

HP 16338A Test Lead Set
Operation and Service Manual

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This manual provides information on operation and service for the
HP 16005B, C, D Kelvin Clip Leads, HP 16006A Pin-type Leads,
HP 16007A, B Alligator Clip Leads, and HP 16143B Mating Cable.



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Warning



Dangerous voltages, capable of causing death, are present in this instrument. Use extreme caution when handling, testing, and adjusting this instrument.

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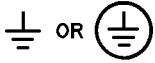
General definitions of safety symbols used on equipment or in manuals.



Instruction manual symbol: the product will be marked with this symbol when it is necessary for the user to refer to the instruction manual in order to protect against damage to the instrument.



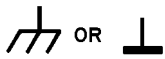
Indicates dangerous voltage (terminals fed from the interior by voltage exceeding 1000 volts must be so marked).



Protective ground terminal. For protection against electrical shock in case of a fault in the instrument. Used with wiring terminals to indicate the terminal which must be connected to ground before operating equipment.



Low-noise or noiseless, clean ground (earth) terminal. Used for a signal common, as well as providing protection against electrical shock in case of a fault in the instrument. A terminal marked with this symbol must be connected to ground in the manner described in the installation (Operation) manual, and before operating the equipment.



Frame or chassis terminal. A connection to the frame (chassis) of the equipment which normally includes all exposed metal structures.



Alternating current (power line).



Direct current (power line).



Alternating or direct current (power line).

Warning



Warning denotes a hazard. It calls attention to a procedure, practice, condition or the like, which, if not correctly performed or adhered to, could result in *injury* or *death* to personnel.

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Caution sign denotes a hazard. It calls attention to a procedure, practice, condition or the like, which, if not correctly performed or adhered to, could result *damage* to or *destruction* of part or all of the product.

Note



Note denotes important information. It calls attention to a procedure, practice, condition or the like, which is essential to highlight.

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General Information

Introduction

The purpose of this manual is to enable you to use your HP 16338A Test Lead Set efficiently and confidently. This manual contains both general and specific information. To use the HP 16338A to perform a specific function (without having to read the entire manual), follow the directions in “Using the HP 16338A”.

Using the HP 16338A

The HP 16338A has been designed to operate specifically with the HP 4338A Milliohmmeter.

- To install the HP 16338A (HP 16005B, C, D HP 16006A, HP 16007A, B, and HP 16143B), turn to Chapter 2.
- To operate the HP 16338A (HP 16005B, C, D HP 16006A, HP 16007A, B, and HP 16143B), turn to Chapter 3.
- To order replaceable parts for the HP 16338A (HP 16005B, C, D HP 16006A, HP 16007A, B, and HP 16143B), turn to Chapter 4.

Product Description

HP 16338A Test Lead Set

The HP 16338A contains four types of test leads and a mating cable, which are designed to operate specifically with the HP 4338A. These test leads can be mixed or matched depending on the type of sample being tested.

HP 16005B, C, D Kelvin Clip Leads

These test leads are useful when measuring test devices that have thin electrode conductors (leads). The HP 16005B, C, D incorporates the four-terminal (Kelvin) connection method for best low resistance measurement accuracy. The Jaws of the HP 16005B, C, D are a set of electrically independent contacts; the current terminal which feeds the test current to the DUT and its contact design assures accurate measurement down to the lowest resistance range through its very low contact resistance.

HP 16006A Pin-type Leads

The HP 16006A's probe tip is a voltage terminal and the outer conductor is a current terminal. The probe tip is spring-loaded, so that both terminals firmly contact the sample under test. This probe is useful for press-on contact measurements such as printed board conductivity measurements.

HP 16007A, B Alligator Clip Leads

The HP 16007A, B are provided for standard four-terminal measurements. Each pair of test leads has a separate alligator clip voltage and current terminal. The HP 16007A is furnished with red covers and the HP 16007B is furnished with black covers.

HP 16143B Mating Cable

The HP 16143B has been designed to operate specifically with the HP 4338A. The HP 16143B used to connect between the HP 4338A and test leads furnished the HP 16338A.

Operating and Safety Precautions

Operating

You need observe only normal precautions in handling and operating the HP 16338A. Do not exceed the operating input power level and signal type appropriate to the instrument being used, refer to your instrument's operation manual.

Caution



Electrostatic discharge (ESD) can damage the highly sensitive microcircuits in your instrument. ESD damage is most likely to occur as the test leads are being connected or disconnected. Protect them from ESD damage by wearing a grounding strap that provides a high resistance path to ground. Alternatively, ground yourself to discharge any static charge build-up by touching the outer shell of any grounded instrument chassis before touching the test port connectors.

Never touch the test lead contacts.

Use a work station equipped with an anti-static work surface.

Service

The voltage levels found in these test leads when used with the intended instruments do not warrant more than normal safety precautions for operator safety. Nevertheless, service should be performed only by qualified personnel.

Specifications

This section lists the complete HP 16338A specifications. These specifications are the performance standards and limits against which the HP 16338A is tested. When shipped from the factory, the HP 16338A meets the following specifications:

Common Specifications for the HP 16005B, C, D, HP 16006A, HP 16007A, B, and HP 16143B

Operating Temperature	0 to 55°C
Operating Humidity	≤95% RH (@40°C)
Non-operating Temperature	-40 to 70 °C
Non-operating Humidity	≤95% RH (@40°C)

Specifications of the HP 16005B

Applicable Instrument	HP 4328A and HP 4338A
Cable Length	40 cm
Weight	40 g

Specifications of the HP 16005C, D

Applicable Instrument	HP 4328A and HP 4338A
Cable Length	40 cm
Weight	20 g

Specifications of the HP 16006A

Applicable Instrument	HP 4328A and HP 4338A
Cable Length	40 cm
Weight	15 g

Specifications of the HP 16007A, B

Applicable Instrument	HP 4328A and HP 4338A
Cable Length	40 cm
Weight	20 g

Specifications for the HP 16143B

Applicable Instrument	HP 4338A
Cable Length	60 cm
Weight	220 g

Supplemental Performance Characteristics

This section gives supplemental performance characteristics. Supplemental performance characteristics are not specifications, but are typical characteristics included as additional information for the operator. Supplemental performance characteristics are not guaranteed.

Supplemental Performance Characteristics of the HP 16007A, B

Applicable DUT size
Diameter of DUT's terminals ≤ 4 mm

Supplemental Performance Characteristics of the HP 16005B

Applicable DUT size
Diameter of DUT's terminals ≤ 7.0 mm
Length of DUT's terminals ≥ 3 mm

Supplemental Performance Characteristics of the HP 16005C, D

Applicable DUT size
Diameter of DUT's terminals ≤ 1 mm
Space between DUT's terminals ≥ 2 mm
Length of DUT's terminals ≥ 2 mm

Supplemental Performance Characteristics of the HP 16143B

Applicable Test Leads
..... HP 16005A, HP 16005B, HP 16005C, HP 16005D
..... HP 16006A, HP 16007A, HP 16007B

Preparation for Use

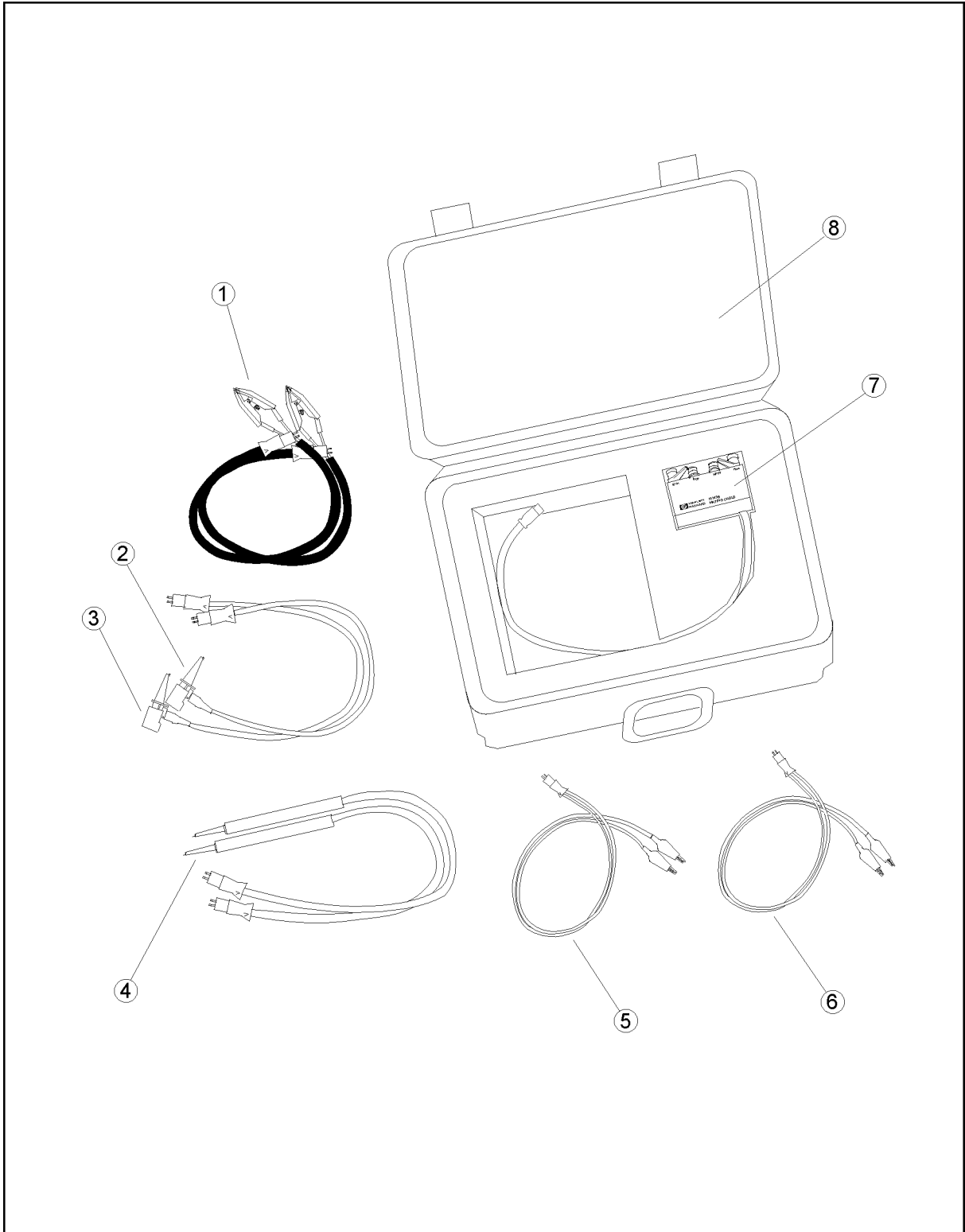
Introduction

This chapter explains how to install the HP 16338A Test Lead Set. The topics covered include initial inspection, ambient environmental considerations, connecting the test leads for use and repackaging the test lead set for shipment.

Initial Inspection

These test leads have been carefully inspected electrically and mechanically before being shipped from the factory. They should be in perfect physical condition, no scratches, dents or the like, and it should be in perfect electrical condition. Verify this by carefully performing an incoming inspection to check the test leads for signs of physical damage and missing contents. If any discrepancy is found, notify the carrier and Hewlett-Packard. Your HP sales office will arrange for repair and replacement without waiting for the claim to be settled.

1. Inspect the shipping container for damage, and keep the shipping materials until the inspection is completed.
2. Verify that the shipping container contains everything shown in Figure 2-1 and listed in Table 2-1.
3. Inspect the exterior of the contents of the HP 16338A for any signs of damage.



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Figure 2-1. HP 16338A Product Overview

2.2 Preparation for Use

Table 2-1. Contents of HP 16338A

No.	Description	HP Part Number	Quantity
①	Kelvin Clip Leads (large)	HP 16005B	2
②	Kelvin Clip Leads (small, red)	HP 16005C	1
③	Kelvin Clip Leads (small, black)	HP 16005D	1
④	Pin-Type Probe Leads	HP 16006A	2
⑤	Alligator Clip Lead (red)	HP 16007A	1
⑥	Alligator Clip Lead (black)	HP 16007B	1
⑦	Mating Cable	HP 16143B	1
⑧	Carrying Case	16338-60001	1

Ambient Environmental Considerations

Operating and Storage

The HP 16338A must be operated within an ambient temperature range of 0°C to 55°C and relative humidity up to 95% at 40°C (non-condensing).

The HP 16338A may be stored within a temperature range of -40°C to +70°, and at a relative humidity of up to 95% at +40°C (non-condensing).

Connecting The Test Leads For Use

Configuration of Test Leads with Milliohmmeters

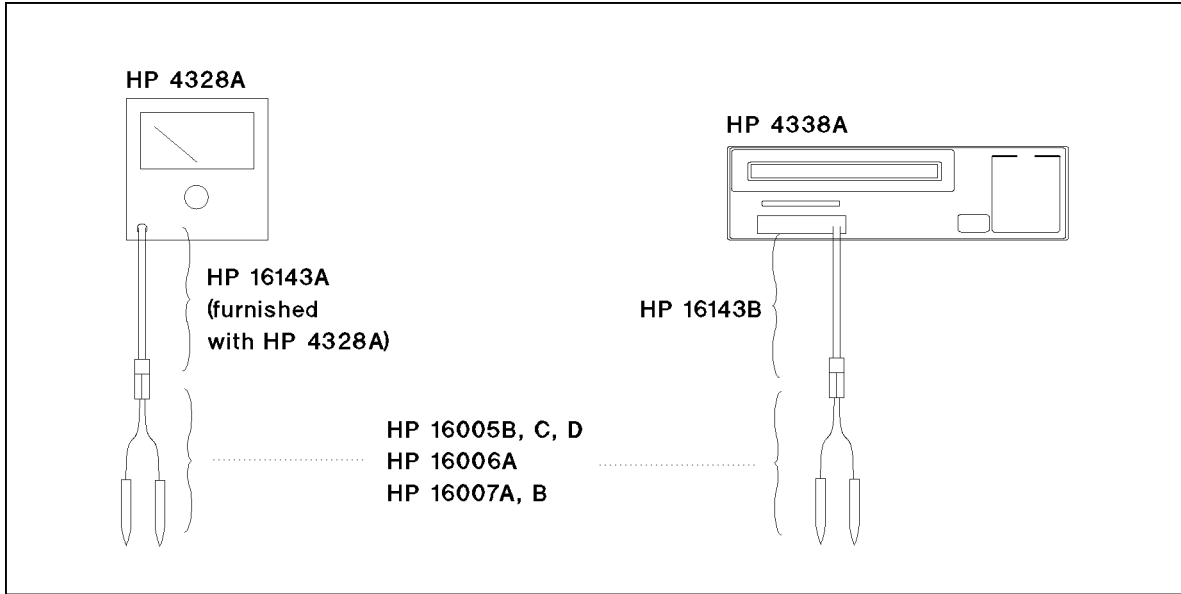
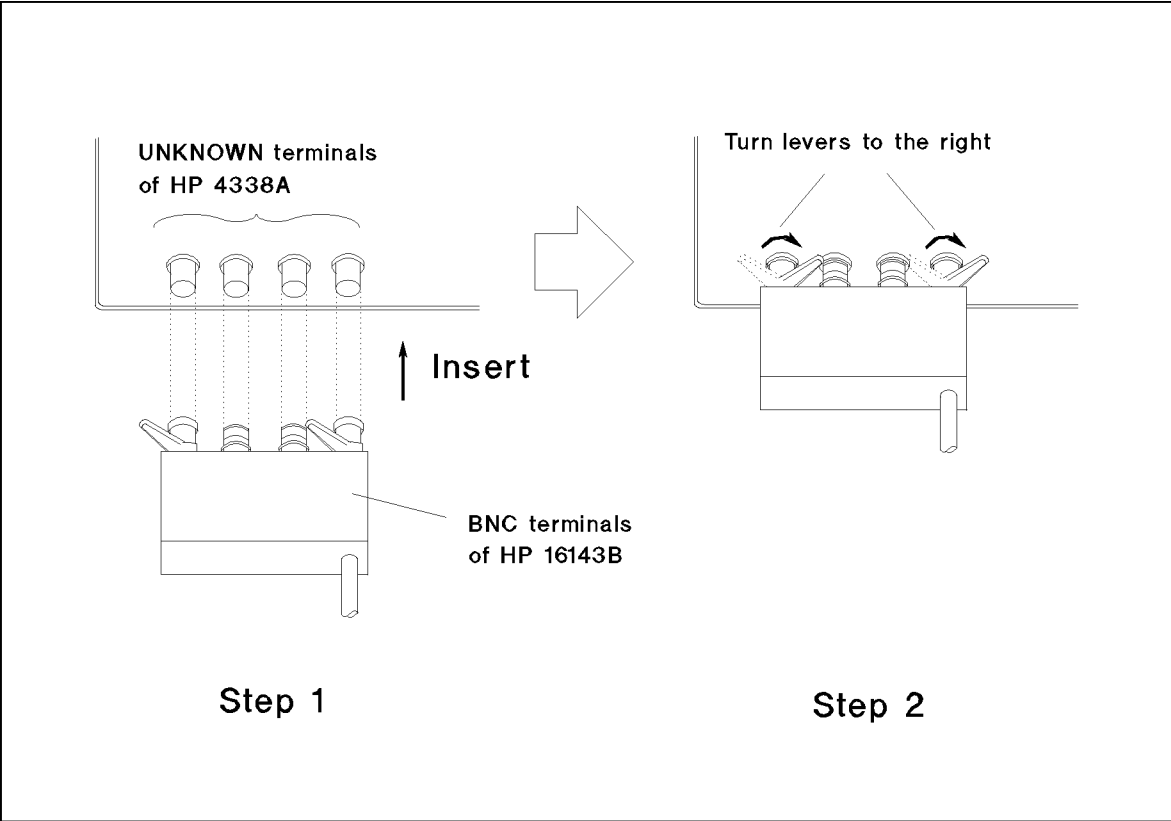


Figure 2-2. Configuration of Test Leads and Milliohm Meters

Connecting with HP 16143B to HP 4338A



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Figure 2-3. Connecting HP 16143B to HP 4338A

Connecting the Test leads to HP 16143A, B

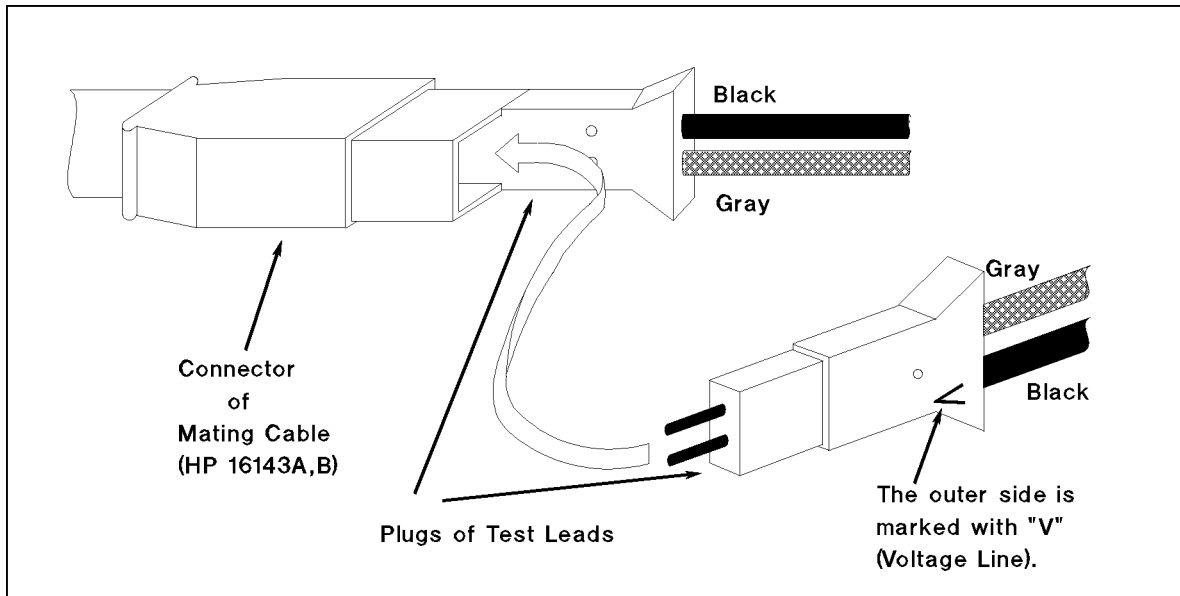


Figure 2-4. Connecting Test leads to HP 16143A, B

Note

You can use any combination of test lead types with the HP 16143A, B.



Repackaging the Test Leads

If shipment to a Hewlett-Packard service center is required, each test lead should be repackaged using the original factory packaging materials.

Alternatively, comparable packaging materials may be used. Wrap the test leads in heavy paper and pack in anti-static plastic packing material. Use sufficient shock absorbing material on all sides of the HP 16338A to provide a thick, firm cushion and to prevent movement. Seal the shipping container securely and mark it *FRAGILE*.

Operation

Introduction

This chapter describes using the test leads and correction techniques for these test leads.

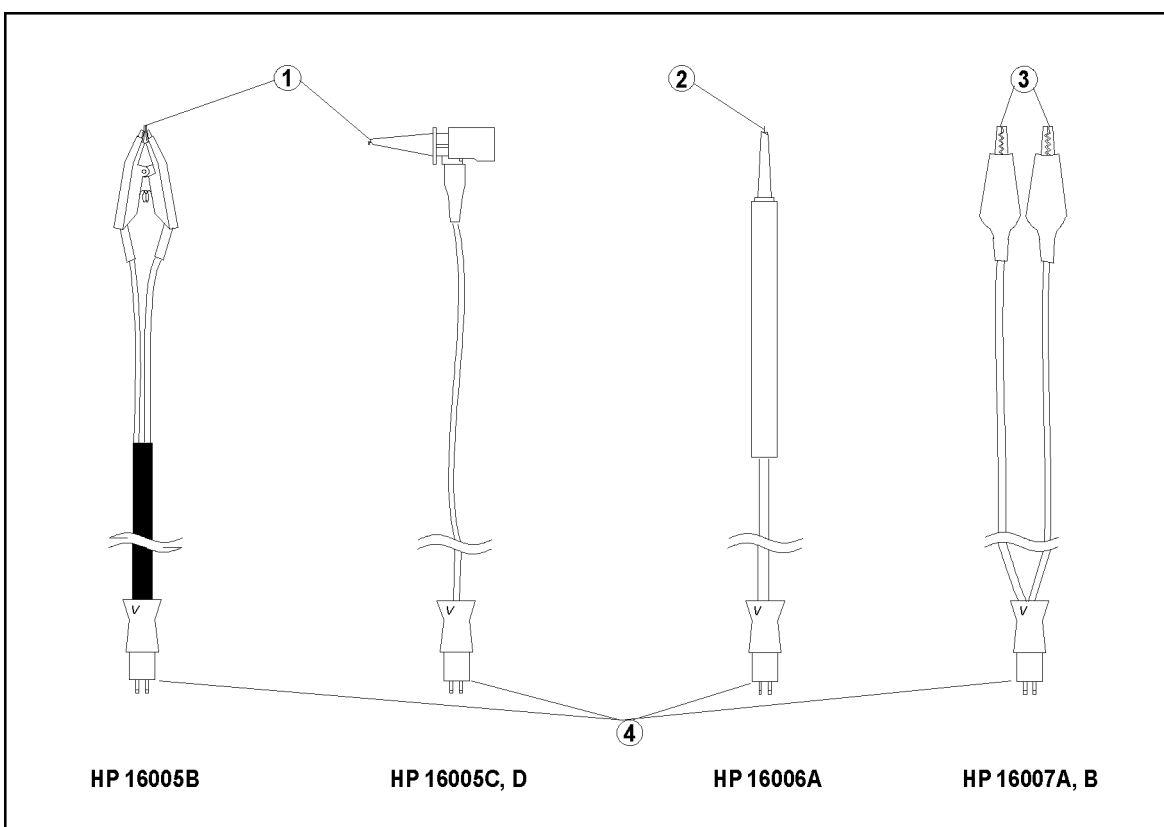


Figure 3-1. Test Leads Features

- ① *Kelvin Clips.* These are connected to DUT.
- ② *Pin.* This is connected to DUT.
- ③ *Alligator Clips.* These are connected to DUT.
- ④ *Plug.* This connector is connected to the Mating cable.

Caution To prevent the probes from being damaged, Do not open the jaws of the HP 16005B more than 7.0 mm.

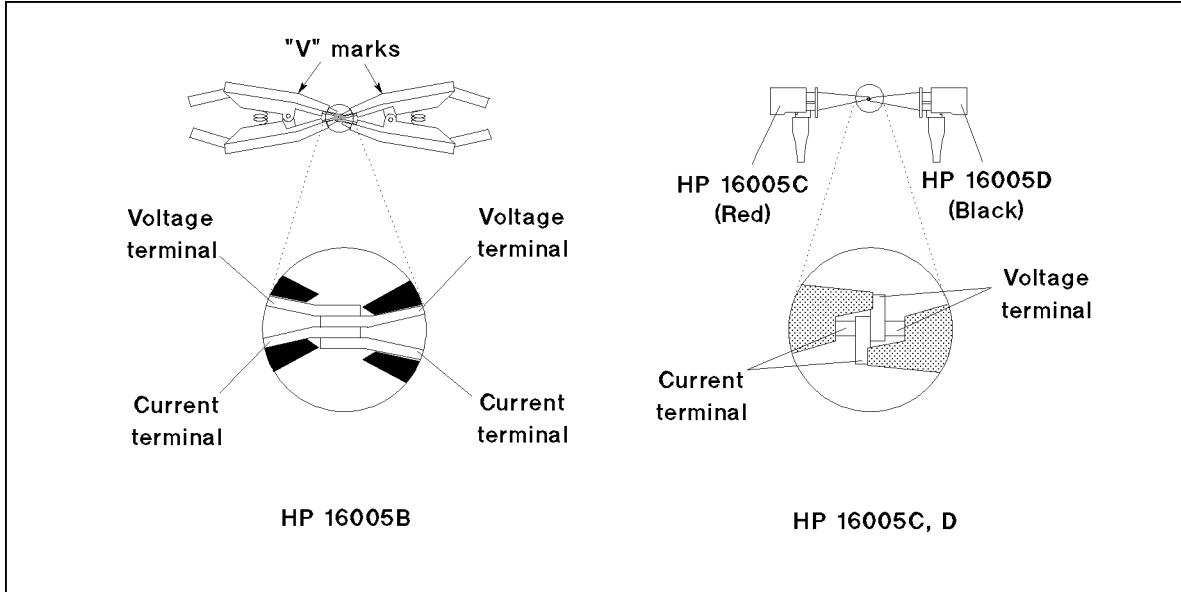


Caution



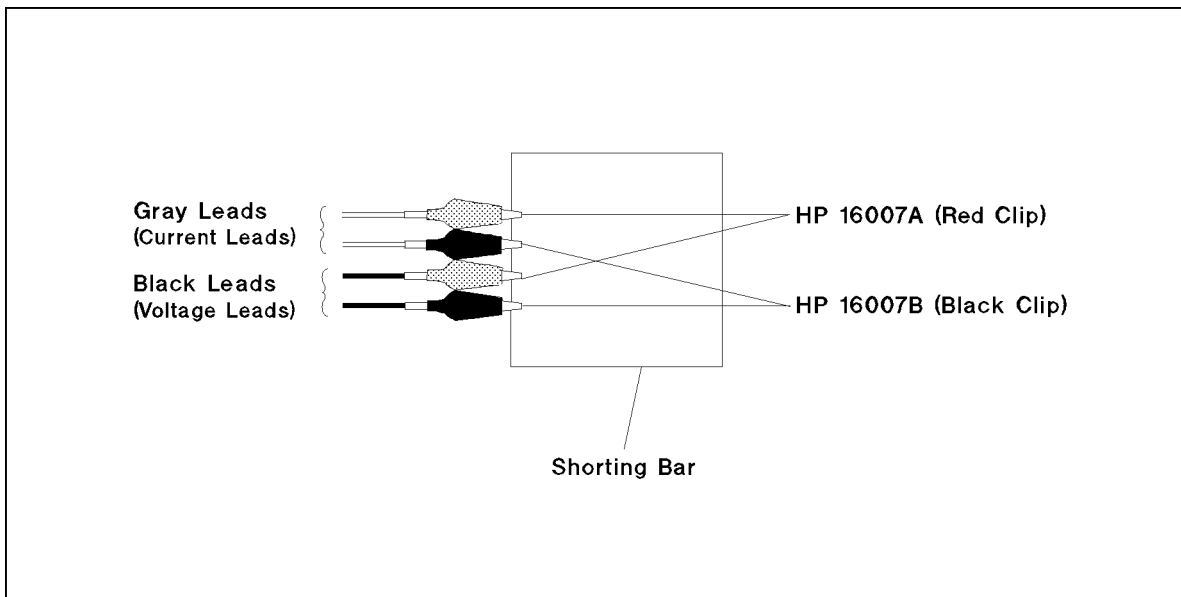
Avoid applying a high dc voltage (42 V peak max for HP 4338A, 150 V max for HP 4328A) between the probes, periodic surge current may damage the input circuit of the measurement instrument.

SHORT Correction



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Figure 3-2. Making a Shorting Connection for the HP 16005B, C, D



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Figure 3-3. Making a Shorting Connection for the HP 16007A, B

For HP 4338A

1. Connect the test probe clips together as shown in Figure 3-2 and Figure 3-3.
2. Perform SHORT correction on the HP 4338A. For step-by-step instructions on how to perform the correction, refer to *HP 4338A Operation Manual*.

For HP 4328A

To verify proper conductivity of the HP 16338A, perform the following test when you use the HP 4328A:

1. Connect the test probe clips as shown in Figure 3-2 and Figure 3-3.
2. The HP 4328A's meter pointer should indicate zero ohms on the 1 m Ω range.
3. Disconnect the test probe clips. The meter pointer should deflect off-scale.

Shorting Bar

The shorting bar must have very low residual impedance, so a high conductivity metal plate that is not easily corroded to construct the shorting plate. (It must be clean.)

Service

Introduction

This chapter gives replaceable parts information for the following products:

- HP 16338A Test Lead Kit
- HP 16143B Mating Cable
- HP 16005B Kelvin Clip Lead
- HP 16005C Kelvin IC Clip Lead Red
- HP 16005D Kelvin Clip Lead Black
- HP 16006A Pin-type Probe Lead
- HP 16007A Alligator Clip Lead Red
- HP 16007B Alligator Clip Lead Black

HP 16338A Replaceable Parts

Table 4-1 lists the replaceable parts for the HP 16338A . To order a part listed in the replaceable parts table, quote the HP part number, indicate the quantity required, and address the order to the nearest Hewlett-Packard office.

Table 4-1. 16338A Replaceable Parts

HP Part Number	Qty.	Description
16143-60011	1	Mating Cable ¹
16005-60011	2	Kelvin Clip Lead ²
16005-60012	1	Kelvin IC Clip Lead Red ³
16005-60014	1	Kelvin IC Clip Lead Black ⁴
16006-60001	2	Pin-type Probe Lead
16007-60001	1	Alligator Clip Lead Red
16007-60002	1	Alligator Clip Lead Black
16338-60001	1	Carrying Case

¹ See HP 16143A Replaceable Parts section for details.

² See HP 16005B Replaceable Parts section for details.

³ See HP 16005C Replaceable Parts section for details.

⁴ See HP 16005D Replaceable Parts section for details.

HP 16143B Replaceable Parts

Table 4-2 lists the replaceable parts for the HP 16143B. To order a part listed in the replaceable parts table, quote the HP part number, indicate the quantity required, and address the order to the nearest Hewlett-Packard office.

Table 4-2. Replaceable Parts

HP Part Number	Qty.	Description
16143-60011	1	Mating Cable ¹
16143-04001	1	Cover Top
0515-0914	2	Screw Mach M3×0.5

¹ The whole unit.

HP 16005B Replaceable Parts

Table 4-3 lists the replaceable parts for the HP 16005B. To order a part listed in the replaceable parts table, quote the HP part number, indicate the quantity required, and address the order to the nearest Hewlett-Packard office.

Table 4-3. 16005B Replaceable Parts

HP Part Number	Qty.	Description
16005-60011	1	Kelvin Clip Lead ¹
16005-60010	1	Kelvin Clip Assembly
16005-61602	1	Cable Assembly

¹ The whole unit (includes the Kelvin Clip Assembly and the Cable Assembly).

HP 16005C Replaceable Parts

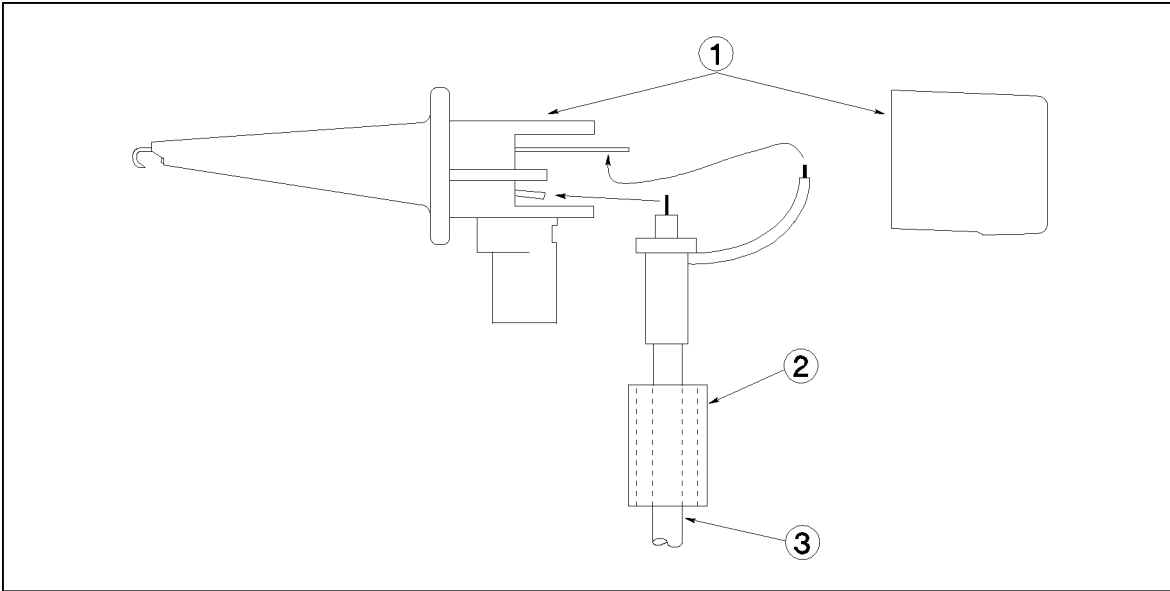
Table 4-4 lists the replaceable parts for the HP 16005C. Figure 4-1 shows the connection from the cable to the clip assembly of the HP 16005C. To order a part listed in the replaceable parts table, quote the HP part number, indicate the quantity required, and address the order to the nearest Hewlett-Packard office.

Table 4-4. 16005C Replaceable Parts

Reference ¹ Designator	HP Part Number	Qty.	Description
	16005-60012	1	Kelvin IC Clip Lead Red ²
1	16005-60013	1	Kelvin IC Clip Assembly Red
2	0890-1809	2 cm	Tube Heat Shrinkable Red
3	16005-61611	1	Cable Assembly

1 Corresponding to designator in Figure 4-1.

2 The whole unit (includes 1, 2 and 3).



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Figure 4-1. Kelvin Clip Connections

HP 16005D Replaceable Parts

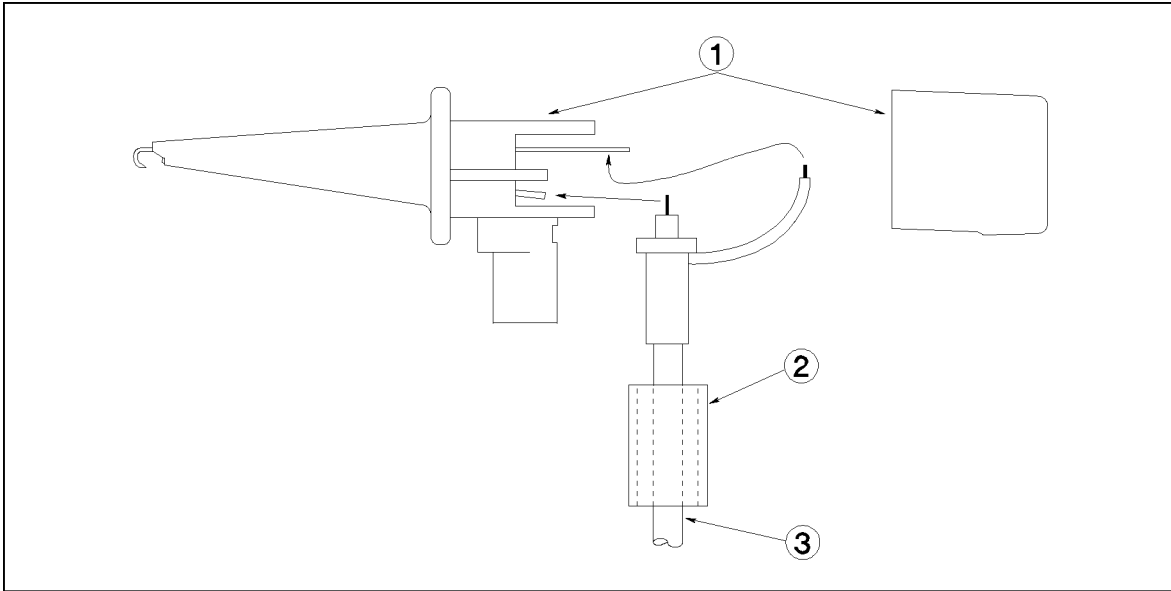
Table 4-5 lists the replaceable parts for the HP 16005D. Figure 4-2 shows the connection from the cable to the clip assembly of the HP 16005D. To order a part listed in the replaceable parts table, quote the HP part number, indicate the quantity required, and address the order to the nearest Hewlett-Packard office.

Table 4-5. 16005D Replaceable Parts

Reference ¹ Designator	HP Part Number	Qty.	Description
	16005-60014	1	Kelvin IC Clip Lead Black ²
1	16005-60015	1	Kelvin IC Clip Assembly Black
2	0890-1808	2 cm	Tube Heat Shrinkable Black
3	16005-61601	1	Cable Assembly

1 Corresponding to designator in Figure 4-2.

2 The whole unit (includes 1, 2 and 3).



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Figure 4-2. Kelvin Clip Connections

HP 16006A Replaceable Parts

Table 4-6 lists the replaceable parts for the HP 16006A. To order a part listed in the replaceable parts table, quote the HP part number, indicate the quantity required, and address the order to the nearest Hewlett-Packard office.

Table 4-6. HP 16006A Replaceable Parts

HP Part Number	Qty.	Description
16006-60001	1	Pin-type Probe Lead

HP 16007A Replaceable Parts

Table 4-7 lists the replaceable parts for the HP 16007A. To order a part listed in the replaceable parts table, quote the HP part number, indicate the quantity required, and address the order to the nearest Hewlett-Packard office.

Table 4-7. HP 16007A Replaceable Parts

HP Part Number	Qty.	Description
16007-60001	1	Alligator Clip Lead Red

HP 16007B Replaceable Parts

Table 4-8 lists the replaceable parts for the HP 16007B. To order a part listed in the replaceable parts table, quote the HP part number, indicate the quantity required, and address the order to the nearest Hewlett-Packard office.

Table 4-8. HP 16007B Replaceable Parts

HP Part Number	Qty.	Description
16007-60002	1	Alligator Clip Lead Black

