

MEG10-01

10 kV Insulation Tester



- n Operates from mains supply or rechargeable battery
- n Real time data output and on-board storage for subsequent download
- n Integral lead storage
- n Results displayed as Insulation Resistance or leakage current
- n Integral timer for automatic Insulation Resistance and Polarisation Index tests

DESCRIPTION

The Megger MEG10-01 is a compact, microprocessor controlled high voltage d.c. insulation tester, which may be powered by internal rechargeable batteries or by connection to an a.c. supply. It is built into an extremely robust moulded case with internal provision for test lead and mains power cord storage.

Measurement results are clearly displayed on the custom digital and analogue LCD display as either an Insulation Resistance or a Leakage Current.

The measurement range, subject to test voltage, is up to 500 G Ω on the digital display, and to 1 T Ω at all voltages on the analogue scale. Test voltages of 500 V, 1000 V, 2500 V, 5000 V and 10,000 V are available and are selected by two buttons on the front panel.

IEEE43: 2000 "IEEE Recommended Practice for Testing Insulation Resistance of Rotating Machinery" now offers the option of testing machines rated above 12 kV at 10 kV instead of the previous 5 kV maximum. The 10 kV range on the MEG10-01 allows this test to be easily achieved.

An integral timer is started automatically on commencement of a test, which displays elapsed time in minutes and seconds. This timer may also be used to automatically stop an insulation resistance test and an automatic Polarisation Index test. At the end of any test, capacitive loads are automatically discharged and the decaying voltage is displayed until it reaches a safe level. At any point, a flashing LED and segments on the display indicate the presence of a dangerous voltage.

The battery condition is continually monitored while the

instrument is switched on and the battery condition is shown by a 5-segment bar graph on the display.

Power is provided by an a.c. supply or from an internal rechargeable battery which when fully charged is capable of providing at least 4 hours continuous testing at 10 kV before requiring recharge.

For those users who prefer to store their test results for later download, the MEG10-01 has on-board memory capable of storing typically 30 test summaries although this will vary according to the type of test and test duration. This summary information is suitable for reporting purposes.

However, if long term testing is required with more detailed data, the MEG10-01 outputs data over its RS232 port every second, in real time. A PC may be used to capture this data and under these circumstances the amount of data is limited by the amount of storage space available on the PC. The volume of data only consumes approximately 2.4 kB for every minute of output. This real time feature allows detailed data to be captured for later analysis.

APPLICATIONS

Manufacturers, users and maintainers of rotating machinery will find the Megger MEG10-01 a perfect every day work tool.

Designed in accordance with the requirements of IEEE43: 2000 the MEG10-01 is the ideal instrument for measuring the insulation resistance of armature and field windings in rotating machines rated 1hp (750 W) or greater. The

standard applies to synchronous, induction and d.c. machines as well as synchronous condensers.

The Megger MEG10-01 also performs automatic Polarisation Index tests. This test is routinely performed on a variety of equipment and cables to assess the general condition of the insulation before applying a potentially destructive applied voltage test at voltages greater than rated voltage.

SPECIFICATIONS

Test Voltages (d.c.)

500 V, 1000 V, 2500 V, 5000 V, 10000 V

Test Voltage Accuracy

±5% on 100 M load and above

Insulation resistance ranges

Digital:

10 k to 50 G @ 500 V

10 k to 100 G @ 1000 V

10 k to 250 G @ 2500 V

10 k to 500 G @ 5000V

10 k to 500 G @ 10000 V

Analogue:

100 k to 1 T @ all voltages

Accuracy (at 23°C)

±5% on 100 M load

Basic Accuracy

±5% of reading 10 M to 100 G, all voltages

Current Range

0,01 nA to 999 µA

Accuracy (at 23°C)

±5% +/- 1nA on 100 M load.

Basic Accuracy

±5% of reading 10 M to 100 G all voltages

Guard

2% error guarding 500 k leakage with 100 M load.

Short circuit current

5mA nominal.

Voltmeter range

50 to 1000 V d.c. or a.c.

Accuracy (23°C)

±2% ±1 V.

Interference rejection

1 mA r.m.s. per kV to a maximum of 2 mA.

Capacitor discharge time

<2 s per µF to discharge from 10 kV to 50 V.

Timer

0:00 to 99:59 minutes. Instrument can be set to stop a test after a time limit, or to run indefinitely.

Instrument Display

3 digit LCD Analogue/Digital

Power supply

Rechargeable, sealed lead-acid batteries (12 V, 4 Ah), or 95 V to 265 V 50/60 Hz supply.

Battery life

Typically 4 hrs continuous testing at 10 kV, increasing to 8 hours at 5 kV and lower. Remaining battery life indicated on display.

Battery charging

Charging takes approximately 12 hours from ac supply in the range 95 to 265 V.

Temperature range

Operating:- 20°C to +50°C (4°F to 122°F)

Storage:- 25°C to +65°C (-12°F to 149°F)

Humidity: 90% R.H. @ 40°C (104°F)max.

Temperature coefficient

±0,1% per °C over the test voltage over the temperature range 0°C to +30°C. (±0.06% per °F)

Instrument protection.

IP54 with case closed.

Safety

The instrument meets the requirements of EN61010-1:2001 for operation at an altitude of 2000 m above sea level or less.

EMC

The instrument meets the requirements of EN61326-1:1998 for use in areas other than domestic.

Dimensions

385mm x 265mm x 250mm (15 x 10 x 9 inches)

Weight 7 kg (15 lb) approx

ORDERING INFORMATION

Item (Qty)	Order No.
10kV Insulation Tester	MEG10-01
Complete with	
3m Lead set	8101-180
AVO Download Manager	6111-422
User Guide on CD-ROM	6172-785
RS232 download cable	25955-025
Quick Start Guide (English)	6172-765
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