## RESISTANCE STANDARDS & INSTRUMENTS

- · Highest accuracy and stability
- · Lowest temperature coefficients
- · Widest selection

The TEGAM team of precision Transportable Resistance Standards are oil filled, hermetically sealed, five-terminal resistance standards designed for precision bench top or oil bath applications.

The long-term stability of these resistance standards is typically less than 0.2 ppm per year and temperature coefficients are less than 0.1 ppm per degree Celsius.\* This excellent long-term stability and low temperature coefficient is achieved by using matched groups of resistors constructed of the alloy Evanohm-R. The resulting low temperature coefficient allows high performance applications of these standards inside or outside an accurately controlled temperature environment.

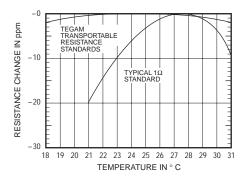
Maximum accuracy is calculated as a temperature corrected resistance value. This

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is accomplished by using the built-in RTD temperature sensor to measure the internal temperature and referencing a temperature correction chart provided with each unit. The measurement accuracy of the built-in RTD thermometer is better than 0.1 degree Celsius.

Very low power coefficients are achieved by using standard resistors constructed with large surface areas like our original Model SR104,  $10k\Omega$  standard resistor. The resistors are surrounded by oil to conduct heat generated by the measuring currents out through the stainless steel case.

These characteristics facilitate precise laboratory comparisons without critical environmental controls and are used wherever a need for a very accurate, stable resistor of low temperature coefficient is required. Temperature coefficient comparison between a typical TEGAM model and typical 1 ohm standard resistor.



#### $100\Omega$ STANDARDS

These standards were designed to provide an important link between rather odd Quantum Hall resistance values and traditional decade resistance values.  $100\Omega$  provides unique reference capability.

# 10KΩ STANDARDS

This has been the long-standing industry standard for the  $10k\Omega$ . This everlasting standard is the benchmark for high accuracy, stability and low temperature coefficients for calibrations requiring NIST traceability.





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## TRANSPORTABLE RESISTANCE STANDARDS

Specifications	
Stability	$\pm 1$ ppm/year the first 2 years; $\pm 0.5$ ppm/year thereafter
Temperature Coefficie	ent
	Less than 0.1 ppm/° C at 23° C
	(SP Versions)
	Less than 0.2 ppm/° C at 23° C
Power Coefficient	Less than 1 ppm/W
Initial Value	
SR102, SR102DC	±1 ppm
SR104, SR104DC	±1 ppm
Calibration Uncertaint	ty
SR102, SR102DC	0.5 ppm
SR104, SR104DC	0.25 ppm
Breakdown Voltage	500 Volts peak to case
Insulation Resistance	All terminals
	$\begin{array}{c} \text{maintain a minimum} \\ 10^{\scriptscriptstyle 12}\Omega \text{ to ground} \end{array}$
AC-DC Difference	Less than ±5 ppm from 0 to 1,592 Hz
Dimensions/Weight	

Dimensions/Weight Bench Top Formica Case

> Height 10.0 inches Width 8.10 inches Depth 12.25 inches Weight 10.5 lbs. net, 12 lbs. shipping weight

Oil Bath Stainless Steel Case

Height 5.0 inches Width 3.5 inches Depth 7.0 inches Weight 4.0 lbs. net, 6.0 lbs. shipping weight

# **Temperature Coefficient**

Alpha (temperature coefficient) less than  $\pm 0.1$  ppm/° C at 23° C. Beta (1/2 rate of change of temperature coefficient) does not exceed 0.03 ppm/° C² over the temperature range of 18° C to 28° C. This performance is as a passive device without ovens or external power requirements.

# **Internal Temperature Sensor**

The internal temperature sensor is a 1,000 ppm/° C RTD with integral thermowell provided for calibration.

#### **Hermetic Sealing**

The resistor is hermetically sealed in oil with metal to glass seals to eliminate the effects of humidity.

#### **Pressure Effects**

Normal changes in atmospheric pressure will not effect the value of these resistors. This means that measurements made at NIST in Gaithersburg, MD (sea level) will be consistent with measurements made at NIST in Boulder, CO (5,280 ft. or 1.6 km).

#### **Termination**

Five-terminal construction, four-terminal resistor with ground intercept for the standard and temperature sensor. The four resistor binding posts are gold plated tellurium copper to reduce thermal emf. The ground terminals are brass.

# Thermal emf

Under normal conditions thermal emf at the terminals does not exceed  $\pm 0.1 \,\mu\text{V}$ .

## **Thermal Lagging**

Thermal lagging time constant is one hour minimum (1-1/e of total change in one hour).

## Dielectric Soakage Effect

The resistance stabilizes to within 0.1 ppm of final value within 5 seconds with 1 V applied to the resistor.

#### **Current Reversal**

The resistance value changes less than  $\pm 0.1$  ppm with reversal of current through the resistor.

#### **Packaging**

The bench top versions are mounted in a sturdy formica veneered wooden case having a removable lid and carrying handle. Other versions are packaged in a sturdy stainless steel container.

## **Ordering Information**

# **Resistance Transfer Standard**

SR102 100 Ohm, Bench Top Case SR102DC 100 Ohm, Case Deleted SR104 10,000 Ohm, Bench Top Case SR104DC 10,000 Ohm, Case Deleted

## **Calibration Documentation**

Contact TEGAM for OPTION Z540 NIST Traceable Compliance Certificate and Test Data.

## **Standard Equipment**

Each TEGAM Resistance Transfer Standard includes an instruction manual and temperature coefficient chart.

## Warranty

One year on materials and workmanship.

#### **Calibration & Technical Services**

Contact TEGAM for warranty and remedial repair, calibration services and spare parts, or for additional information on TEGAM sales and service offices around the world.

# **Contacting TEGAM**

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