

i400 AC Current Clamp

Calibration Information

Introduction

△△Warning

To avoid electric shock or injury, do not perform the performance tests or calibration procedures unless you are qualified to do so.

The information provided in this manual is for the use of qualified personnel only.

The *i400 Calibration Information* provides the information necessary to verify the performance of the Fluke i400 AC Current Clamp, hereafter known as the Current Clamp.

The following information is included in this document:

- Safety Information and Electrical Symbols
- Specifications
- Maintenance
- Performance Tests
- User-Replaceable Parts
- Warranty Statement

See the *i400 Instruction Sheet* for complete operating instructions.

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Safety Information

△ A Read First: Safety Information

To ensure safe operation and service of the Current Clamp, follow these instructions:

- Read the operating instructions before use and follow all safety instructions.
- Use the Current Clamp only as specified in the operating instructions, otherwise the clamp's safety features may not protect you.
- Adhere to local and national safety codes. Individual protective equipment must be used to prevent shock and arc-blast injury where hazardous-live conductors are exposed.
- Only hold the Current Clamp below the tactile barrier, see Figure 1.
- Before each use, inspect the Current Clamp. Look for cracks or missing
 portions of the clamp housing or output cable insulation. Also look for
 loose or weakened components. Pay particular attention to the insulation
 surrounding the jaws.
- Never use the Current Clamp on a circuit with voltages higher than 1000 V CAT III or 600 V CAT IV.
 - CAT III equipment is designed to protect against transients in equipment in fixed-equipment installations, such as distribution panels, feeders and short branch circuits, and lighting systems in large buildings.
 - CAT IV equipment is designed to protect against transients from the primary supply level, such as an electricity meter or an overhead or underground utility service.
- Use extreme caution when working around bare conductors or bus bars.
 Contact with the conductor could result in electric shock.
- Use caution when working with voltages above 60 V dc or 30 V ac. Such voltages pose a shock hazard.

Electrical Symbols

The symbols in Table 1 appear in this document or on the Current Clamp.

Table 1. Electrical Symbols

Symbol	Explanation	
4	Application around and removal from hazardous live conductors is permitted.	
	Product is protected by double insulation.	
Δ	Risk of Danger. Important information. See Instruction Sheet.	
A	Hazardous voltage.	
ی س	Conforms to relevant Canadian Standards Association directives.	
CE	Conforms to relevant European Union directives.	

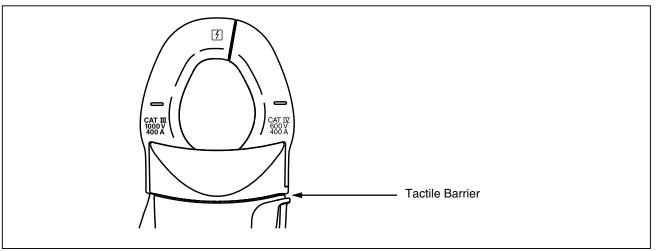


Figure 1. Tactile Barrier

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Safety Specifications

Category Rating: CAT III 1000 V and CAT IV 600 V per EN/IEC61010-1, Pollution Degree 2

€ : Tested to US and Canadian standards for compliance to UL 61010-1 and CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 61010-2-32

C€: EN 61010-2-32, EN61010-1

EMC Specifications

EMC: EN 61326-1, FCC for emission and immunity

Electrical Specifications

Reference Conditions: 23 ± 5 °C, 20 to 75 % RH (73 ± 41 °F, 20 to 75 % RH); conductor centered in jaw

opening; no dc component; no adjacent conductor

Measurement Range: 1 A to 400 A ac rms

Output: 1 mA/A

Accuracy: 2 % + 0.06 A, 45 Hz to 400 Hz

Typical Bandwidth: 5 Hz to 20 kHz

Working Voltage: 1000 V ac rms, in compliance with EN61010

Common Mode Voltage: 1000 V ac rms from earth ground, in compliance with EN61010

Load Impedance: $< 10 \Omega$

Maximum Non-destructive Current: 1000 A

Duty Cycle: 1 A to 400 A continuous

Influence of Adjacent Conductor: < 7.5 mA/A

Influence of Conductor Position in Jaw Opening: $\pm 1.0 \%$ of reading + 0.05 A

General Specifications

Output Cable Length: 1.5 m (59 in)

Maximum Conductor Size: 32 mm (1.25 in)

Storage Temperature: -20 $^{\circ}$ C to 60 $^{\circ}$ C (-4 $^{\circ}$ F to 140 $^{\circ}$ F)

Operating Temperature: 0 °C to 50 °C (32 °F to 122 °F)

Relative Humidity: 10 °C to 30 °C (50 °F to 86 °F): 95 %

30 °C to 40 °C (86 °F to 104 °F): 75 % 40 °C to 50 °C (104 °F to 122 °F): 45 %

Temperature Coefficient: 0.01 X (specified accuracy)/ °C (< 18 °C or > 28 °C);

0.01 X (specified accuracy)/°F (< 64 °F or >82 °F)

Altitude: Operating: 2000 m (1.24 miles); Non-operating: 12000 m (7.4 miles)

Dimensions: (LxWxH) 150 x 70 x 30 mm (5.09 x 2.75 x 1.18 in)

Weight: 114 g (4 oz)

Maintenance

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To avoid possible electric shock or personal injury:

- Before each use, inspect the Current Clamp. Look for cracks or missing
 portions of the clamp housing and output cable-insulating cover. Look for
 loose or weakened components. Pay particular attention to the insulation
 surrounding the clamp jaws.
- Do not use a damaged Current Clamp. If a clamp is damaged, tape it shut to prevent unintended operation. A damaged clamp under warranty will be promptly repaired or replaced (at Fluke's discretion) and returned at no extra charge.

If the Current Clamp does not work or perform properly, use the following steps to help isolate the problem:

- 1. Inspect the jaw-mating surface for cleanliness. If any foreign material is present, the jaw will not close properly and measurement errors will result.
- 2. Verify that the function selection and range on the Multimeter are correct and adjusted to the sensitivity of the Current Clamp.

Cleaning

Periodically wipe the case with a damp cloth and mild detergent.

⚠ Caution

To avoid damaging the Current Clamp, do not use abrasives or solvents to clean the clamp.

Open the jaws and wipe the magnetic pole pieces with a lightly oiled cloth. Do not allow rust or corrosion to form on the magnetic core ends.

Performance Tests

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The following performance tests verify the complete operation of the Current Clamp and checks the accuracy of each function against the Clamp's specifications. If the Current Clamp fails any part of the test, adjustment or repair is indicated. Refer to "Contacting Fluke" for service phone numbers.

In the performance tests, the Current Clamp is referred to as the unit under test (UUT).

Required test equipment is defined in Table 2.

Table 2. Required Test Equipment

Equipment	Required Characteristics	Recommended Model
Calibrator AC Current: 0 - 8 A		Fluke 5520A Multi-Product Calibrator
	Max. Accuracy: 0.15 %	
	Frequency: 45 Hz - 400 Hz	
Multimeter	AC Voltage: 20 mV - 400 mV	Fluke-189 Digital Multimeter (DMM)
	Accuracy: 0.45 %	
	Frequency: 45 Hz - 400 Hz	
Copper Wire Loop	Single > #14 gauge copper wire loop with 6 in diameter	N/A
Toroid Coil	Turns: 50	Fluke 5500A/Coil

Current Accuracy Tests

- 1. Connect the equipment as shown in Figure 2.
- 2. Center the UUT jaws around the single-turn #14 gauge wire.
- 3. Set the 5520A output as called out in Table 3. Check that the Multimeter readings are within the specified limits in step 1 of Table 3.
- 4. Place the 5520A in Standby mode.
- 5. Connect the equipment as shown in Figure 3.
- 6. Center the jaws of the UUT around the 5500A coil.
- 7. Apply the 5520A output as called out in Table 2, steps 2 and 3. Verify that the Multimeter readings are within the specified limits.

Table	3.	Accuracy	Tests
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Step	Nominal Value	5520A Output	5520A LCOMP Setting	UUT Nominal Output	*Multimeter Reading limits	
					Lower	Upper
1.	1 A, 45 Hz	1 A, 45 Hz	OFF	1 mA, 60 Hz	979.4 μΑ	1020.6 μΑ
2.	100 A, 60 Hz	2.0 A, 60 Hz	ON	100 mA, 60 Hz	97.94 mA	102.06 mA
3.	400 A, 400 Hz	8.0 A,400 Hz	ON	400 mA, 400 Hz	391.94 mA	408.06 mA

^{*}To obtain the best TUR, the Fluke 189 is pre-calibrated at each step using the 5520A with LCOMP OFF. The Fluke 189 error is then algebraically added to the UUT reading.

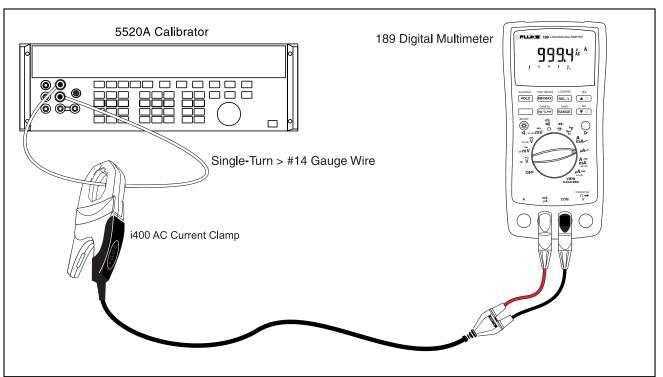


Figure 2. Connections for Current-Accuracy Test (Step 1)

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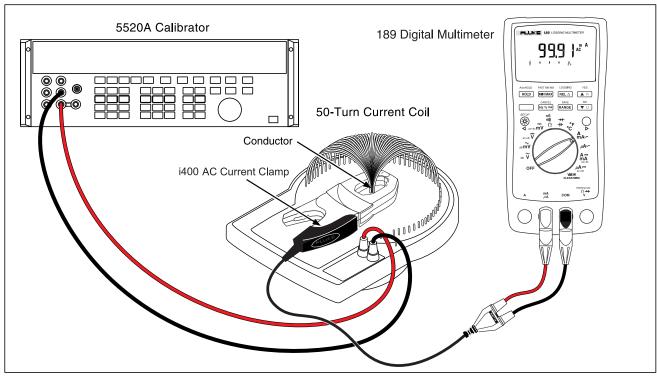


Figure 3. Connections for Current-Accuracy Test (Steps 2 and 3)

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User-Replaceable Parts

The Current Clamp contains no user-replaceable parts. Table 4 lists user documentation that is available for this product.

Table 4. User Documentation

Description	Part No	Qty
i400 Instruction Sheet	2282667	1
i400 Calibration Information (this document)	2414311	1

LIMITED WARRANTY AND LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

Each Fluke product is warranted to be free from defects in material and workmanship under normal use and service. The warranty period is one year and begins on the date of shipment. Parts, product repairs, and services are warranted for 90 days. This warranty extends only to the original buyer or end-user customer of a Fluke authorized reseller, and does not apply to fuses, disposable batteries, or to any product which, in Fluke's opinion, has been misused, altered, neglected, contaminated, or damaged by accident or abnormal conditions of operation or handling. Fluke warrants that software will operate substantially in accordance with its functional specifications for 90 days and that it has been properly recorded on non-defective media. Fluke does not warrant that software will be error free or operate without interruption.

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