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**MODEL 224**  
**PROGRAMMABLE**  
**CURRENT SOURCE**

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**QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE**



# INTRODUCTION

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This reference and programming guide contains information on front panel operation, IEEE bus operation (commands and codes) and several short programs to get the Model 224 "up and running" using several different controllers. For complete details of these operating parameters consult the Model 224 and Model 2243 Instruction Manuals. The Model 2243 IEEE-488 interface is optional.

The programs in this booklet accept a numeric input from the controller keyboard, program the Model 224/2243 for autoranging and set the instrument output to the values entered. All other parameters remain unchanged, but may also be altered by including another string variable.

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## CONDENSED SPECIFICATIONS

Range	Maximum Output	Accuracy (1 Year) $\pm$ (%rdg + offset) 18°-28°C	Step Size
100mA	$\pm$ 101.00mA	0.1 % + 50 $\mu$ A	50 $\mu$ A
10mA	$\pm$ 19.995mA	0.05% + 10 $\mu$ A	5 $\mu$ A
1mA	$\pm$ 1.9995mA	0.05% + 1 $\mu$ A	500nA
100 $\mu$ A	$\pm$ 199.95 $\mu$ A	0.05% + 100nA	50nA
10 $\mu$ A	$\pm$ 19.995 $\mu$ A	0.05% + 10nA	5nA

**OUTPUT RESISTANCE:** Greater than  $10^{12}\Omega$ .

**OUTPUT CAPACITANCE:** Less than 20pF.

**VOLTAGE LIMIT:** Bipolar, 1 to 105V in 1V programmable steps.

**RESPONSE TIME:** Less than 3ms to within 0.1% of programmed change.

**TRANSIENT RECOVERY TIME:** Less than 3ms to rated accuracy following any change in compliance voltage.

**GUARD OUTPUT:**

**Maximum Load Capacitance:** 10nF.

**Maximum Load Current:** Absolute total (Output + Guard) not to exceed 105mA.

**Accuracy:**  $\pm$  1mV (excluding output lead voltage drop).

**INCREMENT/DECREMENT:** Automatic, manual or trigger modes.

**Range of Dwell Times:** 50ms to 999.9s.

**Accuracy of Dwell Times:**  $\pm$  (0.05 + 20 $\mu$ s).


**Step Size:** Selected digit on a fixed range. Minimum step size 0.1% of range.


**Current Limit:** Maximum is  $\pm$  (Full Scale) on range selected.

**OUTPUT LOAD:** Output load must be non-inductive.

## SAFETY SYMBOLS AND TERMS

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The symbol  on the instrument denotes that user should refer to the operation section in the Model 224 Instruction Manual.

The symbol  on the instrument denotes that high voltage may be present on the output terminals.

The **WARNING** used in this guide explains dangers that could result in personal injury or death.

## SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

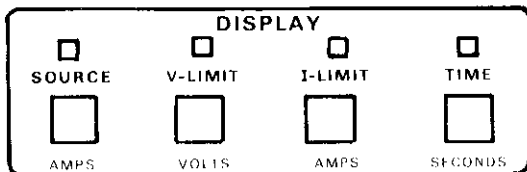
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1. Before operation, ground the instrument through a properly earth grounded power receptacle.
2. Before servicing, disconnect the instrument from the power line, all other equipment and consult the Model 224 Instruction Manual.
3. Do not touch the rear panel terminals while the instrument is turned on or connected to any other test equipment. Common mode voltage and programmed output current may be present.

# MODEL 224 FEATURES

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## DISPLAY CONTROLS



### SOURCE (Select Source Current)

#### Description

The SOURCE button selects the source function for display and/or modification. The source current can be modified using the DATA keys or the INCR/DECR function. In order for the source current to be modified, the display mode must be in the source function.

#### Operation

1. Press the SOURCE button.
2. The present source value appears on the display.

#### Typical Use

Selecting the source current for display and/or modification.

### I-LIMIT (Current Limit)

#### Description

I-limit is the programmed limit of the source current. The range of I-limit is  $+101\text{E-}3\text{A}$  to  $-101\text{E-}3\text{A}$ . The I-limit must be programmed before using the auto mode. Both I-limits (HI and LO) must be set on the same range.

### **Operation**

1. Press the I-LIMIT button.
2. Enter the desired HI I-limit on the display using the DATA keys.
3. Press the ENTER button.
4. Press the I-LIMIT button.
5. Enter the desired LO I-limit on the display using the DATA keys.
6. Press the ENTER button.

### **Typical Use**

1. Safety precaution for personal as well as the instrument.
2. Specifying a range of current output when using the auto mode.

## **V-LIMIT**

### **Description**

The V-LIMIT button selects the voltage compliance limit for display and/or modification. The range of compliance is 1V to 105V in 1V steps. The power up default value is 3V. Always select a compliance limit suitable to the application.

### **Operation**

1. Press the V-LIMIT button.
2. Enter the desired voltage compliance limit using the DATA keys.
3. Press the ENTER button.

### **Typical Use**

Limiting voltage compliance to protect external circuitry.

## **TIME (Dwell Time)**

### **Description**

The dwell time is the rate of increment or decrement when using the display modifying mode. The range dwell time is 50msec to 999.9sec. The dwell time must be programmed before using the auto mode.

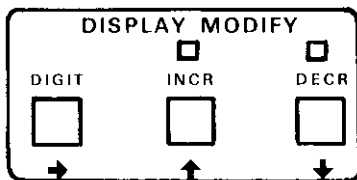
### **Operation**

1. Press the TIME button.
2. Enter the desired dwell time on the display using the DATA keys.
3. Press the ENTER button.

### **Typical Use**

Selecting a rate of current change for testing semiconductors.

## DISPLAY MODIFY GROUP



### DIGIT (Digit Selection)

#### Description

The DIGIT button selects a display for modification in the source mode. The DIGIT button must be enabled (that is, the digit to be modified be selected) in order for AUTO, TRIG, INCR and DECR to operate.

#### Operation

1. Press the SOURCE button.
2. Press the DIGIT button the correct number of times to select the desired modify digit.

#### Typical Use

Selecting resolution of increment or decrement of source value.

### INC (Increment Digit)

#### Description

Pressing the INCR button while in the manual mode increments the displayed source value starting at the selected modifying digit by one count. In the auto mode, pressing the INCR button increments the displayed value at the rate of the programmed dwell time (TIME). This action also begins at the selected modifying digit and it continues until it is stopped or the value reaches the HI I-limit.



### **Operation**

1. Press the SOURCE button.
2. Press the DIGIT button the correct number of times to select the desired modify digit.
3. Press the INCR button to increment the selected modify digit (source value).

### **Typical Use**

incrementing the source value in a sweep of precise current steps (auto mode) or manually produce precise current steps (semi-auto mode) to obtain a family of curves for a semiconductor device.

## **DECR (Decrement Digit)**

### **Description**

Pressing the DECR button while in the manual mode decrements the displayed source value starting at the selected modifying digit by one count. In the auto mode, pressing the DECR button decrements the displayed source value at the rate of the programmed dwell time (TIME). This action also begins at the selected modify digit and it continues until it is stopped or the value reaches the LO I-limit.

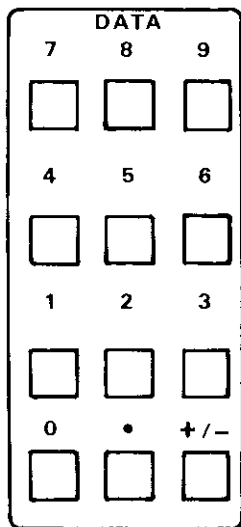
### **Operation**

1. Press the SOURCE button.
2. Press the DIGIT button the number of times to select the desired modify digit.
3. Press the DECR button to decrement the selected modifying digit and therefore the source value.

### **Typical Use**

Decrementing the source value in a sweep of precise current steps (Auto mode) or manually produce precise current steps (Semi-auto mode).

## DATA KEYPAD



## DATA

### Description

The DATA keys allow entry of numeric data for the source, time, I-limit and V-limit modes. Only the present display mode is affected by the data input. The  $\pm$  button affects the sign of the source, I-limit and V-limit modes. It also affects the sign of the exponent in the time mode.

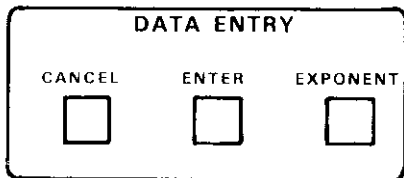
**Operation**

1. Select a display mode (Source, V-limit, I-limit or Time).
2. Enter the desired vaue using the DATA keys.
3. Press the ENTER button.

**Typical Use**

Changing the value of the displayed function.

## DATA ENTRY CONTROLS



### CANCEL (CANCEL Data Entry Operation)

#### Description

The CANCEL button momentarily blanks the display and terminates the data entry operation. The displayed value reverts to the previous value. This button is useful to clear an error when using the DATA keys.

#### Operation

1. Select a display mode (Source, V-limit, I-limit or Time).
2. Enter the desired value using the DATA keys. To illustrate the CANCEL button function make a deliberate mistake in the value entered.
3. Press the CANCEL button.
4. At this point, the display reverts to the original value.

#### Typical Use

Clear an error when using the DATA keys to modify source, I-limit, V-limit, and time data.

### ENTER (ENTER Data)

#### Description

Pressing the ENTER button loads the displayed data into the Model 224. This button works in conjunction with the DATA keys when modifying the source, time, I-limit or V-limit data.

**Operation**

1. Select a display modify mode (Source, V-limit, I-limit or Time).
2. Enter the desired value using the DATA keys.
3. Press the ENTER button.
4. The new data is now the present value.

**Typical Use**

Enter new data in the display modify modes.

**EXPONENT (EXPONENT Data)****Description**

The EXPONENT button allows entry of exponent data using the DATA keys. The EXPONENT button is operational in the V-limit mode.

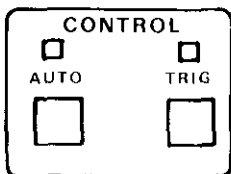
**Operation**

1. Select a display modify mode (source, I-limit or time).
2. Enter the value desired using the DATA keys.
3. Use the EXPONENT key to move the cursor to the displayed exponent.
4. Use the DATA keys to enter the desired exponent.
5. Press the ENTER button.

**Typical Use**

Selecting resolution of increment or decrement of source value.

## CONTROL GROUP



### AUTO (AUTO Increment/Decrement Digits)

#### Description

In the auto mode, the increment and decrement functions change the source value at the rate of the programmed dwell time and in the specified direction. The HI and LO I-limits must be set before the auto function can be used.

#### Operation

1. Select I-limits.
2. Select dwell time.
3. Press the SOURCE button.
4. Press the DIGIT button the correct number of times to select the modify digit.
5. Press the AUTO button.
6. Press INCR or DECR to modify the source value. In the operate mode the output tracks the display.

#### Typical Use

Producing a sweep of precise current steps for obtaining a family of curves of a transistor.

## **TRIG (Rear Input Trigger)**

### **Description**

The TRIG button enables the rear panel external trigger input. Applying the proper trigger pulse (TTL level negative going and greater than 10 $\mu$ sec in duration) modifies the selected digit by one count. Use with the digit, increment and decrement functions. The HI and LO I-limits must be set before TRIG can be used.

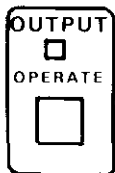
### **Operation**

1. Press the SOURCE button.
2. Press the DIGIT button the correct number of times to select the modify digit.
3. Press the TRIG button.
4. Press the INCR or DECR to specify which direction the source value is to change.
5. Apply the proper trigger pulse to the EXTERNAL TRIGGER INPUT.

### **Typical Use**

Other instruments modify the Model 224 source current (e.g. Keithley Model 195A).

## OUTPUT CONTROL



### OPERATE

#### **Description**

The OPERATE button applies the programmed source current to the rear panel output terminal. The output is programmed to 0.000E-6A when the QUTPUT LED is off.

#### **Operation**

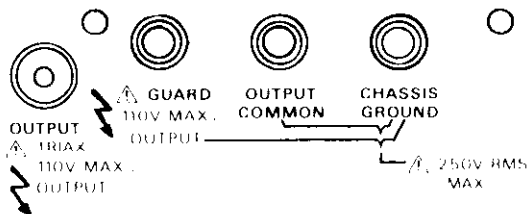
1. Press the SOURCE button.
2. Enter the desired value using the DATA keys.
3. Press the OPERATE button.
4. At this point the programmed source value is present on the output terminals.

#### **Typical Use**

Apply the programmed source value to the rear panel output connector.



## REAR PANEL CONNECTORS



### OUTPUT

The OUTPUT connector is a Teflon<sup>®</sup> insulated female triax connector. The maximum output is 101mA at 105V compliance.

#### WARNING

**Lethal potentials may be present on the OUTPUT terminal. Always verify that the instrument is in the standby mode and not floating above earth ground before touching any rear panel terminal.**

### GUARD

The GUARD terminal provides a low impedance voltage source that is equal to the output compliance voltage. The GUARD terminal is useful in reducing leakage currents for critical applications. The maximum load capacitance is 10nF. The maximum load current (output + guard) is not to exceed 105mA.

#### WARNING

**Lethal potentials may be present on the GUARD terminal. Do not touch when the instrument is turned on or connected to any other equipment.**

## **OUTPUT COMMON**

The OUTPUT COMMON terminal provides easy access to the inner shield of the output connector. The inner shield of the output connector is output common. The maximum common mode voltage is 250Vrms DC to 60Hz.

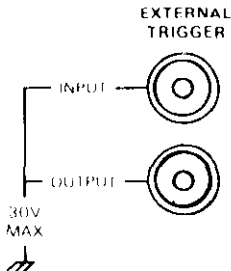
### **WARNING**

**Lethal potentials may be present on the OUTPUT COMMON terminal. Do not touch the terminal when the instrument is turned on or connected to any other equipment.**

## **CHASSIS GROUND**

The CHASSIS GROUND terminal provides easy access to chassis ground (earth ground).

## EXTERNAL TRIGGER CONNECTORS



### EXTERNAL TRIGGER INPUT

The external trigger input is a female BNC connector that accepts the proper trigger pulse (TTL level negative going and greater than  $10\mu\text{sec}$  in duration) for modifying the displayed source value. This input is operational only in the trigger (front panel TRIG enabled) mode.

#### Operation:

1. Press the SOURCE button.
2. Press the DIGIT button the correct number of times to select the modifying digit.
3. Press the TRIG button.
4. Press INCR or DECR to specify which direction the source value is to change.
5. Apply the proper trigger pulse to the EXTERNAL TRIGGER INPUT.

#### Typical Use

Other instruments modify the Model 224 source current (e.g. Keithley Model 195A).

## EXTERNAL TRIGGER OUTPUT

The EXTERNAL TRIGGER OUTPUT connector is a female BNC connector that outputs a TTL level negative going pulse of a minimum duration of 10 $\mu$ sec. The pulse appears at the end of the programmed dwell time. The trigger output is independent of the front panel trigger mode.

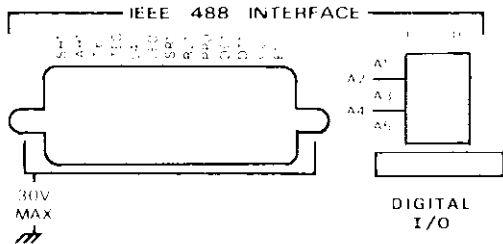
### Operation:

1. Set up for auto mode.
2. The pulse appears at the end of each dwell time period.

### Typical Use

The pulse triggers another instrument into its primary function (e.g. make a measurement, print out data, etc.).

## IIEEE INTERFACE CONNECTORS



### \*IEEE-488 INTERFACE

This connector provides IEEE-488 bus connection to the Model 2243. The connector mates with the Keithley Model 7008-3 or 7008-6 cables. With the Model 2243 IEEE-488 optional interface the Model 224 can be used with programmed control over the IEEE-488 bus.

### \*DIGITAL I/O

The digital I/O port consists of four input and four output lines as well as IEEE common and +5VDC. The output will drive one TTL load. The instrument can be programmed to generate an SRQ upon any change in the four bit input data.

### \*ADDRESS

The address switches are used to set the primary address of the Model 2243 IEEE-488 interface. The factory set value is 19 (10011). The primary address is updated only upon power up.

\*These connectors are present only when the Model 2243 IEEE-488 interface is installed in the Model 224. For more information concerning these connectors refer to the Model 2243 Instruction Manual.

## SIMPLE OPERATING PROCEDURES

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1. Turn on the Model 224.
2. Select the desired I-limits.
3. Select desired V-limit.
4. Select the desired source current.

There are three ways to select the desired source current:

Manual Selection

Semi-Auto Selection

Auto Selection

**Manual Selection:** (For use in applying a single current value).

- A. Enter the desired source current using the DATA keys.
- B. Press ENTER. (The previous output value remains unchanged until ENTER is pressed)

**Semi-Auto Selection:** (For use in applying precise steps of current).

- A. Select modifying digit. (Use DIGIT button).
- B. Use INCR or DECR to modify the source current. In the operate mode the output tracks the display.

**Auto Selection:** (For use in applying a sweep of precise current steps).

- A. Select desired increment/decrement rate (TIME).
- B. Select modifying digit. (Use DIGIT button).
- C. Use INCR or DECR to modify the source current. In the operate mode, the output tracks the display.

NOTE: Auto selection can be used to select a single current value or to generate a sweep of precise current steps. The desired I-limits must be set in order to use the auto mode. Consult the Model 224 Instruction Manual for full details.

5. Connect the appropriate load.
6. Press OPERATE to output the programmed source current.

## PROGRAM CODES

<b>DISPLAY:</b>	D0 = Source D1 = Voltage Limit D2 = Dwell Time
<b>FUNCTION:</b>	F0 = Standby 1. Set output current to zero on 20 $\mu$ A range. 2. Reduce voltage limit to less than 32V. F1 = Operate Set output to value programmed.
<b>PREFIX: (NDCI, V, W)</b>	G0 = Source, Compliance and Time with prefix is transmitted. NDCI + n.nnnnE + n, V + n.nn00E + n, W + n.nnnnE + n G1 = Source, Compliance and Time without prefix is transmitted. + n.nnnnE + n, + n.nn00E + n, + n.nnnnE + n NDCI + n.nnnnE + n for current V + n.nn00E + n for voltage limit W + n.nnnnE + n for time "N" is replaced with "O" if an over compliance condition exists.
<b>STATUS WORD:</b>	G0 status word with model number prefix transmitted. 2240000000: G1 status word without model number prefix transmitted: 00000000:
<b>I/O STATUS:</b>	G0 I/O status with prefix transmitted: I/Oii,oo G1 I/O status without prefix transmitted: ii,oo where i is the input from 0 to 15; where o is the output from 0 to 15.
<b>EOL:</b>	K0 = EOL transmitted on last byte out. K1 = EOL is not transmitted.

**SRQ:** Mnn: nn = 0 to 31 base 10 or  
 00000 to 11111 base 2.  
 0 = bit disabled  
 1 = bit enabled

Bits: SRQ mask  
 MSB7: N/A  
 6: N/A  
 5: N/A  
 4: Input Port Change  
 3: End of Dwell Time  
 2: I Limit Reached  
 1: Over Voltage Limit  
 0: IDDC, IDDCO or -REN (No Remote)

<b>SRQ BYTE:</b>	<b>BITS: DATA</b>	<b>ERROR</b>
	MSB7 N/A	N/A
	6 SRQ	SRQ
	5 Data = 0	Error = 1
	4 N/A	N/A
	3 Input Port Change	N/A
	2 End of Dwell Time	-REN (No Remote)
	1 I Limit Reached	IDDCO
	0 Over Voltage Limit	IDDC

**RANGES:** R0 = Auto Range (Force Most Significant  
 Number)  
 R5 = Full scale: 20  $\mu$ A 2.0E-5  
 R6 = Full scale: 200  $\mu$ A 2.0E-4  
 R7 = Full scale: 2mA 2.0E-3  
 R8 = Full scale: 20mA 2.0E-2  
 R9 = Full scale: 101mA 1.01E-1

#### IEEE

#### TERMINATOR

**CHARACTER:** Yc = The (ASCII) byte contains an ASCII  
 character which will be used as the ter-  
 minator for all data until changed. The  
 power up default is (CR) (LF). [NOTE:  
 ASCII (DEL) indicates no terminator,  
 ASCII (LF) indicates (CR) (LF), and ASCII  
 (CR) indicates (LF) (CR).] Terminators  
 not allowed: All capital letters; all  
 numbers; (blank); + - / , . e



**INPUTS:**

$I(\text{sign})n.nnnE(\text{sign})nn$   
 Current Source Output Value  
 Limits: 0 to  $\pm 101.00\text{mA}$

$V(\text{sign})n.nnnnE(\text{sign})nn$   
 Voltage Limit  
 Limits: 1 to 105V

$W(\text{sign})n.nnnE(\text{sign})nn$   
 Time  
 Limits: 50.00msec to 999.9sec (1msec steps)

**I/O PORT:**

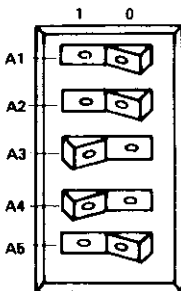
$On.nnnnEnn$   
 Set control bits on "X"  
 $n = 0$  to 16 base 10 or  
 0000 to 1111 base 2  
 if 0 then bit low  
 if 1 then bit high

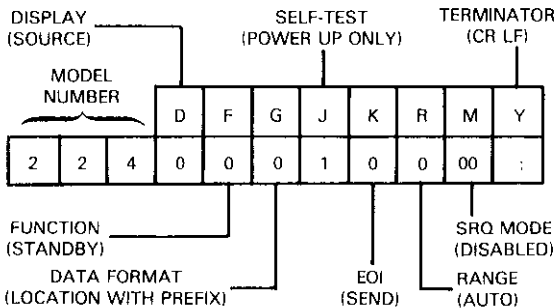
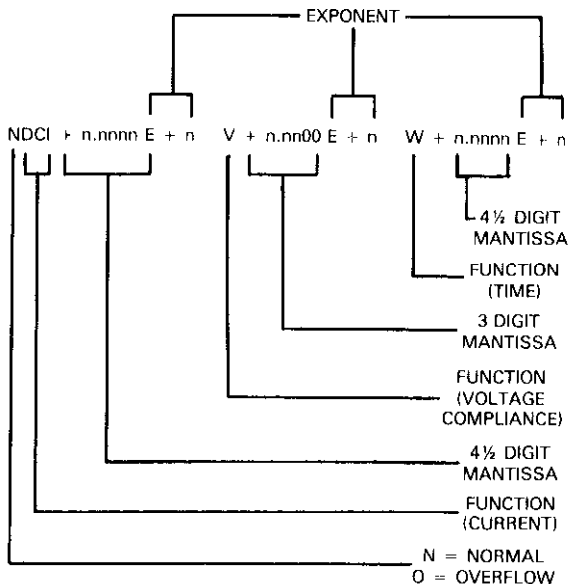
**OUTPUT  
 STATUS  
 STRING**

**ON TALK:**

$U0$  = Output status word on next read.  
 Format: 2 2 4 D F G J K R M Y  
 Default: 2 2 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 :  
 J is cleared to 0 after status word is read.

$U1$  = Output I/O status on next read.  
 Read input on X only.  
 $I/Oi,oo$  = I/O status  
 where  $i$  is the input from 0 to 15.  
 where  $o$  is the output from 0 to 15.





## **PROGRAMS**

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The following programs are designed to be a simple aid to the user, and are not intended to suit specific needs. Detailed information can be found in the manual.

### **IBM PC or XT Personal Computer (Keithley Model 8573 Interface)**

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The following program sends a command string to the Model 224 and displays the instrument data string on the IBM CRT. The equipment required for this program is the IBM PC or XT computer, the Keithley Instruments Model 8573 interface and the DOS 2.0 operating system. The GPIB software and hardware must be configured per the Keithley Instruments Model 8573 instruction manual.

#### **DIRECTIONS**

1. Using the rear panel switches, set the Model 2243 to primary address 19 (10011).
2. While the power is off, connect the instrument to the interface.
3. Type the command `BASICA` on the IBM keyboard to get into the IBM interpretive `BASICA` language.
4. Type in the command `LOAD "DECL"` to prepare the system for programming. The `LOAD "DECL"` command takes up the first five lines of the program (refer to the program).
5. Type in the following program starting with line 10.
6. Type in `RUN` to execute the program.
7. The CRT will display `"COMMAND"`.
8. Enter the desired command string and press return. For example to program a current of 10mA on the Model 224, enter `I10E-6X`.
9. The entire reading string from the instrument will then appear on the CRT.
10. To exit the program type `EXIT` and press return.

PROGRAM	COMMENTS
10 CLS	
20 NA\$ = "GPIB0":CALL IBFIND (NA\$,BRD0%)	Find the board number.
30 NA\$ = "DEV0":CALL IBFIND (NA\$,M224%)	Find the 224 number.
40 V% = 19:CALL IBPAD (M224%,V%)	Change to primary address 19.
50 V% = 1:CALL IBSRE (BRD0%,V%)	Set REN true.
60 INPUT"COMMAND";CMD\$	Prompt for command string.
70 IF CMD\$ = "EXIT" THEN 150	See if program is to be halted.
80 IF CMD\$ = " " THEN 60	If null command string go back and get another.
90 CALL IBWRT(M224%,CMD\$)	Address 224 to listen and send command string.
100 RD\$ = SPACE\$(50)	Assign reading input buffer.
110 CALL IBRD(M224%,RD\$)	Address 224 to listen and input data string.
120 RD\$ = LEFT\$(RD\$,IBCNT%)	Trim string to proper size.
130 PRINT RD\$	Display the reading on the CRT.
140 GOTO 60	Repeat.
150 V% = 0:CALL IBONL (BRD0%,V%)	Close the board file.
160 CALL IBONL (M224%,V%)	Close the instrument file.
170 END	

NOTE: If conversion to numeric variable is desired, change lines 120 and 130 as follows:

```
120 RD = VAL(MID$(RD$,5,14))
130 PRINT RD
```

NOTE: Lines 1-6 of this program need not be typed in and are not shown here. When the command LOAD"DECL" is entered, lines 1-6 are loaded from the disc into the computer. An address value must be added in place of the "X"s on lines 1 and 2.

## APPLE II (APPLE Interface)

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This program sets up the Model 224 output according to the values entered from the APPLE II keyboard.

### DIRECTIONS

1. Set switches on the Model 2243 to primary address 19 (10011).
2. Connect the Model 224 to APPLE II and APPLE IEEE interface.
3. Enter the program below using the RETURN key after each line.
4. Type in RUN.
5. The display will read "ENTER I".
6. To program the Model 224 to 10 $\mu$ A output, type 10E-6 and depress the RETURN key.
7. The display will read "ENTER V".
8. To program the Model 224 to 20V compliance limit, type 20 and depress the RETURN key.
9. The programmed change can be verified by selecting one of the front panel DISPLAY pushbuttons and reading the display value.

### PROGRAM

```
10 PRINT "ENTER I"
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```
20 INPUT I$
```

```
30 PRINT "ENTER V"
```

```
40 INPUT V$
```

```
50 Z$ = CHR$(26)
```

```
60 PR#3
```

```
70 IN# 3
```

```
80 PRINT "RA"
```

```
90 PRINT "WT3,";Z$;"R0F1X";  
"I";I$;"V";V$;"X"
```

```
100 PRINT "LF1"
```

```
110 PR# 0
```

```
120 IN# 0
```

```
130 GO TO 10
```

```
140 END
```

### COMMENTS

Enter desired current.  
(Example: 10 $\mu$ A = 10E-6)

Enter desired voltage.  
(Example: 20V = 20).

Define Z\$ = CTRL-Z.  
Set to I/O on the IEEE bus.

Sent remote enable all.  
Output to IEEE bus, address 19.

Send line feed after carriage return.

Set to I/O on the CRT and keyboard.

Repeat  
End of program.

If conversion to numeric variable is desired, add the following:

```
134 A = VAL(MID$(A$,5,11))
```

```
136 PRINT A
```

## HP 85

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This program sets up the Model 224 output according to the values entered from the HP-85 keyboard, using the 82937A GPIB interface.

### DIRECTIONS

1. Set switches on the Model 2243 to primary address 19 (10011).
2. Connect the Model 224 to the HP 85 and HP 82937A GPIB interface.
3. Enter the program below using the END LINE key after each line.
4. Type RUN and depress the END LINE key.
5. The display will read "ENTER I =".
6. To program the Model 224 to 10 $\mu$ A output, type 10E-6 and depress the END LINE key.
7. The display will read "ENTER V =".
8. To program the Model 224 to 20V compliance limit, type 20 and depress END LINE key.
9. The programmed change can be verified by selecting one of the front panel DISPLAY pushbuttons and reading the display value.

### PROGRAM

```
10 REMOTE 719
20 DISP "ENTER I ="
30 INPUT I$
40 DISP "ENTER V ="
50 INPUT V$
60 OUTPUT 719;"R0F1X",
  "I",I$,"V",V$;"X"
70 GO TO 20
80 END
```

### COMMENTS

```
Remote enable instrument at
address 19.

Enter desired current.
(Example: 10 $\mu$ A = 10E-6)

Enter desired voltage.
(Example: 20V = 20).

Output to IEEE bus, address 19.

Repeat
End of program.
```

## HP 9825A

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This program sets up the Model 224 output according to the values entered from the HP 9825 keyboard, using the 98034A HP-IB interface and a 9872AA extended I/O ROM.

### DIRECTIONS

1. Set switches on the Model 2243 to primary address 19 (10011).
2. Connect the Model 224 to HP 9825A and 98034A HP-IB interface.
3. Enter the program below, using the STORE key after each line. Line numbers are automatically assigned by the 9825A.
4. Depress the RUN key.
5. The display will read "enter i = ?".
6. To program the Model 224 to 10 $\mu$ A output, type 10E-6 and depress the CONTINUE key.
7. The display will read "enter v = ?."
8. To program the Model 224 to 20V compliance limit, type 20 and depress the CONTINUE key.
9. The programmed change can be verified by selecting one of the front panel DISPLAY pushbuttons and reading the display value.

### PROGRAM

```
0 dim A$(20),I$(20),V$(20)
1 dev "224", 719
2 ent "enter i = ?",I$
3 ent "enter v = ?",V$
4 "224" -> A$
5 wrt A$,"R0F1X", "i",
  I$,"V",V$,"X"
6 gto 2
7 end
```

### COMMENTS

```
Dimension string variables.
Define bus address 19 as 224.
Enter desired current.
(Example: 10 $\mu$ A = 10E-6).
Enter desired voltage.
(Example: 20V = 20).
Set A$ = "224".
Output to IEEE bus, address 19.
Repeat
End of program.
```

## HP 9816

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This program sets up the Model 224 output according to the values entered from the HP 9816 keyboard, using the 82937A GPIB interface and the 98611A Opt 650 BASIC system floppy disc.

### DIRECTIONS

1. Set the switches on the Model 2243 to primary address 19 (10011).
2. Connect the Model 224 to the HP 9816 and HP 92937A GPIB interface.
3. Insert the 98611A Opt 650 BASIC system floppy disc into the disk drive.
4. Type EDIT and then press the EXEC key.
5. Enter the following program using the ENTER key after each line.
6. Press the RUN key.
7. The display will read "ENTER I =".
8. To program the Model 224 to output  $10\mu\text{A}$ , type 10E-6F1 and depress the ENTER key.
9. The display will read "ENTER V =".
10. To program the Model 224 to 20V compliance limit, type 20 and depress the ENTER key.
11. The programmed change can be verified by selecting one of the front panel DISPLAY pushbuttons and reading the displayed value.

### PROGRAM

```
10 REMOTE 719
20 INPUT "ENTER I = ",I$
30 INPUT "ENTER V = ",V$
40 OUTPUT 719;"R0F1X";
   "I",I$,"V",V$,"X"
60 GO TO 20
70 END
```

### COMMENTS

```
Remote enable instrument at address
19.
Enter desired current.
(Example: 10 $\mu\text{A}$  = 10E-6)
Enter desired voltage limit.
(Example: 20 = 20V)
Output to IEEE bus, address 19.
Repeat
End of program.
```



## HP 9845B

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This program sets up the Model 224 output according to the values entered from the HP-9845B keyboard using the 98034A HPIB interface and an I/O ROM.

### DIRECTIONS

1. Set switches on the Model 2243 to primary address 19 (10011).
2. Connect Model 224 to HP 9845B and 98034A interface.
3. Enter the program below using the STORE key after each line.
4. Depress the RUN key.
5. The display will read "ENTER I" in the lower left corner.
6. To program the Model 224 to 10 $\mu$ A output, type 10E-6 and depress the STORE key.
7. The display will read "ENTER V" in the lower left hand corner.
8. To program the Model 224 to 20V compliance limit, type 20 and depress the STORE key.
9. The programmed change can be verified by selecting one of the front panel DISPLAY pushbuttons and reading the display value.

### PROGRAM

```
10 DIM I$(20), V$(20)
20 SRCE = 719
30 INPUT "ENTER I", I$
40 INPUT "ENTER V", V$
50 OUTPUT SRCE; "R0F1X";
  "I";I$;"V";V$;"X"
60 GO TO 30
70 END
```

### COMMENTS

Dimension string variables.  
Define bus address 19 as SRCE.  
Enter desired current.  
(Example: 1 $\mu$ A = 10E-6).  
Enter desired voltage.  
(Example: 20V = 20).  
Output to IEEE bus, address 19.  
Repeat

## TEK 4052

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This program sets up the Model 224 output according to the values entered from the TEK 4052 with an 4051 GPIB interface.

### DIRECTIONS

1. Set switches on the Model 2243 to primary address 19 (10011).
2. Connect Model 224 to TEK 4051 IEEE interface.
3. Enter the program below using the RETURN key after each line.
4. Type in RUN.
5. The display will read "ENTER I".
6. To program the Model 224 to 10 $\mu$ A output, type 10E-6 and depress the RETURN key.
7. The display will read "ENTER V".
8. To program the Model 224 to 20V compliance limit, type 20 and depress the RETURN key.
9. The programmed change can be verified by selecting one of the front panel DISPLAY pushbuttons and reading the display value.

### PROGRAM

```
10 PRINT @ 37, 0: 10, 255, 13
20 INPUT "ENTER I"
30 INPUT I$

40 PRINT "ENTER V"
50 INPUT V$

60 PRINT @19:"R0F1X","I",
    I$,"V",V$"X"
70 GO TO 20
80 END
```

### COMMENTS

```
Enter desired output.
(Example: 10 $\mu$ A = 10E-6)

Enter desired compliance.
(Example: 20V = 20.)

Output to IEEE bus, address 19.

Repeat
End of program.
```

## DEC LSI 11

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The following program sets up the Model 224 to output according to the values entered from the DEC LSI 11. The LSI 11 must be configured with 16k words of RAM and an IBV 11 IEEE interface. The software must be configured with IB software as well as the FORTRAN and the RT-11 operating system.

### DIRECTIONS

1. Set the switches on the Model 2243 to primary address 19 (10011).
2. Connect the Model 224 to the IBV 11 IEEE cable.
3. Enter the following program using the editor under RT 11 and the name IPHILD.
4. Compile using the FORTRAN compiler as follows: FORTRAN IPHILD.
5. Link with the system and IB libraries as follows: LINK IPHILD,IBLIB
6. Type RUN IPHILD and depress the RETURN key.
7. The display will read "ENTER ADDRESS".
8. Type in 19 and depress the RETURN key.
9. The display will read "ENTER I = ".
10. To program the Model 224 to output 10 $\mu$ A type in 10E-6F1 and depress the RETURN key.
11. The display will read NDCA + 0.0000E-5.

PROGRAM	COMMENTS
INTEGER*2PRIADR	
LOGICAL*1 MSG(80), INPUT(80)	
DO 2 I = 1,10	
CALL IBSTER (I,0)	Turn off IB errors.
2 CONTINUE	
CALL IBSTER (15,5)	!Allow 5 error 15's
CALL IBTIMO (120)	!Allow 1 second bus timeout
CALL IBTERM (''10)	!Set LF as terminator
CALL IBREN	!Turn remote one
4 TYPE 5	
5 FORMAT (1X,'ENTER ADDRESS',\$(	!Input the address 19
ACCEPT 10, PRIADR	
10 FORMAT (214)	
12 TYPE 15	
15 FORMAT (1X,'ENTER I = ',\$(	!Prompt for desired I
CALL GETSTR (5,MSG,72)	!Get the test setup
CALL IBSEOI (MSG,-1,PRIADR)	!Program the 224
18 I=IBRECV (INPUT,80,PRIADR)	!Get data from the 224
INPUT (I + 1) = 0	
CALL PUTSTR(7,INPUT,'0')	
CALL IBUNT	!Untalk the 224
GO TO 12	!Repeat
END	

## PET/CBM 2001

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This program sets up the Model 224 output according to the values entered from the PET/CBM 2001 keyboard.

### DIRECTIONS

1. Set switches on the Model 2243 to primary address 19 (10011).
2. Connect Model 224 to PET/CBM 2001 IEEE interface.
3. Enter the program below using the RETURN key after each line.
4. Type RUN and depress the RETURN key.
5. The display will read "ENTER I".
6. To program the Model 224 to 10 $\mu$ A output, type 10E-6 and depress the RETURN key.
7. The display will read "ENTER V".
8. To program the Model 224 to 20V compliance limit, type 20 and depress the RETURN key.
9. The programmed change can be verified by selecting one of the front panel DISPLAY pushbuttons and reading the display value.

### PROGRAM

```
10 OPEN 6, 19
20 INPUT "ENTER I"; I$
30 INPUT "ENTER V"; V$
40 PRINT#6, "R0F1X", "I",
  I$, "V", V$, "X"
50 GOTO 20
60 END
```

### COMMENTS

```
Open file 6, primary address 19.
Enter desired current.
(Example: 10 $\mu$ A = 10E-6)
Enter desired voltage.
(Example: 20V = 20)
Output to IEEE-488 bus, address 19.
Repeat
End of program.
```

The following program sends a data string from the E-H 7000 computer to the Model 224 and then displays the instruments reading on the computer CRT. The E-H 7000 must be configured with MS-DOS, IO-SYS and BASICA as outlined in its instruction manual.

### DIRECTIONS

1. Using the rear panel switches, set the Model 224 for primary address 19 (10011).
2. While the power is off connect the Model 224 to PORT 1 of the computer.
3. While in BASICA, type LOAD "EHE488.CMP" to load the GPIB handler software.
4. Add the lines below to the front of the program now in memory; press the return key after each line is typed. The complete program may now be saved in the usual manner.
5. Press the computer F2 key to run the program. The CRT will prompt with "COMMAND?".
6. Type in the desired command. For example, to program a current of 10mA on the Model 224, enter I10E-3X.
7. The entire reading string from the instrument will then appear on the CRT.

### PROGRAM

```
10 CLS
20 GOSUB 65010
30 CALL PORT1
40 CALL INIT
50 DEV$ = "19 "
60 INPUT "COMMAND?"; C$
70 IF C$ = "" THEN 60
80 IN$ = SPACE$(60)
90 CALL SNDSTR(DEV$,C$)
100 CALL RCVSTR(DEV$,
    IN$)
110 PRINT IN$
120 GOTO 60
```

### COMMENTS

```
'Initialize Handler Software
'Initialize Port 1
'Initialize Interface
'Primary Address = 19
'Prompt for Command
String
' If Null Input Go Back
' Define Reading Buffer
' Send Command String to
224
'Get Reading From 224
'Display Reading String on
CRT
'Repeat
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