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SECTION I IDENTIFICATION AND DESCRIPTION

1. Test Instrument Identification. This bulletin provides instructions for the calibration of Digital Multimeter, John Fluke, Models 8024A and 8024B. The manufacturers' manuals were used as the prime data sources in compiling these instructions. The equipment being calibrated will be referred to as the TI (test instrument) throughout this bulletin.

a. Model Variations. Variations among models are described in text.

b. Time and Technique. The time required for this calibration is approximately 1 hour, using the dc and low frequency technique.

2. Forms, Records, and Reports

a. Forms, records, and reports required for calibration personnel at all levels are prescribed by TB 750-25.

b. Adjustments to be reported are designated (R) at the end of the sentence in which they appear. When adjustments are in tables, the (R) follows the designated adjustment. Report only those adjustments made and designated with (R).

3. Calibration Description. TI parameters and performance specifications which pertain to this calibration are listed in table 1.

—	Performance specifications		
Test instrument parameters	<u>+(percent of reading plus digits)</u>		
Dc voltage	Range: 0 to 1000 V in 5 ranges		
	Accuracy: $\pm (0.1\% + 1)$		
Dc current	Range: 0 to 2000 mA in 4 ranges		
	Accuracy: $\pm (0.75\% + 1)$		
Ac voltage	Range: 0 to 750 V in 5 ranges		
	Accuracy: 200 mV, 2, 20, 200 V ranges, 45 Hz to 1 kHz <u>+(0.75% +2)</u>		
	1 to 2 kHz (1.5% +3)		
	200 mV, 2, 20 V ranges 2 to 5 kHz \pm (5% +5)		
	750 V range 45 Hz to 1 kHz <u>+(</u> 1% +2)		
Ac current ¹	Range: 0 to 2000 mA in 4 ranges		
	Accuracy: 2 mA range, 45 to 450 Hz ±(3% +2)		
	20 to 2000 mA ranges 45 Hz to 1 kHz <u>+(1.5%</u> +2)		
Resistance	Range: 0 to 20 M Ω in 6 ranges		
	Accuracy: 200Ω range $\pm(0.2\% + 3)$ 2, 20 200 k $\Omega \pm (0.1\% + 1)$		
	$2000 \text{ k}\Omega \pm (0.15\% + 1)$		
	$20 \ M\Omega \pm (2\% \pm 1)$		
Conductance	Range: 200 nS		
	Accuracy: $\pm (2.0\% + 10)$		

Table 1. Calibration Description

¹Ac current verified by dc current check. Because current measurements of ac and dc are made using same shunt resistors, a check of ac current is not made.

SECTION II EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS

4. Equipment Required. Table 2 identifies the specific equipment to be used in this calibration procedure. This equipment is issued with Secondary Transfer calibration Standards Set AN/GSM-286, AN/GSM-287 and AN/GSM-705. Alternate items may be used by the calibrating activity. The items selected must be verified to perform satisfactorily prior to use and must bear evidence of current calibration. The equipment must meet or exceed the minimum use specifications listed in table 2. The accuracies listed in table 2 provide a four-to-one ratio between the standard and TI.

5. Accessories Required. The accessories required for this calibration are common usage accessories issued as indicated in 4 above, and are not listed in this calibration procedure.

	Table 2. Minimum Specifications of Equipment Required		
	Minimum use	Manufacturer and model	
Common name	specifications	(part number)	
CALIBRATOR	Dc voltage:	John Fluke, Model 5720A/CT (p/o	
	Range: 190 mV to 1000 V	MIS-35947), w/power amplifier,	
	Accuracy: ±.039%	John Fluke, Model 5725A/CT	
	Dc current:	(5725A/CT)	
	Range: 1.9 mA to 1.9 A		
	Accuracy: ±.2%		
	Ac voltage		
	Range: 190 mV to 750V		
	Frequency: 45 Hz to 5 kHz		
	Accuracy: ±.214%		
	Resistance:		
	Range: 190Ω to $10 M\Omega$		
	Accuracy: ±0.039%		

Table 2. Minimum Specifications of Equipment Required

SECTION III CALIBRATION PROCESS

6. Preliminary Instructions

a. The instructions outlined in paragraphs 6 and 7 are preparatory to the calibration process. Personnel should become familiar with the entire bulletin before beginning the calibration.

b. Items of equipment used in this procedure are referenced within the text by common name as listed in table 2.

c. Unless otherwise specified, verify the result of each test and, whenever the test requirement is not met, take corrective action before continuing with the calibration. Adjustments required to calibrate the TI are included in this procedure. Additional maintenance information is contained in the manufacturers' manuals for this TI.

d. Unless otherwise specified, all control and control settings refer to the TI.

7. Equipment Setup

WARNING

HIGH VOLTAGE is used or exposed during the performance of this calibration. DEATH ON CONTACT may result if personnel fail to observe safety precautions. REDUCE OUTPUT(S) to minimum after each step within the performance check where applicable.

a. Remove protective cover from TI only when necessary to make adjustments. Replace cover after completing the adjustments.

- **b**. Position TI controls as follows:
 - (1) **POWER** switch to **ON**.
 - (2) **PEAK HOLD** switch to **OFF**.
 - (3) **200 mV** pushbutton to in position.
 - (4) All other pushbuttons to out position.

8. Dc Voltage

a. Performance Check

(1) Connect TI $V/\Omega/S$ and COMMON to calibrator.

(2) Set calibrator output for 190.0 mV. If TI does not indicate within limits specified in first row of table 3, perform \mathbf{b} below.

(3) Repeat technique of (2) above, using the settings and indications listed in table3. TI will indicate within limits specified in table 3.

Table 3. Dc Voltage Accuracy				
Calibrator		Test instrument		
output	Range setting	Indicatio	on limits	
		Min	Max	
190 mV	200 mV	189.7 mV	190.3 mV	
-190 mV	200 mV	–190.3 mV	–189.7 mV	
1.9 V	2 V	1.897 V	1.903 V	
19 V	20 V	18.97 V	19.03 V	
190 V	200 V	189.7 V	190.3 V	
1000 V	1000 V	998 V	1002 V	

(4) Set calibrator output to minimum and disconnect equipment setup.

b. Adjustment. Set calibrator output for 190.0 mV and adjust DC CAL R6 (fig. 1) until TI indicates 190.0 (R).

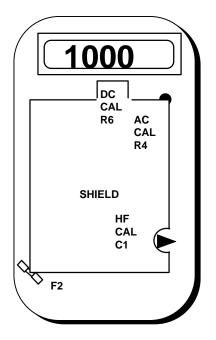


Figure 1. Adjustment locations.

9. Dc Current

a. Performance Check

- (1) Connect calibrator to TI mA and COMMON terminals.
- (2) Set TI to measure **DC mA** and press the **2 mA** range pushbuttons.

(3) Set calibrator for a 1.9 mA output. TI will indicate within limits specified in first row of table 4.

(4) Repeat technique of (2) and (3) above, using settings and indications listed in table 4. TI will indicate within limits specified in table 4.

Table 4. Dc Current Accuracy				
Calibrator	Test instrument			
output	Range setting Indication limits (mA)			
(mA)	(mA)	Min	Max	
1.9	2	1.885	1.915	
19	20	18.85	19.15	
190	200	188.5	191.5	
1900	2000	1885	1915	

(5) Set calibrator output to minimum and disconnect equipment setup.

b. Adjustments. No adjustments can be made.

10. Ac Voltage

a. Performance Check

(1) Set TI to measure AC V and press 200 mV range pushbutton.

(2) Connect TI $V/\Omega/S$ and COMMON to calibrator.

(3) Set calibrator for an output amplitude of 190 mV at an output frequency of 45 Hz. If TI does not indicate within limits specified in first row of table 5, perform \mathbf{b} (1) below.

(4) Repeat technique of (1) through (3) above, using settings and indications listed in table 5. TI will indicate within limits specified in table 5.

		Table 5. Ac V	oltage Accuracy	
Calibrato	or output	Test instrument		
Amplitude Frequency		Range Indication limits		on limits
			Min	Max
190 mV	45 Hz	200 mV	188.4 mV	191.6 mV
190 mV	900 Hz	200 mV	188.4 mV	191.6 mV
190 mV	1.9 kHz	200 mV	186.8 mV	193.2 mV
190 mV	$5 ext{ kHz}$	200 mV	180.0 mV	199.9 mV
1.9 V	45 Hz	2 V	1.884 V	1.916 V
1.9 V	900 Hz	2 V	1.884 V	1.916 V
1.9 V	1.9 kHz	2 V	1.868 V	1.932 V
1.9 V ¹	$5~{ m kHz}$	2 V	1.800 V	1.999 V
0.19 V	$5 \mathrm{kHz}$	2 V	$0.175~\mathrm{V}$	$0.205~\mathrm{V}$
19 V	45 Hz	20 V	18.84 V	19.16 V
19 V	900 Hz	20 V	18.84 V	19.16 V
19 V	1.9 kHz	20 V	18.68 V	19.32 V
19 V	$5 \mathrm{kHz}$	20 V	18.00 V	19.99 V
190 V	45 Hz	200 V	188.4 V	191.6 V
190 V	900 Hz	200 V	188.4 V	191.6 V
190 V	1.9 kHz	200 V	186.8 V	193.2 V
750 V	45 Hz	$750~\mathrm{V}$	740 V	760 V
750 V	100 Hz	$750~{ m V}$	740 V	760 V
750 V	1 kHz	$750~{ m V}$	740 V	760 V

¹If TI does not indicate within limits specified, perform **b** (2) below.

b. Adjustments

(1) Set calibrator for an output amplitude of 190 mV at an output frequency of 45 Hz and adjust **AC CAL R4** (fig. 1) for a TI indication of 190.0 (R).

(2) Set calibrator for an output amplitude of 1.9 V at an output frequency of 5 kHz and adjust **HF CAL C1** (fig. 1) for a TI indication of 1.900 (R).

11. Resistance/Conductance

a. Performance Check

- (1) Set TI to measure resistance and press the 200Ω range pushbutton.
- (2) Set calibrator output to 190.0Ω nominal (2-wire comp: ON).

(3) Rotate calibrator knob below **EDIT FIELD** pushbutton to adjust calibrator display indication to equal TI indication. Calibrator **Err** display indication will be within limits specified in first row of table 6.

(4) Repeat technique of (2) and (3) above, using the settings and indications listed in table 6. Calibrator **Err** display indication will be within limits specified in table 6.

Table 6. Resistance Accuracy					
Test instrument	Calibrator				
Range	Output	Err indication			
		± (%)			
200 Ω	190.0 Ω	0.37			
$2 k\Omega$	1.9 kΩ	0.16			
20 kΩ	19 kΩ	0.16			
$200 \text{ k}\Omega^1$	190 kΩ	0.16			
$2000 \text{ k}\Omega$	1.9 MΩ	0.21			
$20 M\Omega$	10 MΩ	2.1			
200 nS	10 MΩ	3.0			
¹ 2-wire comp: OFF					

Table 6. Resistance Accurac

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b. Adjustments. No adjustments can be made.

12. Final Procedure

- a. Deenergize and disconnect all equipment.
- b. Annotate and affix DA label/form in accordance with TB 750-25.

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