	

* Digit count, same range

** After correction for test lead zero reading 0°C to 15°C and 35°C to 50°C add 0.1 (rated accuracy) °C

Test Frequency	1 kHz	
Measurement Speed	4 per second; one second required for first reading after connection to unknown	
Connection to Unknown	Four-terminal, guarded. Kelvin Clips® supplied with unit	
Display	3-1/2 digits with decimal point; blanked for overload conditions	
External Bias	0 to 50 VDC	
Analog Outputs	L, C, R or G, with simultaneous output of D for L and C	
Static Charge Protection	Diode and resistor discharge network	
Power Requirements	100 to 125 V or 200 to 250 V, 50/60 Hz, 4 W	
Dimensions	Height: 10 cm (4 inches), Width: 26 cm (10 inches), Depth: 37 cm (14.6 inches)	
Weight	3.2 kg (7 lb) net.	
Accessories	Included:	Kelvin Klip Instruction Manual Fenwal Sensor Pins P/N CA-162-36 P/N 43158-CD P/N 062-263 (2) & 062-261 (2)
	Optional:	4-Terminal Kelvin Chip Tweezers Kelvin Klip Replacement Kit Chip Tweezer Rebuild Kit Front Panel Dust Cover* P/N 2005B/SP5132 P/N KK100 P/N 47422 P/N 43374
*OPTIONAL for 252 and 253 *INCLUDED with battery power pack option 252/SP2596 & 253/SP2598		