Guardian 1000 Series Hipot Testers Instruction Manual Form 150665/B7

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WARNING

Potentially dangerous voltages may be present on front and rear panel terminals. Follow all warnings in this manual when operating or servicing this instrument. Dangerous levels of energy may be stored in capacitive devices tested by this unit. Always make sure the high voltage indicator is **not** on when connecting or disconnecting the device under test.

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Warranty



QuadTech warrants that Products are free from defects in material and workmanship and, when properly used, will perform in accordance with QuadTech's applicable published specifications. If within one (1) year after original shipment it is found not to meet this standard, it will be repaired, or at the option of QuadTech, replaced at no charge when returned to a QuadTech service facility.

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SERVICE POLICY

QuadTech's service policy is to maintain product repair capability for a period of at least five (5) years after original shipment and to make this capability available at the then prevailing schedule of charges.

Specifications

Note: 1. FS means Full Scale

2. AC set over 100 VA, DC set over 40VA the maximum operating time is 60 seconds, and the same as rest time. If the period is 1/2 duty (TUV ON), for full rating output, the line input range is +10%, -0%.

Insulation Resistance

G 1030 & 1030S		
Insulation Resistance:	Voltage:	50 - 1000V DC in 1V steps
	Accuracy:	\pm (1.5% of reading + 5V) (open voltage)
	Range: Accuracy:	$0.1M\Omega$ - 50G Ω (voltage dependent)
\geq 500:		

≥ 500.	
$1.00 \text{ M}\Omega \sim 25.00 \text{ M}\Omega$	\pm (5% of reading + 2% of scale)
$22.0 \text{ M}\Omega \sim 250.0 \text{ M}\Omega$	$\pm (5\% \text{ of reading} + 2\% \text{ of scale})$
$0.220 \text{ G}\Omega \sim 1.000 \text{ G}\Omega$	\pm (5% of reading + 5% of scale)
$1.000 \text{ G}\Omega \sim 2.500 \text{ G}\Omega$	\pm (10% of reading + 2% of scale)
$2.20 \text{ G}\Omega \sim 10.00 \text{ G}\Omega$	\pm (15% of reading + 5% of scale)
$10.00 \text{ G}\Omega \sim 50.00 \text{ G}\Omega$	\pm (15% of reading + 1% of scale)

< 500V:			
$0.10 \text{ M}\Omega \sim 25.00 \text{ M}\Omega$	\pm (10% of reading + 2% of scale)		
22.0 MΩ ~ 250.0 MΩ			
$0.220 \text{ G}\Omega \sim 1.000 \text{ G}\Omega$	\pm (10% of reading + 5% of scale)		
Voltage 1000V 500V 500V 500V 500V 0.1MΩ 200 Open/Short Check (O	Specifications Range $M\Omega$ $1G\Omega$ $5G\Omega$ $50G\Omega$ SC)		
G1010, G1030 & G103			
Open/Short:	Detection mode to verify proper connection of DUTVoltage:< 100VFrequency:600HzOpen:programmable: 10% - 100%, default: 50%Short:programmable: 100% - 500%, default: 300%		
General Features			
ARC Detection:	Detection Current:Range: 1mA – 15mA AC and 10mA DCPulse Width:Minimum:10μs		
ARC Detection: Ground Fault Interru	Pulse Width: Minimum: 10µs		
	Pulse Width: Minimum: 10µs pt (GFI): Shutdown of current imbalance when		
Ground Fault Interru	Pulse Width: Minimum: $10\mu s$ pt (GFI): Shutdown of current imbalance when $I > 0.5mA \pm 0.24mAac$		
Ground Fault Interru Fast Output Cutoff:	Pulse Width: Minimum: 10μs pt (GFI): Shutdown of current imbalance when I > 0.5mA±0.24mAac HV output voltage terminated <0.4ms after NG (Fail) result		
Ground Fault Interru Fast Output Cutoff: Fast Discharge:	Pulse Width:Minimum:10μspt (GFI):Shutdown of current imbalance when I > 0.5mA±0.24mAacHV output voltage terminated <0.4ms after NG (Fail) result <0.2s (Typical) Discharge of DUT upon termination of HV		
Ground Fault Interru Fast Output Cutoff: Fast Discharge: Time:	Pulse Width:Minimum:10μspt (GFI):Shutdown of current imbalance when I > 0.5mA±0.24mAacHV output voltage terminated <0.4ms after NG (Fail) result <0.2s (Typical) Discharge of DUT upon termination of HVRamp:0.1sec – 999 sec, OFF Test*:Test*:0.3sec – 999 sec, OFF *The best test time is dependent on device under test (DUT)HI/LO programmable during Test Time LO can be set to OFF during Hipot Test		

Specifications (Continued)					
Remote Control:	Chara Outpu Chara 120V,	Inputs:START, STOPCharacteristics:24V active low, Pulse width ≅20msOutputs:PASS, FAIL, UNDER TESTCharacteristics:Dry contact relay, Closed if true120V, 100mA maxConnector:Connector:9 pin male D-series & Terminal Strip			
Setup Storage:	99 Me	99 Memory Locations, 99 Steps, Total of 500 Memory Segments			
Standard Interfac	RS232	2	Remote I/O		
Scanner:	8 Cha	8 Channel HV Internal Scanner (1030S only)			
Optional Interfac	es: IEEE-	-488	Printer		
Connectors:	Front HV O	Front and Rear Connection (1010 & 1030 instruments) Front Connection (1030S instrument) HV OUTPUT: Custom Banana Socket RTN/LOW: Banana Socket			
Front Panel Lockout:	11 Digit Passw LED Display: [Password with or without setup recall splay: LOCK			
Mechanical:	Bench Mount Dimensions:(w x h x d): 312.5 x 112.5 x 387.5 mm				
Weight:	14 kg net, 16.5 kg shipping (1010, 1030) 15 kg net, 17.5 kg shipping (1030S)				
Environmental:	: Operating: $0^{\circ}C$ to $+ 31^{\circ}C$, 80% RH $31^{\circ}C$ to $+ 40^{\circ}C$, RH decreases linearly to 50% Storage: $-10^{\circ}C$ to $+ 60^{\circ}C$, 80% RH Warm-up Time: 15 minutes Specifications Range: 18 to 28°C (64 to 82°F), \leq 70% RH				
Power:	 90 - 130V AC 200 - 250V AC 500W max 				
Supplied:	Instruction ManualCalibration Certificate		 Power Cable Test Leads		

Specifications (Continued)

Ordering
Information:DescriptionCatalog No.AC Hipot TesterGuardian 1010 (CE-Marked)AC/DC/IR Hipot TesterGuardian 1030 (CE-Marked)AC/DC/IR/SC Hipot TesterGuardian 1030SAC/DC/IR/SC Hipot TesterGuardian 1030S-4 (4-Channel, CE-Marked)

Accessories

Accessories Included

Item	Quantity	QuadTech P/N
AC Power Cord	1	4200-0300
Power Line Fuse 5A 250V SB	1	520108
Power Line Fuse 2.5A 250V SB	1	520134
High Voltage Lead Set, 1m with alligator clips	1	S02
Ground Continuity Lead	1	700100
HV Lead Set (8), unterminated 1030S only	1	G40
Instruction Manual	1	150665
Calibration Certificate	1	N/A

Accessories/Options Available

Item	Quantity	QuadTech P/N
High Voltage Lead Set, high & low, 1m (std. with unit)	1	S02
Corded Product Adaptor, 115V	1	S03
High Voltage Lead Set, high & low, 2m	1	S04
Foot Switch	1	S05
High Voltage Probe	1	S06
Power Entry Adaptor Cable	1	S07
Gun Probe	1	S08
High Voltage Lead, 1m, unterminated	1	S09
High Voltage Lead, 2m, unterminated	1	S10
Gun Probe with Remote Start	1	S11
Load Box, resistive	1	S12
Load Box, custom resistors	1	S14
Pass/Fail Load Box	1	S14-01
Load Box, Power Entry Adapter, Pass/Fail	1	S14-03
Interconnection Cable to Sentry 50 Ground Bond Tester	1	S15
Ground Continuity Lead (standard with unit)	1	700100
International Power Strip	1	G16
Corded Product Adaptor, 240V	1	G25
Printer Interface (replaces IEEE-488)	1	G38
IEEE-488 ('GPIB') Interface	1	G39
HV Lead Set (8) with clips (G1030S)	1	G40
RS-232 Cable (9-pin male to female), 10' length	1	630157
Visual Basic Application Wizard: Up/Download; Log Program	1	G1000-WZD

Safety Precautions

WARNING

The Guardian 1000 Series Hipot Tester can provide an output voltage as high as 6000V DC (5000V AC) to the external device under test (DUT). Although the Guardian unit is designed with full attention to operator safety, serious hazards could occur if the instrument is used improperly and these safety instructions are not followed.

- 1. The Guardian 1000 unit is designed to be operated with its chassis connected to earth ground. The instrument is shipped with a three-prong power cord to provide this connection to ground. This power cord should only be plugged in to a receptacle that provides earth ground. Serious injury can result if the Guardian 1000 is not connected to earth ground.
- 2. Tightly connect cable(s) to the RTN/LOW terminal. If this is not done, the DUT's casing can be charged to the high voltage test level and serious injury or electrical shock hazards could result if the DUT is touched.
- 3. Never touch the metal of the High Voltage probe directly. Touch only the insulated parts of the lead(s).
- 4. Never touch the test leads, test fixture or DUT in any manner (this includes insulation on all wires and clips) when the high voltage is applied and the red DANGER light is ON.
- 5. Before turning on the Guardian unit, make sure there is no device (DUT) or fixture connected to the test leads.
- 6. After each test, press the [STOP] (red) button for safety if there is any concern that HV may still be applied to the output terminals.
- 7. When the red DANGER LED is lit or flashing, NEVER touch the device under test, the lead wires or the output terminals.
- 8. Before touching the test lead wires or output terminals make sure:a) The red [STOP] button has been pressedb) The red DANGER LED is OFF.
- 9. In the case of an emergency, turn OFF the POWER switch using a "hot stick" and disconnect the AC power cord from the wall. DO NOT TOUCH THE Guardian 1000 INSTRUMENT.

Position the equipment so it is easy to disconnect. Disconnect by means of the power plug or the power connector.

- 10. If the DANGER LED does not go OFF when the [STOP] button is pressed, immediately stop using the tester. It is possible that the output voltage is still being delivered regardless of the TEST ON/OFF control signal.
- 11. When the Guardian 1000 instrument is used in remote control mode, be extremely careful. The High Voltage Output is being turned on and off with an external signal.

While Under Remote Control:

The operator or service personnel must NOT touch the device under test, the test leads or the test probes in any manner when the instrument is under test. Caution must be used to ensure that the unintentional access to the rear panel remote start control (via gun probe, foot switch or other means) can NOT occur.

Safety Symbols

The product is marked with the following safety symbols.

Product will be marked with this symbol (ISO#3864) when it is necessary for the user to refer to the instruction manual in order to prevent injury or equipment damage.

Product marked with this symbol (IEC417) indicates presence of direct current.

 2^{4} Product will be marked with this symbol (ISO#3864) when voltages in excess of 1000V are present.



Indicates the grounding protect terminal, which is used to prevent electric shock from the leakage on chassis. The ground terminal must connect to earth before using the product.

Warning Procedure can cause hazard to human if the warning is neglected.

Caution Avoid product misuse. It may cause damage to the product itself and the DUT if the caution is neglected.

Note Important information or tips for the procedures and applications.

Warning Signal During Testing

"DANGER – HIGH VOLTAGE TEST IN PROGRESS, UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS KEEP AWAY"

Disposal

Do not dispose of electrical appliances as unsorted municipal separate collection facilities. Contact your local government for information regarding the collection systems available. If electrical appliances are disposed of in landfills or dumps, hazardous substances can leak into the groundwater and get into the food chain, damaging your health and well-being. When replacing old appliances with new one, the retailer is legally obligated to take back your old appliances for disposal.



Condensed Operating Instructions

WARNING High Voltage is applied to the white HV Output Terminal anytime the red DANGER LED is ON or flashing. Always make sure the DANGER LED is OFF when connecting or disconnecting the device under test (DUT).

General Information

The Guardian 1000 Series Hipot Tester is a measuring instrument for direct readout of hipot output voltage, leakage current and insulation resistance. The voltage applied to the device under test is adjustable from 50V - 5kV AC and 50V to 6kV DC. The trip current limit is programmable from 1uA to 30mA AC in 1uA steps and from 0.1uA to 10mA DC in 0.1uA steps. The output voltage for Insulation Resistance tests is 50V to 1000V DC over a measurement range of $100k\Omega$ to $50G\Omega$. The Open/Short Circuit (OS) detection mode verifies the proper connection of the DUT by comparing the test reading to a standard capacitance value, Cs. The Pause (PA) mode allows a test sequence to be stopped while leads are changed or another operation is performed.

Start-Up

The Guardian 1000 Series unit can be operated from a power source between 90 and 250VAC at a power line frequency of 50 or 60Hz. The standard Guardian 1000 Series unit is shipped from QuadTech with a 5A fuse in place for AC 90-130V operation. (A 2.5A fuse is included for 200-250V operation). The G1000 unit is shipped with the line voltage selector set for 120V. Refer to paragraph 1.4.3 for instructions on changing the fuse or line voltage selector.

Connect the Guardian 1000 Series unit AC power cord to the source of proper voltage. Operate the G1000 Series instrument with its chassis connected to earth ground. The Guardian 1000 instrument is shipped with a three-prong power cord to provide this connection to ground. This power cord should only be plugged into a receptacle that provides earth ground. Serious injury may result if the G1000 Series instrument is not connected to earth ground.

Press the [POWER] button on the front panel to apply power. To switch the power off, press the [POWER] button again or if measurements are to be made proceed with the Test Parameter Setup in Table COI-1. The G1000 Series instrument should warm up for 15 minutes prior to use.

NOTE
Please read this instruction manual in its entirety before operating this instrument.
These condensed operating instructions are not a substitute for all the information provided in the remainder of this
manual.
NOTE

Refer to paragraphs 2.3 through 2.10 for a <u>full description</u> of programming test parameters and instruction on how to store the test setup. Test parameters must be set <u>before</u> the G1000 Series instrument can be zeroed.

There are numerous menus within the Guardian 1000 Series instruments. Familiarize yourself with these menus prior to programming a test. Figure COI-1 illustrates the STAND BY display and lists the functions that can be accessed by pressing the [F1] through [F4] keys.

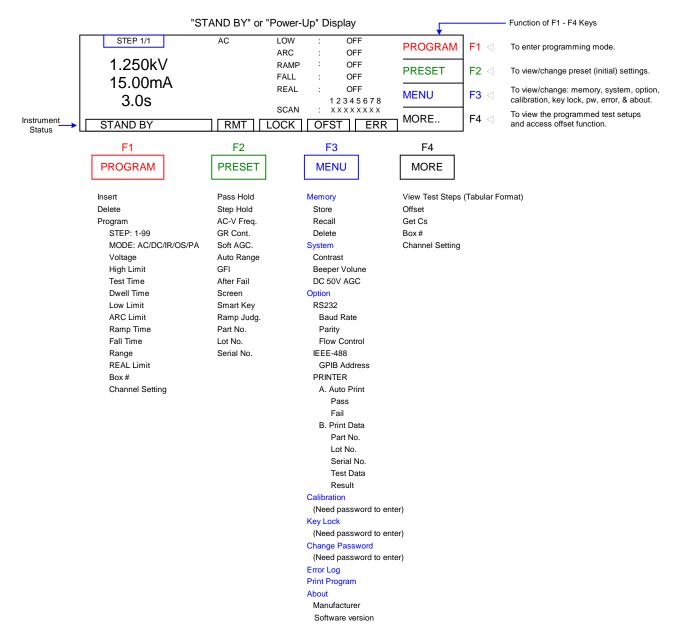


Figure COI-1: G1000 Series Menus

NOTE:

The function of UP/DOWN depends on the menu. When [F3] = ENTER, the UP/DOWN operation changes the highlighted value and the ENTER operation scrolls through the menu selections. When [F3] = SELECT, the UP/DOWN operation scrolls through the menu selections and the SELECT operation chooses (enters into) the highlighted parameter.

With the Guardian 1000 Series instrument in "STAND BY" (or power-up display) status, follow the steps in Table COI-1 to program an OS, AC, DC and/or IR test.

	STEP 1/0	AC	LOW	:	OFF	PROGRAM	F1		To enter program mode.
"STAND BY" or	0.000kV 0.500mA		ARC RAMP FALL	:	OFF OFF OFF	PRESET		\triangleleft	To view/change preset (initial) test parameters.
"Power-Up" Display	3.0s		REAL	:	OFF 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	MENU	F3	\triangleleft	To view/change system parameters: memory, system, option, calibration, key lock, password, error, & about.
	STAND BY	RMT	SCAN	OFST ERR MORE		F4	\triangleleft	To view the programmed test setups and access offset function.	
	STEP 1	AC	LOW ARC	:	OFF	UP	F1	•	To change value in highlighted box.
"PROGRAM" Display	VOLT: 0.000kV HIGH: 0.500mA		RAMP FALL	:	OFF	MORE	F2	\triangleleft	To delete or insert a test step.
,	TIME: 3.0s		REAL	:	OFF 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	ENTER	F3	\triangleleft	To move highlighted box around display to select parameter to change
	PROCESS STEP	RMT	SCAN	: OF	ST ERR	EXIT	F4	\triangleleft	To exit program mode.

Figure COI-2: "STAND BY" and PROGRAM Displays

	OS	AC Hipot	PA	DC Hipot	IR
1	Test Step				
	1-99	1-99	1-99	1-99	1-99
2	Test Mode				
	OS	AC	PA	DC	IR
3	Open Check	Voltage	Message	Voltage	Voltage
	10-100%	0.05-5kV	13 charc	0.05-6kV	0.05-1kV
4	Short Check	High Limit	Under Test	High Limit	Low Limit
	100-500%	0.001-30mA	On/Off	0.0001-10mA	0.1-50000ΜΩ
5	CHAN (1-8)	Test Time	Time	Test Time	Test Time
	H, L, X	0, 0.3-999s	0, 0.3-999s	0, 0.3-999s	0, 0.3-999s
6		Low Limit		Dwell Time	High Limit
		0 - 30mA		0-999s	0-50GΩ
7		Arc Limit		Low Limit	Ramp Time
		1-15mA		0 - 10mA	0-999s
8		Ramp Time		Arc Limit	Fall Time
		0-999s		1-10mA	0-999s
9		Fall Time		Ramp Time	Range
		0-999s		0-999s	A, 1-6
10		REAL Limit		Fall Time	CHAN (1-8)
		0 - 30mA		0-999s	H, L, X
11		CHAN (1-8)		CHAN (1-8)	
1		H, L, X		H, L, X	

Table COI-1: Test Parameter Setup

* Unit will make low limit decision at the end of test.

* High Limit Decision is made at start of test time unless judgment wait is set.

Offset

After setting your test parameters, zero the Guardian 1000 Series instrument by using the automatic offset. With no device connected, connect the appropriate cable (or other fixture) into the front panel OUTPUT connectors. Refer to paragraph 2.13 cable connections based on test to be performed. Test leads for AC hipot and DC hipot should be OPEN.

Prior to performing the OFFSET function:

- 1. Allow the instrument to warm up for 15 minutes.
- 2. Connect the test cables (or fixture) to the front panel OUTPUT and RTN/LOW connectors.
- 3. Program the test steps.

With the instrument in STAND BY status:

- 4. Press [F4] = MORE
- 5. Press [F1] = OFFSET
- 6. Follow instructions on display: i.e.: connect OPEN across OUTPUT terminal.
- 7. Press green [START] button.
- 8. Wait while instrument gets OFFSET value.
- 9. The OFST block at the bottom of the display is now highlighted (back lit).
- 10. Press [F4] = MORE to return to STAND BY status.

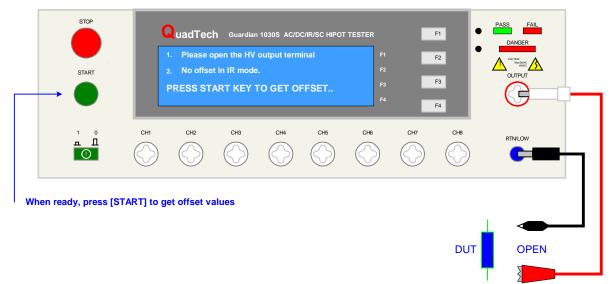
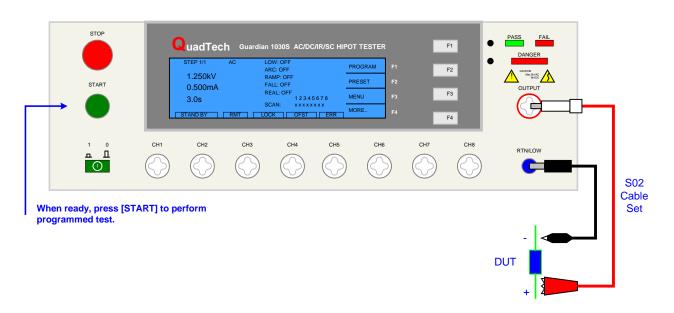


Figure COI-3: Zero/Offset OPEN Configuration

NOTE: To obtain consistent results, the Offset function must be performed when using OS mode. The Offset function is performed prior to the Get Cs function.

Connection to Device under Test (DUT)

Figure COI-4 illustrates the connection of the Guardian 1000 Series unit to a single DUT using the S02 1-meter HV cable set that comes standard with the instrument. The custom white banana plug/red alligator clip is connected between the OUTPUT terminal on the G1000 Series unit and the high side of the device under test. The black banana plug/alligator clip is connected between the RTN/LOW terminal on the G1000 Series unit to the low side of the DUT.



COI-4: Connection to Device under Test

Measurement Mode

- 1. Turn [POWER] ON.
- 2. Allow G1000 Series instrument a 15-minute warm up time.
- 3. Connect S02 Black ground cable to G1000 Series unit RTN/LOW terminal.
- 4. Connect S02 White/red HV cable to G1000 Series unit OUTPUT terminal.
- 5. Press [F1] = PROGRAM and enter test parameters. When finished programming, press [F4] = EXIT to return to Stand By status.
- 6. Press [F4] = MORE to access Offset function. Press [F1] = OFFSET. Follow Offset instructions. When Offset is complete, press [F4] = MORE to return to Stand By.
- 7. Press [F4] = MORE to access GET Cs function. Press [F2] = GET Cs. Follow Get Cs instructions. When Get Cs is complete press [F4] = MORE to return to Stand By.
- 8. Connect device under test (DUT) to test leads.
- 9. Press [START].
- 10. Record measurement.
- 11. Press [STOP].

Section 1: Introduction

1.1 Unpacking and Inspection

Inspect the shipping carton before opening. If damaged, contact the carrier agent immediately. Inspect the Guardian 1000 Series instrument for any damage. If the instrument appears damaged or fails to meet specifications notify QuadTech (refer to instruction manual front cover) or its local representative. Retain the original shipping carton and packing material for future use such as returning the instrument for recalibration or service.

1.2 Product Overview

The Guardian 1000 Series is available in three models, the 1010, 1030 and 1030S, all of which provide AC Hipot testing capability. Additionally, the Guardian 1030 & 1030S provide DC Hipot testing and Insulation Resistance testing. The hipot test can be programmed over a voltage range of 0.05 to 5kV AC and 0.05 to 6kV DC with a min/max leakage current detection range of 0.001 to 30mA AC and 0.0001 to 10mA DC. Insulation resistance measurements are possible to 50G Ω at programmable DC test voltages between 50 and 1000V. Each instrument comes standard with ground continuity check, open/short circuit detection mode, pause mode, internal storage of 99 test setups, remote interface with start/stop inputs & pass/fail outputs and an RS232 interface. An optional IEEE-488 Interface or Printer Interface is available for all three instruments. The Guardian 1030S instrument is equipped with a scan interface and 8 HV front panel connectors for multi-point testing. Also available is the Guardian 1030S-4, a 4-channel CE-marked version of the Guardian 1030S.

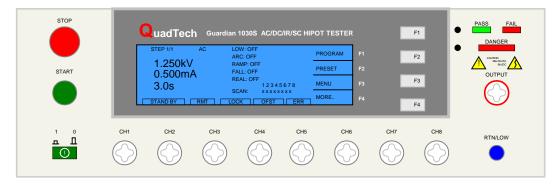


Figure 1-1: Guardian 1030S AC/DC/IR/SC Hipot Tester

1.3 Controls and Indicators

1.3.1 Front Panel Controls and Indicators

Figure 1-2 illustrates the controls and indicators on the front panel of the Guardian 1000 Series AC/DC/IR Hipot Tester. Table 1-1 identifies them with description and function.

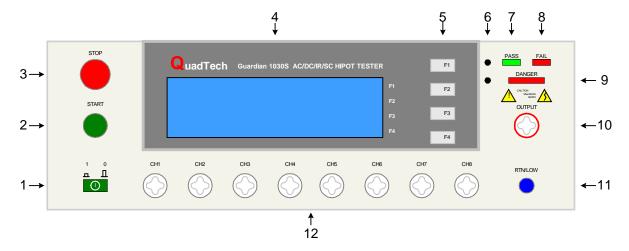


Figure 1-2: Guardian 1030S Front Panel Controls & Indicators

Reference #	Name	Туре	Function
Figure 1-2			
1	Power	Green Push Button	Apply AC Power: 1=ON, 0=OFF
2	START	Green Push Button	Initiate Test: HV applied to OUTPUT terminal
3	STOP	Red Push Button	Stop Test: HV terminated at OUTPUT terminal
4	Display	LCD	Program Menu, Test Setup, Measurement Results, Memory Contents, Calibration
5	F1, F2, F3	Gray Push Buttons	Select Instrument Functions
	and F4		Keys perform different functions under different menus.
			Right side of display shows corresponding key function.
6	CAL	Recessed P-B	Enable/Disable Instrument Calibration
	UPDATE	Recessed P-B	Qualified Service Personnel Only
7	PASS	Green LED	When lit, DUT judged as PASS
8	FAIL	Red LED	When lit, DUT judged as FAIL. Output voltage is
			immediately cut off. Press [STOP] to disable FAIL LED
9	DANGER	Red LED	When lit, high voltage is present at OUTPUT terminals
10	OUTPUT	White Custom	High Voltage (Potential) Terminal
		Banana Socket	
11	RTN/LOW	Blue Banana Socket	RTN: Low voltage reference terminal
			LOW: Common ground reference terminal
12	CH1-8	8 White Custom	High Voltage Scan Channels (1030S Only)
		Banana Sockets	

1.3.2 Rear Panel Controls and Connectors

Figure 1-3 illustrates the controls and connectors on the rear panel of the Guardian 1000 Series AC/DC/IR Hipot Tester. Table 1-2 identifies them with description and function.

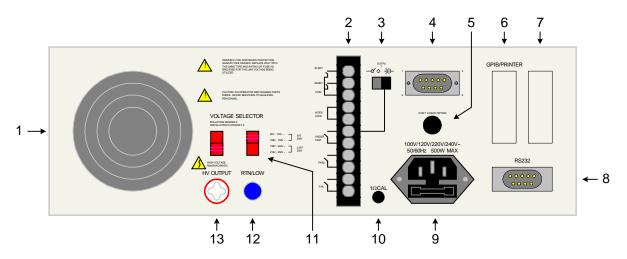


Figure 1-3: Rear Panel Guardian 1000 Series Instrument

Reference # Figure 1-3	Name	Туре	Function
1	Fan	SF11580AT 115V 50/60Hz 0.10A	Cool Unit: $T \ge 50^{\circ}C = ON$, $T < 45^{\circ}C = OFF$
2	Remote	Black 11-screw Terminal Strip	Remote Connection: Inputs: Start, Stop, Interlock Outputs: Pass, Fail, Under Test
3	Output	Black 2-position Slide Switch	For 24V Output or Relay contact
4	Remote	Silver 9-pin D-Type Connector	Remote Connection: Inputs: Start, Reset, Interlock Outputs: Pass, Fail, Under Test
5	CONT CHK OPT.	Black banana plug	Connection for Ground Continuity Check
6	GPIB/PRINTER	Blue 24-pin	Optional IEEE-488 Interface or Printer connector
7	N/A	N/A	For unspecified use
8	RS232	Silver 9-pin, D-Type	RS232 Interface connector
9	AC Line Input	Black 3-wire inlet module & fuse holder	Connection to AC power source Fuse Drawer: 6.3A 250V or 3.15A 250V (see #11)
10	1ΩCAL	Black hole	Calibration for Continuity, Qualified Personnel Only
11	VOLTAGE SELECTOR	2 Red 2-position Slide Switches	Select Voltage Level corresponding to AC Source 90V – 110V: 5A 250V Slow Blow 110V – 130V: 5A 250V Slow Blow 200V – 240V: 2.5A 250V Slow Blow 220V – 250V: 2.5A 250V Slow Blow
12 *	RTN/LOW	Blue Banana Socket	RTN: Low voltage reference terminal LOW: Common ground reference terminal
13 *	HV OUTPUT	White Custom Banana Socket	Optional rear panel High Voltage (Potential) Terminal

* NOTE: The rear panel HV OUTPUT and RTN/LOW terminals are standard on the 1010 and 1030 units. They are NOT on the 1030S unit.

1.4 Installation

1.4.1 Dimensions

The Guardian 1000 series unit is supplied in a bench configuration, i.e., in a cabinet with resilient feet for placement on a table. Flip feet are provided under the front feet so that the Guardian instrument can be tilted up for convenient operator viewing.

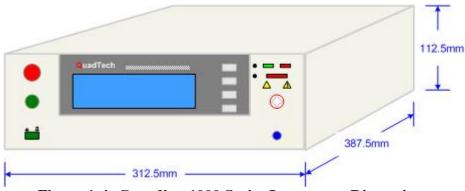


Figure 1-4: Guardian 1000 Series Instrument Dimensions

1.4.2 Instrument Positioning

The Guardian unit contains one (1) graphic display for direct readout of measured parameters. The optimum angle for viewing is slightly down and about 10 degrees either side of center. For bench operation the front flip feet should always be used to angle the instrument up. In bench or rack mount applications the instrument should be positioned with consideration for ample air flow around the rear panel fan ventilation hole. An open space of at least 75mm is recommended behind the rear panel. Testing should be performed on a non-conductive surface. An ESD mat is not a recommended test platform.

1.4.3 Power Requirements

The Guardian can be operated from a power source of 90 to 132V AC or 198 to 250V AC. Power connection is via the rear panel through a standard receptacle. Before connecting the 3-wire power cord between the unit and AC power source, make sure the voltage selection switches on the rear panel (Figure 1-5) are in accordance with the power source being used. For a 90-132V source, use a 5A 250V fuse. For a 198-250V source, use a 2.5A 250V fuse. Always use an outlet that has a properly connected protection ground.

WARNING MAKE SURE THE UNIT HAS BEEN DISCONNECTED FROM ITS AC POWER SOURCE FOR AT LEAST FIVE MINUTES BEFORE PROCEEDING.

Procedure For Changing A Guardian 1000 Series Fuse

Remove the fuse drawer, by inserting a flat head screwdriver behind the small tab located just below the 3-prong receptacle, and force outward.

Once the fuse drawer has been removed from the instrument snap the fuse from the holder and replace. Make sure the new fuse is of the proper rating. Note that the fuse drawer can also be used to store a spare fuse.

Install the fuse drawer back in the inlet module (fuse down) by pushing in until it locks securely in place.

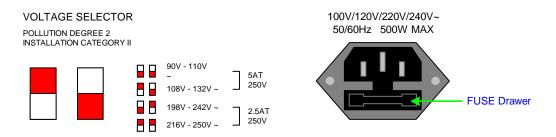


Figure 1-5: Close-Up of G1000 Series Rear Panel

1.4.4 Safety Inspection

Before operating the instrument inspect the power inlet module on the rear of the Guardian to ensure that the properly rated fuse is in place, otherwise damage to the unit is possible. Make sure that the voltage selector switches are set in accordance with the power source in use. Refer to paragraph 1.4.3 and Figure 1-5.

The Guardian instrument is shipped with a standard U.S. power cord, QuadTech P/N 4200-0300 (with Belden SPH-386 socket or equivalent, and a 3-wire plug conforming to IEC 320). Make sure the instrument is only used with these cables (or other approved international cord set) to ensure that the instrument is provided with connection to protective earth ground.

The surrounding environment should be free from excessive dust to prevent contamination of electronic circuits. The surrounding environment should also be free from excessive vibration. Do not expose the Guardian instrument to direct sunlight, extreme temperature or humidity variations, or corrosive chemicals.

Section 2: Operation

2.1 Terms and Conventions

Table 2-1: Measurement Unit Prefixes

<u>Multiple</u>	<u>Scientific</u>	Engineering	<u>Symbol</u>
100000000000000	10^{15} 10^{12}	Peta	P
100000000000 1000000000	10 ¹²	Tera Giga	T G
1000000	106	Mega	Μ
1000	103	Kilo	k
.001	10-3	milli	m
.000001	10-6	micro	u
.000000001	10 ⁻⁹	nano	n
.000000000001	10-12	pico	р
.000000000000001	10-15	femto	f

Sparking or 'flashing over' caused by a breakdown of electrical insulation.

Current:

ARCing:

AC:	Alternating Current. AC is an electrical current that has one polarity during part of the cycle and the opposing polarity during the other part of the cycle. Residential electricity is AC.
DC:	Direct Current. Non-reversing polarity. The movement of charge is in one direction. Used to describe both current and voltage. Batteries supply direct current (DC).
Charging Current:	An insulated product exhibits the basic characteristics of a capacitor. Application of a voltage across the insulation causes a current to flow as the capacitor charges. This current instantaneously rises to a high value as voltage is applied then exponentially decays to zero as the DUT becomes fully charged. Charging current decays to zero much faster than dielectric absorption.

- Dielectric Absorption: The physical phenomenon in which insulation appears to absorb and retain an electrical charge slowly over time. Apply a voltage to a capacitor for an extended period of time. Then quickly discharge it to zero voltage. Leave the capacitor open circuited for a period of time then connect a voltmeter to it and measure the residual voltage. The residual voltage is caused by the dielectric absorption of the capacitor.
- Dielectric Strength: The ratio between the voltage at which breakdown of the insulating material occurs and the distance between the two points subject to the applied voltage.
- Dielectric Withstand Test: This is the most common electrical safety test performed. A high voltage (either AC or DC) is applied to determine if a breakdown will occur in the insulation of the DUT. Dielectric Withstand is also referred to as a hipot (high potential) test.
- Discharge: The act of draining off an electrical charge to ground. Devices that retain charge should be discharged after an IR test or DC hipot test.
- DUT: Device Under Test. (i.e. the product being tested).
- Frequency: The rate at which current or voltage reverses polarity and then back again completing a full cycle, measured in Hertz (Hz) or cycles/second. AC Line Frequency = 50/60 Hz.

Ground:

Ground: The base reference from which voltages are measured, nominally the same potential as the earth. Ground is also the side of a circuit that is at the same potential as the base reference.

- Ground Bond Test: Test to verify that all conductive parts of a product that are exposed to user contact are connected to the power line ground. The ground bond test verifies the integrity of the ground connection using a high current AC signal with current level as high as 30Amps. Ground bond provides a better simulation of how a product will perform under an actual fault condition.
- Ground Continuity: Test to verify that all conductive parts of a product that are exposed to user contact are connected to the power line ground. GC Test normally performed with a low current DC signal that checks to ensure the ground connection has a resistance of $<1\Omega$.

Insulation Resistance:	Measures the total resistance between any two points separated by electrical insulation. The IR test determines how effective the dielectric (insulation) is in resisting the flow of electrical current.
Interface:	
IEEE-488:	General Purpose Interface Bus (GPIB). GPIB is an industry standard definition of a Parallel bus connection for the purpose of communicating data between devices.
RS232:	An industry standard definition for a Serial line communication link or port.
Scanner:	An electronic device designed to switch or matrix signals.
Leakage Current (LC):	
Leakage Current:	The residual flow of current that flows through the insulation after a high voltage has been applied for a period of time. The leakage current is equal to the applied voltage divided by the insulation resistance. Leakage current is the main measured value for AC hipot and DC hipot.
Applied Part LC Test:	A line leakage current test that measures the current that would flow from, to or between applied parts such as sensor and patient leads. This test is the most complicated and time-consuming line leakage test.
Earth LC Test:	The most important and most common of the line leakage tests. Earth leakage current is basically the current flowing back through the ground conductor on the power cord. It is measured by opening the ground conductor, inserting a circuit with the simulated impedance of the human body then measuring the voltage across part of the circuit with a true RMS voltmeter.
Enclosure LC Test:	A line leakage test that measures the current that flows through the human body if the body had touched the enclosure of the DUT.
Line LC Test:	A line voltage leakage current test simulates the effect of a person touching exposed metal parts of a product and detects whether or not the leakage current that flows through the person's body remains below a safe level. Apply power to the product being tested, then measure the leakage current from any exposed metal on the chassis of the product under a fault conditions such as "no ground". A special circuit is used to simulate the impedance of the human body.

Limits: High Limit:	The high limit is the upper value for a test to be considered a pass. If the measured value is higher than the high limit the test is considered a fail. In hipot, leakage current and ground bond test modes a high limit is required.		
Low Limit:	The low limit is the lower value for a test to be considered a pass. If the measured value is lower than the low limit the test is considered a fail. In insulation resistance test mode a low limit is required. In an AC or DC Hipot test, the low limit FAIL decision occurs at the end of the programmed test time.		
Mode:	The test which is to be performed such as AC Hipot (WAC), DC Hipot (WDC), Insulation Resistance (IR), Ground Bond (GR) or Leakage Current (LC).		
RAMPing:	The gradual increase or decrease of voltage or current over a period of time (step).		
Step:	The Guardian 1000 Series instrument can perform up to 10 tests in a sequence. The step number indicates in which order the tests will be performed. For example if step 1 is a ground bond test, step 2 an AC hipot and step 3 an insulation resistance measurement then when a test is started the Guardian will perform a ground bond test followed by an AC hipot then an insulation resistance measurement.		
Test Current:			
Real Current:	The real current test is a measure of the resistive current component of the device under test. The resistive component is attributed to the resistance of the device's insulation.		
Total Current:	The total current test is a measure of the resistive and reactive current components of the device under test. The reactive component is attributed to the capacitive or inductive components of the circuit $Reactive (Capacitive) Current Component Under test is a measure of the capacitive or inductive components of the circuit test. The reactive components of the capacitive or inductive components of the circuit test. The reactive components of the capacitive or inductive components of the circuit test. The reactive component test. The reactive components of the circuit test. The reactive component test. The reactive components of the circuit test. The reactive component test. The reactive components of the circuit test. The reactive component test. The reactive components of the circuit test. The reactive components of the circuit test. The reactive component test. $		
	$\frac{\text{Real "B"}}{\text{Real "A"}} = \frac{200}{100} > 100\% \qquad \qquad \frac{\text{Total "B"}}{\text{Total "A"}} = \frac{101}{100} > 1\% \qquad \qquad \frac{\text{Reactive "B"}}{\text{Reactive "A"}} = \frac{100}{100} > 0\%$		

2.2 Startup

Check to make sure the Red Voltage Selector Switches on the rear panel agree with the power source available. Depending on the power source the switch positions should be in the up or down positions as shown in Figure 1-5 (Close-Up of G1000 Series Rear Panel).

WARNING NEVER TOUCH THE TEST LEADS IN ANY MANNER (this includes insulation on all wires and clips) when HIGH VOLTAGE IS APPLIED and red DANGER LED is ON.

USE ALL PRECAUTIONS NECESSARY TO AVOID TOUCHING THE DEVICE UNDER TEST WHEN THE RED DANGER LED IS ON OR FLASHING.

Connect the instrument power cord to the source of proper voltage. The instrument is to be used only with three-wire grounded outlets.

Power is applied to the Guardian 1000 Series instrument by pressing the green [POWER] switch on the front panel to the ON (1 position). The Guardian 1000 Series unit should warm up for a period of at least 15 minutes prior to use.

WARNING DO NOT TURN INSTRUMENT POWER ON OR OFF WITH TEST DEVICES CONNECTED.

2.3 **Programming Electrical Safety Tests**

The Guardian 1000 Series instrument is capable of performing the tests listed in Table 2-2. A single-step test can be performed on a device and is programmed as described in paragraphs 2.4 - 2.8. When the device under test requires a multi-step test the order of test precedence is important. A Pause cannot be programmed as the last step of a sequence. Refer to paragraph 2.9 for programming a multi-step test.

Test	Software	Programming	G1000 Series
	Designation	Paragraph	Instrument
Open/Short Circuit	OS	2.4	1010, 1030, 1030S
AC Hipot	AC	2.5	1010, 1030, 1030S
Pause	PA	2.6	1010, 1030, 1030S
DC Hipot	DC	2.7	1030, 1030S
Insulation Resistance	IR	2.8	1030, 1030S
Multi-Step		2.9	1010, 1030, 1030S

A scan test is programmed in the last step of an OS, AC, DC and/or IR test setup. The Guardian 1030S is equipped with an internal 8 channel HV scanner. The Guardian 1030S-4 is a 4-channel CE-Marked version of the Guardian 1030S. The rear panel scan interface is standard on the Guardian 1030S (and 1030S-4). An external scanner can be used with the Guardian 1000 Series instrument. Refer to paragraph 3.5 for further description of the scan interface.

Function keys of the STAND BY Display

The function keys on the right hand side of the display allow the operator to access the numerous menus imbedded within the Guardian 1000 Series instrument software. Familiarize yourself with these menus prior to programming a test. Figure 2-1 illustrates the STAND BY display and lists the functions that can be accessed by pressing the [F1] through [F4] keys.

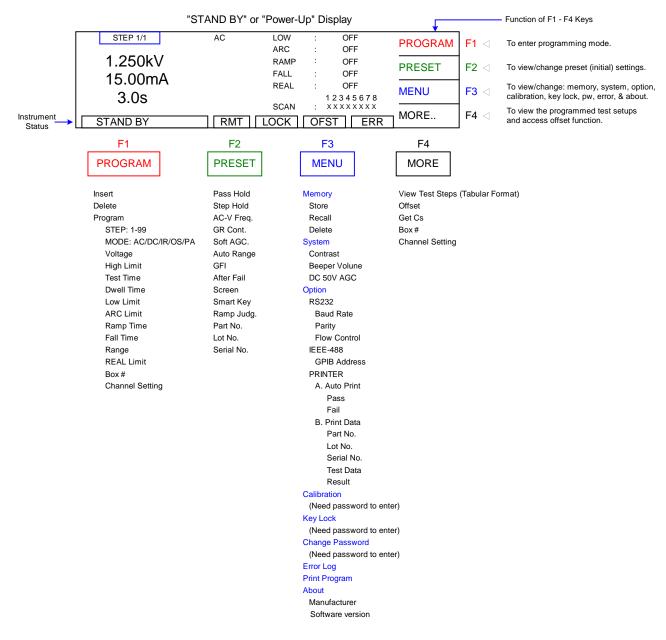


Figure 2-1: STAND BY Function Key Menus

Figure 2-2 illustrates the "STAND BY" or 'Power-Up' display. Also illustrated in Figure 2-3 are the PROGRAM display and the five test mode displays (AC, DC, IR, OS or PA).

The Guardian 1000 Series instruments have multiple menus or displays that may seem confusing at first glance. In an attempt to clarify the numerous functions of the software, this instruction manual will illustrate these displays in a (hopefully) logical format. The function keys (F1, F2, F3 & F4) perform different tasks depending upon the menu currently shown on the display. Figure 2-2 illustrates the STAND BY display shown upon instrument 'power-up'.

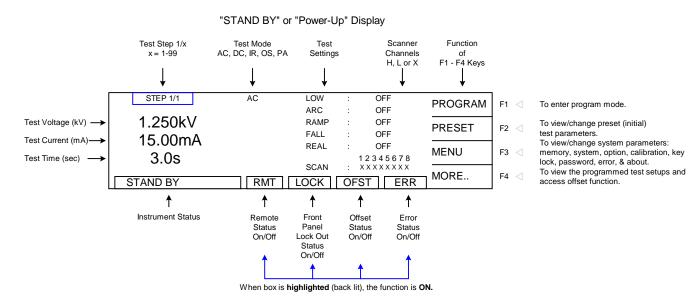


Figure 2-2: STAND BY Display

To access the programming function of the G1000 Series instrument in the STAND BY menu, press the [F1] key (PROGRAM). Once in the PROGRAM display, select the test step then the test mode (AC, DC, IR, OS or PA). From here you can program the individual parameters of each test. Refer to Figure 2-3 for an illustration of the "STAND BY" display, the PROGRAM display and the four test mode displays (AC, DC, IR, OS or PA). Paragraphs 2.4, 2.5, 2.6, 2.7 and 2.8 illustrate how to program the specific parameters of each of the 5 tests.

The Stand By display as shown when the G1000 instrument is powered up. The box in the lower left hand corner denotes the instrument status. For clarity, a **green** arrow (\Box) is used to denote which function key (F1 – F4) is pressed to get to the next display screen.

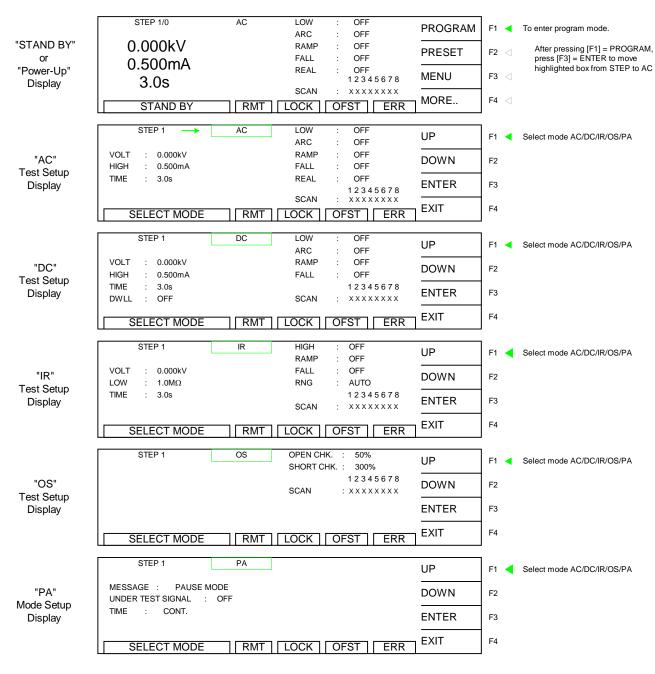


Figure 2-3: STAND BY & Test Mode Displays

2.4 Programming an Open/Short (OS) Circuit Check

The Open/Short Circuit Detection Mode will ensure the Device Under Test is connected properly and that it does not have a short circuit. In Program mode OS can be selected as one of the steps within the test. There are two programmable parameters Open % and Short %. Open % is equivalent to a low limit. Short % would be considered a high limit. Once programming is finalized, an offset should be performed and the Get Cs function must be ran to learn the Capacitance of the device under test. This learned Capacitance value will then be compared to the Open % and Short % for Pass/Fail judgment. This function is typically programmed prior to a hipot test to check the connection to the device under test <u>before</u> applying high voltage.

Open Check: In hipot testing, a low leakage current may generate a PASS. If the connection is faulty between the hipot and the DUT, the test could pass even if the DUT was not tested. Open Check is similar to using a low limit in an AC hipot test to ensure the connection of the DUT. In some cases, such as DC Hipot, a low limit is not feasible. Open Check will ensure that the DUT is connected.

The Open Check sets the judgment test result (Pass/Fail) to open circuit condition and compares the test reading with the standard capacitance value (Cs). If the test reading is within the programmed % then the judgment is Pass. The Open Check can be programmed from 10% - 100% and the default 50%.

Short Check: In some cases, the DUT is shorted prior to testing. If the product is shorted, there is no need to perform hipot.

The Short Check sets the judgment test result (Pass/Fail) to short circuit condition and compares the test reading to the standard capacitance value (Cs). If the test reading is within the programmed % then the judgment is Pass. The Short Check can be set to Off or programmed from 100% - 500%. The default value is 300%.

When using OS mode, program the test, attach the DUT, press [F4] = MORE and then [F2] = GET Cs to obtain the DUT's standard capacitance value. The Cs value is saved with the test program in instrument memory. The Cs value is applicable to that product only.

To illustrate this function: for a particular DUT, the Guardian instrument learned Cs = 0.241nF and the Open Check is set to 50%. If the measured Cs is within 50% of the learned Cs, then the OSC result is a PASS. If the measured Cs is greater than 0.121nF (50% of .241nF), then the OSC result is a PASS. If the measured Cs is less than 0.121nF, then the OSC result is an OPEN.

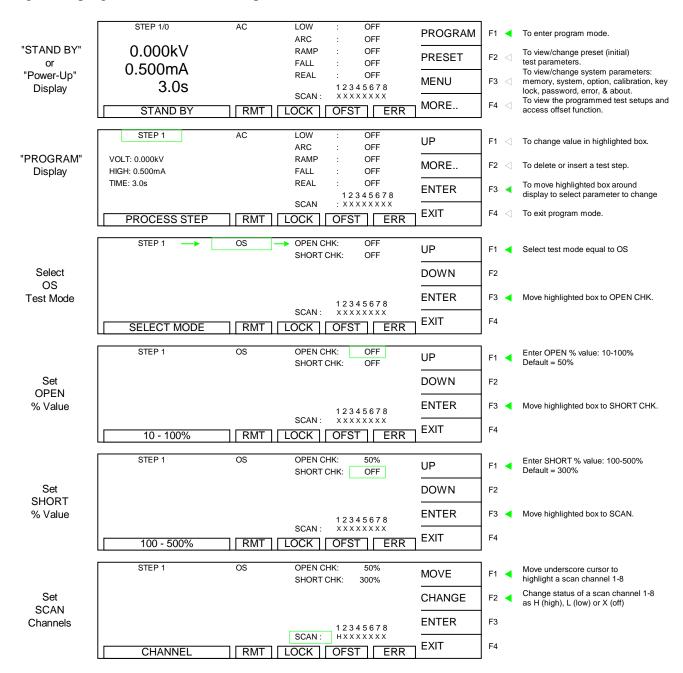
If the Short Check is set to 300%. If the measured Cs is less than 300% of the learned Cs, then the OSC result is a PASS. If the measured Cs is greater than 300% of the learned Cs, then the OSC result is a FAIL. If the measured Cs is greater than 0.723nF (300% of .241nF), then the OSC result is a SHORT.

NOTE:

To obtain consistent results, the Offset function must be performed when using OS mode. The Offset function is performed prior to the Get Cs function.

Open/Short (OS) Circuit Check

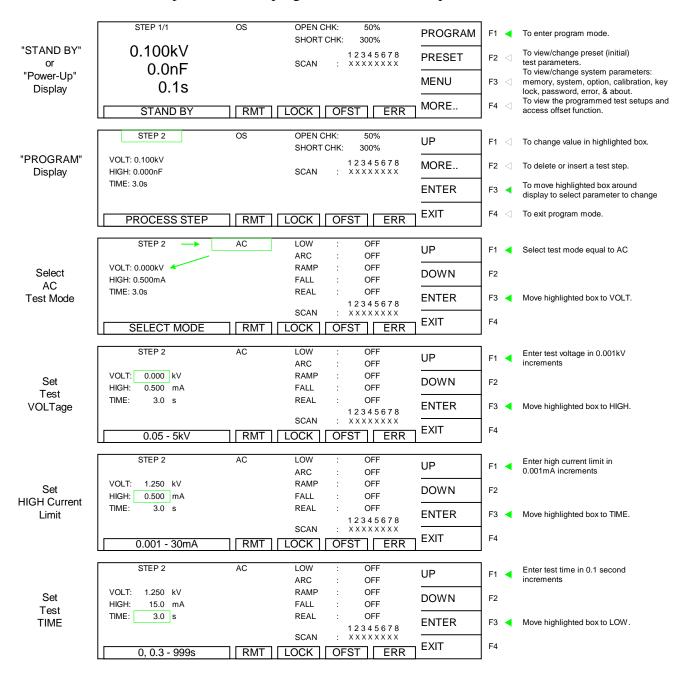
This test is applicable to the Guardian 1010, 1030 and 1030S instruments. With the instrument in 'stand-by' status, press [F1] = PROGRAM. Follow the green arrows (\Box) on the right side of this diagram to program the individual OS parameters.



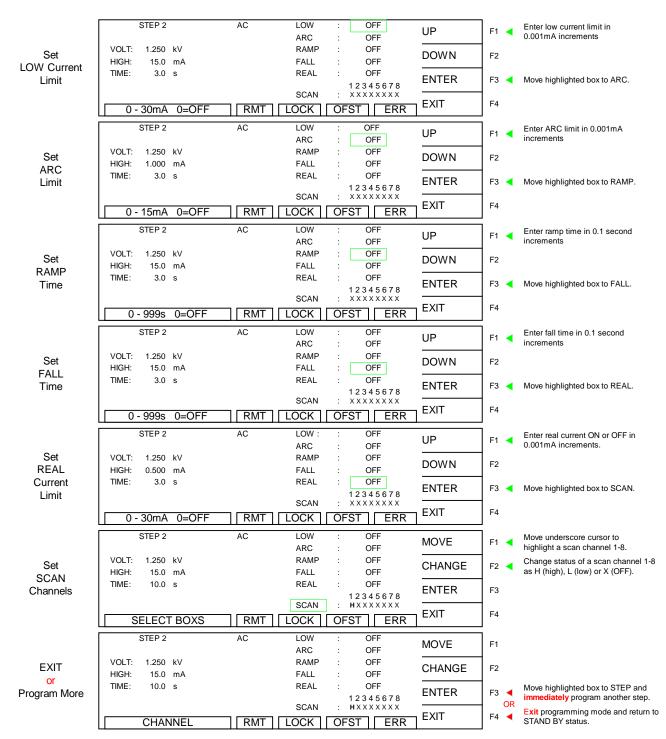
END OS Programming. After selecting the short % value, either press [F3] = ENTER to move the highlighted box to STEP and start programming STEP 2-99 OR press [F4] = EXIT to exit program mode and return to STAND BY status.

2.5 Programming an AC Hipot Test

This test is applicable to the Guardian 1010, 1030 and 1030S instruments. With the instrument in 'stand-by' status, press [F1] = PROGRAM. Follow the **green** arrows ([]) on the right side of this diagram to program the individual AC hipot test parameters. The example illustrated herein shows an OS check as Step 1 and how to program an AC test in Step 2.



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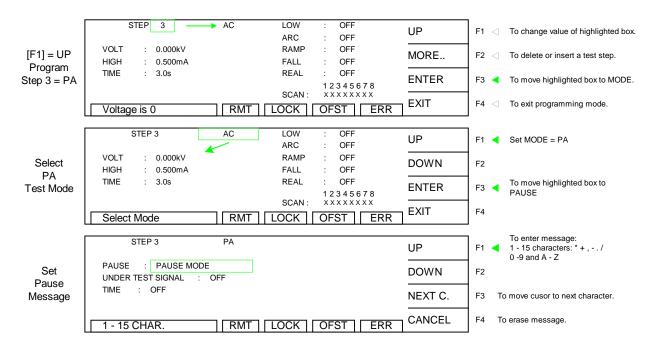


Programming an AC Hipot Test (Continued)

END AC Hipot Test Programming. After selecting the scan channels, either press [F3] = ENTER to move the highlighted box to STEP and start programming STEP 3-99 OR press [F4] = EXIT to exit program mode and return to STAND BY status.

2.6 Programming a Pause

This test is applicable to the Guardian 1010, 1030 and 1030S instruments. With the instrument in 'stand-by' status, press [F1] = PROGRAM. Follow the **green** arrows ([]) on the right side of this diagram to program the individual PA mode parameters. The example illustrated herein shows an OS check as Step 1, an AC Hipot as Step 2 and how to program a PA in Step 3.



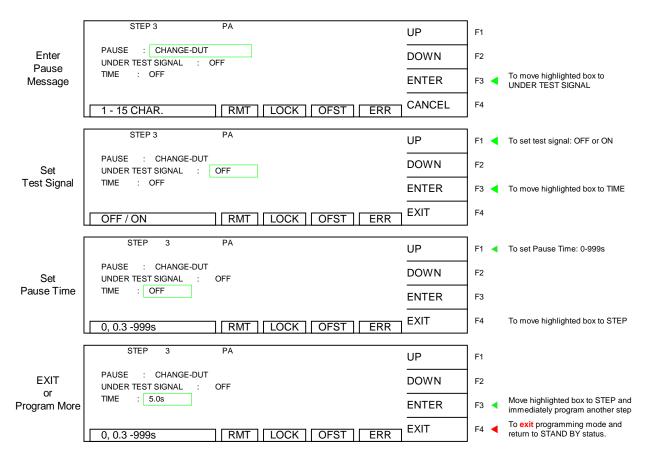
A 1-15 character alpha-numeric message may be set to be displayed on the screen during Pause Mode. Characters allowed: 0-9; A-Z; - and _. To set this example message:

Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow MESSAGE: PAUSE MODE Press [F1] = UP and the display reads MESSAGE: Press [F1] = UP to select 1st character (C); press [F3] = NEXT C. to move cursor right. Press [F1] = UP to select 2nd character (H); press [F3] = NEXT C. to move cursor right. Press [F1] = UP to select 3rd character (A); press [F3] = NEXT C. to move cursor right. Press [F1] = UP to select 4th character (N); press [F3] = NEXT C. to move cursor right. Press [F1] = UP to select 5th character (G); press [F3] = NEXT C. to move cursor right. Press [F1] = UP to select 5th character (G); press [F3] = NEXT C. to move cursor right. Press [F1] = UP to select 6th character (E); press [F3] = NEXT C. to move cursor right.

Continue this process until MESSAGE: CHANGE DUT

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Programming a Pause (Continued)



End Pause programming instructions. After setting the pause time, either press [F3] = ENTER to move the highlighted box to STEP and start programming STEP 4-99 OR press [F4] = EXIT to exit program mode and return to STAND BY status.

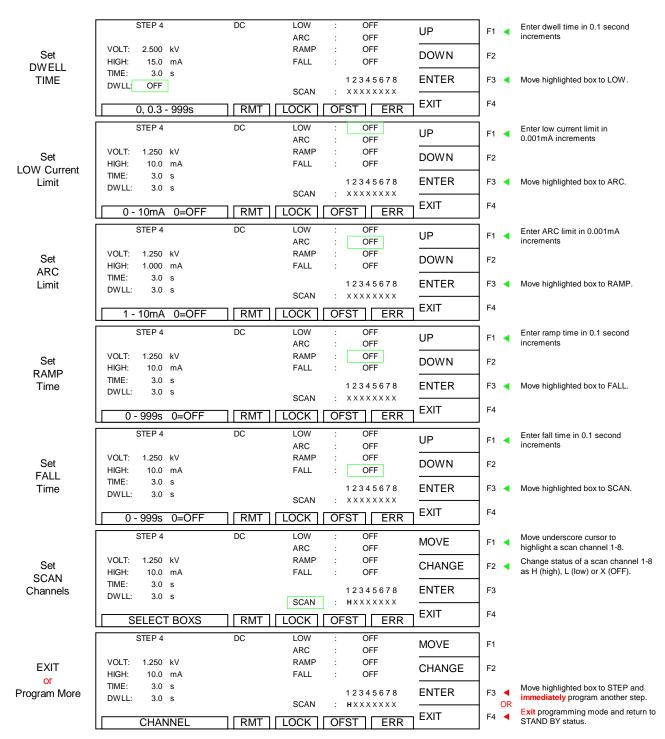
2.7 Programming a DC Hipot Test

This test is applicable to the Guardian 1030 and 1030S instruments. With the instrument in 'stand-by' status, press [F1] = PROGRAM. The example illustrated herein shows an OS check as Step 1, an AC test as Step 2, a PA as Step 3 and how to program a DC test in Step 4.

"STAND BY" or "Power-Up" Display "PROGRAM" Display	STEP 2/3 1.250kV 15.00mA 3.0s STAND BY	AC	LOCK OF ARC : RAMP : FALL : REAL :	OFF OFF OFF OFF OFF OFF ST OFF OFF OFF OFF OFF OFF OFF OFF OFF OF	PROGRAM PRESET MENU MORE UP MORE ENTER	F1 ◀ F2 ⊲ F3 ⊲ F4 ⊲ F1 ⊲ F2 ⊲ F3 ⊲	To enter program mode. To view/change preset (initial) test parameters. To view/change system parameters: memory, system, option, calibration, key lock, password, error, & about. To view the programmed test setups and access offset function. To change value in highlighted box. To delete or insert a test step. To move highlighted box around display to select parameter to change
Select STEP #	PROCESS STEP STEP 4 VOLT: 1.250kV HIGH: 15.0mA TIME: 3.0s PROCESS STEP	RMT]] → AC	LOCK OF ARC : RAMP : FALL : REAL : SCAN :	XXXXXXXXX ST ERR OFF OFF OFF OFF 12345678 XXXXXXXX ST ERR	EXIT UP MORE ENTER EXIT	F4 ⊲ F1 ◀ F2 ⊲ F3 ◀ F4 ⊲	To exit program mode. To change value of highlighted box. To delete or insert a test step. To move highlighted box around display to select parameter to change To exit program mode.
Select DC Test Mode	STEP 4 VOLT: 0.000kV HIGH: 0.500mA TIME: 3.0s DWLL: OFF SELECT MODE	DC		OFF OFF OFF 12345678 XXXXXXXX ST ERR	UP DOWN ENTER EXIT	F1 ◀ F2 F3 ◀ F4	Change test mode to DC. Move highlighted box to VOLT.
Set Test VOLTage	STEP 4 VOLT: 0.000 kV HIGH: 0.500 mA TIME: 3.0 s DWLL: OFF 0.05 - 6kV	DC		OFF OFF OFF 12345678 xxxxxxxx ST ERR	UP DOWN ENTER EXIT	F1 ◀ F2 F3 ◀ F4	Enter test voltage in 0.001kV increments Move highlighted box to HIGH.
Set HIGH Current Limit	STEP 4 VOLT: 2.500 kV HIGH: 0.500 mA TIME: 3.0 s DWLL: OFF	DC	LOW : ARC : RAMP : FALL : SCAN : LOCK OF	OFF OFF OFF 12345678 xxxxxxxx ST ERR	UP DOWN ENTER EXIT	F1 < F2 F3 < F4	Enter high current limit from 0.1uA- 0.9uA in 0.1uA increments and from 0.001mA-10mA in 0.001mA increments Move highlighted box to TIME.
Set Test TIME	STEP 4 VOLT: 2.500 kV HIGH: 15.0 mA TIME: 3.0 s DWLL: OFF 0, 0.3 - 999s	DC		OFF OFF OFF 12345678 xxxxxxxx ST ERR	UP DOWN ENTER EXIT	F1 < F2 F3 < F4	Enter test time in 0.1 second increments Move highlighted box to DWLL.

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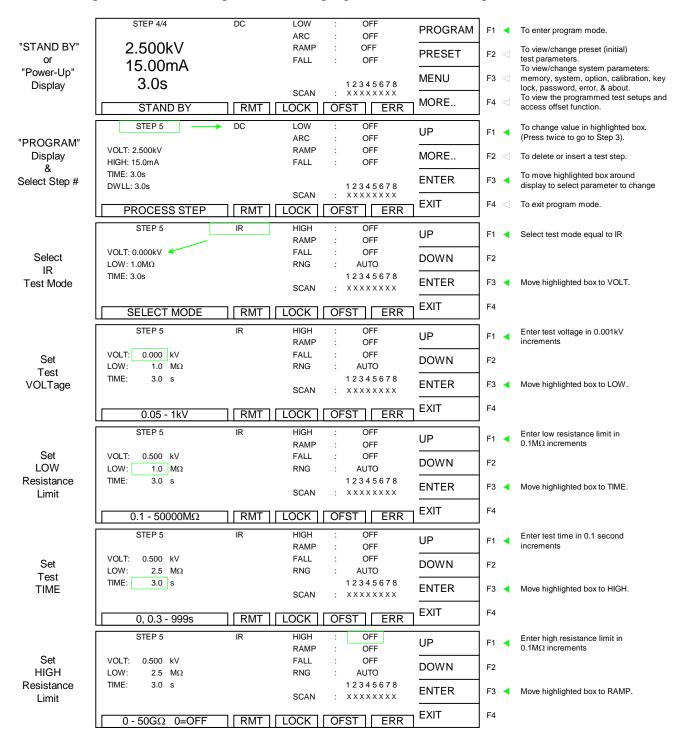
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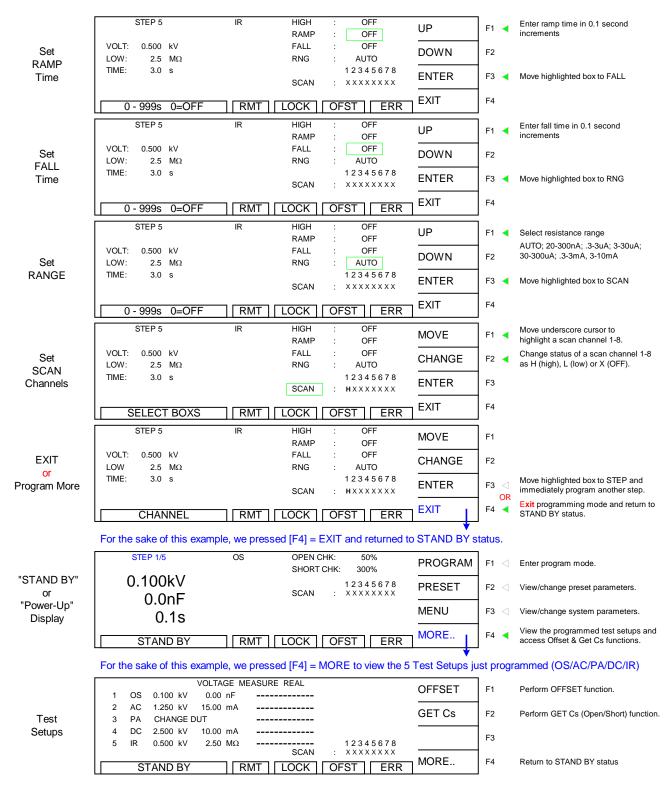
END DC Hipot Test Programming. After selecting the scan channels, either press [F3] = ENTER to move the highlighted box to STEP and start programming STEP 5-99 OR press [F4] = EXIT to exit program mode and return to STAND BY status.

2.8 Programming an IR (Insulation Resistance) Test

This test is applicable to the 1030 and 1030S instruments. With the instrument in 'stand-by' status, press [F1] = PROGRAM. This example shows an OS check as Step 1, an AC test as Step 2, a PA as Step 3, a DC test as Step 4 and how to program an IR test in Step 5.



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Programming an IR Test (Continued)

END IR Test Programming. For this specific example, press [F4] = MORE to return to STAND BY status.

2.9 Programming a Multi-Step Test

Paragraphs 2.4, 2.5, 2.6, 2.7 and 2.8 illustrate the programming of a 5-step test (OS, AC, PA, DC & IR). To program a multiple step test, power-up the G1000 Series instrument so the 'Stand By' display is shown (Figure 2-2). Use the parameters in Table 2-3 and follow the step-by-step instructions to program a 5-step test and save it as "EX" to memory location 01.

	OSC	AC Hipot	PA	DC Hipot	IR
1	Test Step #				
	1	2	3	4	5
2	Test Mode				
	OS	AC	PA	DC	IR
3	Open Check	Voltage	Message	Voltage	Voltage
	50%	1.250kV	Change DUT	2.500kV	0.500kV
4	Short Check	High Limit	UT Signal	High Limit	Low Limit
	300%	15mA	OFF	10mA	2.5MΩ
5		Test Time	Time	Test Time	Test Time
		5.0s	3.0s	5.0s	5.0s
6		Low Limit		Dwell Time	High Limit
		OFF		5.0s	OFF
7		Arc Limit		Low Limit	Ramp Time
		OFF		OFF	5.0s
8		Ramp Time		Arc Limit	Fall Time
		5.0s		OFF	5.0s
9		Fall Time		Ramp Time	Range
		5.0s		5.0s	AUTO
10		Real Limit		Fall Time	Scanner CH
		OFF		5.0s	OFF
11		Scanner CH		Scanner CH	
		OFF		OFF	

From the Standby Menu:

STEP 1/0	AC	LOW	:	OFF	PROGRAM	F1 ┥
		ARC	:	OFF	FROGRAM	FI 🖣
0.000kV		RAMP	:	OFF	PRESET	F2 <1
0.500mA		FALL	:	OFF		¬
3.0s		REAL	:	OFF 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	MENU	F3 <
3.05		SCAN	:	****		
STAND BY	RMT	LOCK	OF	ST ERR	MORE	F4 <
STEP 1	AC	LOW	:	OFF	UP	F1 ┥
		ARC	:	OFF	01	
VOLT : 0.000kV		FALL	:	OFF	DOWN	F2
HIGH : 0.500mA		RAMP	:	OFF	DOWN	12
TIME : 3.0s		REAL	:	OFF	ENTER	F3
		COAN		1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 X X X X X X X X		
	RMT	SCAN			- EXIT	F4
SELECT MODE						

Figure 2-4: G1000 Series Standby Menu & Program Menu

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Press [F1] = PROGRAM \Rightarrow Step 1
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow OS
Press [F3] = ENTER \implies OPEN CHK: |OFF|
Press [F1] = UP until OPEN CHK: 50\%
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow SHORT CHK: OFF
Press [F1] = UP until HIGH: 300 %
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow SCAN: XXXXXXXX
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow Step 1
Press [F1] = UP until Step 2
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow AC
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow VOLT: |0.000| kV
Press [F1] = UP until VOLT: 1.250 kV
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow HIGH: 0.500 mA
Press [F1] = UP until HIGH: 15.00 mA
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow TIME: 3.0 s
Press [F1] = UP until TIME: |5.0| s
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow LOW: OFF
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow ARC: OFF
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow RAMP: OFF
Press [F1] = UP until RAMP: 5.0 s
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow FALL: OFF
Press [F1] = UP until FALL: |5.0| s
Press [F3] = ENTER \implies REAL: OFF
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow SCAN: XXXXXXXX
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow Step 1
Press [F1] = UP until Step 3
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow | AC
Press [F1] = UP until PA
Press [F3] = ENTER \implies MESSAGE: PAUSE MODE
Press [F1] = UP to select 1<sup>st</sup> character (C); press [F3] = NEXT C. to move cursor right.
Press [F1] = UP to select 2^{nd} character (H); press [F3] = NEXT C. to move cursor right.
Press [F1] = UP to select 3^{rd} character (A); press [F3] = NEXT C. to move cursor right.
Continue this process until MESSAGE: CHANGE DUT
Press [F3] = ENTER \implies UNDER TEST SIGNAL: OFF
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow TIME: |OFF
Press [F1] = UP until TIME: [3.0] s
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow Step 1
Press [F1] = UP until Step 4
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow | AC
Press [F1] = UP until DC
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Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow VOLT: 0.000 kV
Press [F1] = UP until VOLT: 2.500 kV
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow HIGH: 0.500 mA
Press [F1] = UP until HIGH: |10.00| mA
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow TIME: 3.0 s
Press [F1] = UP until TIME: 5.0 s
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow DWLL: OFF
Press [F1] = UP until DWLL: |5.0| s
Press [F3] = ENTER \implies LOW: OFF
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow ARC: OFF
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow RAMP: OFF
Press [F1] = UP until RAMP: |5.0| s
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow FALL: OFF
Press [F1] = UP until FALL: |5.0| s
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow SCAN: XXXXXXXX
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow Step 1
Press [F1] = UP until Step 5
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow AC
Press [F1] = UP until IR
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow VOLT: |0.000| kV
Press [F1] = UP until VOLT: 0.500 kV
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow LOW: | 1.0| M\Omega
Press [F1] = UP until LOW: 2.5 M\Omega
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow TIME: |3.0| s
Press [F1] = UP until TIME: |5.0| s
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow HIGH: OFF
Press [F3] = ENTER \implies RAMP: OFF
Press [F1] = UP until RAMP: |5.0| s
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow FALL: OFF
Press [F1] = UP until FALL: |5.0| s
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow RNG: AUTO
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow |SCAN|: XXXXXXXX
Press [F3] = ENTER \Rightarrow Step 1
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Press [F4] = EXIT to return to Standby Menu. Follow the next instructions to save the 5-Step Test to Memory Location 1 and give it the label "EX".

Press [F3] = MENU \Rightarrow 1. MEMORY Press [F3] = SELECT \Rightarrow 1. (0) Press [F1] = STORE \Rightarrow 1. (0) Press [F3] = SELECT \Rightarrow 1. (0) Press [F1] = UP until 1. (0) Press [F3] = ENTER 1. (0)E Press [F1] = UP until 1. (0)EX Press [F3] = ENTER 1. (0)EX Press [F3] = ENTER 1. (0)EX Press [F1] = YES 1. (5)EX Press [F4] = EXIT Press [F4] = EXIT

Return to Standby Menu with 'M01' in upper left hand corner.

In Stand By status, to view the test steps just programmed press [F4] = MORE. Figure 2-5 illustrates the Stand By display and resultant test setup display if the programming example in paragraphs 2.4-2.8 were followed.

	STEP 1/5		OPEN CHK: SHORT CHK:	50% 300%	PROGRAM	F1 <	Enter program mode.
"STAND BY" or	0.100	JKV JnF		1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 x x x x x x x x	PRESET	F2 <	View/change preset parameters.
"Power-Up" Display).1s			MENU	F3 <	View/change system parameters.
	STAN			STERR	MORE	F4 ┥	View the programmed test setups and access Offset & Get Cs functions.
	For the sake o	of this example, we	pressed [F4] = MOR	E to view the 5	♥ Test Setups ju	st progr	ammed (OS/AC/PA/DC/IR)
		VOLTAGE ME	ASURE REAL		OFFSET	F1	Perform OFFSET function.
		100 kV 0.00 nF				•••	
_	-	250 kV 15.00 mA			GET Cs	F2	Perform GET Cs (Open/Short) function.
Test	3 PA C⊢	HANGE DUT				. –	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Setups	4 DC 2.5	500 kV 10.00 mA				F3	
	5 IR 0.5	500 kV 2.50 MΩ		12345678		15	
			SCAN :	****	MORE	F4	Return to STAND BY status
	STAN	ND BY RI	NT LOCK OF	ST ERR	MORE	Г4	Retuin to STAND of Status

Figure 2-5: View Programmed Test Setups

To view the test results, press [F4] = MORE to go to the tabular display. Use the UP/DOWN key to scroll to the next page.

NOTE:	
Exiting the tabular display will clear your test re	sults.

NOTE:

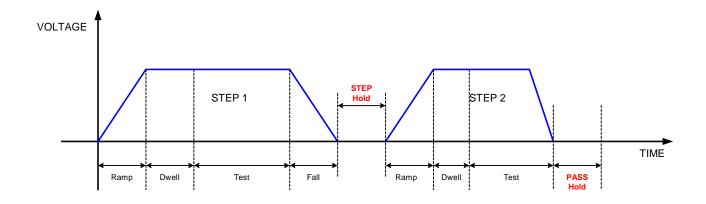
Instrument **PRESET** values can be programmed and stored for your specific test setup. Therefore, **before storing** your tests, program the preset values.

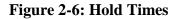
2.9 PRESET Test Parameters

A number of initial parameters or default conditions may be programmed and stored as the 'power-up' conditions. On the Guardian 1000 Series instruments, this function is labeled PRESET and is accessible on the STAND BY display. Table 2-4 lists the Guardian 1000 Series PRESET test parameters including parameter range and initial (default) value.

Parameter	Range	Initial (Default)	Description
PASS HOLD	0.2 – 99.9 sec	Value 0.5	Set hold time for a PASS result
STEP HOLD	0.2 - 99.9 sec	0.3	Set interval time between test steps
STEP HOLD	KEY	0.2	KEY=Tester will stop after each step and display
	KE I		PASS/FAIL results.
AC-V FREQ.	50 or 60Hz	60	Set frequency for AC Hipot test
GR CONT.	OFF	OFF	Set ground continuity OFF
	KEY		KEY=Tester will display P/F result after each step.
	TIME: 0.2 – 99.9s		TIME: Set test time for GC check
SOFT. AGC	ON or OFF	ON	Set software automatic gain control function ON
			or OFF
AUTO RANGE	ON or OFF	OFF	Set auto range function ON or OFF
GFI	ON or OFF	ON	Set ground fault interrupt to trip at 0.5mA
AFTER FAIL	CONT., RESTART, STOP	STOP	Continue, Restart or Stop a Test if a Step Fails
SCREEN	ON or OFF	ON	Turns display off to increase test speed
RAMP JUDG.	ON or OFF	ON	Check the high limit during ramp
SMART KEY	ON or OFF	OFF	Scroll through last 10 parameters tested
PART NO.	0-13 characters	Blank	Assign a Part Number
LOT NO.	0-13 characters	Blank	Assign a Lot Number
SERIAL NO.	0, 5-13 characters	Blank	Assign a Serial Number

Table 2-4: PRESET Test Parameters





2.9.1 PASS HOLD

The Pass Hold setting allows the option of programming a hold time for the PASS relay (at Remote Interface) after a single test or multiple step tests. The range for Pass Hold is 0.2 - 99.9 sec and the instrument default setting is 0.5sec. Refer to Figure 2-6.

To access Pass Hold: Press [F2] = PRESET The backlit box is next to 1. PASS HOLD: 0.5sec Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to increase or decrease the Pass Hold time Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to next parameter or Press [F4] = EXIT to exit Preset Menu and return to Standby Menu.

2.9.2 STEP HOLD

The Step Hold setting allows the option of programming a hold time between steps. The range for Step Hold is 0 - 99.9seconds/KEY. The instrument default setting is 0.2sec. When KEY is selected, the unit will stop after each step, display PASS/FAIL result for that step and then the user must press [START] to proceed to the next step.

To access STEP HOLD: Press [F2] = PRESET Press [ENTER] until the backlit box is next to 2. STEP HOLD: 0.2sec Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to increase or decrease the Step Hold time Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to next parameter or Press [F4] = EXIT to exit Preset Menu and return to Standby Menu.

2.9.3 AC-V FREQ.

The AC V Frequency setting allows the option of selecting the frequency for the AC hipot test. The range of AC-V Freq. is 50 or 60Hz and the instrument default setting is 60Hz.

To access AC-V FREQ: Press [F2] = PRESET Press [ENTER] until the backlit box is next to 3. AC-V FREQ: <u>60Hz</u> Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to change the AC-V Frequency to 50/60Hz Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to next parameter or Press [E4] = EXIT to guit Preset Many and return to Standby Many

Press [F4] = EXIT to exit Preset Menu and return to Standby Menu.

2.9.4 GR CONT.

The GR CONT. setting has three options for the Ground Continuity (GR) function: OFF, KEY or TIME (0.2-99.9s). The instrument default setting is OFF. When KEY is selected, the G1000 Series instrument will check that the ground resistance is $<1\Omega$ at the start of a test. When TME is selected, a value between 0.2 and 99.9 seconds can be programmed for the amount of time the ground continuity check will be held. If OFF is selected the ground continuity will not be checked.

To access GR CONT: Press [F2] = PRESET Press [ENTER] until the backlit box is next to 4. GR CONT: OFF Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to change the Ground Continuity Check to OFF/KEY/TIME Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to next parameter or Press [F4] = EXIT to exit Preset Menu and return to Standby Menu.

2.9.5 SOFT AGC

The Software Automatic Gain Control (SOFT AGC) setting allows the option of correcting the output voltage (ON). This is satisfactory when measuring resistors but under special circumstances when measuring large capacitive devices it is best to select Software AGC OFF. The default value is ON.

To access SOFT AGC: Press [F2] = PRESET Press [ENTER] until the backlit box is next to 5. SOFT AGC: ON Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to change Software AGC to ON/OFF Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to next parameter or Press [F4] = EXIT to exit Preset Menu and return to Standby Menu.

2.9.6 AUTO RANGE

The Auto Range setting allows the option of using the full scale current range (ON) or using the user programmed maximum current limit (OFF). The low current range (3mA full scale) results in increased measurement resolution. The default value of Auto Range is OFF.

To access AUTO RANGE: Press [F2] = PRESET Press [ENTER] until the backlit box is next to 6. AUTO RANGE: OFF Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to change Auto Range to ON/OFF Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to next parameter or Press [F4] = EXIT to exit Preset Menu and return to Standby Menu.

2.9.7 GFI

The Ground Fault Interrupt (GFI) function can be programmed ON or OFF. The instrument default setting is ON. When GFI is activated, the ground fault interrupt circuit is set to trip at 0.5mA.

To access GFI: Press [F2] = PRESET Press [ENTER] until the backlit box is next to 7. GFI: ON Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to change the Ground Fault Interrupt to ON/OFF Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to next parameter or Press [F4] = EXIT to exit Preset Menu and return to Standby Menu.

2.9.8 AFTER FAIL

The AFTER FAIL function can be programmed to CONTINUE, RESTART or STOP. The default setting is STOP. This selection determines what action the instrument will take when a fail is encountered during a multi-step test. When CONTINUE is selected and a test fails, then the instrument proceeds to the next step in the program. When RESTART is selected and a test fails, [START] can be pressed again to immediately retest. When STOP is selected and a test fails then the unit will stop and the [STOP] button must be pressed. Exception: if Ground Fault Interrupt (GFI) is ON and a GFI failure occurs, the instrument will shut down.

To access FAIL CONT: Press [F2] = PRESET Press [ENTER] until the backlit box is next to 8. FAIL CONT: OFF Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to change Continue Step on Fail to ON/OFF Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to next parameter or Press [F4] = EXIT to exit Preset Menu and return to Standby Menu.

2.9.9 SCREEN

The SCREEN function disables the display while testing. It can be set to ON or OFF. When set to OFF, the display is blank and the time is decreased by approximately 100milliseconds. The pass/fail LED indicators and DANGER LED are operational and will show test results in addition to the Remote I/O interface.

To access SCREEN: Press [F2] = PRESET Press [ENTER] until the backlit box is next to 9. SCREEN: OFF Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to change Screen to ON/OFF Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to next parameter or Press [F4] = EXIT to exit Preset Menu and return to Standby Menu.

2.9.10 SMART KEY

Applicable to software version 2.22 or higher, this programming function retains the last ten (10) test parameters previously run. When in program mode and SMART key is ON, the UP/DOWN function key will permit the user to scroll through the last ten parameters tested.

To turn SMART Key ON: Press [F2] = PRESET Press [ENTER] until the backlit box is next to 10. SMART KEY: OFF Press [F1] = UP to select SMART KEY: ON Press [F4] = EXIT to exit Preset Menu and return to Standby Menu. Press [F1] = Program In program menu, press and hold [ENTER = F3] until "S-KEY" is displayed in lower left hand corner. Refer to Figure 2.5.

To turn SMART Key OFF: Press and hold [ENTER = F3] for approximately 1 second.

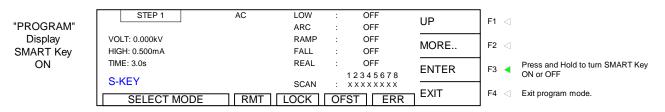


Figure 2.7: Smart Key Display

NOTE:

Using SMART Key to program the G1030S instrument:

The SMART Key will save the user some time in the instance of programming the same test for several steps. For example: only needing to change the scanner configuration (switching the high or low connection to Channels 1-8).

Program Test in Step 1 Run Test.

Program Remaining Steps

- 1. Turn ON Smart Key
- 2. Press [UP] to go to Step 2
- 3. Enter each parameter as normal but now selections are limited to the last 10 tests run.
- 4. Program all steps the same (cannot set scanners with SMART Key ON).
- 5. Turn SMART Key OFF
- 6. Scroll through each Step to set Scanners {High, Low or Off (X)}.

2.9.11 RAMP JUDG

The Judgment Wait setting allows the program to look at the high limits during ramp. The range for RAMP JUDG is ON or OFF and the instrument default setting is OFF.

To access RAMP JUDG: Press [F2] = PRESET Press [ENTER] until the backlit box is next to 11. RAMP JUDG: OFF Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to select ON or OFF Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to next parameter or Press [F4] = EXIT to exit Preset Menu and return to Standby Menu.

2.9.12 PART NO

The PART NUMBER function allows the operator to assign a part number to the device under test. The part number can be made up of 0-13 alpha or numeric characters.

To access PART NO: Press [F2] = PRESET Press [ENTER] until the backlit box is next to 12. PART NO: Press [F1] = UP to select 1st character: 0-9, and A-Z Press [F3] = ENTER to move underscored cursor to next character Press [F1] = UP to select 2nd character: 0-9, and A-Z Press [F3] = ENTER to move underscored cursor to next character Press [F1] = UP to select 3rd character: 0-9, and A-Z Press [F3] = ENTER to move underscored cursor to next character Press [F3] = ENTER to move underscored cursor to next character

Continue up to 13 characters

Press [F3] = ENTER twice when part number label is complete Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to next parameter or Press [F4] = EXIT to exit Preset Menu and return to Standby Menu.

2.9.13 LOT NO

The LOT NUMBER function allows the operator to assign a lot number to the device under test. The lot number can be made up of 0-13 alpha or numeric characters.

To access LOT NO: Press [F2] = PRESET Press [ENTER] until the backlit box is next to 13. LOT NO: Press [F1] = UP to select 1st character: 0-9, and A-Z Press [F3] = ENTER to move underscored cursor to next character Press [F1] = UP to select 2nd character: 0-9, and A-Z Press [F3] = ENTER to move underscored cursor to next character Press [F1] = UP to select 3rd character: 0-9, and A-Z Press [F1] = UP to select 3rd character: 0-9, and A-Z Press [F3] = ENTER to move underscored cursor to next character

Continue up to 13 characters

Press [F3] = ENTER twice when lot number label is complete

Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to next parameter

or

Press [F4] = EXIT to exit Preset Menu and return to Standby Menu.

2.9.14 SERIAL NO

The SERIAL NUMBER function allows the operator to assign a serial number to the device under test. The serial number can be made up of 0 or 5-13 alpha or numeric characters.

To access SERIAL NO:
Press [F2] = PRESET
Press [ENTER] until the backlit box is next to 14. SERIAL NO:
Press $[F1] = UP$ to select 1^{st} character: 0-9, and A-Z
Press [F3] = ENTER to move underscored cursor to next character
Press $[F1] = UP$ to select 2^{nd} character: 0-9, and A-Z
Press [F3] = ENTER to move underscored cursor to next character
Press $[F1] = UP$ to select 3^{rd} character: 0-9, and A-Z
Press [F3] = ENTER to move underscored cursor to next character

Continue up to 13 characters

Press [F3] = ENTER twice when serial number label is complete

Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to next parameter

or

Press [F4] = EXIT to exit Preset Menu and return to Standby Menu.

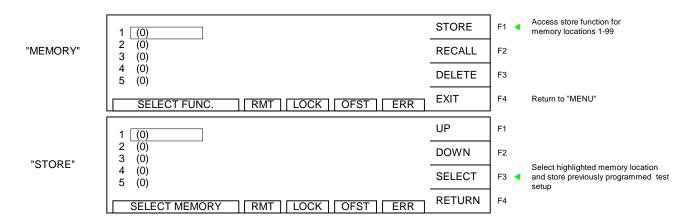
2.10 Storing a Test Setup

To store the previous example of the programmed 5-step test, put the instrument in 'STAND BY' status and press [F3] = MENU to access the memory function.

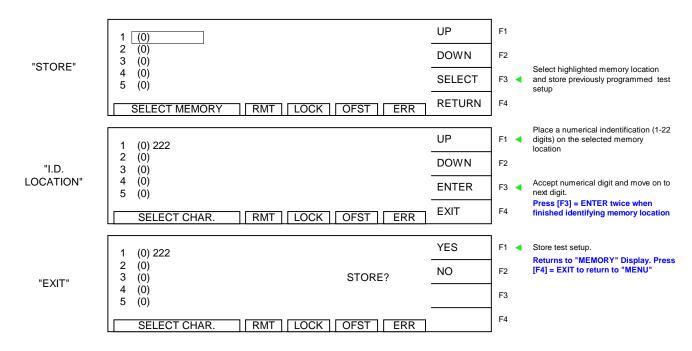
memory runetic	<i>J</i> 1 .						
	STEP 1/5	OS	OPEN CHK: SHORT CHK:	50% 300%	PROGRAM	F1	
"STAND BY" or	0.100kV			2 3 4 5 6 7 8 <	PRESET	F2	
"Power-Up" Display	0.0nF 0.1s				MENU	F3 ┥	To view/change system parameters: memory, system, option, calibration, key
Display	STAND BY	RMT	LOCK OFST	ERR	MORE	F4	lock, password, error, & about.
	1 MEMORY]			UP	F1	
"MENU"	2 SYSTEM 3 OPTION				DOWN	F2	
MENU	4 CALIBRATION 5 KEY LOCK				SELECT	F3 ┥	Access memory function
	SELECT FUNC.	RMT	LOCK	ERR	EXIT	F4	Return to "STAND BY"
	1 (0)				STORE	F1 ┥	Access store function for memory locations 1-99
"MEMORY"	2 (0) 3 (0)				RECALL	F2	
	4 (0) 5 (0)				DELETE	F3	
	SELECT FUNC.	RMT	LOCK	ERR	EXIT	F4	Return to "MENU"

In MENU with the highlighted box around $\overline{\text{MEMORY}}$, press [F3] = SELECT to enter the memory function.

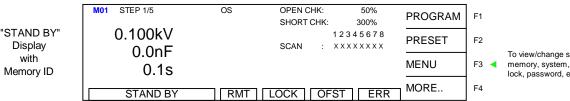
Press [F1] = STORE to access the store function. Press [F2] = DOWN to move highlighted box to the memory location (1-99) in which you wish to store this test setup. Press [F3] = SELECT to accept location number.



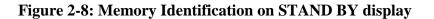
NOTE: With the front panel locked and lock recall OFF, the recall of memory locations can be performed directly from the STAND BY menu in place of [F1]. Press [F1] = UP (and/or [F2] = DOWN) to enter an alpha/numerical tag/name for this test step. Press [F3] = ENTER after each digit to accept that digit and move on to the next. The tag can be up to 17 characters. When finished entering the numerical tag, press [F3] = ENTER two times. The display will prompt: STORE? Press [F1] = YES to accept storage or [F2] = NO to reject storage. Press [F4] = EXIT two times to return to "STAND BY" status.



The MEMORY RECALL and DELETE functions work the same way as STORE. Refer to ¶2.15.1. When the instrument returns to STAND BY status there will be a tag "Mxx" in the upper left hand corner of the display to indicate which memory location is in use (displayed) as shown in Figure 2-8.



To view/change system parameters: memory, system, option, calibration, key lock, password, error, & about.



2.11 Instrument Offset

The Guardian 1000 Series instrument provides automatic offset for lead and/or fixture effects. During the offset process a correction is made (subtracted out) as the result of lead leakage current and stored in instrument memory to be applied to ongoing measurements. For maximum measurement accuracy it is recommended that the OFFSET function be performed on the G1000 Series instrument after power up, any time the test parameters are changed and any time the test leads or fixture is changed. Note: Offset is not available if test setups have <u>not</u> been programmed.

Prior to performing the OFFSET function:

Allow the instrument to warm up for 15 minutes. Connect the Test cables (or fixture) to the OUTPUT and RTN/LOW connectors. Program the test steps.

With the instrument in STAND BY status:

Press [F4] = MORE Press [F1] = OFFSET Follow instructions on display: i.e.: connect OPEN across OUTPUT terminal. Press green [START] button. Wait while instrument gets OFFSET value. The OFST block at the bottom of the display is now highlighted (back lit). Press [F4] = MORE to return to STAND BY status.

OR

To undo the OFFSET function:

Press [F1] = OFFSET Follow prompt on display: "Turn off the offset function?" Press [F3] = ENTER to turn **off** OFFSET function. The OFST block at the bottom of the display is **not** highlighted now.

The following formulas apply to the offset function:

For Total Offset Current $\leq 100 \mu A$:

Display Current =
$$\sqrt{(\text{Measured total current })^2 (\text{Offset total current })^2}$$

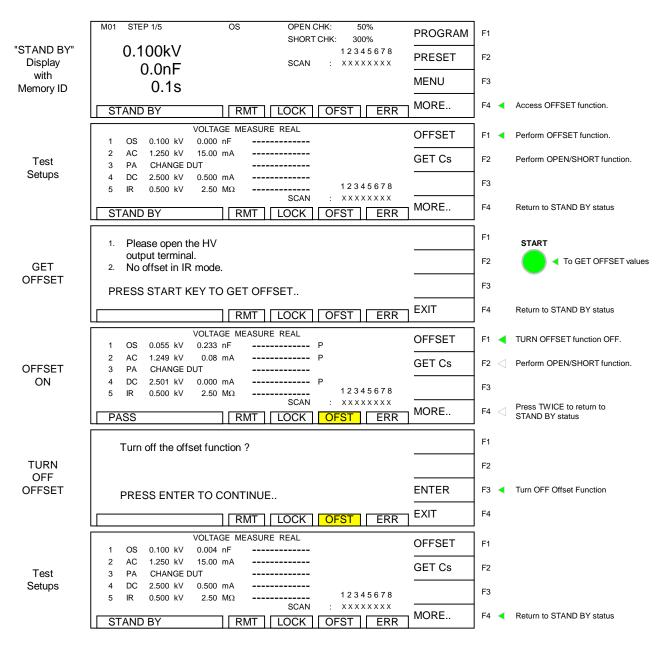
For Real Current & Total Current > 100μ A:

NOTE:

To obtain consistent results, the Offset function must be performed when using OS mode. The Offset function is performed prior to the Get Cs function.

OFFSET Function

There is no offset in IR test mode. Using the pre-programmed example from paragraphs 2.4-2.8 of the OS, AC, PA, DC and IR 5-step test the offset function is illustrated herein. There is no offset in IR or PA modes.

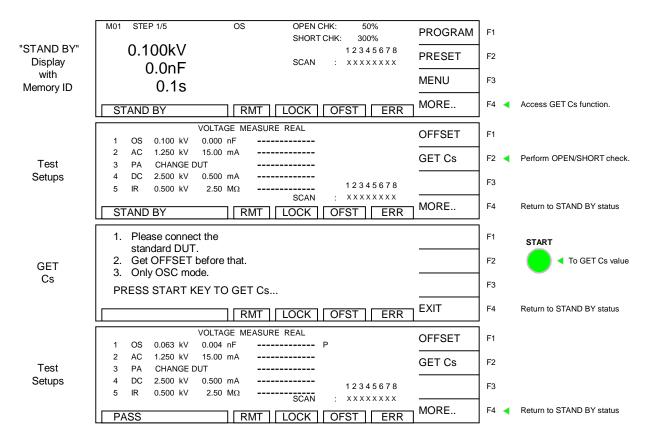


If running the Open/Short Circuit Detection mode, perform Get Cs function after Offset but before exiting the MORE menu. Paragraph 2.12 illustrates the Get Cs menus.

2.12 GET Cs

GET Cs is applicable to the OS mode only. OS is normally programmed prior to an AC or DC hipot test to ensure the DUT is properly connected before the high voltage is applied. Refer to ¶2.4 for full explanation of the Open/Short Circuit check. The GET Cs function is illustrated herein using the pre-programmed example from ¶2.4-2.8 of the OS/AC/PA/DC/IR 5-step test.

After performing the OFFSET function, attach the known good DUT and press [F2] = GET Cs.



When GET Cs is complete, press [F4] = MORE to return to the Stand By menu.

2.13 Connection to Device under Test

Figure 2-9 illustrates the connection of the Guardian 1000 Series unit to a single DUT using the S02 1-meter HV cable set that comes standard with the instrument. The custom white banana plug/red alligator clip is connected between the OUTPUT terminal on the G1000 Series unit and the high side of the device under test. The black banana plug/alligator clip is connected between the RTN/LOW terminal on the G1000 Series unit to the low side of the DUT.

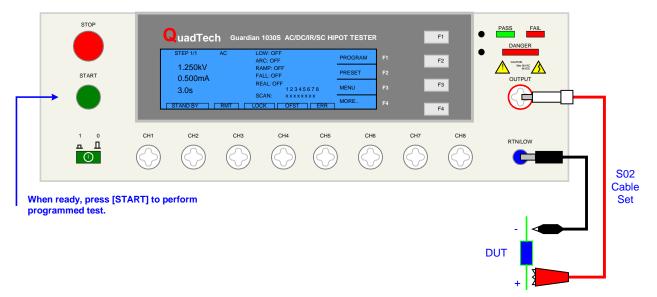


Figure 2-9: S02 Cable Connection

Figure 2-10 illustrates the connection of the Guardian 1000 Series unit to multiple devices for a SCAN test. The custom white banana plug/white wires are connected between the scan channels (CH1-8) designated as H (high) and the high side of the device under test. The black banana plug/alligator clip is connected between the RTN/LOW terminal on the G1000 Series unit to a common ground on the test fixture.

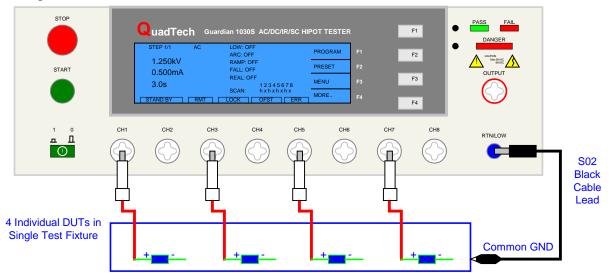


Figure 2-10: Scan Cable Connection

With the test fixture as shown in Figure 2-9, Channels 1, 3, 5 & 7 are designated H (high) and a common ground is connected between the RTN/LOW terminal on the G1000 unit and ground on the test fixture. In this case the Channels 2, 4, 6 & 8 would be designated X (not used). Another configuration for the scan test illustrated in Figure 2-9 is to assign Channels 2, 4, 6 & 8 as L (low) and connect a custom white banana plug between the channel and the low side of each of the four DUTs.

Refer to paragraphs 3.6 through 3.11 for the description and illustration of the connection of several QuadTech accessories to the Guardian 1000 Series instrument.

2.14 Measurement Procedure

Before a measurement is made verify the following:

- 1. Guardian 1000 Series instrument [POWER] ON.
- 2. 15-minute warm-up.
- 3. Test parameters programmed and shown on STAND BY display.
- 4. Test cables or fixture connected.
- 5. Offset Function initiated.
- 6. Device under test connected.

The operator has the option of performing a test at power-up conditions (test conditions at which the instrument was last powered down) or recalling one of 99 stored test setups. Refer to paragraphs 2.4 - 2.8 for test programming and storage/recall instructions.

To initiate a test:

Press [STOP] to make sure instrument is in STAND BY status. Press [START]. DANGER led flashes. Status window shows UNDER TEST. The test voltage is shut **off** when all test steps are completed, **OR** when a test result is judged a FAIL per programmed test limits, **OR** when the [STOP] button is pressed. Press [STOP] at any time to terminate the output voltage and stop the test.

To view the test results, press [F4] = MORE to go to the tabular display. Use the UP/DOWN key to scroll to the next page. When "UUUU" is displayed as the result, it indicates that the unit has exceeded the upper measurement limit for leakage current or insulation resistance.

NOTE: Exiting the tabular display will clear your test results.

The Guardian 1000 Series instrument judges the measurement value as GOOD or NO GOOD. A GOOD judgment means the DUT passed all programmed steps. Upon completion of the test the output voltage is terminated and the display shows PASS. The rear panel PASS signal is functional and the buzzer sounds (if not turned OFF in SYSTEM parameters under MENU).

If the measurement value of the test (or any one step of the test) is abnormal, the DUT is judged as NO GOOD, the display will show FAIL and the buzzer will sound until the [STOP] button is pressed. Press [STOP] at any time to terminate the output voltage and stop the test.

Error Messages (FAIL result)

When the measurement value was judged NO GOOD and FAIL is shown on the display, an error message denoting the test result will be shown on the display also. Table 2-5 lists the possible error messages for a NO GOOD/FAIL judgment.

Error Message	Description
HI	Measured value (current or resistance) is over the programmed high limit.
HI	Unit's output voltage is less than $(V_{PROGRAM} * 0.9) - 10V$
LO	Measured value (current or resistance) is below the programmed low limit.
ARC	Current arc is over the programmed high limit.
IO	Hardware failure: cannot detect test signal.
CHECK LOW	Charging current is over the low limit.
ADV OVER	Voltage/Current reading is greater than the allowable # of digits.
ADI OVER	Current/Resistance reading is greater than the allowable # of digits.
GR CONT.	Ground Continuity is No Good.
GFI NG	Ground Fault Interrupt is No Good.
AC REAL HI	Measured Real Current value is over the programmed high limit.

Table 2-5: Error Messages

2.15 MENU Parameters

With the Guardian 1000 Series instrument in STAND BY status, press [F3] = MENU to access programmable instrument parameters. The MENU display contains the Memory, System, Option, Calibration, Key Lock, Change Password, Error Log and About functions. Table 2-6 lists these functions with description and default values.

MENU #	Parameter	Function
1	MEMORY	Store, Recall or Delete a test setup from instrument
		memory
2	SYSTEM	Change display contrast; Change beeper volume;
		Enable DC 50V AGC
3	OPTION	Change RS232 settings: Change IEEE-488 address
		Change Print Options
4	CALIBRATION	Instrument calibration - Qualified service personnel
		only.
5	KEY LOCK	Lock out front panel program access.
6	CHANGE PASSWORD	Change key lock (user) password.
7	ERROR LOG	View status of error queue.
8	PRINT PROGRAM	Prints programmed test setup
9	ABOUT	Instrument Info: manufacturer, software version

Table 2-6: MENU Parameters

2.15.1 MEMORY

Within the MEMORY menu is the ability to STORE, RECALL or DELETE test setups to and from instrument memory. There are 99 memory locations available that may contain 1-99 steps each. A caution here: instrument memory contains 500 slots; programming 99 steps and storing that into one memory location will bog down the instrument tremendously. It is wiser to program a smaller amount of test steps into more single memory locations; i.e. a 10-step test in location #1, a 5-step test in location #2, a 3-step test in location #3, etc. Recall the specific memory location when that set of tests is needed. Note: ¶2.10 illustrates the store function for the 5-step example used in this instruction manual.

2.15.1.1 STORE

To store a setup in memory, follow these instructions:

Press [F3] = MENU

- The backlit box is next to 1. MEMORY
- Press [F3] = SELECT to enter the MEMORY function.
- Press [F1] = STORE to store preprogrammed test.
- Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to move the backlit box to the desired location.
- Press [F3] = SELECT to choose backlit location.
- Label location with a 0-13 alpha-numeric name:
- Press [F1] = UP to select 1^{st} character: 0-9, and A-Z.
- Press [F3] = ENTER to move underscored cursor to next character.
- Press [F1] = UP to select 2^{nd} character: 0-9, and A-Z.
- Press [F3] = ENTER to move underscored cursor to next character.
- Press [F1] = UP to select 3^{rd} character: 0-9, and A-Z.
- Press [F3] = ENTER to move underscored cursor to next character.
- Continue up to 13 characters
- Press [F3] = ENTER twice when memory location label is complete.
- Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MEMORY and return to MENU.
- Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MENU and return to STAND BY.

2.15.1.2 **RECALL**

To recall a stored setup from memory, follow these instructions:

Press [F3] = MENU

The backlit box is next to 1. MEMORY

Press [F3] = SELECT to enter the MEMORY function.

Press [F2] = RECALL to enter RECALL function.

Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to move the backlit box to the desired location.

- Press [F3] = SELECT to choose backlit location.
- Press [F1] = YES to recall backlit location.

Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MEMORY and return to MENU.

Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MENU and return to STAND BY.

2.15.1.3 **DELETE**

To delete a stored setup in memory, follow these instructions:

Press [F3] = MENU

The backlit box is next to 1. MEMORY

Press [F3] = SELECT to enter the MEMORY function.

Press [F3] = DELETE to enter DELETE function.

Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to move the backlit box to the desired location.

Press [F3] = SELECT to choose backlit location.

Press [F1] = YES to delete backlit location.

Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MEMORY and return to MENU.

Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MENU and return to STAND BY.

2.15.2 SYSTEM

Within the SYSTEM menu are three programmable parameters: contrast, beeper volume and DC 50V AGC.

STAND BY	STEP 1/1 1.250kV 15.00mA 3.0s STAND BY	AC LOW : OFF ARC : OFF RAMP : OFF FALL : OFF REAL : OFF 12345678 SCAN : XXXXXXXX RMT LOCK OFST ERR	PROGRAM PRESET MENU MORE	F1 F2 F3 Press F3 = "MENU" To change instrument parameters F4
MENU	1 MEMORY 2 SYSTEM 3 OPTION 4 CALIBRATION 5 KEY LOCK		LAST DOWN SELECT	F1 F2 Move backlit box down list F3 Enter SYSTEM parameters
SYSTEM	SELECT FUNC. 1 CONTRAST 2 BEEPER VOL 3 DC 50V AGC	RMT LOCK OFST ERR : 6 : OFF : ON	UP DOWN NEXT	F4 F1 <
	1 - 16	RMT LOCK OFST ERR	EXIT UP	F4 ⊲ Return to MENU display F1 ⊲ Change Volume: HIGH/MED/LOW
SYSTEM	1 CONTRAST 2 BEEPER VOL 3 DC 50V AGC	: 6 OFF : 0N	DOWN NEXT	F2 Change Volume: HIGH/MED/LOW/OFF F3 Move backlit box to next parameter
	HIGH/MED/LOW	RMT LOCK OFST ERR	EXIT	F4 < Return to MENU display
SYSTEM	1 CONTRAST 2 BEEPER VOL 3 DC 50V AGC	: 6 : OFF : ON	UP DOWN NEXT	F1 Turn DC 50V AGC ON/OFF F2 Turn DC 50V AGC ON/OFF F3 Move backlit box to next parameter
	ON/OFF	RMT LOCK OFST ERR	EXIT	F4 < Return to MENU display

2.15.2.1 Contrast

The contrast parameter adjusts the brightness of the LCD display. The range is 1-16 with 16 being the darkest. The initial default setting is 6.

Press [F3] = MENU Press [F2] = DOWN to move the backlit box to 2. <u>SYSTEM</u> Press [F3] = SELECT to enter the SYSTEM function. The backlit box is next to 1. CONTRAST: <u>6</u> Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to increase/decrease the contrast of the display. Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MEMORY and return to MENU. Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MENU and return to STAND BY.

2.15.2.2 Beeper Volume

The beeper volume can be adjusted from low (soft) to medium (moderate) to high (loud) or it can be turned OFF. The initial default setting is high (loud).

Press [F3] = MENU

Press [F2] = DOWN to move the backlit box to 2. SYSTEM

Press [F3] = SELECT to enter the SYSTEM function.

Press [F2] = DOWN to move the backlit box to 2. BEEPER VOL.: HIGH

Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to increase/decrease the volume of the alarm.

Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MEMORY and return to MENU.

Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MENU and return to STAND BY.

2.15.2.3 DC 50V AGC

The Automatic Gain Control (AGC) circuit is used to keep the output signal of a circuit constant as the amplitude of the input signal varies. So when the DC 50V AGC function is ON, the output voltage is held at a constant amplitude for the DC hipot test. The DC 50V AGC function can be set ON or OFF and the initial setting is ON.

NOTE:

Only in highly specialized applications should the DC 50V AGC function be set to OFF. The default value is ON because in normal test modes, it is necessary to keep the output signal constant as the amplitude of the input signal varies to obtain stable results.

Press [F3] = MENU

Press [F2] = DOWN to move the backlit box to 2. SYSTEM

Press [F3] = SELECT to enter the SYSTEM function.

Press [F2] = DOWN to move the backlit box to 3. DC 50V AGC.: ON

Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to turn the DC automatic gain control circuit ON/OFF.

Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MEMORY and return to MENU.

Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MENU and return to STAND BY.

2.15.3 **OPTION**

Within the OPTION menu are three programmable parameters: RS232, GPIB and Print.

2.15.3.1 RS232

Within the RS232 menu there are three programmable parameters: baud rate, parity and flow control. The baud rate is adjustable as 300, 600, 1200, 2400 4800, 9600 or 19200 bps. The initial setting is 9600. The software flow control allows the RS232 interface to control the intake of data so the amount of data will not overload the I/O. Flow control of an RS232 interface is similar to DAV (Data is available and valid on data lines) on an IEEE interface.

Press [F3] = MENUPress [F2] = DOWN to move the backlit box to 3. OPTION Press [F3] = SELECT to enter the OPTION menu. The backlit box is next to 1. RS232 Press [F3] = SELECT to enter the RS232 menu. The backlit box is next to 1. BAUD RATE: 9600 Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to enter the baud rate (300/600/1200/2400/4800/9600/19200)Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to 2. PARITY: NONE Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to 2. PARITY: NONE Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to enter parity control as NONE, ODD or EVEN. Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to 3. FLOW CTRL: NONE Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to enter the flow control as NONE or SOFTWARE. Press [F4] = EXIT to exit OPTION and return to MENU. Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MENU and return to STAND BY.

2.15.3.2 GPIB (IEEE-488)

Within the GPIB menu there is one programmable function: GPIB address. The range for the IEEE-488 address is 0-30 and the initial instrument setting is 3.

Press [F3] = MENU

Press [F2] = DOWN to move the backlit box to 3. OPTION

Press [F3] = SELECT to enter the OPTION menu.

Press [f2] = DOWN to move the backlit box is next to 2. GPIB

Press [F3] = SELECT to enter the IEEE-488 menu.

The backlit box is next to 1. GPIB ADDR.: 3

Press [F1] = UP or [F2] = DOWN to enter the address (0-30)

Press [F4] = EXIT to exit OPTION and return to MENU.

Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MENU and return to STAND BY.

2.15.3.3 **PRINTER**

Within the Printer menu there are seven programmable parameters: Pass, Fail, Part No., Lot No., Serial No., Test Data, and Result. These parameters can be set to ON or OFF. The initial setting is OFF.

	A. AUTO PRINT		B. PRINT DATA			UP	F1 ┥	Toggle ON/OFF
PRINT MENU Display	1 PASS 2 FAIL 3 F. FEED	: ON : ON : ON	1 PART NO. 2 LOT NO. 3 SERIAL NO.	:	ON ON ON	DOWN	F2	
	5 T.TLLD	. 011	4 TEST DATA 5 RESULT	:	ON ON	ENTER	F3 ┥	Scroll through Print Options
	ON/OFF		RMT LOCK OFST		ERR	EXIT	F4	

Figure 2-11: Print Option Menu

- Press [F3] = MENU
- Press [F2] = DOWN to move the backlit box to 3. OPTION
- Press [F3] = SELECT to enter the OPTION menu.
- Press [F2] = DOWN so that the backlit box is next to 3. PRINTER
- Press [F3] = SELECT to enter the PRINTER menu.
- The backlit box is next to 1. PASS: ON
- Press [F1] = UP to turn Auto Print on Pass ON or OFF
- Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to 2. FAIL: ON
- Press [F1] = UP to turn Auto Print on Fail ON or OFF.
- Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to 3. F. FEED: ON
- Press [F1] = UP to turn the Form Feed function ON or OFF.
- Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to 1. PART NO: ON
- Press [F1] = UP to turn the Print Part Number function ON or OFF.
- Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to 2. LOT NO: ON
- Press [F1] = UP to turn the Print Lot Number function ON or OFF.
- Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to 3. SERIAL NO: ON
- Press [F1] = UP to turn the Print Serial Number function ON or OFF.
- Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to 4. TEST DATA: ON
- Press [F1] = UP to turn the Print Test Data function ON or OFF.
- Press [F3] = ENTER to move backlit box to 5. RESULT: ON
- Press [F1] = UP to turn the Print Result function ON or OFF.
- Press [F4] = EXIT to exit OPTION and return to MENU.

Press [F4] = EXIT to exit MENU and return to STAND BY.

Auto Print Functions:

These two functions are used to determine when print data is desired. Both Pass and Fail can be turned ON to obtain data from all tests.

Pass: When selected ON, the G1000 will send data to the printer when the test result is a Pass.

Fail: When selected ON, the G1000 will send data to the printer when the test result is a Fail.

F. Feed: When selected ON, the printer paper will automatically form feed at the end of the print out. This is used when one test result is desired per a page. If the printer is being used to log data and multiple tests are desired per a page, F. Feed should be set to OFF.

Print Data Functions:

These functions are used to determine what data is to be printed.

Part No.: When selected ON, the part number entered in the Preset section will print.
Lot No.: When selected ON, the lot number entered in the Preset section will print
Serial No.: When selected ON, the serial number entered in the Preset section will print
Test Data: When selected ON, the step #, mode, output voltage, measured current and result will print.
Result: When selected ON, the final Pass/Fail of all steps will print

Refer to paragraph "3.4 Printer Interface" for detail of print out.

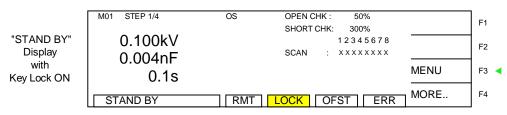
2.15.4 CALIBRATION

The CALIBRATION function requires a password to enter the instrument routine. Only qualified service personnel with NIST traceable standards should perform instrument calibration. Refer to paragraph 4.3 for the Guardian 1000 Series calibration procedure.

2.15.5 KEY LOCK

To lock out the PROGRAM and PRESET functions of the Guardian 1000 Series instrument use the KEY LOCK function in the MENU parameters. The range of KEY LOCK is ON or OFF and the initial instrument setting is OFF. To activate the KEY LOCK function:

Press [F3] = MENU Press [F2] = DOWN until KEY LOCK is backlit. Press [F3] = SELECT Display prompts 'PASSWORD' Press [A] [A] [A] [A] [ENTER] NOTE: AAAA is the default password. If password has been changed use the new password. Display prompts 'RECALL LOCK: YES' Press [F1] = YES to select KEY LOCK ON. NOTE: Selecting YES disallows the recalling of programmed tests from memory. The LOCK block at bottom of display is backlit. Press [F4] = EXIT to return to STAND BY status. PROGRAM and PRESET are no longer visible or functional.



To view/change system parameters: memory, system, option, calibration, key lock, password, error, & about.

Figure 2-12: Key Lock Display

To disable the KEY LOCK function, repeat above steps.

2.15.6 CHANGE PASSWORD

The Guardian 1000 Series instruments have a password function for locking out the front panel so that the instrument PRESET settings and PROGRAM function are disabled. A separate password is used to perform instrument calibration. Refer to paragraph 4.3. The CHANGE PASSWORD function applies to the initial instrument password. To activate the CHANGE PASSWORD function:

Press [F3] = MENU Press [F2] = DOWN until <u>CHANGE PASSWORD</u> is backlit. Press [F3] = SELECT Display prompts 'PASSWORD' Press [A] [A] [A] [A] [ENTER] Display prompts 'NEW PASSWORD' Press [B] [B] [B] [B] [ENTER] Display prompts 'CONFIRM' Press [B] [B] [B] [B] [ENTER] Display prompts 'CHANGE PASSWORD OK!! PRESS EXIT TO CONTINUE'

2.15.7 ERROR LOG

The Guardian 1000 Series instruments have an Error Log to track communication errors when the IEEE-488 interface or RS232 interface is being used. Refer to paragraph 3.3.5 and Table 3-5 for a list of error message numbers and their respective description. When the ERR block on the bottom of the display is backlit, there is an error message in the queue. To view the contents of the error log:

Press [F3] = MENU Press [F2] = DOWN until ERROR LOG is backlit. Press [F3] = SELECT Display lists the contents of the Error Log.

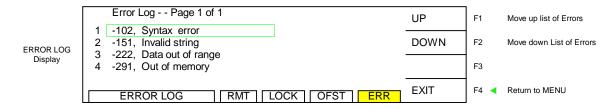


Figure 2-13: ERROR LOG Display

The queue will clear itself once the log has been viewed.

2.15.8 PRINT PROGRAM

When the G38 printer card is installed in the G1000 Series instrument, then this option can be selected. When F3 "Select" is pressed, the Guardian 1000 Series instrument will send the programmed test setup to the printer. Refer to paragraph 3.4 "Printer Interface" for detail of the print out.

Press [F3] = MENU Press [F2] = DOWN until PRINT PROGRAM is backlit. Press [F3] = SELECT Display lists the Print Option Menu. Refer to paragraph 2.15.3.3.

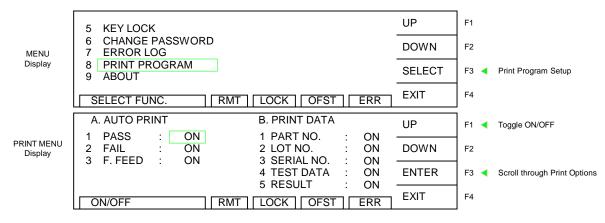


Figure 2-14: Select Print Program

2.15.9 ABOUT

The Guardian 1000 Series instruments have a parameter labeled 'About'. This parameter lists the instrument manufacturer, software version and date. To view the contents of ABOUT:

Press [F3] = MENU Press [F2] = DOWN until ABOUT is backlit. Press [F3] = SELECT Display lists the contents of ABOUT.

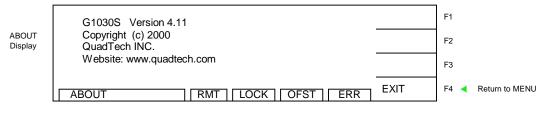


Figure 2-15: ABOUT Display

3.1 Remote

A 9-pin D-Series remote control connector is located on the rear panel of the Guardian 1000 Series instrument. There is a black 11 screw terminal strip for the remote output signals: UNDER TEST, PASS & FAIL and the remote inputs: START, RESET, COM AND INTERLOCK.

Inputs require a contact closure and outputs provide a contact closure. Figure 3-1 illustrates the Remote terminal strip connector and 9-pin D-Series connector.

Before connecting the instrument to its power source, the interlock function on the rear panel remote connector (terminal strip) must be properly utilized. This is an important safety feature for the protection of the operator. When the INTERLOCK jumper is removed, there is **no** high voltage at the OUTPUT. Therefore, to initiate a test make sure the interlock jumper is in place.

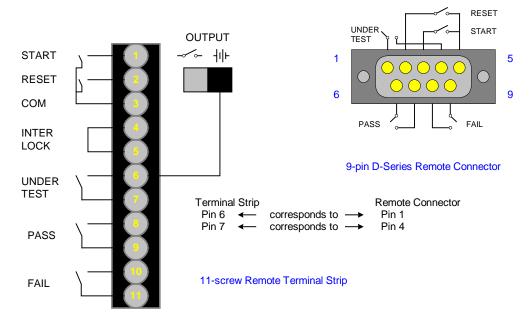


Figure 3-1: Guardian 1000 Series Remote Connectors

The Guardian 1000 Series instrument has three output signals on the rear panel. When the OUTPUT switch is in open (switch open), the UNDER TEST relay is closed during a test. The PASS relay is closed when the DUT is judged GOOD. The FAIL relay is closed when the DUT is judged NO GOOD. These relays are rated for voltage up to 115VAC and current <0.3A. When the OUTPUT switch is in the battery signal position, 24VDC 100mA output is present on both UNDER TEST terminals when the unit is in STAND BY mode. When the unit is testing, 24VDC is present only on the bottom (#7) UNDER TEST terminal.

Figures 3-2 and 3-3 illustrate possible remote control connections to the Guardian 1000 Series terminal strip. Use extreme care when using a remote control connection as the High Voltage Output is being turned ON and OFF with an external signal.

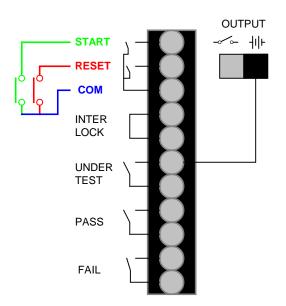


Figure 3-2: Single Control of START or RESET

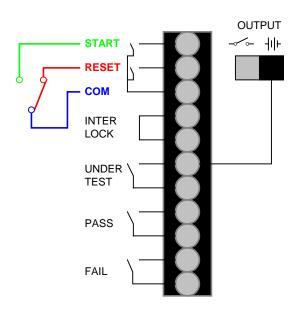


Figure 3-3: Continuous Control of RESET

START and RESET terminals have unregulated 24VDC present. To initiate a test connect the START and COM terminals. To terminate a test connect the RESET and COM terminals.

Figure 3-4 illustrates the timing diagram for the Guardian 1000 Series instruments under a PASS condition and a FAIL condition.

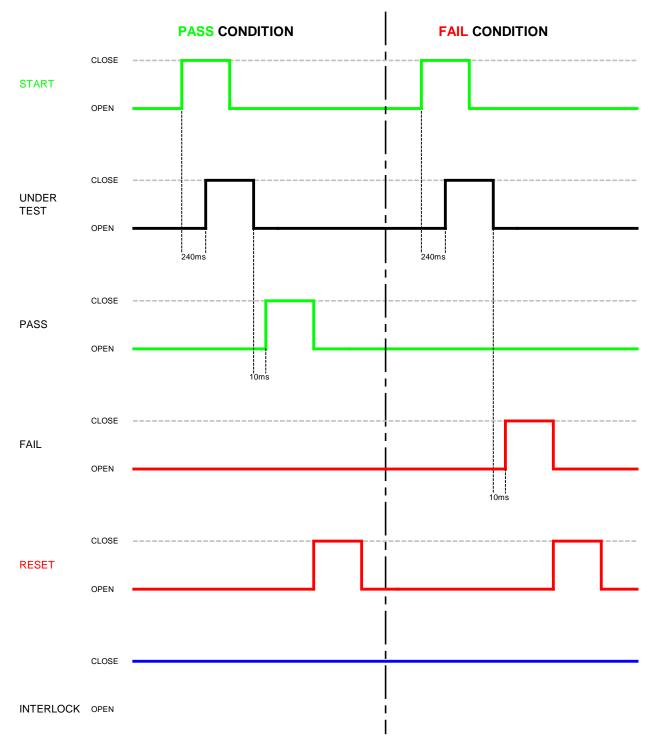


Figure 3-4: Guardian 1000 Series Timing Diagram

3.2 RS232 Interface

3.2.1 Pin Configuration

The Guardian 1000 Series instruments all come standard with an RS232 Interface for remote operation. Connection is through the silver 9-pin connector labeled 'RS232' on the rear panel of the Guardian 1000 Series instrument. Figure 3-5 illustrates the designation of the pins on the RS232 connector. The connection cable must be a 'straight through' cable for the G1000 series unit to communicate.

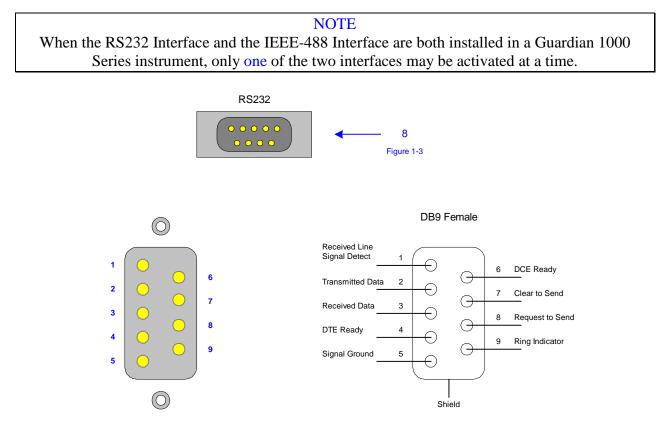


Figure 3-5: RS232 Pin Configuration

When the ERR box is backlit on the bottom of the display, there are error messages in the queue. Refer to paragraph 3.3.5, Table 3-7 for explanation of error messages. Refer to paragraph 2.15.7 for instructions on how to access and clear the error log.

3.2.2 RS232 Specifications

Data Bits:	8
Stop Bits:	1
Parity:	None, Odd, Even
Baud Rate:	0.3/0.6/1.2/2.4/4.8/9.6/19.2(k) Software selectable
EOS:	LF or CR + LF
Echo:	Off

Selecting the Baud Rate, Parity and Flow Control

Setting the Baud Rate is done in the OPTION function under MENU settings: From the STAND BY display, press [F3] = MENU. Press [F2] = DOWN two times to highlight OPTION. Press [F3] = SELECT to enter OPTION function. Press [F3] = SELECT to select RS232 function. Display shows "1. BAUD RATE : 9600" with rate highlighted. Press [F1] = UP to select baud rate. Press [F4] to EXIT OR Press [F3] = ENTER to change the parity. Display shows "2. PARITY : ODD" with parity bit highlighted. Press [F1] = UP to select parity. Press [F4] to EXIT OR Press [F3] = ENTER to change the flow control. Display shows "3. FLOW CTRL. : NONE" with parity bit highlighted. Press [F1] = UP to select software flow control or no flow control. Press [F4] to EXIT

The software flow control allows the RS232 interface to control the intake of data so the amount of data will not overload the I/O. Flow control of an RS232 interface is similar to DAV (Data is available and valid on data lines) on an IEEE interface.

3.2.3 RS232 Commands

The command set for the RS232 interface is the same as the IEEE-488 interface command set listed in paragraphs 3.3.3 through 3.3.5 of this instruction manual.

NOTE CR + LF are necessary end codes for the RS232 commands.

There are additional RS232 only commands on the following page.

Additional RS232 Commands

Some commands for RS232 use only are listed here. These commands follow the SCPI version 1999.0.

:SYSTem:LOCK:RELease ==> Change statue to local, as GPIB Go To Local. :SYSTem:LOCK:REQuest? ==> Change statue to Remote, return '1' if successful. :SYSTem:LOCK:OWNer? ==> Query the statue. :SYSTem:LOCk <Boolean> ==> As GPIB Local Lockout. :SYSTem:LOCk? ==> Query the Key Lock status.

3.2.4 Sample QuickBasic Program

REM Guardian 1000 series RS232 example program REM Created using Quick Basic

REM open serial port as device 1 OPEN "COM2:9600,N,8,1,RS," FOR RANDOM AS #1 CLS

REM Send STOP command to device PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STOP"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Ask device how many steps are programed PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:SNUMBer?"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

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INPUT #1, SNUMBer

REM Loop to delete any programed steps

IF SNUMBer > 0 THEN

FOR I = SNUMBer TO 0 STEP -1

IF I = 0 GOTO Program

temp$ = INPUT$(LOC(1), 1)

PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP", I, ":DELete"; CHR$(13); CHR$(10)

NEXT I

END IF
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Program: PRINT "Programing G1000" REM Program STEP 1 for AC HIPOT REM Program AC test voltage for 1000 V PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP1:AC:LEVel 1000"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program high current limit for 6 mA PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP1:AC:LIMit:HIGH 0.006"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program test time for 5 seconds PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP1:AC:TIME:TEST 5.0"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10) REM Program Low current limit off PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP1:AC:LIMit:LOW 0.0000"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program ARC limit for 0.9 mA PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP1:AC:LIMit:ARC:LEVel 0.0009"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program ramp time for 4 seconds PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP1:AC:TIME:RAMP 4.0"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program Real Current limit for 3 mA PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP1:AC:LIMit:REAL 0.0030"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program STEP 2 for DC HIPOT REM Program DC test voltage for 1000 V PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP2:DC:LEVel 1000"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program high current limit for 7 mA PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP2:DC:LIMIT:HIGH 7e-3"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program test time for 4 seconds PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP2:DC:TIME 4"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program low current limit for off PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP2:DC:LIMit:LOW 0.0000"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program Arc limit for 1 mA PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP2:DC:limit:ARC:LEVel 0.001"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program ramp time for 2 seconds PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP2:DC:TIME:RAMP 2.0"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program STEP 3 for IR Test

REM Program IR DC voltage for 100 V PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP3:IR:LEVel 100"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program low resitance limit for .4 Mohm PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP3:IR:LIMIT:LOW 400000"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program test time for 5 sec PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP3:IR:TIME 5"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program high resistance limit off

PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP3:IR:LIMit:HIGH 0.000"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

REM Program ramp time off PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STEP3:IR:TIME:RAMP 0.0"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:SNUMBer?"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10)

INPUT #1, STEPNUM% CLS **REM Start TEST** PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STARt"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10) PRINT " Testing" REM Check status of the test complete\$ = "0"WHILE complete\$ <> "1" PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:RESult:COMPlete?"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10) INPUT #1, complete\$ CLS IF complete\$ = "1" THEN PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STOP"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10) REM Print Output voltage for each step PRINT #1, "SAFEty:RESult:ALL:OMET?"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10) FOR j = 1 TO STEPNUM% INPUT #1, RESult\$ PRINT "Measured Output Voltage:" PRINT "step", j, ":", RESult\$ NEXT j PRINT **REM Print Measured result for each step** PRINT #1, "SAFEty:RESult:ALL:MMET?"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10) FOR j = 1 TO STEPNUM% INPUT #1, RESult\$ PRINT "Measured Result:" PRINT "step", j, ":", RESult\$ NEXT j END IF **WEND** PRINT #1, "SOURce:SAFEty:STOP"; CHR\$(13); CHR\$(10) CLOSE #1

END

3.3 IEEE-488 Interface

3.3.1 Pin Configuration

The Guardian 1000 Series instrument has an optional IEEE-488 interface that is factory installed when the instrument is ordered. Connection is through the blue 24-pin connector labeled 'GPIB' on the rear panel of the Guardian 1000 Series instrument. This interface can be used to connect a system containing a number of instruments and a controller in which each meets IEEE Standard 488.2 (Standard Digital Interface for Programmable Instrumentation). Figure 3-6 illustrates the designations of the pins on the IEEE-488 connector.

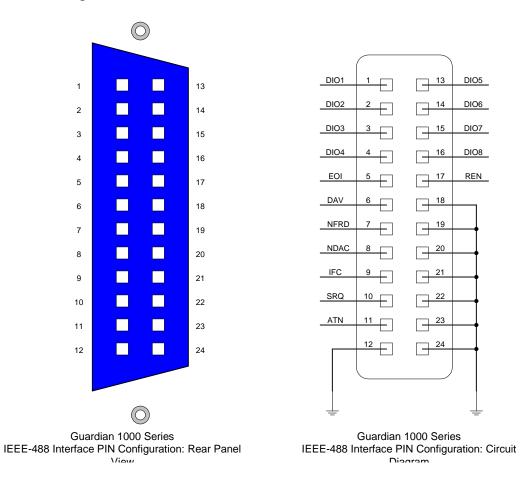


Figure 3-6: IEEE-488 Interface Pin Configuration

Table 3-1 lists the IEEE-488 Interface pin designations by pin number, signal name and pin function.

Signal	Pin	Function
Name	Number	T UICUOII
DAV	6	Low State: "Data is Available" and valid on DI01
DAV	0	
NIDED	7	through DI08
NRFD	7	Low State: At least one Listener on the bus is "Not
		Ready For Data"
NDAC	8	Low State: At least one Listener on the bus is "Not
		Accepting Data"
ATN	11	"Attention" specifies 1 of 2 uses for the DI01 through
		DI08 lines:
		Low State: Controller command messages
		High State: Data bytes from the Talker device
IFC	9	"Interface Clear"
		Low State: Returns portion of interface system to a
		known quiescent state
SRQ	10	"Service Request"
		Low State: A Talker or Listener signals (to the
		controller) need for attention in the midst of the current
		sequence of events.
REN	17	"Remote Enable"
		Low State: Enables each device to enter remote mode
		when addressed to listen.
		High State: All devices revert to Local control.
EOI	5	"End of Identify"
		If ATN is in HIGH state, then EOI LOW state indicates
		the end of a multiple-byte data transfer sequence.
		If ATN is in LOW state, then EOI LOW state indicates a
		parallel poll.
DI01	1	The 8-Line Data Bus.
DI02	2	
DI02	3	If ATN is in LOW state, then the bus conveys interface
DI03	4	messages.
DI04	13	If ATN is in HIGH state, then the bus conveys device-
DI05 DI06	13	dependent messages. (Example: carries remote control
DI00 DI07	14	commands from the controller or from a talker device)
DI08	16	

Table 3-1: IEEE-488 Interface Pin Designations

3.3.2 IEEE-488 Interface Codes and Messages

The IEEE-488 (GPIB) address is defined under the MAIN MENU in the OPTION MENU. Press [MAIN MENU] then the numerical key [2] to enter the OPTION MENU. Press function key [F2] to enter the GPIB SETUP menu. To select a new IEEE-488 address, use the function keys

The Guardian 1000 Series unit is in a remote control status when the \overline{RMT} block on the bottom right hand side of display is backlit.

To switch to Local from Remote press the [LOCAL] key, disabled by LLO message.

Table 3-2 defines the IEEE-488 interface codes and their function. Table 3-3 defines the IEEE-488 interface messages and their function.

Code	Function
SH1	Source Handshake
AH1	Acceptor Handshake
T4	Basic Talker Function
L4	Basic Listener Function
SR1	Service Request Function
RL1	All Remote/Local Function
PP0	No Parallel Poll Function
DC1	All Device Clear Function
DT0	Device Trigger Function
C0	No Controller Functions

Table 3-2: IEEE-488 Interface Functions

Table 3-3: IEEE-488 Interface Messages

Interface Message	Function	Description
GTL	Go To Local	Switch unit to local
SDC	Selected Device Clear	Reset the unit
LLO	Local Lockout	Disables [LOCAL] switch to local
IFC	Interface Clear	Reset IEEE-488 bus interface

3.3.3 IEEE-488 Interface Commands

The interface function is controlled by ASCII commands that include:

{[command + parameter] ; [command + parameter] + ending code}

The maximum string length is consists of 1024 characters. It is not necessary to input any sign or space between the command and parameter. Any two commands can be connected by "," and [Ending Code]. Ending Code can be any type in Table 3-4.

 Table 3-4: IEEE-488 Interface Ending Codes

Ending Code
LF
CR + LF
EOI
LF + EOI
CR + LF + EOI

NOTE The data can be sent out by the IEEE-488 interface to achieve transfer function. The data command is {string message + ending code}. The ending codes are in Table 3-4.

NOTE	
CR + LF are necessary ending codes for the RS232 Commands.	
ert + Er are necessary enang codes for the R5252 Commands.	

3.3.3.1 IEEE-488 Register Assignments

Table 3-5 lists the bit assignments for the Summary and Event registers. The configuration of these registers is illustrated in Figure 3-7.

Table 3-5:	Summary	Status	& Ev	ent Status	Registers
		10 00000000			

	Summary	Status Register	Event Status Register			
Bit	Decimal Value	Use	Bit	Decimal Value	Use	
0	1	Not Used	0	1	Operation Complete	
1	2	Has Result	1	2	Not Used	
2	4	Error/Event Queue	2	4	Query Error	
3	8	Not Used	3	8	Device Error (No device contact)	
4	16	Message Available	4	16	Execution Error (Over Range, etc.)	
5	32	Summary Standard Event Status Register	5	32	Command Error (Syntax)	
6	64	Request Service	6	64	Not Used	
7	128	Not Used	7	128	Power ON	

3.3.3.2 IEEE-488 Register Configuration

Figure 3-7 illustrates the configuration of the Summary (Status), Event and Enable Registers for the Guardian 1000 Series IEEE-488 Interface.

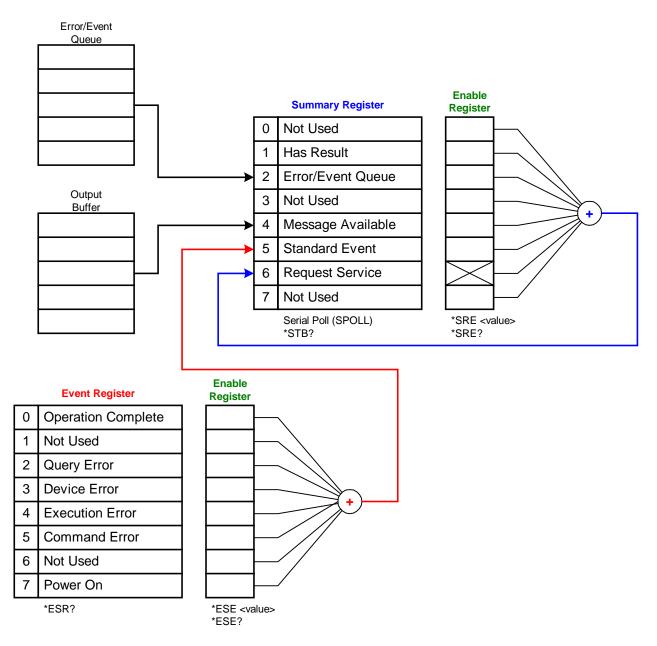


Figure 3-7: Guardian 1000 Series IEEE-488 Register Configuration

Command	Name	Function	Output Format
*CLS	Clear Status	Clear standard event status	
		register. Clear status bit group	
		register except for bit 4 (MAV)	
*ESE	Event Status Enable	Enable standard event status	0 - 255
		register value.	
*ESE?	Event Status Enable	Query standard event status of	0 - 255
		device enable register	
*ESR?	Event Status Register	Query standard event register	0 - 255
		value of device. After this	
		command, the standard register is	
		cleared to 0.	
*SRE	Service Request Enable	Enable service request register	0 - 255
		value.	
*SRE?	Service Request Enable	Query/Read service request	0 - 255
		register value.	
*STB?	Status Byte Register	Query/Read status byte register	0 - 255
		value	
*OPC	Operation Complete	Operation is complete.	
*OPC?	Operation Complete	Query operation complete.	1
*PSC 0 1	Power On	Clear status of Power On	
*PSC?	Power On	Query Power On.	1 or 0
*IDN?	Identification	Query/Read basic device data.	4 ID:
		(A comma separates the	Manufacturer,
		identification fields.)	Device Model,
			Serial Number,
			Firmware Version
*SAV	Save	Save current status to memory.	1 – 99
*RCL	Recall	Recall saved status from memory.	1 – 99

Table 3-6: IEEE-488 Commands

3.3.4 IEEE-488 & SCPI Command Summary

The SCPI (Standard Commands for Programmable Instruments) parameter syntax format is listed on the following pages. To illustrate the order of precedence the entire command list is scrolled through. The dual arrow symbol "<>" denotes the defined parameter is a standard SCPI command. The symbol "<numerical value>" denotes the metric system value. The symbol "
boolean>" denotes the Boolean equation data and its value is 0 or 1. The vertical line " |" denotes the OR parameter. When sending the G1000 series unit a decimal number it is necessary to have a zero before the decimal point. Example: DC: LIMit: HIGH: 0.004

:SYSTem

:VERSion?

Command: :SYSTem : VERSion?

This command queries the SCPI version of this device.

:ERRor

Command: :SYSTem : ERRor? This command reads the message in the Error Queue. Refer to paragraph 3.3.5 for Error Messages

:LOCk

:REQuest?1

Command: :SYSTem : LOCk : REQuest?1

This command locks the front panel (disables start from front panel).

:RELease

Command: :SYSTem : LOCk : RELease

This command unlocks the front panel (enables start from front panel).

:KLOCk1

Command: :SYSTem : KLOCk1

This command locks local controls.

:MEMory

:STATe

:DEFine <name>, Location

Command: :MEMory : STATe : DEFine NAME, LOCATION This command saves setup with name and location.

:LABEl <register name>

Command: :MEMory : STATe : LABEl ? <register number>

This command queries the memory location name.

Note: if location name is ABC, response is "ABC". If no location name, response is "".

:DELete

:NAME <name>

Command: :MEMory : DELete : NAME

This command deletes the data in main memory under defined name.

:FREE

:STEP? Command: MEMory : FREE : STEP? This command queries the next free step in main memory. :PRESet? Command: :MEMory : FREE : PRESet? This command queries the next free preset number in main memory.

:SOURce

:SAFEty

:STARt

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STARt

This command starts the test.

:OFFSet GET OFF

 $Command:: SOURce: SAFEty: STARt: OFFSet \ GET$

This command gets the offset value.

Command: : SOURce : SAFEty : STARt : OFFSet OFF

This command turns the offset function off.

:OFFSet?

Command: : SOURce : SAFEty : STARt : OFFSet? This command queries if the offset function is ON or OFF.

:CSTANDARD

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STARt : CSTANDARD This command get Cs value for OSC mode.

:STOP

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STOP

This command stops the test.

:STATus?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STATus?

This command queries the execution status of the current device under test. The return character data is RUNNING | STOPPED

:RESult

:ALL

:JUDGment?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : RESult : ALL : JUDGment? This command queries all the judgment results.

Note: Send this command **only when the test is stopped.** For JUDGment queries **during a test**, please use the command SOURce : SAFEty : RESult : LAST : JUDGment.

The return format is:

PASS	74	116
USER STOP	71	113
CAN NOT TEST	72	114
TESTING	73	115
STOP	70	112

	AC N	/ODE	DC N	/ODE	IR M	ODE	OSC MODE	
	HEX	DEC	HEX	DEC	HEX	DEC	HEX	DEC
HI	11	17	21	33	31	49		
LO	12	18	22	34	32	50		
ARC	13	19	23	35	33			
IO	14	20	24	36	34	52		
Check Low			25	37				
ADV OVER	16	22	26	38	36	54		
ADI OVER	17	23	27	39	37	55		
REAL HIGH	1a	26						
GR CONT.	78	120	78	120	78	120		
GFI	79	121	79	121	79	121		
IO-F	16	27	26	43				

	AC MODE		DC MODE		IR MODE		OSC MODE	
	HEX	DEC	HEX	DEC	HEX	DEC	HEX	DEC
OPEN							61	97
SHORT							62	98

:OMETerage?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : RESult : ALL : OMETerage? This command queries all the voltage (output meter) readings for the step. :MMETerage? Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : RESult : ALL : MMETerage? This command queries all the Measure Meter readings for the step. :RMETerage? Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : RESult : ALL : RMETerage? This command queries all the Real Current Meter readings for the step. :TIME :TEST? Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : RESult : ALL : TIME : TEST? This command reads back all step test times including failure times. :LAST :JUDGment? Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : RESult : LAST : JUDGment? This command queries status while testing. :RESult :COMPleted? Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : RESult : COMPlete? This command queries if all the test results are completed. The return format is a "1" or a "0". :AREPort <Boolean> ON | OFF (RS232 Interface only)

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : RESult : AREPort

This command sets the Automatic Reporting of the test results.

:AREPort ? (RS232 Interface only)

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : RESult : AREPort?

This command queries if the Automatic Reporting of test results is ON or OFF.

The return format is a "1" or a "0".

:SNUMber?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : SNUMber?

This command queries the step number being set in memory.

:STEP <n>

:DELete

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP : DELete

This command clears all setting values in selected step to the initial value.

<n> denotes the step number. Range: $1 \le n \le 99$.

:SET?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP : SET?

This command queries all setting values in selected step.

:MODE?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : MODE?

This command queries the test Mode of the selected step.

The return format is: $AC \mid DC \mid IR$.

<numeric value> 0, 1 - 5 (1 = 100%, 5 = 500%)

:OSC

:LIMIT

:OPEN <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce:SAFEty:STEP<n>:OSC:LIMIT:OPEN This command sets the Open circuit percentage

<numeric value> 0.5 to 1 (0.5 = 50%)

:SHORT <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce:SAFEty:STEP<n>:OSC:LIMIT:SHORT This command sets the Short circuit percentage

:STEP <n>

:AC

:LEVel <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : LEVEL This command sets the AC voltage level for the selected step.

<numeric value> is 50 to 5000 and the unit is volts.

:LEVel?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : LEVEL?

This command queries the AC voltage level for the selected step.

The return format is a numerical value: $50 \le \text{value} \le 5000 \text{ volts}$.

:LIMit

:HIGH <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : LIMit : HIGH This command sets the high current limit for the selected step. <numeric value> is 0.000001 to 0.030 and the unit is amps.

:HIGH?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : LIMit : HIGH? This command queries the high current limit for the selected step.

:REAL: HIGH <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : LIMit : REAL : HIGH This command sets the high limit for real current. Valid for AC Hipot test only. <numeric value> is 0.000001 to 0.030 and the unit is amps. 0 = OFF :REAL?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : LIMit : REAL : HIGH? This command queries the high limit for the real current test.

:LOW <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP $\langle n \rangle$: AC : LIMit : LOW This command sets the low current limit for the selected step. \langle numeric value \rangle is 0 to 0.030 and the unit is amps. 0 = OFF :LOW?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : LIMit : LOW? This command queries the low current limit for the selected step.

:ARC <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : LIMit : ARC This command sets the arc current limit for the selected step. <numeric value> is 0 to 0.030 and the unit is amps. 0 = OFF :ARC? Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : LIMit : ARC? This command queries the arc current limit for the selected step.

:TIME

:RAMP <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : TIME : RAMP This command sets the ramp time for the selected step.

<numeric value> is 0, 0.1 to 999 and the unit is seconds. 0 = OFF **:RAMP?**

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : TIME : RAMP? This command queries the ramp time for the selected step.

:TEST <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : TIME : TEST This command sets the test time for the selected step.

<numeric value> is 0, 0.3 to 999 and the unit is seconds. 0 = OFF **:TEST?**

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : TIME : TEST? This command queries the test time for the selected step.

:FALL <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : TIME : FALL This command sets the fall time for the selected step.

<numeric value> is 0 to 999 and the unit is seconds. 0 = OFF
:FALL?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : TIME : FALL? This command queries the fall time for the selected step.

:CHANnel (@ <1> (<channel list>))

:HIGH <channel list>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : CHANnel : HIGH (@ 1 (<channel list>)) This command sets the high scan channels for the selected step.

:HIGH?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : CHANnel : HIGH?

This command queries the high scan channels for the selected step.

:LOW <channel list>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : CHANnel : LOW (@ 1 (<channel list>)) This command sets the low scan channels for the selected step.

:LOW?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : AC : CHANnel : LOW? This command queries the low scan channels for the selected step.

Example:

The command :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP 1 : AC : CHANnel : HIGH (@ 1 (1:4)) Sets Channels 1 through 4 HIGH.

NOTE: Channel list must be 0 (zero) when no channels are set high or low.

Example: to turn a Channel OFF, proceed as follows:

:SOURce : SAFEty : STEP 1 : AC : CHANnel : HIGH (@ 1 (0))

Sets the channel that is currently HIGH to OFF.

:SOURce : SAFEty : STEP 1 : AC : CHANnel : LOW (@ 1 (0)) Sets the channel that is currently LOW to OFF.

:DC

:LEVel <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : LEVEL This command sets the DC voltage level for the selected step. <numeric value> is 50 to 6000 and the unit is volts. :LEVel?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : LEVEL? This command queries the AC voltage level for the selected step. The return format is a numerical value: $50 \le value \le 6000$ volts. :LIMit

:HIGH <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : LIMit : HIGH This command sets the high current limit for the selected step. <numeric value> is 0.0000001 to 0.010 and the unit is amps.

:HIGH?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : LIMit : HIGH? This command queries the high current limit for the selected step.

:LOW <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : LIMit : LOW This command sets the low current limit for the selected step. <numeric value> is 0 to 0.010 and the unit is amps. 0 = OFF :LOW?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : LIMit : LOW? This command queries the low current limit for the selected step. :ARC <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n>: DC : LIMit : ARC This command sets the arc current limit for the selected step. <numeric value> is 0 to 0.010 and the unit is amps. 0 = OFF :ARC?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : LIMit : ARC? This command queries the arc current limit for the selected step.

:TIME

:RAMP <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : TIME : RAMP This command sets the ramp time for the selected step. <numeric value> is 0 to 999 and the unit is seconds. 0 = OFF

:RAMP?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : TIME : RAMP? This command queries the ramp time for the selected step.

:TEST <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : TIME : TEST This command sets the test time for the selected step.

<numeric value> is 0, 0.3 to 999 and the unit is seconds. 0 =Continuous **:TEST?**

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : TIME : TEST? This command queries the test time for the selected step.

:FALL <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : TIME : FALL This command sets the fall time for the selected step. <numeric value> is 0 to 999 and the unit is seconds. 0 = OFF :FALL?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : TIME : FALL? This command queries the fall time for the selected step.

:CHANnel (@ <1> (<channel list>))

:HIGH <channel list>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : CHANnel : HIGH (@1 (<channel list>)) This command sets the high scan channels for the selected step.

:HIGH?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : CHANnel : HIGH?

This command queries the high scan channels for the selected step.

:LOW <channel list>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : CHANnel : LOW (@1(<channel list>)) This command sets the low scan channels for the selected step.

:LOW?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : DC : CHANnel : LOW? This command queries the low scan channels for the selected step.

NOTE: Channel list must be 0 (zero) when no channels are set high or low.

:IR

:LEVel <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : IR : LEVEL This command sets the DC voltage level for the selected step. <numeric value> is 50 to 1000 and the unit is volts.

:LEVel?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP $\langle n \rangle$: IR : LEVEL? This command queries the AC voltage level for the selected step. The return format is a numerical value: $50 \leq value \leq 1000$ volts. :LIMit

:HIGH <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : IR : LIMit : HIGH This command sets the high resistance limit for the selected step. <numeric value> is 0 to 50G and the unit is ohms. 0 = OFF :HIGH?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : IR : LIMit : HIGH? This command queries the high current limit for the selected step. :LOW <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : IR : LIMit : LOW This command sets the low resistance limit for the selected step. <numeric value> is 0.1 to 50000M and the unit is ohms.

:LOW?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : IR : LIMit : LOW? This command queries the low current limit for the selected step.

:TIME

:RAMP <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP $\langle n \rangle$: IR : TIME : RAMP This command sets the ramp time for the selected step. $\langle numeric value \rangle$ is 0 to 999 and the unit is seconds. 0 = OFF •PAMP?

:RAMP?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : IR : TIME : RAMP? This command queries the ramp time for the selected step.

:TEST <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : IR : TIME : TEST This command sets the test time for the selected step.

<numeric value> is 0, 0.3 to 999 and the unit is seconds. 0 =Continuous **:TEST?**

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : IR : TIME : TEST?

This command queries the test time for the selected step.

:FALL <numeric value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP $\langle n \rangle$: IR : TIME : FALL This command sets the fall time for the selected step.

<numeric value> is 0 to 999 and the unit is seconds. 0 = OFF :FALL?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : IR : TIME : FALL? This command queries the fall time for the selected step.

:CHANnel (@ <1> (<channel list>))

:HIGH <channel list>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : IR : CHANnel : HIGH (@ 1 (<channel list>)) This command sets the high scan channels for the selected step.

:HIGH?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : IR : CHANnel : HIGH? This command queries the high scan channels for the selected step.

:LOW <channel list>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : IR : CHANnel : LOW (@ 1 (<channel list>)) This command sets the low scan channels for the selected step.

:LOW?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : STEP <n> : IR : CHANnel : LOW? This command queries the low scan channels for the selected step.

NOTE:

Channel list must be 0 (zero) when no channels are set high or low.

:PRESet

:KEYboard : SMARt

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : KEYboard : SMARt? This command queries if the Smart Key function is ON or OFF. Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : KEYboard : SMARt <boolean> |ON |OFF This command turns the Smart Key function ON or OFF.

:TIME

:PASS <numerical value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : TIME : PASS

This command sets the time the pass relay on the remote I/O is closed when result is pass. <numeric value> is a value between 0.2 and 99.9 and the unit is seconds.

:PASS?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : TIME : PASS?

This command queries the set time for the pass relay on the remote I/O to be closed.

:STEP <numerical value> | KEY

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : TIME : STEP

This command sets the interval time between steps.

<numeric value> is a value or character key between 0.1 and 99.9 seconds. **:STEP?**

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : TIME : STEP?

This command queries the interval time between tests.

:JUDGment <numerical value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : TIME : JUDGment

This command sets the time between measurement and judgment.

<numeric value> is a value between 0.1 and 99.9 and the unit is seconds.

:JUDGment?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : TIME : JUDGment? This command queries the time between measurement and judgment.

:AC

:FREQuency <numerical value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : AC : FREQuency This command sets the test frequency for AC Hipot Test. <numeric value> is a value between 50 and 600 and the unit is Hz.

:FREQuency?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : AC : FREQuency? This command queries the test frequency for the AC Hipot Test.

:WRANge

:AUTO <boolean> ON OFF

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : WRANge : AUTO This command sets the Auto Range function ON or OFF. <boolean value> is a "1" or a "0".

:AUTO?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : WRANge : AUTO? This command queries the status of the Auto Range function. The return value is a "1" or a "0".

:AGC

:SOFTware <boolean> ON | OFF

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : AGC : SOFTware This command sets the software Automatic Gain Control function ON or OFF. <boolean value> is a "1" or a "0".

:SOFTware?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : AGC : SOFTware?

This command queries the status of the software Automatic Gain Control function. The return value is a "1" or a "0".

:GCONtinuity <boolean> ON OFF

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : GCONtinuity

This command sets the Ground Continuity Check function ON or OFF.

<boolean value> is a "1" or a "0".

:GCONtinuity?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : GCONtinuity?

This command queries if the Ground Continuity Check function ON or OFF. The return value is a "1" or a "0".

:GFI <boolean> ON OFF

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : GFI

This command sets the Ground Fault Interrupt function to OFF or ON.

GFI?

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : GFI?

This command queries the status of the Ground Fault Interrupt function.

The return character is "0" or "1".

0 = OFF and 1 = ON

:FAIL

:OPERation STOP|CONTinue|RESTart

:SOURce: SAFEty: PRESet: FAIL: OPERation

This command sets AFTER FAIL parameter of PRESET.

Parameter STOP is to stop the test.

Parameter RESTart is FAIL occurred then press START to retest.

Example :Input command "SAFE:PRES:FAIL:OPER CONT"

Description : This command means the function of AFTER FAIL is set to CONTINUE.

:RJUDgment <Boolean> ON|OFF

:SOURce:SAFEty:PRESet:RJUDgment

This command sets the Ramp Judgment function to ON or OFF.

:NUMber

:PART <alpha or numerical value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : NUMber : PART

This command sets the part number for the device under test.

<alpha or numeric value> is a value of 0-13 alpha or numeric characters. **:PART?**

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : NUMber : PART?

This command queries the part number of the device under test.

:LOT <alpha or numerical value>

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : NUMber : LOT

This command sets the lot number for the device under test.

<alpha or numeric value> is a value of 0-13 alpha or numeric characters. **:LOT?**

Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : NUMber : LOT?

This command queries the lot number of the device under test. **:SERIal <alpha or numerical value>** Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : NUMber : SERIal This command sets the serial number format. <alpha or numeric value> is a value of 0-13 alpha or numeric characters. **:SERIal?** Command: :SOURce : SAFEty : PRESet : NUMber : SERIal? This command queries the serial number.

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3.3.5 Error Messages

Error messages are saved in an error queue that is accessed by the FIFO method. The first return error message is the first saved in the queue. When the error message queue is over 30 messages, the error message "Queue overflow" will be displayed. The error queue cannot save any more error messages until this queue is cleared. When there is no error in the queue, the first position in the queue displays "No error". Table 3-7 lists the error messages by number and description. When the ERR box is backlit on the bottom of the display, there are error messages in the queue.

#	Туре	Description
-102	Syntax Error	Command includes a prohibited character or symbol
-108	Parameter Not Allowed	Device received a prohibited parameter
-109	Missing Parameter	Parameter missing from programming
-112	Mnemonic Too Long	Command program header is > 12 characters
-113	Undefined Header	Device received undefined header.
-114	Header Suffix Out of Range	Header suffix is out of range
-140	Character Data Error	The input character data is error
-141	Invalid Character Data	
-151	Invalid String of Data	Invalid string (usually missing double quotation marks)
-158	String Not Allowed	Data string is not allowed.
-170	Expression Error	Device received incomplete parameter data.
-171	Invalid Expression Error	Device received missing parameter data.
-203	Command Protected	The device does not receive this command.
-222	Data Out of Range	Data is out of range.
-223	Too Much Data	Received string length is over, can't execute.
-290	Memory Use Error	Store or read the memory is error.
-291	Out of Memory	No memory left
-292	Referenced Name	Queried a name that does not exist
-293	Referenced Name	Cannot save a name that already exists
-350	Queue Overflow	The error message, which saved number in queue over
		30.
-361	Parity Error	Wrong parity in program message
-363	Input Buffer Overrun	Device received over 1024 characters
-365	Time Out Error	Device did not receive end character within certain time
-400	Queue Error	Output queue data is > 256 characters
-410	Query Interrupted	Query interrupted because query result from previous
		query has not yet been read.
-420	Query Terminated	Query terminated because the output queue data cannot
		be read when there is NO data in the queue.

Table 3-7: IEEE-488 Error Messages

3.3.6 Sample IEEE-488 Basic Programs

Included herein are two sample Basic programs. The first will program and run a two-step test and print the results. The second will program a two-step test and save it to G1000 instrument memory. This second program also adds two additional test steps, stores them in a second memory location then recalls first memory location for test.

REM-----REM G1000 IEEE sample program
REM Please run the ULI file before this program.
REM GPIB address is 3
REM-------

REM This sample will program and run a two step test.

REM Step 1 is a DC Hipot test at 1000 V

REM Step 2 is an AC Hipot test at 1000 V

REM The results of the test will be printed

CLS

PRINT "Program is running" OPEN "gpib0" FOR OUTPUT AS #1 OPEN "gpib0" FOR INPUT AS #2 PRINT #1, "abort" PRINT #1, "GPIBEOS IN LF" PRINT #1, "Remote 03"

REM Send Stop command to G1000 PRINT #1, "output 3;:SOURce:SAFEty:STOP" REM Ask G1000 how many steps are currently programed PRINT #1, "output 3;:SOURce:SAFEty:SNUMBer?" PRINT #1, "enter 3" INPUT #2, STEPNUM%

REM Delete programed steps PRINT "DELETE STEPS"

IF STEPNUM% > 0 THEN FOR I = STEPNUM% TO 1 STEP -1 PRINT #1, "output 3;:SOURce:SAFEty:STEP", I, ":DELete" NEXT I END IF

CLS REM Program Tester PRINT "PROGRAM STEPS"

REM Program Step 1 DC test voltage 1 for 1000 V PRINT #1, "output 3;:SOURce:SAFEty:STEP 1:DC 1000"

REM Program high current limit for 0.4 mA PRINT #1, "output 3;:SOURce:SAFEty:STEP 1:DC:LIMit:HIGH 0.0004"

REM Program Test time for 2 seconds PRINT #1, "output 3;:SOURce:SAFEty:STEP 1:DC:TIME 2" REM Program Step 2 AC test voltage for 1000 V PRINT #1, "output 3;:SOURce:SAFEty:STEP 2:AC 1000" REM Program high current limit for 0.2 mA PRINT #1, "output 3;:SOURce:SAFEty:STEP 2:AC:LIMit 0.0002" REM Program test time for 3 seconds PRINT #1, "output 3;:SOURce:SAFEty:STEP 2:AC:TIME:TEST 3" REM Send stop command to G1000 PRINT #1, "output 3;:SOURce:SAFEty:STOP" REM Send start command to G1000 PRINT #1, "output 3;:SOURce:SAFEty:STARt" REM Check status of G1000 complete\$ = "0"WHILE complete\$ <> "1" PRINT #1, "output 3;:SAFEty:RESult:COMPlete?" PRINT #1, "enter 3" INPUT #2, complete\$ IF complete\$ = "1" THEN PRINT #1, "output 3;:SOURce:SAFEty:STOP" PRINT #1, "output 3;:SAFEty:RESult:ALL:OMET?" PRINT #1, "enter 3" FOR j = 1 TO STEPNUM% INPUT #2, result\$ PRINT "Measured Output Voltage" PRINT "step", j, ":", result\$ NEXT j PRINT PRINT #1, "output 3;:SAFEty:RESult:ALL:MMET?" PRINT #1, "enter 3" FOR j = 1 TO STEPNUM% INPUT #2, result\$ PRINT "Measured Result" PRINT "step", j, ":", result\$ NEXT j END IF WEND PRINT #1, "output 3;:SOURce:SAFEty:STOP" **CLOSE : SYSTEM** END

REM ------

REM G1000 IEEE Sample Program 2

REM Please run the ULI file before this program

REM G1000 GPIB address is 3

REM -----

REM This program will set a two step AC hipot test and save it to REM Memory location 1. It will then add two additional steps and REM save it to Memory location 3. Finally it will recall Memory REM location 1.

REM ****In order for this program to function the way it was

REM ****intended be sure there are no steps present in the

REM ****standby mode before running this program

OPEN "gpib0" FOR OUTPUT AS #1 OPEN "gpib0" FOR INPUT AS #2

PRINT #1, "abort"

PRINT #1, "GPIBEOS IN LF"

PRINT #1, "output 3;SOURce:SAFEty:STOP"

PRINT #1, "output 3;SOURce:SAFEty:STEP1:AC:LEVel 600"

PRINT #1, "output 3;SOURce:SAFEty:STEP1:AC:LIMit:HIGH 0.0004"

PRINT #1, "output 3;SOURce:SAFEty:STEP2:AC:LEVel 500" PRINT #1, "output 3;SOURce:SAFEty:STEP2:AC:LIMit:HIGH 0.0003"

REM Save programed steps to memory location 1 and label it ACAC PRINT #1, "output 3;*SAV 1" PRINT #1, "output 3;MEMory:STATE:DEFine ACAC,1"

PRINT #1, "output 3;SOURce:SAFEty:STEP3:DC:LEVel 700" PRINT #1, "output 3;SOURce:SAFEty:STEP3:DC:LIMit:LOW 0.0001"

PRINT #1, "output 3;SOURce:SAFEty:STEP4:IR:LEVel 800" PRINT #1, "output 3;SOURce:SAFEty:STEP4:IR:LIMit:HIGH 5000000"

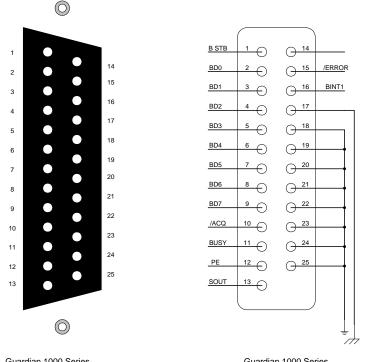
REM Save 4 step test in location 3, label as ACACDCIR PRINT #1, "output 3;*SAV 3" PRINT #1, "output 3;MEMory:state:DEFine ACACDCIR,3"

REM Recall ACAC from memory location 1 PRINT #1, "output 3;*RCL 1"

CLOSE : SYSTEM

3.4 Printer Interface

An optional Printer Interface is available for the Guardian 1000 Series Instrument. The Printer interface takes the place of the IEEE-488 interface and is factory installed when the unit is ordered. Connection is through the black 25-pin connector labeled 'GPIB' on the rear panel of the Guardian 1000 Series instrument. Figure 3-8 illustrates the Printer interface pin designation.



Guardian 1000 Series PRINTER Interface PIN Configuration: Rear Panel View

Guardian 1000 Series PRINTER Interface PIN Configuration: Circuit Diagram

Figure 3-8: Printer Interface Pin Configuration

The following printers have been tested with the G38 printer interface: Epson Stylus Color 440, Epson Stylus Color 460, Epson Stylus Photo 720, Epson LQ570C+ dot matrix, Epson LX-300 and HP DeskJet 648C. Included are two sample printouts: "Print Program" and "Auto Print".

When **Print Program** is selected, the programmed test parameters will print:

STEP 1 AC VOLT: 0.050kV TIME: 3.0S HIGH: 0.500mA LOW : OFF ARC : OFF RAMP: OFF REAL: OFF 12345678 SCAN: XXXXXXXX _____ STEP 2 DC VOLT: 0.054kV TIME: 3.0s HIGH: 0.500mA LOW : OFF ARC : OFF RAMP: OFF 12345678 SCAN: XXXXXXX STEP 3 IR VOLT: 0.500kV TIME: 3.0s LOW : 1.0MO HIGH: OFF RAMP: OFF 12345678 SCAN: XXXXXXXX ------

The following will print when Auto Print: Pass and Fail and all Print Data options are turned ON:

3.5 G16 International Power Strip

The Guardian 1000 Series instrument can be connected to the G16 International Power Strip as illustrated in Figure 3-9 for safety testing of many European corded products.

*Australia	*United Kingdom
*North America	*Norway
*Sweden	*Germany
*Austria	*Switzerland

*Denmark *Finland *Netherlands *Italy

The three G-16 ground connectors are connected to the Guardian 1000 RTN/LOW terminal. There is a second RTN/LOW terminal on the rear of the Guardian 1000 Series instrument.

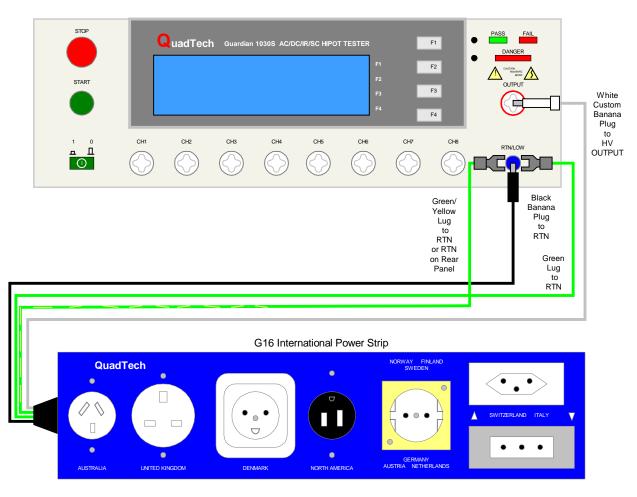


Figure 3-9: G16 International Power Strip Connection to Guardian 1000 Series Instrument

3.6 S07 Power Entry Adaptor Cable

The S07 Power Entry Adaptor Cable is a 3-wire AC inlet receptacle for precise testing of corded products. The S07 cable is connected to the Guardian 1000 Series instrument via a two-lead set. The white custom banana plug is connected to the OUTPUT terminal on the G1000 unit. The black banana plug with retaining bracket is connected to the RTN/LOW terminal on the G1000 unit. Figure 3-10 illustrates this connection of the S07 cable to a Guardian 1030S instrument.

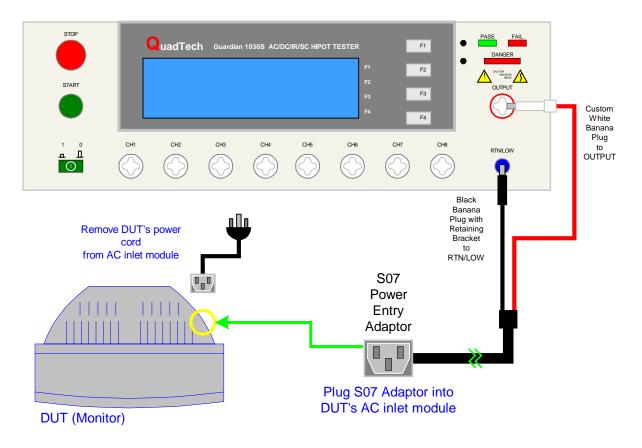
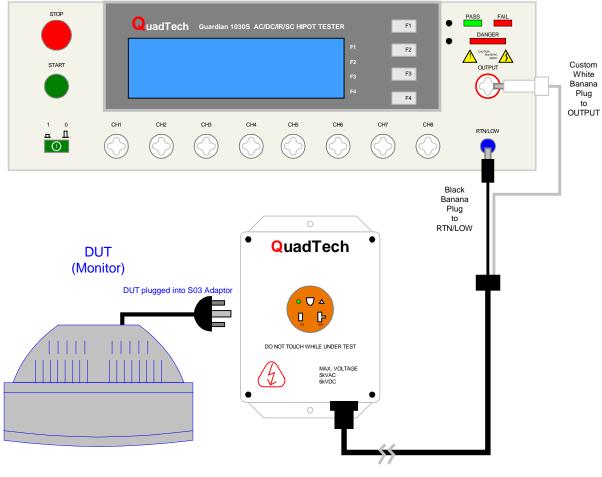


Figure 3-10: S07 Power Entry Adaptor Cable

3.7 S03 Corded Product Adaptor (115V)

The S03 Corded Product Adaptor is a 3-prong electrical outlet box to facilitate testing of corded products. The S03 cable is connected to the Guardian 1000 Series instrument via a two-lead set. The white custom banana plug is connected to the OUTPUT terminal on the G1000 unit. The black banana plug is connected to the RTN/LOW terminal on the G1000 unit. Figure 3-11 illustrates this connection of the S03 cable to a Guardian 1030S instrument.



S03 Corded Product Adaptor

Figure 3-11: S03 Corded Product Adaptor

3.8 S05 Foot Switch

The S05 Foot Switch provides hands-free remote testing capability. The spade leads on the S05 Foot Switch are connected (screwed) to the terminal strip on the rear panel of the Guardian 1000 Series instrument. The white wire/spade connector is screwed to the START terminal and the red wire/spade connector is screwed to the COM terminal. Figure 3-12 illustrates this connection of the S05 Foot Switch to a Guardian 1000 Series instrument.

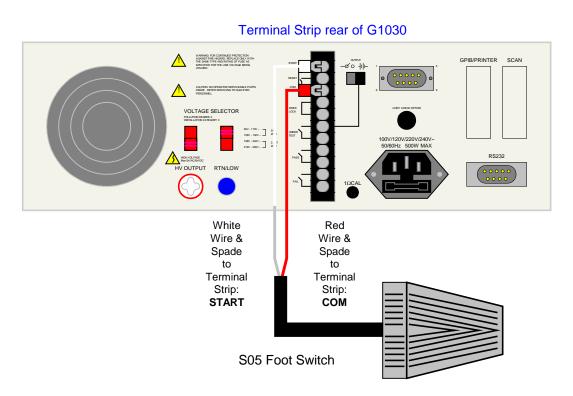


Figure 3-12: S05 Foot Switch

3.9 S08 Gun Probe

The S08 Gun Probe provides fast testing capability with pinpoint control. The custom white banana plug is connected to the OUTPUT terminal on the front panel of the Guardian 1000 Series instrument. Figure 3-13 illustrates this connection of the S08 probe to a Guardian 1030S unit.

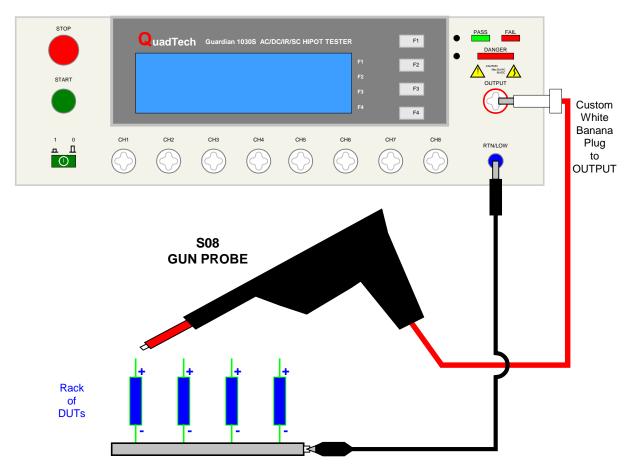


Figure 3-13: S08 Gun Probe

3.10 Guardian 1050 Ground Bond Tester

The Guardian 1000 Series instrument can be connected to the Guardian 1050 Ground Bond Tester for high current ground testing between chassis and power cord ground. The output current is programmable from 1A to 30A AC in 0.01A increments and resistance can be measured over the range $0.1m\Omega$ to $510m\Omega$. The rear panels of the Guardian 1000 Series instrument and Guardian 1050 instrument are connected via the S15 9-pin interconnection cable. Figure 3-14 illustrates the front panel connections of the two instruments.

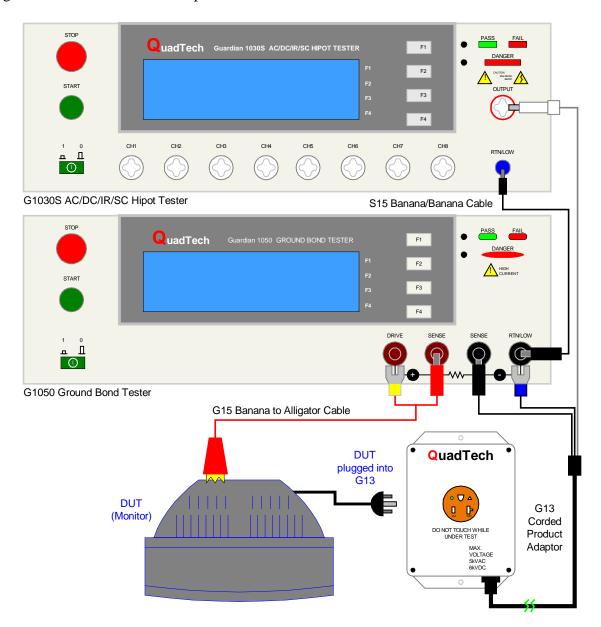


Figure 3-14: Guardian 1030S & Guardian 1050 Connection

Section 4: Service & Calibration

4.1 General

Our warranty (at the front of this manual) attests to the quality of materials and workmanship in our products. If malfunction should be suspected or other information be desired, applications engineers are available for technical assistance. Application assistance is available in the U.S. by calling 800-253-1230 and asking for Applications Support. For support outside of the United States, please contact your local <u>QuadTech Distributor</u>.

4.2 Instrument Return

Before returning an instrument to QuadTech for <u>Service</u> please obtain an <u>online Return Materials</u> <u>Authorization Number (RMA#)</u>. This number, when placed on the outside of the shipping package, will speed processing at our Service Lab and will serve as a reference number for the time your unit is at QuadTech. Please contact our **Customer Care Center (CCC)** at **800-253-1230** for additional support. The CCC phone line is staffed from 8:00am to 5:00pm (EST).

It will be necessary to include a Purchase Order Number and credit card information to insure expedient processing, although units found to be in warranty will be repaired at no-charge. For any questions on repair costs or shipment instructions please contact our CCC Department at the above number. To safeguard an instrument during storage and shipping please use packaging that is adequate to protect it from damage, i.e., equivalent to the original packaging and mark the box "Delicate Electronic Instrument". Please follow online instructions for shipping materials back to QuadTech.

4.3 Calibration

Calibration of the Guardian 1000 Series instruments is recommended on an annual basis. If the unit is returned to QuadTech for factory calibration, refer to paragraph 4.2 for RMA and shipping instructions. Using the calibration procedure in paragraph 4.3.1, the Guardian 1000 Series instrument may be calibrated by a qualified service person IF traceable calibration equipment and standards are available. The instrument should be powered up for a minimum of 1 hour prior to calibration to ensure maximum stability.

Equipment	Parameter	Requirements
AC/DC High Voltage Voltmeter	ACV, DCV, IRV	Measure Range: 0 to 6kV, 0.1% accuracy
AC/DC Current Meter	ACA, RACA, DCA	Measure Range: 0 to 40mA, 0.1% accuracy
1GΩ Resistance Standard	IRR	250V
100MΩ Resistance Standard	IRR	500V
10MΩ Resistance Standard	IRR	500V, 1000V & 1200V
420kΩ Resistance Standard	ACA, DCA, RACA	1200V, 3mA, 50W
50kΩ Resistance Standard	ACA, RACA	1200V, 25mA, 200W
150kΩ Resistance Standard	DCA	1200V, 15mA, 100W

Table 4-1: Calibration Equipment

4.3.1 Calibration Parameters

Table 4-2 contains the calibration parameters for the Guardian 1000 Series instruments. All tests points are not required for each of the instruments (1010, 1030 & 1030S).

	TEST	RAN	GE	CAL. POINT
Voltage	Calibration			
CAL	ACV	5kV	OFST	0.100kV
CAL	ACV	5kV	FULL	4.000kV
CAL	DCV	6kV	OFST	0.100kV
CAL	DCV	6kV	FULL	4.000kV
CAL	IR	1kV	OFST	0.100kV
CAL	IR	1kV	FULL	1.000kV
Current	Calibration			
CAL	ACA	3mA	OFST	0.120mA
CAL	ACA	3mA	FULL	2.500mA
CAL	ACA	30mA	OFST	2.50mA
CAL	ACA	30mA	FULL	25.00mA
CAL	RACA	3mA	OFST	0.120mA
CAL	RACA	3mA	FULL	2.500mA
CAL	RACA	30mA	OFST	2.50mA
CAL	RACA	30mA	FULL	25.00mA
CAL	DCA	3mA	OFST	0.120mA
CAL	DCA	3mA	FULL	2.500mA
CAL	DCA	10mA	OFST	2.50mA
CAL	DCA	10mA	FULL	8.00mA
WAC an	d WDC ARCing Ca	libration		
CAL	AC ARC	30mA	Arc	5.00mA
CAL	DC ARC	10mA	Arc	5.00mA
IR Resis	tor Mode Calibration	1		
CAL	IRR Range1	1GΩ	IRR	Range1 to $1G\Omega$
CAL	IRR Range2	100MΩ	IRR	Range2 to 100MΩ
CAL	IRR Range3	10MΩ	IRR	Range3 to $10M\Omega$
CAL	IRR Range4	10ΜΩ	IRR	Range4 to 10MΩ

Table 4-2: Calibration Parameters

4.3.2 Enable Calibration

The instrument should be powered up for a minimum of 1 hour prior to calibration to ensure maximum stability. With the Guardian 1000 Series instrument in standby status ([RESET] button previously pressed and no warning lights flashing) remove the Calibration seal over the hole labeled "CAL' on the front panel and push the recessed switch to the IN position.

The unit is in STAND BY status. Press [F3] = MENU. Press [F2] = DOWN three times until CALIBRATION is highlighted (backlit). Press [F3] = SELECT to choose calibration function. Display will prompt for a password. Press [A] [A] [A] [B] [ENTER] Cal Step 1: 'ACV 5kV Offset (100V)' is displayed on the screen.

NOTE

Figure 4-1 illustrates the password prompt for calibration and the 'Calibration is OFF' display. The 'Calibration is OFF' display may occur if the CAL recessed switch has **not** been pressed IN prior to entering Calibration function.

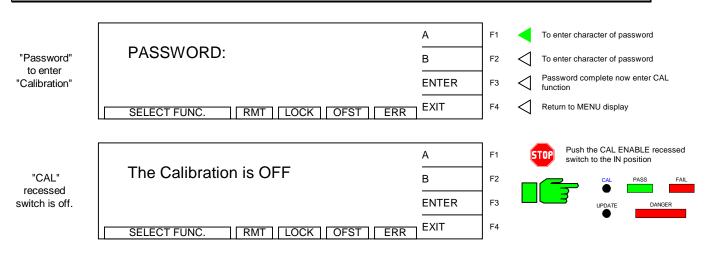
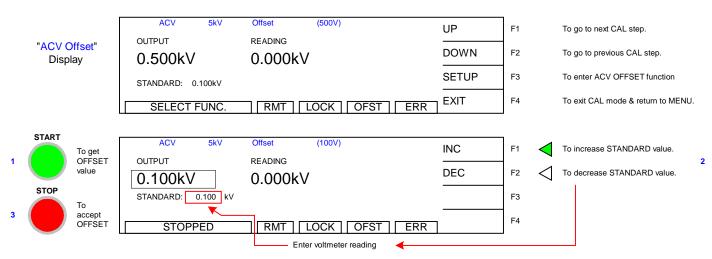


Figure 4-1: Calibration Password Prompt

NOTE The term 'G1000' is used in this Calibration procedure to denote all instruments in the G1000 Series: G1010, G1030 and G1030S. The DC and IR calibration procedures are applicable to the G1030 and G1030S instruments. ARC calibration is part of the calibration routine but it is not performed on the Guardian 1010, 1030 or 1030S instrument.

4.3.3 AC Voltage Calibration

Connect the OUTPUT terminal of the Guardian1000 Series unit to the input terminal of the AC/DC high voltage meter. Connect the RTN/LOW terminal of the Guardian to the GND terminal of the voltmeter. Set the voltmeter to AC and 2kV range.



Cal Step 1: 'ACV 5kV Offset (100V)'

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get offset value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the voltmeter.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "ACV Offset" display (incorporating new cal value).

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 2: 'ACV 5kV Full (4kV)'. Change voltmeter range to 20kV.

"ACV Full" Display	ACV	5kV	Full	(4kV)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
	оитрит 4.000kV		reading 0.000k√	reading 0.000kV		F2	To go to previous CAL step.
	STANDARD: 4	.000kV				F3	To enter ACV FULL function
	SELECT	FUNC.	RMT	LOCK OFST ERR		F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get full value

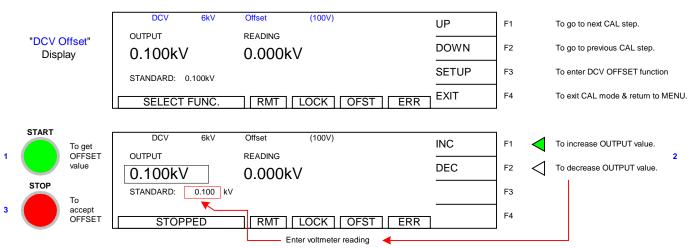
Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the voltmeter.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "ACV Full" display (incorporating new cal value).

4.3.4 DC Voltage Calibration (DCV)

Change the setting on the Valhalla voltmeter to DC and 2kV range. DC calibration is applicable to the Guardian 1030 and 1030S instruments.



Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 3: 'DCV 6kV Offset (100V)'.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get offset value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the voltmeter.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "DCV Offset" display (incorporating new cal value).

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 4: 'DCV 6kV Full (4kV)'. Change voltmeter range to 20kV.

"DCV Full" Display	DCV	6kV	Full	(4kV)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
	оитрит 4.000kV		reading 0.000kV		DOWN	F2	To go to previous CAL step.
	STANDARD: 4	.000kV			SETUP	F3	To enter DCV FULL function
	SELECT I	UNC.	RMT	LOCK OFST ERR		F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get full value.

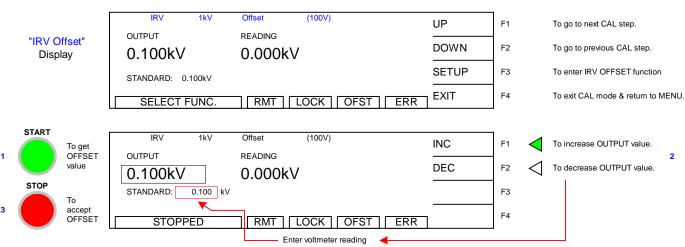
Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the voltmeter.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "DCV Full" display (incorporating new cal value).

4.3.5 IR Voltage Calibration (IRV)

Keep the setting on the Valhalla voltmeter at DC and 2kV range. IR calibration is applicable to the Guardian 1030 and 1030S instruments.



Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 5: 'IRV 1kV Offset (100V)'.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get offset value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the voltmeter.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "IRV Offset" display (incorporating new cal value).

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 6: 'IRV 1kV Full (1kV)'. Change voltmeter range to 20kV.

	IRV	1kV	Full	(1kV)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
"IRV Full" Display	оитрит 1.000kV		READING	reading 0.000kV		F2	To go to previous CAL step.
		.000kV	0.000111		SETUP	F3	To enter IRV FULL function
	SELECT F	UNC.	RMT	LOCK OFST ERR		F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get full value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the voltmeter.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "IRV Full" display (incorporating new cal value).

4.3.6 AC Current Calibration (ACA)

Connect the OUTPUT terminal of the Guardian 1000 Series instrument to a resistance box or resistance standard. Connect an AC/DC current meter in series between the resistance load (box/standard) and the RTN/LOW terminal of the Guardian instrument. Table 4-4 lists the resistance loads necessary for the current calibration steps.

Mode	Step #	Voltage	Calibration	Resistance
			Point	(Load)
ACA	CAL 7	1200 V	0.12mA	10MΩ
ACA	CAL 8	1200 V	2.5mA full	420kΩ
ACA	CAL9	1200 V	2.5mA	420kΩ
ACA	CAL 10	1200 V	25mA	50kΩ
RACA	CAL 11	1200 V	0.12mA	10MΩ
RACA	CAL12	1200V	2.5mA full	420ΚΩ
RACA	CAL 13	1200 V	2.5mA	420ΚΩ
RACA	CAL 14	1200 V	25mA	50kΩ
DCA	CAL 15	1200 V	0.12mA	10ΜΩ
DCA	CAL 16	1200 V	2.5mA full	420kΩ
DCA	CAL 17	1200 V	2.5mA	420kΩ
DCA	CAL 18	1200 V	8mA	150kΩ

Table 4-4: Resistance Loads

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 7: 'ACA 3mA Offset (0.12mA)'.

	ACA	3mA	Offset	(0.12mA)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
"ACA 3mA Offset" Display	оитрит 1.200kV		reading 0.000m		DOWN	F2	To go to previous CAL step.
Display	STANDARD: 0.120mA				SETUP	F3	To enter ACA OFFSET function
	SELECT I	FUNC.	RMT	LOCK OFST ERR		F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get offset value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the current meter.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "ACA 3mA Offset" display (incorporating the new cal value).

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 8: 'ACA 3mA Full (2.5mA)'.

	ACA	3mA	Full	(2.5mA)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
"ACA 3mA Full"	output 1.200kV		reading 0.000mA		DOWN	F2	To go to previous CAL step.
Display	STANDARD: 2.	500mA			SETUP	F3	To enter ACA FULL function
	SELECT FUNC. RMT LC			LOCK OFST E	RR	F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get full value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the current meter.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "ACA 3mA Full" display (incorporating the new cal value).

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 9: 'ACA 30mA Offset (2.5mA)'.

	ACA	30mA	Offset	(2.5mA)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
"ACA 30mA Offset" Display	о∪тр∪т 1.200k \/	/	reading 0.000n	nA	DOWN	F2	To go to previous CAL step.
Display	STANDARD: 2	2.500mA			SETUP	F3	To enter ACA OFFSET function
	SELECT	FUNC.	RMT	LOCK OFST ERR		F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get offset value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the current meter. Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "ACA 30mA Offset" display (incorporating the new cal value).

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 10: 'ACA 30mA Full (25mA)'.

	ACA	30mA	Full	(25mA)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
"ACA 30mA Full"	оитрит 1.200kV		reading	A	DOWN	F2	To go to previous CAL step.
Display	STANDARD: 25	.00mA			SETUP	F3	To enter ACA FULL function
	SELECT F	UNC.	RMT	LOCK OFST ERR		F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get full value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the current meter.

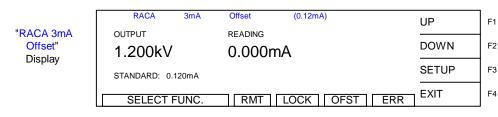
Press [STOP] to accept reading.

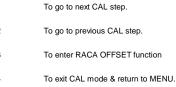
G1000 reverts to "ACA 30mA Full" display (incorporating the new cal value).

4.3.7 Real AC Current Calibration (RACA)

Connect the OUTPUT terminal of the Guardian 1000 Series instrument to a resistance box or resistance standard. Connect an AC/DC current meter in series between the resistance load (box/standard) and the RTN/LOW terminal of the Guardian instrument.

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 11: 'RACA 3mA Offset (0.12mA)'.





Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get offset value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the current meter. Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "RACA 3mA Offset" display (incorporating the new cal value).

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 12: 'RACA 3mA Full (2.5mA)'.

	RACA	3mA	Full	(2.5mA)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
"RACA 3mA Full"	^{оитрит} 1.200kV		reading	mA	DOWN	F2	To go to previous CAL step.
Display	STANDARD: 2.	500mA			SETUP	F3	To enter RACA FULL function
	SELECT F	UNC.	RMT	LOCK OFST ERR		F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get full value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the current meter.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "RACA 3mA Full" display (incorporating the new cal value).

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 13: 'RACA 30mA Offset (2.5mA)'.

	RACA	30mA	Offset	(2.5mA)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
"RACA 30mA Offset"	оитрит 1.200kV	,	reading 0.000m	reading 0.000mA	DOWN	F2	To go to previous CAL step.
Display	STANDARD: 2	.500mA				F3	To enter RACA OFFSET function
	SELECT FUNC.		RMT	LOCK OFST ERR		F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

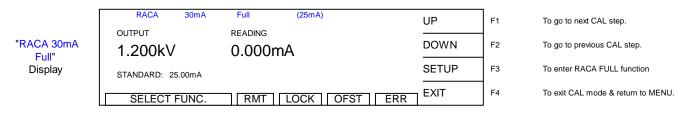
Press [START] to get offset value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the current meter.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "RACA 30mA Offset" display (incorporating the new cal value).

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 14: 'RACA 30mA Full (25mA)'.



Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get full value.

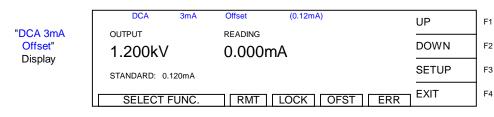
Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the current meter. Press [STOP] to accept reading.

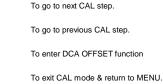
G1000 reverts to "RACA 30mA Full" display (incorporating the new cal value).

4.3.8 DC Current Calibration

Connect the OUTPUT terminal of the Guardian 1000 Series instrument to a resistance box or resistance standard. Connect an AC/DC current meter in series between the resistance load (box/standard) and the RTN/LOW terminal of the Guardian instrument.

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 15: 'DCA 3mA Offset (0.12mA)'.





Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get offset value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the current meter. Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "DCA 3mA Offset" display (incorporating the new cal value).

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 16: 'DCA 3mA Full (2.5mA)'.

	DCA	3mA	Full	(2.5mA)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
"DCA 3mA Full" Display	оитрит 1.200kV		reading	nA	DOWN	F2	To go to previous CAL step.
	STANDARD: 2.500mA				SETUP	F3	To enter DCA FULL function
	SELECT	FUNC.	RMT	LOCK OFST ERR	EXIT	F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get full value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the current meter.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "DCA 3mA Full" display (incorporating the new cal value).

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 17: 'DCA 10mA Offset (2.5mA)'.

	DCA	10mA	Offset	(2.5mA)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
"DCA 10mA Offset"	оитрит 1.200k V	,	reading 0.000m	۱A	DOWN	F2	To go to previous CAL step.
Display	STANDARD: 2.500mA				SETUP	F3	To enter DCA OFFSET function
	SELECT	FUNC.	RMT	LOCK OFST ERR		F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

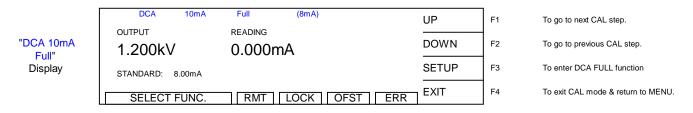
Press [START] to get offset value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the current meter.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "DCA 15mA Offset" display (incorporating the new cal value).

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 18: 'DCA 10mA Full (8mA)'.



Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get full value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as the current meter. Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "DCA 15mA Full" display (incorporating the new cal value).

4.3.9 ARC Calibration

NOTE ARC calibration is part of the calibration routine but it is <u>not</u> performed on the Guardian 1010, 1030 or 1030S instrument. ARC Calibration is set at the factory.

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 19: 'AC ARC 30mA (5mA)'. BY-PASS Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 20: 'DC ARC 15mA (5mA)'. BY-PASS

4.3.10 IR Resistor Calibration (IRR)

Connect the resistance load (per Table 4-5) between the Guardian instrument's OUTPUT terminal and RTN/LOW terminal.

IR Resistor Mode Calibration							
STEP #	TEST	LOAD	CAL. POINT				
CAL 21	IRR Range1	1GΩ	Range1 to $1G\Omega$				
CAL 22	IRR Range2	100ΜΩ	Range2 to $100M\Omega$				
CAL 23	IRR Range3	10MΩ	Range3 to 10MΩ				
CAL 24	IRR Range4	10MΩ	Range4 to $10M\Omega$				

Table 4-5: IRR Cal Resistance Loads

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 21: 'IRR Range1 (1G Ω)'.

	IRR Range1	(1GΩ)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
"IRR Range1" Display	оитрит 0.250kV	reading $0.000M\Omega$	DOWN	F2	To go to previous CAL step.
	STANDARD: 1000M Ω		SETUP	F3	To enter IRR Range1 function
	SELECT FUNC.	RMT LOCK OFST ERR	EXIT	F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get range1 value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as certified load value.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "IRR Range1" display (incorporating the new cal value).

"IRR Range2" Display	IRR Range2	(100ΜΩ)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
	оитрит 0.500kV	reading $0.000M\Omega$	DOWN	F2	To go to previous CAL step.
	STANDARD: 100.0M Ω		SETUP	F3	To enter IRR Range2 function
	SELECT FUNC.	RMT LOCK OFST ERR	EXIT	F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get range2 value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as certified load value.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "IRR Range2" display (incorporating the new cal value).

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 23: 'IRR Range3 ($10M\Omega$)'.

	IRR Range3	(10ΜΩ)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
"IRR Range3" Display	output 0.500kV	reading $0.000 M\Omega$	DOWN	F2	To go to previous CAL step.
	STANDARD: 10.00M Ω		SETUP	F3	To enter IRR Range3 function
	SELECT FUNC.	RMT LOCK OFST ERR	EXIT	F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get range3 value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as certified load value. Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "IRR Range3" display (incorporating the new cal value).

Press [F1] = UP to go to Cal Step 24: 'IRR Range4 ($10M\Omega$)'.

"IRR Range4" Display	IRR	Range4	(10ΜΩ)	UP	F1	To go to next CAL step.
	output 1.000kV		reading $0.000 M\Omega$	DOWN	F2	To go to previous CAL step.
	STANDARD: $10.00M\Omega$			SETUP	F3	To enter IRR Range4 function
	SELECT FUNC.		RMT LOCK OFST ERR	EXIT	F4	To exit CAL mode & return to MENU.

Press [STOP] to return instrument to steady state.

Press [START] to get range4 value.

Press [F1] = INC or [F2] = DEC until the G1000 display reads the same as certified load value.

Press [STOP] to accept reading.

G1000 reverts to "IRR Range4" display (incorporating the new cal value).

4.3.11 Finalize Calibration

When all calibration steps are complete:

Press [F4] = EXIT

Release the [CAL] enable switch to the **OUT** position using the tip of a small screwdriver.

- 1. Press [F2] = DOWN three times.
- 2. Press [F3] = SELECT
- 3. Display prompts: 'PASSWORD'.
- 4. Press [A] [A] [A] [A] [ENTER]
- 5. Display prompts: 'Calibration is OFF' or 'Calibration is ON'.
- 6. If 'Calibration is OFF', repeat steps 1, 2, 3 & 4 until display reads 'Calibration is ON'.