

SourceMeter® SMU Instruments

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Technical Information

All of Keithley's source measure unit (SMU) instruments can source voltage while measuring current and source current while measuring voltage. Some also measure resistance. All are fully programmable instruments that can stand alone as complete source, measurement, and automation solutions. They are also easy to integrate into larger systems.

Keithley's SMU instruments are faster, easier to use, and more economical than using individual power supplies and measurement instruments that are harnessed together. Additionally, they provide more accurate and repeatable results. Keithley's SMU instruments are ideal for production and automation, yet precise and sensitive enough for laboratory applications.

Keithley's SMU instruments include our Series 2400 SourceMeter® SMU instruments, Series 2600B System SourceMeter SMU instruments, and Model 4200-SCS Semiconductor Characterization System.

How does an SMU instrument work?

SMU instruments can be used as stand-alone constant voltage or constant current sources and as stand-alone voltmeters or ammeters. However, their real strength is their ability to simultaneously source and measure—applying voltage to a device under test (load) and measuring the current flowing through it, or supplying current to a load and measuring the voltage drop across it.

The SMU instrument topology (Figure 1) protects the device under test (DUT) from damage due to accidental overloads, thermal runaway, and other problems. Both the current and voltage source are programmable with readback to maximize device measurement integrity. If the readback reaches a programmed compliance limit, then the source is clamped at the limit, providing fault protection.

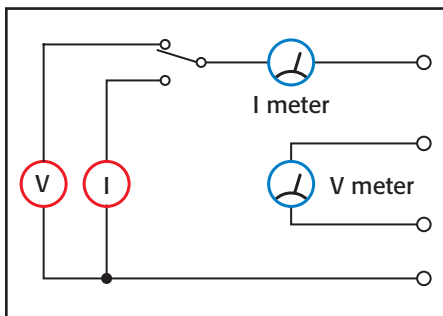


Figure 1. Basic SMU instrument topology

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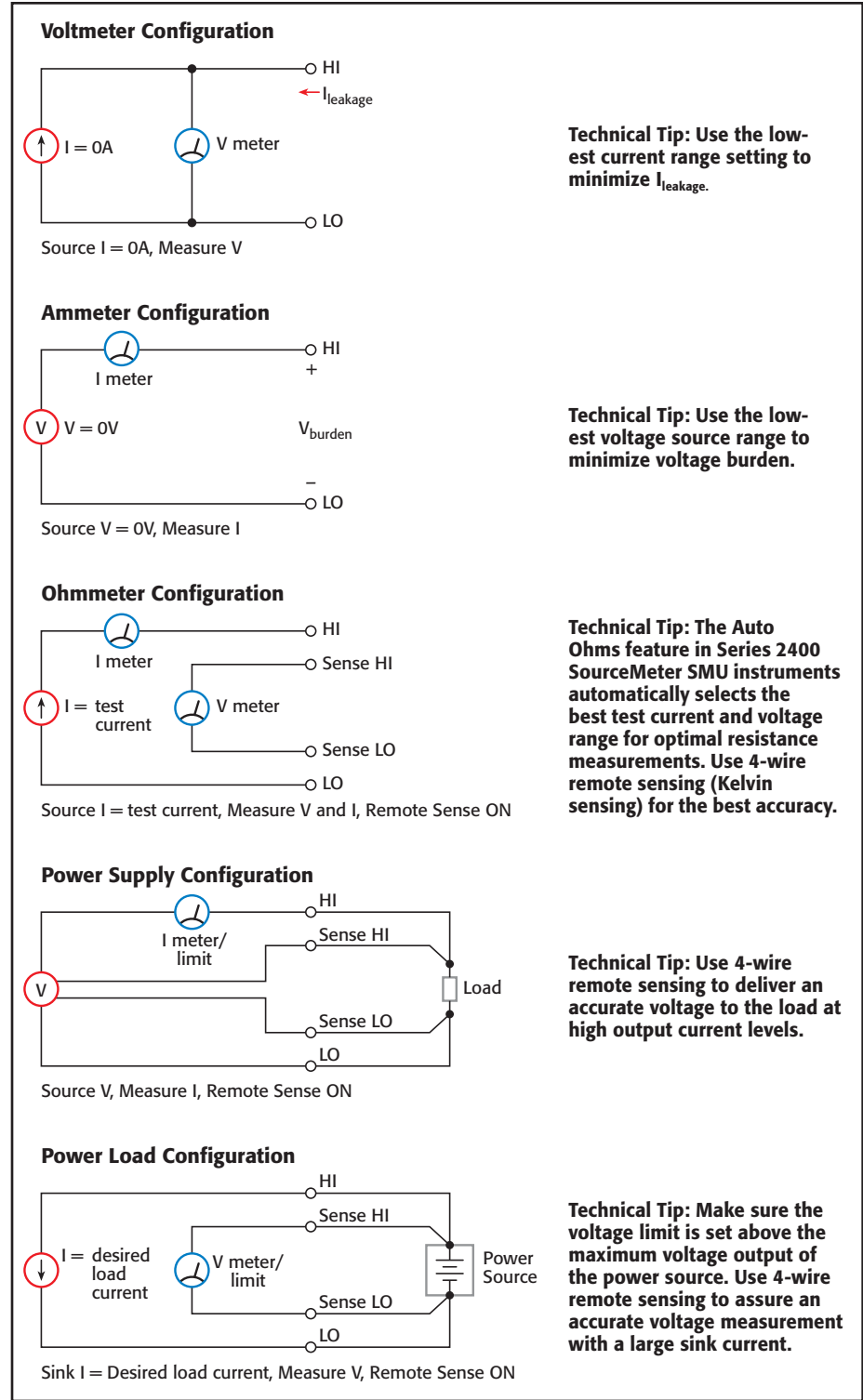


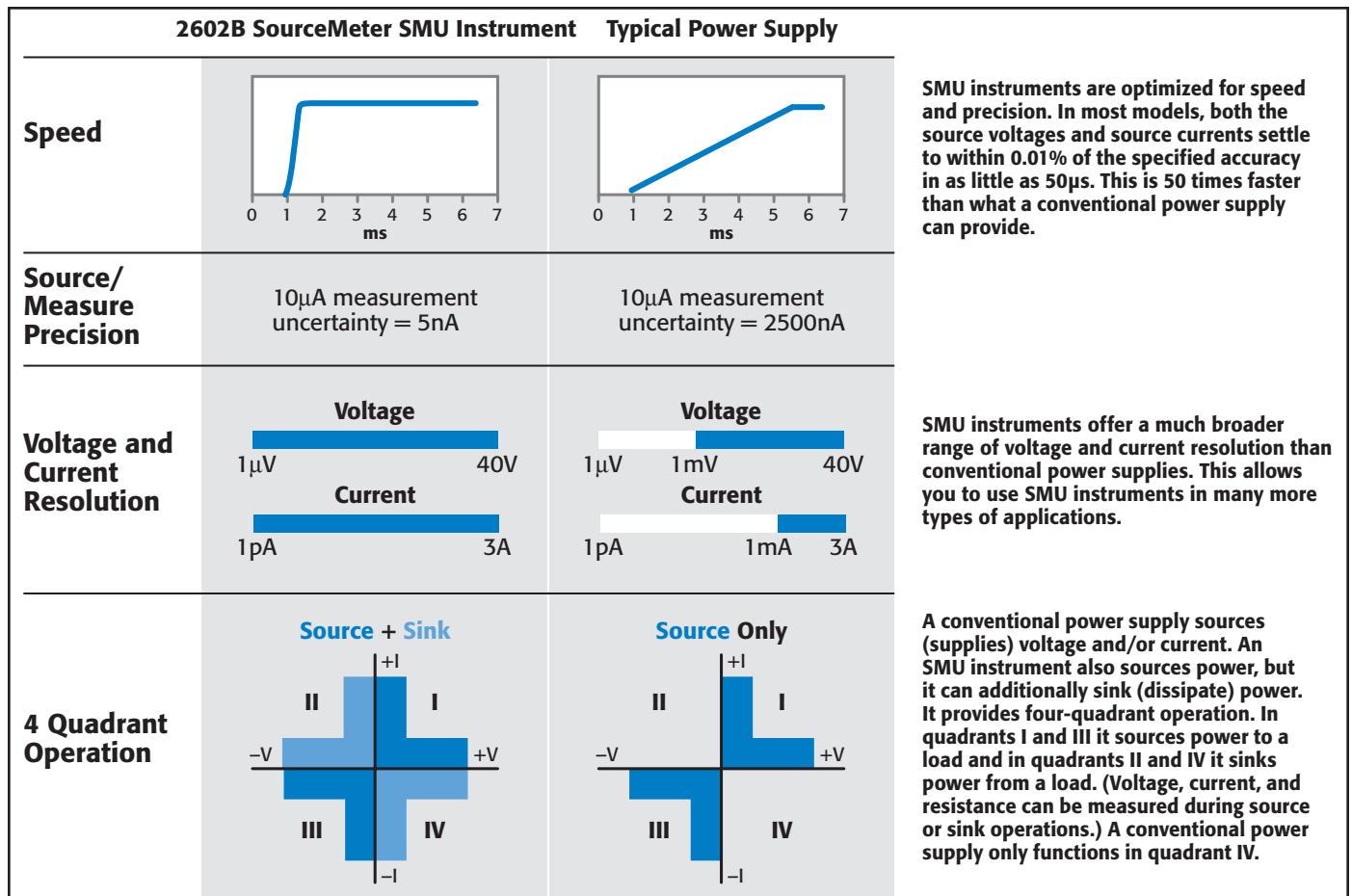
Figure 2. SMU instrument configurations

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SMU instruments are optimized for speed and precision. In most models, both the source voltages and source currents settle to within 0.01% of the specified accuracy in as little as 50μs. This is 50 times faster than what a conventional power supply can provide.

SMU instruments offer a much broader range of voltage and current resolution than conventional power supplies. This allows you to use SMU instruments in many more types of applications.

A conventional power supply sources (supplies) voltage and/or current. An SMU instrument also sources power, but it can additionally sink (dissipate) power. It provides four-quadrant operation. In quadrants I and III it sources power to a load and in quadrants II and IV it sinks power from a load. (Voltage, current, and resistance can be measured during source or sink operations.) A conventional power supply only functions in quadrant IV.

Figure 3. Precision power supplies vs. SMU instruments

Advantages

Many advantages are achieved by combining source and measurement circuitry into a single unit:

- Supports faster test times with improved accuracy and repeatability
- Allows you to source voltage or current while making time-stamped voltage, current, and resistance measurements without changing connections
- Eliminates many of the complex synchronization, connection, and programming issues associated with using multiple instruments
- Minimizes the time required for test station development, setup, and maintenance
- Lowers the overall cost of system ownership

What are the most popular SMU instrument configurations?

The fully isolated, floating configuration of Keithley's SMU instruments provide maximum flexibility in configuring test setups. SMU instruments can be configured as many different instruments (Figure 2). This makes them invaluable tools in flexible product test racks and in R&D test bench tools.

How does an SMU instrument compare to a precision power supply?

The power supply capabilities of Keithley's SMU instruments surpass those provided by conventional power supplies. This is illustrated in Figure 3. In addition to the highly stable DC power source, low noise, and readback, Keithley's SMU instruments include other features not usually available on conventional power supplies. For example, most SMU instru-

ments offer a Pulse mode, include programmable delays, and provide a test sequencer that allows you to set up and execute tests without PC intervention. Figure 4 illustrates a typical precision power supply test that uses an SMU instrument.

I-V characterization

Keithley's SMU instruments are core instruments for I-V characterization tests. Their ability to source voltage while simultaneously measuring current or source current while simultaneously measuring voltage can be combined with both DC and sweep operations to perform measurements such as forward voltage (V_F), reverse leakage, and reverse breakdown voltage (V_B) without changing a single connection to the device under test (Figure 5).

Built-in features allow multiple SMU instruments to be synchronized for parametric measure-

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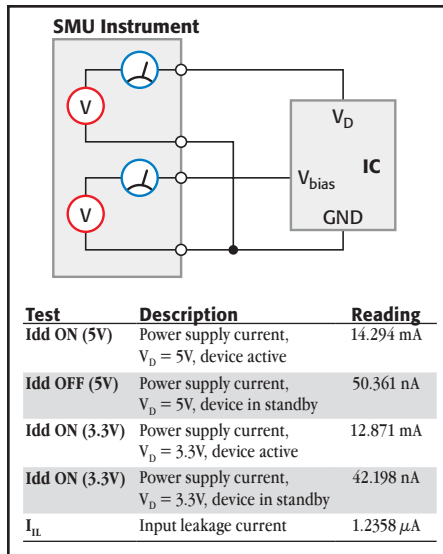


Figure 4. Typical precision power supply tests

ments like threshold voltage, beta, and transconductance. Output interlocks provide controlled access to a test fixture, which is particularly important for the extended voltage range of the Model 2657A (up to 3000V). Guarded 4-wire connections provide high quality measurements over a wide range (0.1fA to 10A).

A family of semiconductor curves can be obtained with just two SMU instruments (Figure 6). At each step of base current from SMU1, SMU2 sweeps V_{CE} and measures I_C . An SMU instrument can store data from a sweep in its buffer, thus reducing data transfer time to a computer. A family of curves could also be produced using pulse-sweeps to reduce power dissipation within a device.

Built-In Sweeps

Keithley's SMU instruments simplify capturing the data needed to characterize a wide range of devices with the SMU instruments' built-in pulsed and DC sweeps, including linear staircase, logarithmic staircase, and custom sweeps (Figure 7). Sweeps coupled with other throughput enhancements like built-in limit inspection, digital I/O, and a component handling interface are ideal for high speed, nonstop production environments. All sweep configurations can be programmed for single-event or continuous operation.

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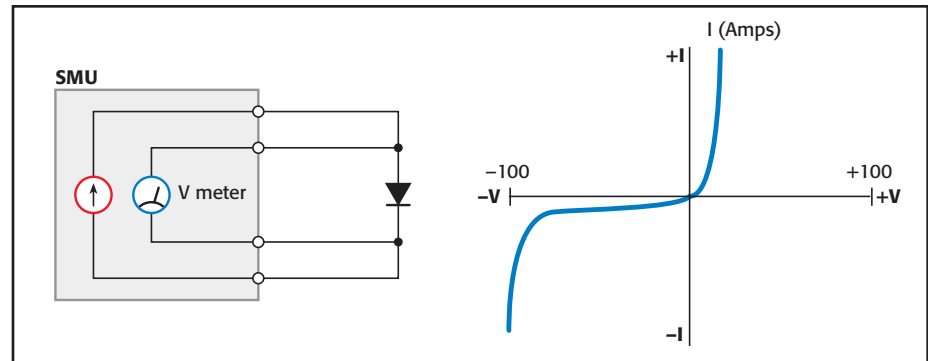


Figure 5. Typical diode characterization

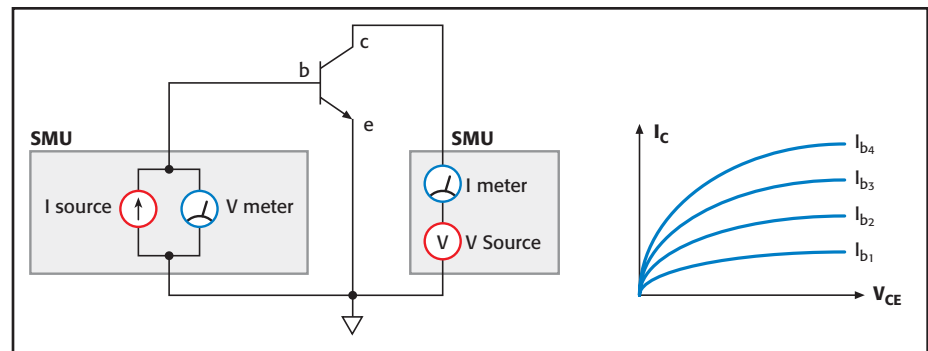


Figure 6. Typical family of curves for transistors

Instrumentation and software solutions for I-V characterization

Figure 8 illustrates various hardware and software solutions for I-V characterization. In the first example, Series 2400 SourceMeter SMU instruments are connected to a PC.

In the second example, selected Series 2600B SourceMeter SMU instruments are connected with TSP-Link Technology technology. TSP-Link Technology seamlessly integrates multiple Series 2600B SMU instruments into a single system that can be programmed and controlled as a single instrument through the master 2600B SMU instrument or the PC.

The third example is the Model 4200-SCS Parameter Analyzer. This system includes an embedded PC, Windows® operating system, and mass storage. It is a complete DC characterization solution for semiconductor devices and test structures. It supports up to nine SMU modules and provides an array of Windows based software that is so intuitive that even a novice can use the system with ease. This point-and-click software supplies a full range of functionality,

including: managing tests, generating reports, automating test sequencing, and creating user libraries. The Model 4200-SCS is a complete one box solution that combines sub-femtoamp resolution with real-time plotting and analysis. Key capabilities include instrument and prober drivers, interfaces to popular modeling/circuit simulation software, and WLR test capabilities.

High-Speed I-V Functional Testing

Keithley's SMU instruments are designed for maximum throughput on the production floor. Each SMU instrument provides high-speed measurements, an internal pass/fail comparator, programmable test sequencing, and digital I/O to control material handlers (Figure 9). Single- or multi-point pass/fail testing can be performed on a wide range of components, such as: network devices, circuit protection devices, active discrete devices, and sensors. The onboard pass/fail comparator simplifies high-speed pass/fail tests by avoiding the delay caused by computer and GPIB bus interaction. The buffer memory stores results, again avoiding the computer/GPIB bus interaction delay.

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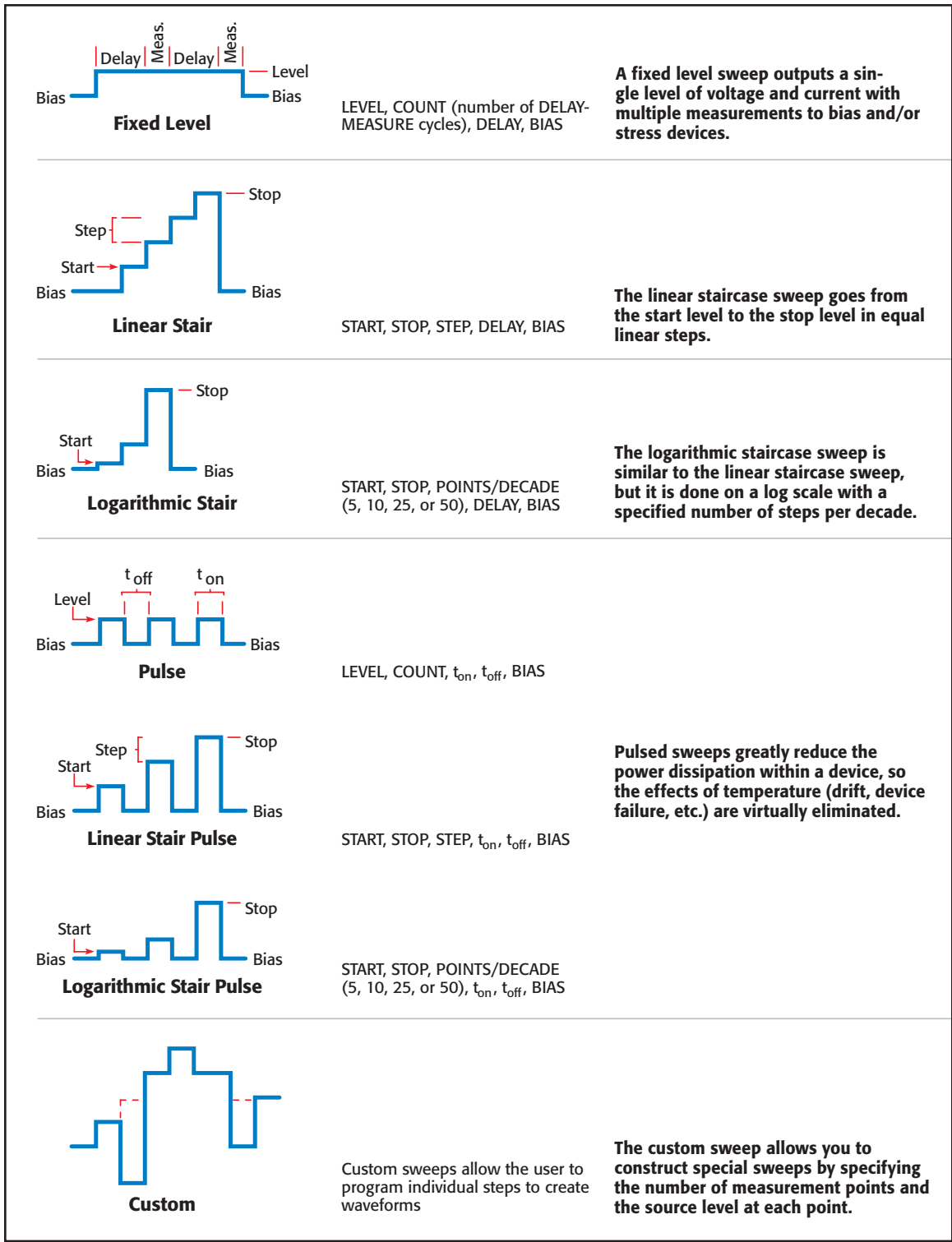


Figure 7. Various sweeps supported by SMU instruments.

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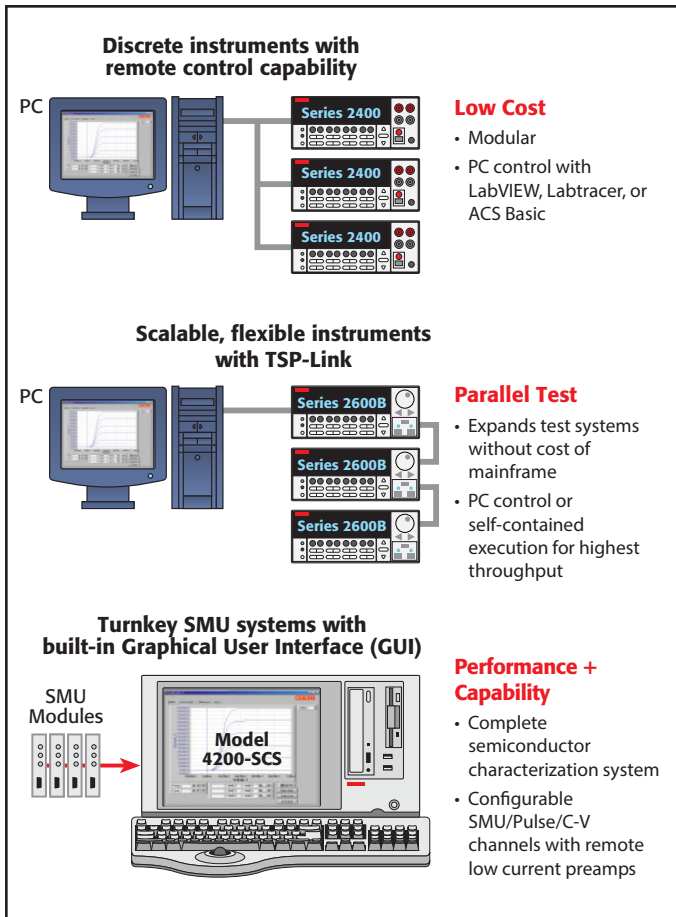


Figure 8. Examples of I-V characterization solutions

Need more test pins?

Keithley's new TSP-Link Technology is a high speed interface for system expansion. It allows you to connect a virtually unlimited number of Series 2600B SourceMeter SMU instruments in a master/slave configuration (Figure 10). All connected Series 2600B SMU instruments can be programmed and operated under the control of the master instrument. TSP-Link Technology provides an easy way to scale your system's channel count up or down to match changing application needs. There is no chassis involved.

In Series 2400 SourceMeter SMU instruments, Trigger Link can be used to coordinate multiple instruments with hardware triggers.

Parallel test capability

Series 2600B SMU instruments support true parallel testing. Each 2600B in a system can run its own test sequences, so the number of devices that can be tested in parallel is equivalent to the number of 2600B SMU instruments in the system. Parallel testing coupled with the 20,000 rdgs/s of each 2600B creates a system that offers extremely high throughput.

Advanced automation for system throughput

Series 2600B TSP® Technology

Any Series 2600B SMU instrument or 2600B-based system can run high speed, embedded test scripts with Test Script Processor (TSP) technology. TSP technology eliminates more than 90% of GPIB/LAN traffic and performs advanced tests without PC intervention (Figure 11). TSP test scripts allow throughput gains of up to 10× over equivalent PC-based programs controlling the same instruments via GPIB. TSP test scripts can be loaded and run from the front panel or over the system's GPIB interface. A single TSP test script, running on the master 2600B unit, can control all Series 2600B channels and acquire data from any Series 2600B SMU instrument connected to the system with TSP-Link Technology.

A Series 2600B-based system can stand alone as a complete measurement and automation solution for semiconductor device or component testing with the master 2600B unit controlling sourcing, measurements, pass/fail decisions, test sequence flow control, binning, the component handler, prober, and much more.

Source-Memory List

The Source-Memory List in Series 2400 SourceMeter SMU instruments, now available in emulation mode on Series 2600B SourceMeter SMU instruments, is a key feature for production testing. This programmable sequencer lets you set up a complete sequence of up to 100 tests. Each test can contain totally different test conditions, measurements, math, pass/fail, and binning criteria. The tests are executed sequentially without additional external commands. Conditional branching leads to different points on the test list, depending on the results.

The Source-Memory Sweep feature allows you to store up to 100 unique source and measure configurations in nonvolatile memory. This feature makes it possible to sweep through a group of source memory locations and execute a complete test sequence all at one time.

Digital I/O

Digital communication is one of the most common requirements of a production test system because of the need to communicate with handlers, binning equipment, and user controls. The SMU instruments' digital I/O can also be used to interact with racks of instruments to trigger events, start readings, and collect results. Digital triggering and response enable fast and reliable results that are not dependent on the communication bus in use. (Digital I/O is not available on the Model 2401, 2604B, 2614B, and 2634B.)

Contact check

The optional Contact Check function eliminates measurement errors and false product failures by verifying good connections to the DUT quickly and easily before testing begins. In just 350µs (Series 2400) or 1ms (Series 2600B), this function's verification and notification routine ensures that you have good contact to a device before sending energy through it and spending time testing it (Figure 12). (The Contact Check function is not available on Models 2401, 2604B, 2614B, and 2634B.)

Some of the problems this function can detect while verifying connector, fixture, and test harness integrity are contact fatigue, breakage, contamination, corrosion, loose or broken connections, and relay failures. If a bad contact is detected, it can abort the measurement, protecting the DUT. Three methods of fault notification are provided.

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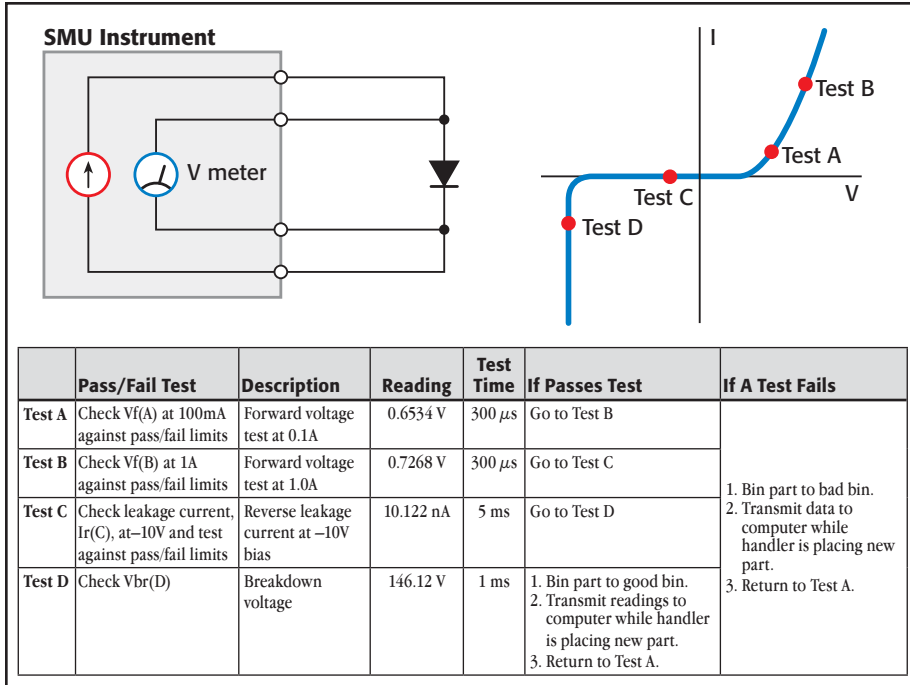


Figure 9. Typical high speed I-V functional test

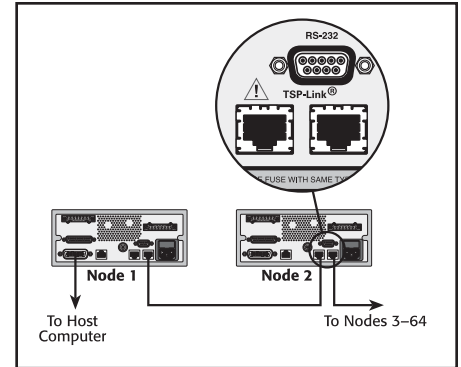


Figure 10. Series 2600B back panel

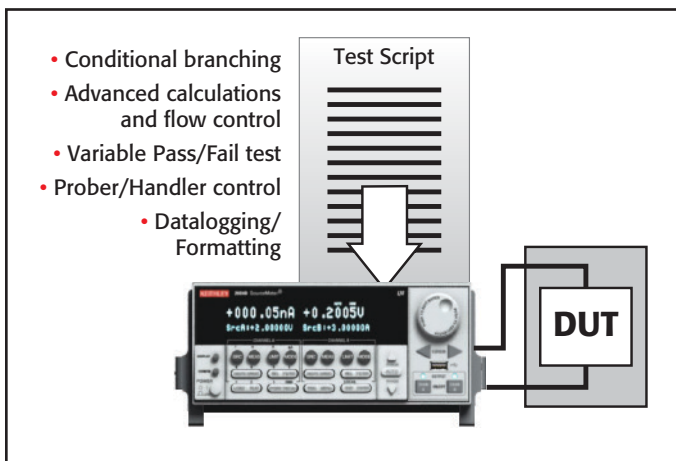


Figure 11. Series 2600B test script

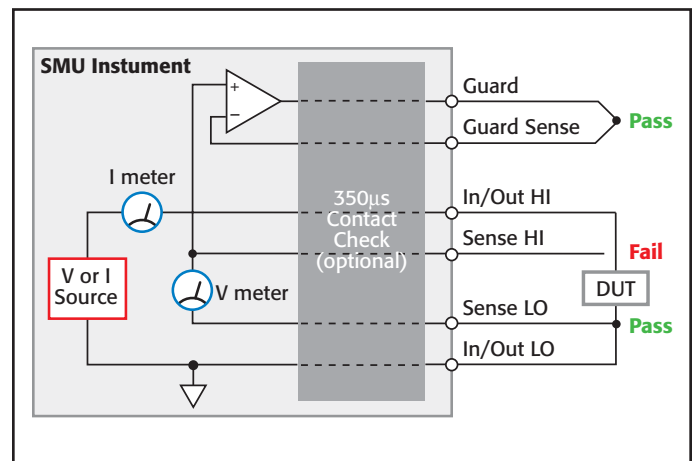


Figure 12. Series 2400 contact check

The Contact Check function was designed for high throughput 4-wire and 6-wire test applications. In Series 2400 SourceMeter SMU instruments, three reference value choices (2 Ω , 15 Ω , and 50 Ω) are supplied. If the resistance of good connections normally exceeds 50 Ω , then the built-in

contact check function is not suitable for that application and alternative approaches should be considered. Series 2600B SMU instruments provide more flexibility with programmable values.

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20-100W BENCH SMU INSTRUMENTS

MODEL	2400, 2401 2400-C 2400-LV	2410 2410-C	2420 2420-C	2425 2425-C	2440 2440-C	2450
Page	43	43	43	43	43	36
POWER OUTPUT	22 W	22 W	66 W	110W	55 W	20 W
CURRENT CAPABILITY						
Min.	±1 pA	±1 pA	±10 pA	±10 pA	±10 pA	±10 fA
Max.	±1.05 A	±1.05 A	±3.15 A	±3.15 A	±5.25 A	±1.05 A
VOLTAGE CAPABILITY						
Min.	±100 nV	±100 nV	±100 nV	±100 nV	±100 nV	±10 nV
Max.	±21/±210 V ²	±1100 V	±63 V	±105 V	±42 V	±210 V
OHMS RANGE³	<0.2 Ω to >200 MΩ	<0.2 Ω to >200 MΩ	<0.2 Ω to >200 MΩ	<0.2 Ω to >200 MΩ	<2.0 Ω to >200 MΩ	<2.0 Ω to >200 MΩ
BASIC ACCURACY						
I	0.035%	0.035%	0.035%	0.035%	0.035%	0.020%
V	0.015%	0.015%	0.015%	0.015%	0.015%	0.012%
Ω	0.06 %	0.07 %	0.06 %	0.06 %	0.06 %	0.043%
READING SPEED	2,081 rdgs/s	2,081 rdgs/s	2,081 rdgs/s	2,081 rdgs/s	2,081 rdgs/s	3,130 rdgs/s
FEATURE SUMMARY						
Pulse Mode	No	No	No	No	No	No
Embedded Scripting/ Execution	Source-Memory List	Source-Memory List	Source-Memory List	Source-Memory List	Source-Memory List	Source-Memory List, Config List, Test Script Processor (TSP®) Technology
Contact Check	-C version	-C version	-C version	-C version	-C version	No
Selectable Front/Rear Inputs	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Test Leads/Cables	Banana	Banana	Banana	Banana	Banana	Front: Banana Rear: Triax
Computer Interface	IEEE-488, RS-232	IEEE-488, RS-232	IEEE-488, RS-232	IEEE-488, RS-232	IEEE-488, RS-232	USB 2.0, LAN/LXI 1.4 Core, IEEE-488
Digital I/O	1 In/4 Out with built-in component handler interfaces (except Model 2401).	1 In/4 Out with built-in component handler interfaces.	1 In/4 Out with built-in component handler interfaces.	1 In/4 Out with built-in component handler interfaces.	1 In/4 Out with built-in component handler interfaces.	6 digital I/O-trigger lines
Other	6½-digit resolution. 6 wire ohms mode. LabView drivers.	6½-digit resolution. 6 wire ohms mode. LabView drivers.	6½-digit resolution. 6 wire ohms mode. LabView drivers.	6½-digit resolution. 6 wire ohms mode. LabView drivers.	6½-digit resolution. 6 wire ohms mode. LabView drivers.	5 inch capacitive touchscreen. 6½-digit resolution. Built-in "Quickset" configuration modes. Context-sensitive help. Scalable to 32 channels with TSP-Link Technology. KickStart out-of-the box software. LabView drivers. IVI drivers.
Compliance	CE, UL	CE	CE	CE	CE	CE, NRTL listed

1. In pulse mode.
 2. Models 2401 and 2400-LV 21V max.
 3. Ohms measurements on Series 2600 instruments are user-calculated.

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10	10	43	25	32	10	51
40 W/channel	30 W/channel	1100 W ¹	2,000W pulsed/200W DC	180 W	30 W/channel	2 W
±100 fA	±100 fA	±10 pA	±100 fA	±1 fA	±0.1 fA (2635B, 2636B) ±1 fA (2634B)	±0.01 fA
±3 A DC/10 A pulsed per channel	±1.5 A DC/10 A pulsed per channel	±10.5 A ¹	±50A (±100 A when two units are connected in parallel)	±120 mA	±1.5 A DC/10 A pulsed per channel	±105 mA
±100 nV	±100 nV	±100 nV	±100 nV	±100 nV	±100 nV	±1 μV
±40 V	±200 V	±105 V	±40 V	±3000 V	±200 V	±210 V
0.5 μΩ to 40 TΩ	0.5 μΩ to 100 TΩ	<0.2 Ω to >200 MΩ	<0.1 μΩ to 20 TΩ	<0.4 Ω to 100 PΩ	0.5 μΩ to 10 PΩ	<2.0 Ω to >20 TΩ
0.02 %	0.02 %	0.035%	0.02 %	0.02 %	0.02 %	0.035%
0.015%	0.015%	0.015%	0.015%	0.015%	0.015%	0.012%
Based on V and I range	Based on V and I range	0.06 %	Based on V and I range	Based on V and I range	Based on V and I range	0.063%
20,000 rdgs/s	20,000 rdgs/s	2,081 rdgs/s	38,500 rdgs/s and 1μs per pt digitizer	38,500 rdgs/s and 1μs per pt digitizer	20,000 rdgs/s	256 rdgs/s
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Test Script Processor (TSP®) Technology	Test Script Processor (TSP®)	Source-Memory List	Test Script Processor (TSP®)	Test Script Processor (TSP®)	Test Script Processor (TSP®)	Source-Memory List
Yes (not available for 2604B)	Yes (not available for 2614B)	-C version	Yes	Yes	Yes (not available for 2634B)	No
Rear only	Rear only	Yes	Rear only	Rear Only	Rear only	Rear and Preamp
Screw terminal; adapters available for banana or triax	Screw terminal; adapters available for banana or triax	Banana	Screw terminal; adapters available for banana or triax	HV triax	Triax	Triax
USB 2.0, LAN/LXI-C, IEEE-488, RS-232	USB 2.0, LAN/LXI-C, IEEE-488, RS-232	IEEE-488, RS-232	LAN/LXI, IEEE-488, RS-232	LAN/LXI-C, IEEE-488, RS-232	USB 2.0, LAN/LXI, IEEE-488, RS-232	IEEE-488, RS-232
14 digital I/O-trigger lines (no digital I/O available for 2604B)	14 digital I/O-trigger lines (no digital I/O available for 2614B)	1 In/4 Out with built-in component handler interfaces (except Model 2401).	14 digital I/O trigger lines	14 digital I/O trigger lines	14 digital I/O-trigger lines (no digital I/O available for 2634B)	1 In/4 Out with built-in component handler interfaces
6½-digit resolution. Scalable to 64 channels with TSP-Link Technology (not available for 2604B). Built-in Web-based characterization software. LabView driver.	6½-digit resolution. Scalable to 64 channels with TSP-Link Technology (not available for 2614B). Built-in Web-based characterization software. LabView driver.	6½-digit resolution. 6 wire ohms mode. LabView drivers.	6½-digit resolution. Scalable to 32 channels with TSP-Link Technology. 6 wire ohms mode. Built-in Web-based characterization software. LabView drivers.	6½-digit resolution. Scalable to 32 channels with TSP-Link Technology. 6 wire ohms mode. Built-in Web-based characterization software. LabView drivers.	6½-digit measurement resolution. Scalable to 64+ channels with TSP-Link Technology (not available for 2634B.) Built-in Web-based characterization software. LabView driver.	6½-digit resolution. 6 wire ohms mode. LabView drivers.
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- Tightly integrated, 4-quadrant voltage/current source and measure instruments offer best in class performance with 6½-digit resolution
- Family of models offer industry's widest dynamic range: 10A pulse to 0.1fA and 200V to 100nV
- Built-in, Java-based test software enables true plug & play I/V characterization and test through any browser.
- TSP (Test Script Processing) technology embeds complete test programs inside the instrument for best-in-class system-level throughput
- TSP-Link expansion technology for multi-channel parallel test without a mainframe
- Software emulation for Keithley's Model 2400 SourceMeter SMU Instrument
- USB 2.0, LXI-C, GPIB, RS-232, and digital I/O interfaces
- Free software drivers and development/debug tools
- Optional ACS-Basic semiconductor component characterization software

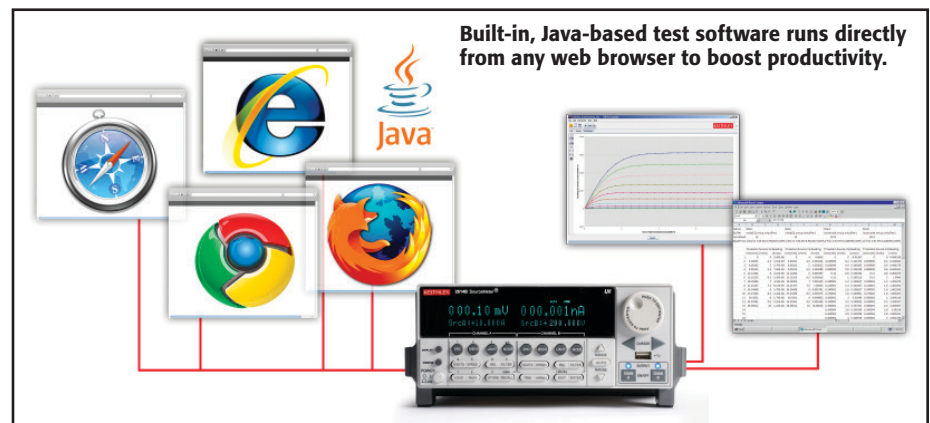
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The Series 2600B System SourceMeter SMU Instruments are the industry's leading current/voltage source and measure solutions, and are built from Keithley's third generation SMU technology. The Series 2600B offers single- and dual-channel models that combine the capabilities of a precision power supply, true current source, 6½-digit DMM, arbitrary waveform generator, pulse generator, and electronic load – all into one tightly integrated instrument. The result is a powerful solution that significantly boosts productivity in applications ranging from bench-top I-V characterization through highly automated production test. For bench-top use, Series 2600B SMU instruments feature built-in, Java-based software that enables plug & play I-V testing through any browser, on any computer, from anywhere in the world. For automated system applications, the Series 2600B's Test Script Processor (TSP®) runs complete test programs from inside the instrument for industry-best throughput. In larger, multi-channel applications, Keithley's TSP-Link® Technology works together with TSP Technology to enable high-speed, SMU-per-pin parallel testing. Because Series 2600B SourceMeter SMU Instruments have fully isolated channels that do not require a mainframe, they can be easily reconfigured and re-deployed as your test applications evolve.

Java-based Plug & Play I-V Test Software

The Series 2600B are the only SMU instruments to feature built-in, Java-based test software that enables true plug & play I-V characterization through any browser, on any computer, from anywhere in the world. This unique capability boosts productivity across a wide range of applications such as R&D, education, QA/FA, and more. Simply connect the 2600B to the internet via the supplied LAN cable, open a browser, type in the 2600B's I.P. address, and begin testing. Resulting data can be downloaded to a spreadsheet such as Excel for further analysis and formatting, or for inclusion in other documents or presentations.



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- 2635B Single-channel System SourceMeter SMU Instrument (0.1fA, 10A Pulse)
- 2636B Dual-channel System SourceMeter SMU Instrument (0.1fA, 10A Pulse)

Accessories Supplied

Operators and Programming Manuals

2600-ALG-2: Low Noise Triax Cable with Alligator Clips, 2m (6.6 ft.) (two supplied with 2634B and 2636B, one with 2635B)

2600-Kit: Screw Terminal Connector Kit (2601B/2602B/2604B/2611B/2612B/2614B)

2600B-800A: Series 2400 Emulation Script for Series 2600B (supplied on USB memory stick)

7709-308A: Digital I/O Connector

CA-180-3A: TSP-Link/Ethernet Cable (two per unit)

TSP Express Software Tool (embedded)

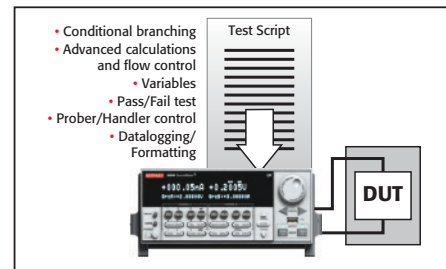
Test Script Builder Software (supplied on CD)

LabVIEW Driver (supplied on CD)

ACS Basic Edition Software (optional)

Unmatched Throughput for Automated Test with TSP Technology

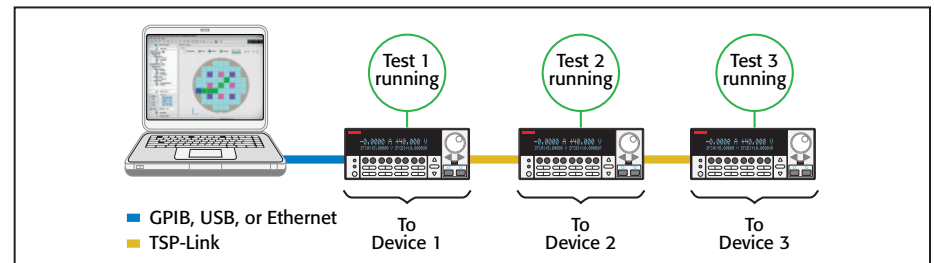
For test applications that demand the highest levels of automation and throughput, the Model 2600B's TSP technology delivers industry-best performance. TSP technology goes far beyond traditional test command sequencers... it fully embeds then executes complete test programs from within the SMU instrument itself. This virtually eliminates all the time-consuming bus communications to and from the PC controller, and thus dramatically improves overall test times.



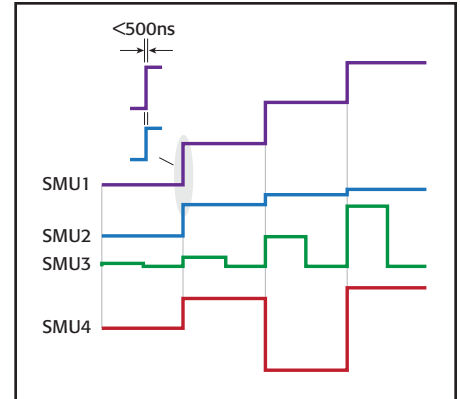
TSP technology executes complete test programs from the 2600B's non-volatile memory.

SMU-Per-Pin Parallel Testing with TSP-Link Technology

TSP-Link is a channel expansion bus that enables multiple Series 2600B's to be inter-connected and function as a single, tightly-synchronized, multi-channel system. The 2600B's TSP-Link Technology works together with its TSP technology to enable high-speed, SMU-per-pin parallel testing. Unlike other high-speed solutions such as large ATE systems, the 2600B achieves parallel test performance without the cost or burden of a mainframe. The TSP-Link based system also enables superior flexibility, allowing for quick and easy system re-configuration as test requirements change.



SMU-Per-Pin Parallel Testing using TSP and TSP-Link improves test throughput and lowers the cost of test.



All channels in the TSP-Link system are synchronized to under 500ns.

Model 2400 Software Emulation

The Series 2600B is compatible with test code developed for Keithley's Model 2400 SourceMeter SMU instrument. This enables an easier upgrade from Model 2400-based test systems to Series 2600B, and can improve test speeds by as much as 80%. In addition, it provides a migration path from SCPI programming to Keithley's TSP technology, which when implemented can improve test times even more. For complete support of legacy test systems, the Model 2400's Source-Memory-List test sequencer is also fully supported in this mode.

Third-generation SMU Instrument Design Ensures Faster Test Times

Based on the proven architecture of earlier Series 2600 instruments, the Series 2600B's SMU instrument design enhances test speed in several ways. For example, while earlier designs used a parallel current ranging topology, the Series 2600B uses a patented series ranging topology, which provides faster and smoother range changes and outputs that settle more quickly.

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The Series 2600B SMU instrument design supports two modes of operation for use with a variety of loads. In normal mode, the SMU instrument provides high bandwidth performance for maximum throughput. In high capacitance (high-C) mode, the SMU instrument uses a slower bandwidth to provide robust performance with higher capacitive loads.

Simplify Semiconductor Component Test, Verification, and Analysis

The optional ACS Basic Edition software maximizes the productivity of customers who perform packaged part characterization during development, quality verification, or failure analysis. Key features include:

- Rich set of easy-to-access test libraries
- Script editor for fast customization of existing tests
- Data tool for comparing results quickly
- Formulator tool that analyzes captured curves and provides a wide range of math functions

For more information about the ACS Basic Edition software, please refer to the ACS Basic Edition data sheet.

Powerful Software Tools

In addition to the embedded Java-based plug & play software and optional ACS Basic Edition software, the free Test Script Builder software tool is provided to help users create, modify, debug, and store TSP test scripts. **Table 1** describes key features of Series 2600B software tools.

Three New Dual-Channel Bench-Top Models of Series 2600B Offer Industry-Best Value and Performance

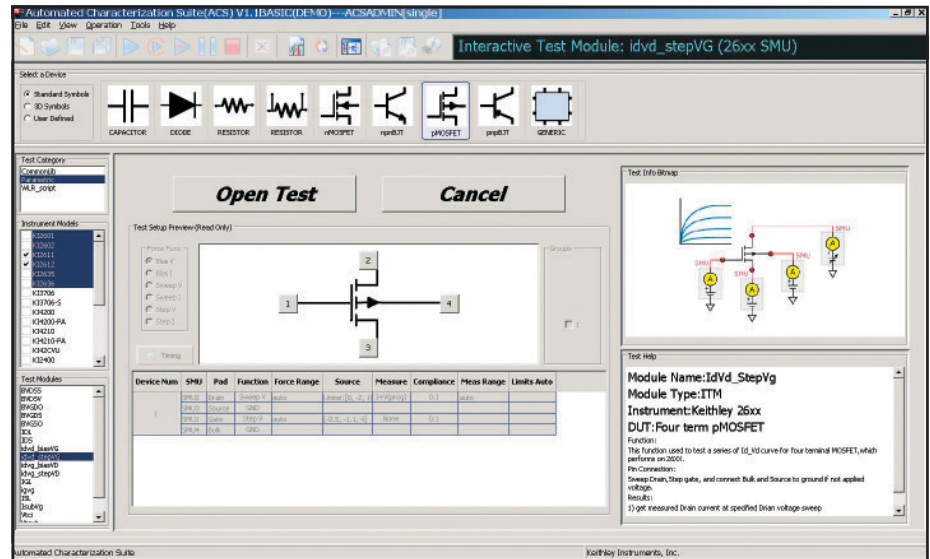
For applications that do not require leading-edge system-level automation capabilities, Keithley has expanded the Series 2600B to include 3 new value-priced “bench-top” models – the 2604B, 2614B, and 2634B. These models offer similar performance to Models 2602B, 2612B, and 2636B, respectively, however do not include TSP-Link, Contact Check, and Digital I/O capabilities.

Complete Automated System Solutions

Keithley’s S500 Integrated Test Systems are highly configurable, instrument-based systems for semiconductor characterization at the device, wafer, or cassette level. Built on our proven Series 2600B System SourceMeter SMU instruments, our S500 Integrated Test Systems

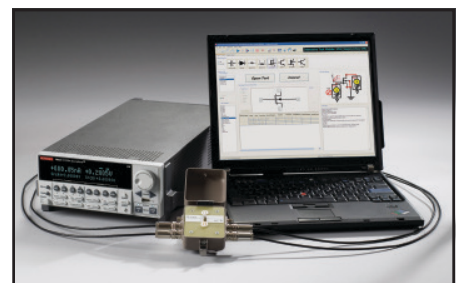
Table 1. Series 2600B software tools

Feature/Functionality	ACS Basic Edition	Java-based Plug & Play	Test Script Builder (TSB)
Description	Semiconductor characterization software for component test, verification, and analysis	Quick Start Java-based Plug & Play Tool for fast and easy I-V testing, primarily for bench and lab users	Custom script writing tool for TSP instruments
Supported hardware	Series 2400, Series 2600B, 4200-SCS	Series 2600B	Series 2600B, Series 3700
Supported buses	GPIB, LAN/LXI	LAN/LXI	GPIB, RS-232, LAN/LXI, USB
Functionality	Intuitive, wizard-based GUI, Rich set of test libraries, curve trace capability	Linear/Log Sweeps, Pulsing, Custom sweeps, Single point source-measures. Note: Uses new 2600B’s new API’s for precision timing and channel synchronization	Custom scripts with total flexibility, full featured debugger
Data management	Formulator tool with wide range of math functions	.csv export	User defined
Installation	Optional purchase	Not necessary. Embedded in the instrument.	Free Download or CD Install on PC.



When you need to acquire data on a packaged part quickly, the wizard-based user interface of ACS Basic Edition makes it easy to find and run the test you want, like this common FET curve trace test.

provide innovative measurement features and system flexibility, scalable to your needs. The unique measurement capability, combined with the powerful and flexible Automated Characterization Suite (ACS) software, provides a comprehensive range of applications and features not offered on other comparable systems on the market.



The flexible software architecture of ACS Basic Edition allows configuring systems with a wide range of controllers and test fixtures, as well as the exact number of SourceMeter SMU instruments the application requires.

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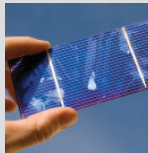
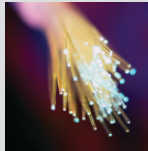
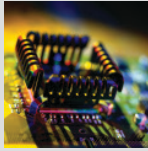
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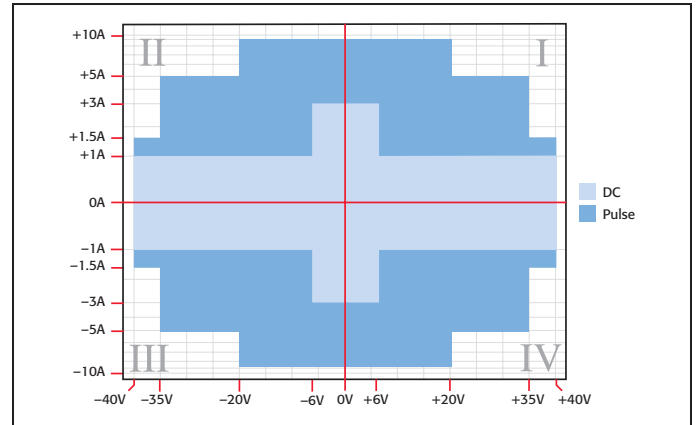
TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

I-V functional test and characterization of a wide range of devices, including:

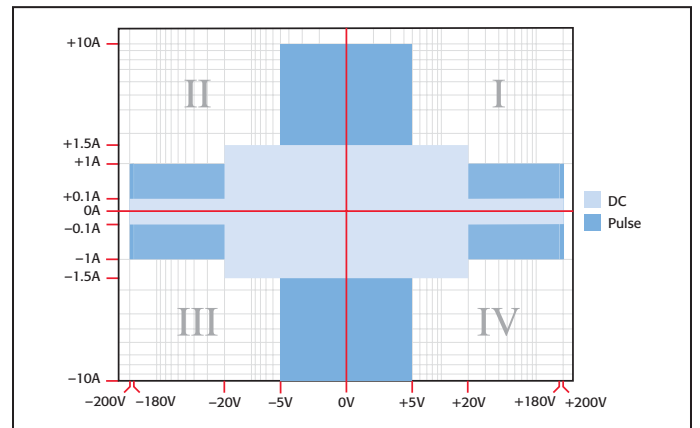
- Discrete and passive components
 - Two-leaded – Sensors, disk drive heads, metal oxide varistors (MOVs), diodes, zener diodes, sensors, capacitors, thermistors
 - Three-leaded – Small signal bipolar junction transistors (BJTs), field-effect transistors (FETs), and more
- Simple ICs – Optos, drivers, switches, sensors, converters, regulators
- Integrated devices – small scale integrated (SSI) and large scale integrated (LSI)
 - Analog ICs
 - Radio frequency integrated circuits (RFICs)
 - Application specific integrated circuits (ASICs)
 - System on a chip (SOC) devices
- Optoelectronic devices such as light-emitting diodes (LEDs), laser diodes, high brightness LEDs (HBLEDs), vertical cavity surface-emitting lasers (VCSELs), displays
- Wafer level reliability
 - NBTI, TDDb, HCI, electromigration
- Solar Cells
- Batteries
- And more...



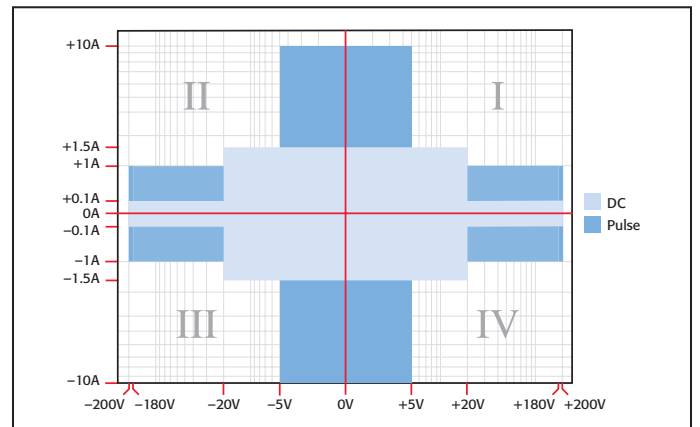
In the first and third quadrants, Series 2600B SMU instruments operate as a source, delivering power to a load. In the second and fourth quadrants, they operate as a sink, dissipating power internally.



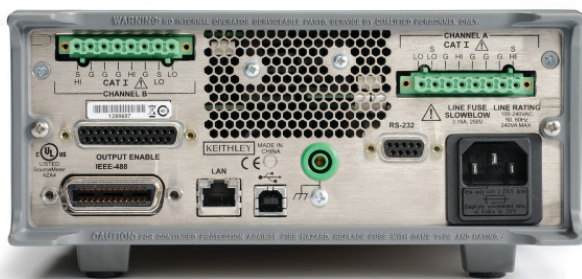
Models 2601B, 2602B, and 2604B I-V capability



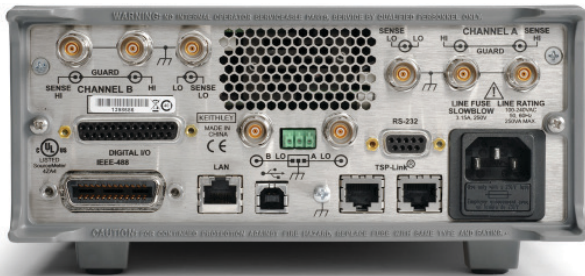
Models 2611B, 2612B, and 2614B I-V capability



Models 2634B, 2635B, and 2636B I-V capability



Model 2604B/2614B rear panel
(Single channels 2601B, 2611B, 2635B not shown)



Model 2636B rear panel

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SPECIFICATION CONDITIONS

This document contains specifications and supplemental information for the Models 2601B, 2602B, and 2604B System SourceMeter® SMU instruments. Specifications are the standards against which the Models 2601B, 2602B, and 2604B are tested. Upon leaving the factory, the 2601B, 2602B, and 2604B meet these specifications. Supplemental and typical values are non-warranted, apply at 23°C, and are provided solely as useful information.

Accuracy specifications are applicable for both normal and high capacitance modes.

The source and measurement accuracies are specified at the SourceMeter CHANNEL A (2601B, 2602B, and 2604B) or SourceMeter CHANNEL B (2602B and 2604B) terminals under the following conditions:

1. 23°C ± 5°C, <70% relative humidity
2. After 2 hour warm-up
3. Speed normal (1 NPLC)
4. A/D auto-zero enabled
5. Remote sense operation or properly zeroed local operation
6. Calibration period = 1 year

SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS

VOLTAGE SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS

VOLTAGE PROGRAMMING ACCURACY¹

Range	Programming Resolution	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ± 5°C ±(% rdg. + volts)	Typical Noise (peak-peak) 0.1Hz–10Hz
100 mV	5 μV	0.02% + 250 μV	20 μV
1 V	50 μV	0.02% + 400 μV	50 μV
6 V	50 μV	0.02% + 1.8 mV	100 μV
40 V	500 μV	0.02% + 12 mV	500 μV

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C)²: ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C. Applicable for normal mode only. Not applicable for high capacitance mode.

MAXIMUM OUTPUT POWER AND SOURCE/SINK LIMITS³: 40.4W per channel maximum. ±40.4V @ ±1.0A, ±6.06V @ ±3.0A, four quadrant source or sink operation.

VOLTAGE REGULATION: Line: 0.01% of range. **Load:** ±(0.01% of range + 100μV).

NOISE 10Hz–20MHz: <20mV peak-peak (typical), <5mV RMS (typical), 6V range.

CURRENT LIMIT/COMPLIANCE⁴: Bipolar current limit (compliance) set with single value. Minimum value is 10nA. Accuracy same as current source.

OVERSHOOT: <±(0.1% + 10mV) typical. Step size = 10% to 90% of range, resistive load, maximum current limit/compliance.

GUARD OFFSET VOLTAGE: <4mV typical. Current <10mA.

CURRENT SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS

CURRENT PROGRAMMING ACCURACY

Range	Programming Resolution	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ± 5°C ±(% rdg. + amps)	Typical Noise (peak-peak) 0.1Hz–10Hz
100 nA	2 pA	0.06% + 100 pA	5 pA
1 μA	20 pA	0.03% + 800 pA	25 pA
10 μA	200 pA	0.03% + 5 nA	60 pA
100 μA	2 nA	0.03% + 60 nA	3 nA
1 mA	20 nA	0.03% + 300 nA	6 nA
10 mA	200 nA	0.03% + 6 μA	200 nA
100 mA	2 μA	0.03% + 30 μA	600 nA
1 A ⁵	20 μA	0.05% + 1.8 mA	70 μA
3 A ⁵	20 μA	0.06% + 4 mA	150 μA
10 A ^{5,6}	200 μA	0.5 % + 40 mA (typical)	

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C)⁷: ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C.

MAXIMUM OUTPUT POWER AND SOURCE/SINK LIMITS⁸: 40.4W per channel maximum. ±1.01A @ ±40.0V, ±3.03A @ ±6.0V, four quadrant source or sink operation.

CURRENT REGULATION: Line: 0.01% of range. **Load:** ±(0.01% of range + 100pA).

VOLTAGE LIMIT/COMPLIANCE⁹: Bipolar voltage limit (compliance) set with a single value. Minimum value is 10mV. Accuracy is the same as voltage source.

OVERSHOOT: <±0.1% typical (step size = 10% to 90% of range, resistive load; see Current Source Output Settling Time for additional test conditions).

ADDITIONAL SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS

TRANSIENT RESPONSE TIME: <70μs for the output to recover to within 0.1% for a 10% to 90% step change in load.

VOLTAGE SOURCE OUTPUT SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach within 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range.

100mV, 1V Ranges: <50μs typical.

6V Range: <100μs typical.

40V Range¹⁰: <150μs typical.

CURRENT SOURCE OUTPUT SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach within 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range. Values below for $I_{out} \times R_{load} = 1V$ unless noted.

3A Range: <80μs typical (current less than 2.5A, $R_{load} > 2\Omega$).

1A–10mA Ranges: <80μs typical ($R_{load} > 6\Omega$).

1mA Range: <100μs typical.

100μA Range: <150μs typical.

10μA Range: <500μs typical.

1μA Range: <2.5ms typical.

100nA Range: <25ms typical.

DC FLOATING VOLTAGE: Output can be floated up to ±250VDC from chassis ground.

REMOTE SENSE OPERATING RANGE¹¹:

Maximum voltage between HI and SENSE HI = 3V.

Maximum voltage between LO and SENSE LO = 3V.

VOLTAGE OUTPUT HEADROOM:

40V Range: Max. output voltage = 42V – total voltage drop across source leads (maximum 1Ω per source lead).

6V Range: Max. output voltage = 8V – total voltage drop across source leads (maximum 1Ω per source lead).

OVER TEMPERATURE PROTECTION: Internally sensed temperature overload puts unit in standby mode.

VOLTAGE SOURCE RANGE CHANGE OVERSHOOT: <300mV + 0.1% of larger range (typical). Overshoot into a 100kΩ load, 20MHz BW.

CURRENT SOURCE RANGE CHANGE OVERSHOOT: <5% of larger range + 300mV/ R_{load} (typical with source settling set to SETTLE_SMOOTH_100NA). See Current Source Output Settling Time for additional test conditions.

NOTES

1. Add 50μV to source accuracy specifications per volt of HI lead drop.
2. High Capacitance Mode accuracy is applicable at 23°C ± 5°C only.
3. Full power source operation regardless of load to 30°C ambient. Above 30°C and/or power sink operation, refer to "Operating Boundaries" in the Series 2600B Reference Manual for additional power derating information.
4. For sink mode operation (quadrants II and IV), add 0.06% of limit range to the corresponding current limit accuracy specifications. Specifications apply with sink mode operation enabled.
5. Full power source operation regardless of load to 30°C ambient. Above 30°C and/or power sink operation, refer to "Operating Boundaries" in the Series 2600B Reference Manual for additional power derating information.
6. 10A range accessible only in pulse mode.
7. High Capacitance Mode accuracy is applicable at 23°C ± 5°C only.
8. Full power source operation regardless of load to 30°C ambient. Above 30°C and/or power sink operation, refer to "Operating Boundaries" in the Series 2600B Reference Manual for additional power derating information.
9. For sink mode operation (quadrants II and IV), add 10% of compliance range and ±0.02% of limit setting to corresponding voltage source specification. For 100mV range add an additional 60mV of uncertainty.
10. Add 150μs when measuring on the 1A range.
11. Add 50μV to source accuracy specifications per volt of HI lead drop.

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PULSE SPECIFICATIONS

Region	Maximum Current Limit	Maximum Pulse Width ¹²	Maximum Duty Cycle ¹³
1	1 A @ 40 V	DC, no limit	100%
1	3 A @ 6 V	DC, no limit	100%
2	1.5 A @ 40 V	100 ms	25%
3	5 A @ 35 V	4 ms	4%
4	10 A @ 20 V	1.8 ms	1%

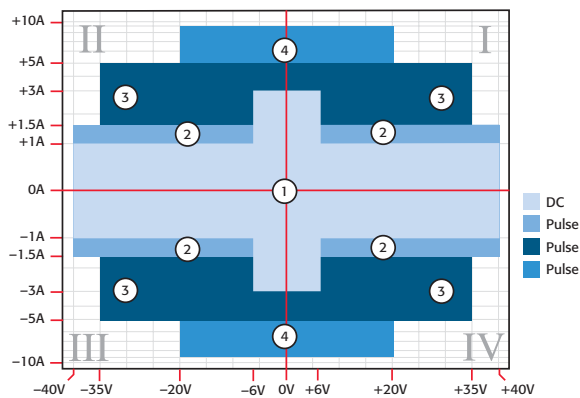
MINIMUM PROGRAMMABLE PULSE WIDTH^{14, 15}: 100 μ s. NOTE: Minimum pulse width for settled source at a given I/V output and load can be longer than 100 μ s.

PULSE WIDTH PROGRAMMING RESOLUTION: 1 μ s.

PULSE WIDTH PROGRAMMING ACCURACY¹⁵: $\pm 5\mu$ s.

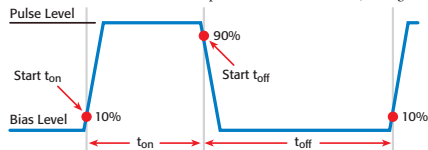
PULSE WIDTH JITTER: 2 μ s (typical).

QUADRANT DIAGRAM:



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12. Times measured from the start of pulse to the start off-time; see figure below.



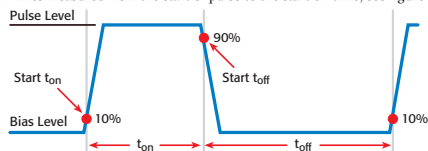
13. Thermally limited in sink mode (quadrants II and IV) and ambient temperatures above 30°C. See power equations in the reference manual for more information.

14. Typical performance for minimum settled pulse widths:

Source Value	Load	Source Settling (% of range)	Min. Pulse Width
6 V	2 Ω	0.2%	150 μ s
20 V	2 Ω	1%	200 μ s
35 V	7 Ω	0.5%	500 μ s
40 V	27 Ω	0.1%	400 μ s
1.5 A	27 Ω	0.1%	1.5 ms
3 A	2 Ω	0.2%	150 μ s
5 A	7 Ω	0.5%	500 μ s
10 A	2 Ω	0.5%	200 μ s

Typical tests were performed using remote operation, 4W sense, and best, fixed measurement range. For more information on pulse scripts, see the Series 2600B Reference Manual.

15. Times measured from the start of pulse to the start off-time; see figure below.



METER SPECIFICATIONS

VOLTAGE MEASUREMENT ACCURACY^{16, 17}

Range	Default Display Resolution ¹⁸	Input Resistance	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C $\pm 5^\circ$ C \pm (% rdg. + volts)
100 mV	100 nV	>10 G Ω	0.015% + 150 μ V
1 V	1 μ V	>10 G Ω	0.015% + 200 μ V
6 V	10 μ V	>10 G Ω	0.015% + 1 mV
40 V	10 μ V	>10 G Ω	0.015% + 8 mV

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C)¹⁹: $\pm(0.15 \times \text{accuracy specification})/^\circ\text{C}$. Applicable for normal mode only. Not applicable for high capacitance mode.

CURRENT MEASUREMENT ACCURACY¹⁷

Range	Default Display Resolution ²⁰	Voltage Burden ²¹	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C $\pm 5^\circ$ C \pm (% rdg. + amps)
100 nA	100 fA	<1 mV	0.05% + 100 pA
1 μ A	1 pA	<1 mV	0.025% + 500 pA
10 μ A	10 pA	<1 mV	0.025% + 1.5 nA
100 μ A	100 pA	<1 mV	0.02% + 25 nA
1 mA	1 nA	<1 mV	0.02% + 200 nA
10 mA	10 nA	<1 mV	0.02% + 2.5 μ A
100 mA	100 nA	<1 mV	0.02% + 20 μ A
1 A	1 μ A	<1 mV	0.03% + 1.5 mA
3 A	1 μ A	<1 mV	0.05% + 3.5 mA
10 A ²²	10 μ A	<1 mV	0.4% + 25 mA (typical)

CURRENT MEASURE SETTling TIME (Time for measurement to settle after a V_{step})²³: Time required to reach within 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range. Values for $V_{\text{out}} = 1\text{V}$ unless noted. Current Range: 1mA. Settling Time: <100 μ s (typical).

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C)²⁴: $\pm(0.15 \times \text{accuracy specification})/^\circ\text{C}$. Applicable for normal mode only. Not applicable for high capacitance mode.

CONTACT CHECK²⁵ (not available on Model 2604B)

Speed	Maximum Measurement Time To Memory For 60Hz (50Hz)	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C $\pm 5^\circ$ C \pm (%rdg. + ohms)
FAST	1 (1.2) ms	5% + 10 Ω
MEDIUM	4 (5) ms	5% + 1 Ω
SLOW	36 (42) ms	5% + 0.3 Ω

ADDITIONAL METER SPECIFICATIONS

MAXIMUM LOAD IMPEDANCE:

Normal Mode: 10nF (typical). High Capacitance Mode: 50 μ F (typical).

COMMON MODE VOLTAGE: 250VDC.

COMMON MODE ISOLATION: >1G Ω , <4500pF.

OVERRANGE: 101% of source range, 102% of measure range.

MAXIMUM SENSE LEAD RESISTANCE: 1k Ω for rated accuracy.

SENSE INPUT IMPEDANCE: >10G Ω .

NOTES

16. Add 50 μ V to source accuracy specifications per volt of HI lead drop.

17. De-rate accuracy specifications for NPLC setting < 1 by increasing error term.

Add appropriate % of range term using table below.

NPLC Setting	100mV Range	1V–40V Ranges	100nA Range	1 μ A–100mA Ranges	1A–3A Ranges
0.1	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%
0.01	0.08%	0.07%	0.1%	0.05%	0.05%
0.001	0.8 %	0.6 %	1%	0.5 %	1.1 %

18. Applies when in single channel display mode.

19. High Capacitance Mode accuracy is applicable for 23°C $\pm 5^\circ$ C only.

20. Applies when in single channel display mode.

21. Four-wire remote sense only with current meter mode selected. Voltage measure set to 100mV or 1V range only.

22. 10A range accessible only in pulse mode.

23. Compliance equal to 100mA.

24. High Capacitance Mode accuracy is applicable for 23°C $\pm 5^\circ$ C only.

25. Includes measurement of SENSE HI to HI and SENSE LO to LO contact resistances.

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HIGH CAPACITANCE MODE^{26, 27, 28}

VOLTAGE SOURCE OUTPUT SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range. Current limit = 1A.

Voltage Source Range	Settling Time with $C_{load} = 4.7\mu F$
100 mV	200 μs (typical)
1 V	200 μs (typical)
6 V	200 μs (typical)
40 V	7 ms (typical)

CURRENT MEASURE SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach 0.1% of final value after voltage source is stabilized on a fixed range. Values below for $V_{out} = 1V$ unless noted.

Current Measure Range	Settling Time
3 A – 1 A	<120 μs (typical) ($R_{load} > 2\Omega$)
100 mA – 10 mA	<100 μs (typical)
1 mA	< 3 ms (typical)
100 μA	< 3 ms (typical)
10 μA	< 230 ms (typical)
1 μA	< 230 ms (typical)

CAPACITOR LEAKAGE PERFORMANCE USING HIGH-C SCRIPTS²⁹: Load = $5\mu F || 10M\Omega$. Test: 5V step and measure. 200ms (typical) @ 50nA.

MODE CHANGE DELAY:

100 μA Current Range and Above:
 Delay into High Capacitance Mode: 10ms.
 Delay out of High Capacitance Mode: 10ms.
1 μA and 10 μA Current Ranges:
 Delay into High Capacitance Mode: 230ms.
 Delay out of High Capacitance Mode: 10ms.

VOLTMETER INPUT IMPEDANCE: 10G Ω in parallel with 3300pF.

NOISE, 10Hz–20MHz (6V Range): <30mV peak-peak (typical).

VOLTAGE SOURCE RANGE CHANGE OVERTHOOT: <400mV + 0.1% of larger range (typical). Overshoot into a 100k Ω load, 20MHz BW.

NOTES

26. High Capacitance Mode specifications are for DC measurements only.
27. 100nA range is not available in High Capacitance Mode.
28. High Capacitance Mode utilizes locked ranges. Auto Range is disabled.
29. Part of KI Factory scripts. See reference manual for details.

GENERAL

IEEE-488: IEEE-488.1 compliant. Supports IEEE-488.2 common commands and status model topology.

USB CONTROL (REAR): USB 2.0 device, TMC488 protocol.

RS-232: Baud rates from 300bps to 115200bps.

ETHERNET: RJ-45 connector, LXI Class C, 10/100BT, no auto MDIX.

EXPANSION INTERFACE: The TSP-Link expansion interface allows TSP enabled instruments to trigger and communicate with each other. (Not available on Model 2604B).

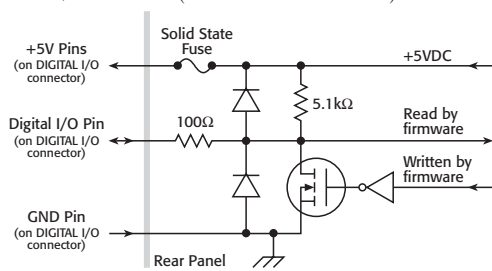
Cable Type: Category 5e or higher LAN crossover cable.

Length: 3 meters maximum between each TSP enabled instrument.

LXI COMPLIANCE: LXI Class C 1.4.

LXI TIMING: Total Output Trigger Response Time: 245 μs min., 280 μs typ., (not specified) max. Receive LAN[0-7] Event Delay: Unknown. Generate LAN[0-7] Event Delay: Unknown.

DIGITAL I/O INTERFACE: (Not available on Model 2604B)



Connector: 25-pin female D.

Input/Output Pins: 14 open drain I/O bits.

Absolute Maximum Input Voltage: 5.25V.

Absolute Minimum Input Voltage: –0.25V.

Maximum Logic Low Input Voltage: 0.7V, +850 μA max.

Minimum Logic High Input Voltage: 2.1V, +570 μA .

Maximum Source Current (flowing out of Digital I/O bit): +960 μA .

Maximum Sink Current @ Maximum Logic Low Voltage (0.7V): –5.0mA.

Absolute Maximum Sink Current (flowing into Digital I/O pin): –11mA (not including Model 2604B).

5V Power Supply Pins: Limited to 250mA total for all three pins, solid state fuse protected.

Output Enable: Active high input pulled down internally to ground with a 10k Ω resistor; when the output enable input function has been activated, each SourceMeter channel will not turn on unless the output enable pin is driven to >2.1V (nominal current = 2.1V/10k Ω = 210 μA).

USB FILE SYSTEM (FRONT): USB 2.0 Host: Mass storage class device.

POWER SUPPLY: 100V to 250VAC, 50–60Hz (auto sensing), 240VA max.

COOLING: Forced air. Side intake and rear exhaust. One side must be unobstructed when rack mounted.

EMC: Conforms to European Union Directive 2004/108/EEC, EN 61326-1.

SAFETY: Conforms to European Union Directive 73/23/EEC, EN 61010-1, and UL 61010-1.

DIMENSIONS: 89mm high \times 213mm wide \times 460mm deep (3½ in \times 8½ in \times 17½ in). Bench Configuration (with handle and feet): 104mm high \times 238mm wide \times 460mm deep (4¼ in \times 9½ in \times 17½ in).

WEIGHT: 2601B: 4.75kg (10.4 lbs). 2602B, 2604B: 5.50kg (12.0 lbs).

ENVIRONMENT: For indoor use only.

Altitude: Maximum 2000 meters above sea level.

Operating: 0°–50°C, 70% R.H. up to 35°C. Derate 3% R.H./°C, 35°–50°C.

Storage: –25°C to 65°C.

SEE PAGES 23 AND 24 FOR MEASUREMENT SPEEDS AND OTHER SPECIFICATIONS.

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1. 23°C ± 5°C, <70% relative humidity.
2. After 2 hour warm-up.
3. Speed normal (1 NPLC).
4. A/D auto-zero enabled.
5. Remote sense operation or properly zeroed local sense operation.
6. Calibration period = 1 year.

SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS

VOLTAGE SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS

VOLTAGE PROGRAMMING ACCURACY¹

Range	Programming Resolution	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ±5°C ±(% rdg. + volts)	Typical Noise (Peak-Peak) 0.1Hz–10Hz
200 mV	5 μ V	0.02% + 375 μ V	20 μ V
2 V	50 μ V	0.02% + 600 μ V	50 μ V
20 V	500 μ V	0.02% + 5 mV	300 μ V
200 V	5 mV	0.02% + 50 mV	2 mV

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C)²: ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C. Applicable for normal mode only. Not applicable for high capacitance mode.

MAXIMUM OUTPUT POWER AND SOURCE/SINK LIMITS³: 30.3W per channel maximum. ±20.2V @ ±1.5A, ±202V @ ±100mA, four quadrant source or sink operation.

VOLTAGE REGULATION: Line: 0.01% of range. Load: ±(0.01% of range + 100 μ V).

NOISE 10Hz–20MHz: <20mV peak-peak (typical), <3mV RMS (typical), 20V range.

CURRENT LIMIT/COMPLIANCE⁴: Bipolar current limit (compliance) set with single value. Minimum value is 10nA. Accuracy is the same as current source.

OVERSHOOT: <±(0.1% + 10mV) (typical). Step size = 10% to 90% of range, resistive load, maximum current limit/compliance.

GUARD OFFSET VOLTAGE: <4mV (current <10mA).

CURRENT SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS

CURRENT PROGRAMMING ACCURACY⁵

Range	Programming Resolution	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ±5°C ±(% rdg. + amps)	Typical Noise (Peak-Peak) 0.1Hz–10Hz
100 nA	2 pA	0.06% + 100 pA	5 pA
1 μ A	20 pA	0.03% + 800 pA	25 pA
10 μ A	200 pA	0.03% + 5 nA	60 pA
100 μ A	2 nA	0.03% + 60 nA	3 nA
1 mA	20 nA	0.03% + 300 nA	6 nA
10 mA	200 nA	0.03% + 6 μ A	200 nA
100 mA	2 μ A	0.03% + 30 μ A	600 nA
1 A ⁶	20 μ A	0.05% + 1.8 mA	70 μ A
1.5 A ⁶	50 μ A	0.06% + 4 mA	150 μ A
10 A ^{6,7}	200 μ A	0.5% + 40 mA (typical)	

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C)⁸: ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C. Applicable for normal mode only. Not applicable for high capacitance mode.

MAXIMUM OUTPUT POWER AND SOURCE/SINK LIMITS⁹: 30.3W per channel maximum. ±1.515A @ ±20V, ±101mA @ ±200V, four quadrant source or sink operation.

CURRENT REGULATION: Line: 0.01% of range. Load: ±(0.01% of range + 100pA).

VOLTAGE LIMIT/COMPLIANCE¹⁰: Bipolar voltage limit (compliance) set with a single value. Minimum value is 20mV. Accuracy is the same as voltage source.

OVERSHOOT: <±0.1% (typical). Step size = 10% to 90% of range, resistive load; see Current Source Output Settling Time for additional test conditions.

ADDITIONAL SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS

TRANSIENT RESPONSE TIME: <70 μ s for the output to recover to within 0.1% for a 10% to 90% step change in load.

VOLTAGE SOURCE OUTPUT SETTLING TIME: Time required to within reach 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range.

Range	Settling Time
200 mV	<50 μ s (typical)
2 V	<50 μ s (typical)
20 V	<110 μ s (typical)
200 V	<700 μ s (typical)

CURRENT SOURCE OUTPUT SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach within 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range. Values below for $I_{out} \cdot R_{load} = 2V$ unless noted.

Current Range	Settling Time
1.5 A – 1 A	<120 μ s (typical) ($R_{load} > 6\Omega$)
100 mA – 10 mA	<80 μ s (typical)
1 mA	<100 μ s (typical)
100 μ A	<150 μ s (typical)
10 μ A	<500 μ s (typical)
1 μ A	<2 ms (typical)
100 nA	<20 ms (typical)

DC FLOATING VOLTAGE: Output can be floated up to ±250VDC from chassis ground.

REMOTE SENSE OPERATING RANGE¹¹: Maximum voltage between HI and SENSE HI = 3V. Maximum voltage between LO and SENSE LO = 3V.

VOLTAGE OUTPUT HEADROOM:

200V Range: Max. output voltage = 202.3V – total voltage drop across source leads (maximum 1 Ω per source lead).

20V Range: Max. output voltage = 23.3V – total voltage drop across source leads (maximum 1 Ω per source lead).

OVER TEMPERATURE PROTECTION: Internally sensed temperature overload puts unit in standby mode.

VOLTAGE SOURCE RANGE CHANGE OVERSHOOT: <300mV + 0.1% of larger range (typical). Overshoot into a 200k Ω load, 20MHz BW.

CURRENT SOURCE RANGE CHANGE OVERSHOOT: <5% of larger range + 300mV/ R_{load} (typical – With source settling set to SETTLE_SMOOTH_100NA). See Current Source Output Settling Time for additional test conditions.

NOTES

1. Add 50 μ V to source accuracy specifications per volt of HI lead drop.
2. High Capacitance Mode accuracy is applicable at 23°C ±5°C only.
3. Full power source operation regardless of load to 30°C ambient. Above 30°C and/or power sink operation, refer to "Operating Boundaries" in the Series 2600B Reference Manual for additional power derating information.
4. For sink mode operation (quadrants II and IV), add 0.06% of limit range to the corresponding current limit accuracy specifications. Specifications apply with sink mode operation enabled.
5. Accuracy specifications do not include connector leakage. Derate accuracy by $V_{out}/2E11$ per °C when operating between 18°–28°C. Derate accuracy by $V_{out}/2E11 + (0.15 \cdot V_{out}/2E11)$ per °C when operating <18°C and >28°C.
6. Full power source operation regardless of load to 30°C ambient. Above 30°C and/or power sink operation, refer to "Operating Boundaries" in the Series 2600B Reference Manual for additional power derating information.
7. 10A range accessible only in pulse mode.
8. High Capacitance Mode accuracy is applicable at 23°C ±5°C only.
9. Full power source operation regardless of load to 30°C ambient. Above 30°C and/or power sink operation, refer to "Operating Boundaries" in the Series 2600B Reference Manual for additional power derating information.
10. For sink mode operation (quadrants II and IV), add 10% of compliance range and ±0.02% of limit setting to corresponding voltage source specification. For 200mV range add an additional 120mV of uncertainty.
11. Add 50 μ V to source accuracy specifications per volt of HI lead drop.

PULSE SPECIFICATIONS

Region	Maximum Current Limit	Maximum Pulse Width ¹²	Maximum Duty Cycle ¹³
1	100 mA @ 200 V	DC, no limit	100%
1	1.5 A @ 20 V	DC, no limit	100%
2	1 A @ 180 V	8.5 ms	1%
3 ¹⁴	1 A @ 200 V	2.2 ms	1%
4	10 A @ 5 V	1 ms	2.2%

MINIMUM PROGRAMMABLE PULSE WIDTH^{15, 16}: 100 μ s. NOTE: Minimum pulse width for settled source at a given I/V output and load can be longer than 100 μ s.

PULSE WIDTH PROGRAMMING RESOLUTION: 1 μ s.

PULSE WIDTH PROGRAMMING ACCURACY¹⁶: ±5 μ s.

PULSE WIDTH JITTER: 2 μ s (typical).

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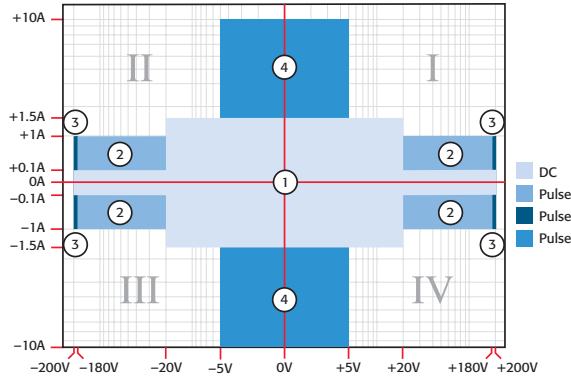
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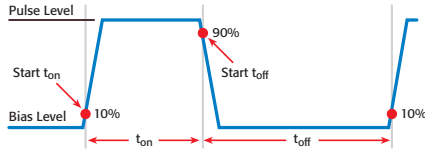
PULSE SPECIFICATIONS (continued)

QUADRANT DIAGRAM:



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12. Times measured from the start of pulse to the start off-time; see figure below.



13. Thermally limited in sink mode (quadrants II and IV) and ambient temperatures above 30°C.

See power equations in the reference manual for more information.

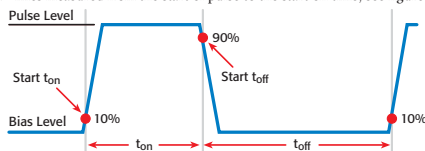
14. Voltage source operation with 1.5 A current limit.

15. Typical performance for minimum settled pulse widths:

Source Value	Load	Source Settling (% of range)	Min. Pulse Width
5 V	0.5 Ω	1%	300 μs
20 V	200 Ω	0.2%	200 μs
180 V	180 Ω	0.2%	5 ms
200 V (1.5 A Limit)	200 Ω	0.2%	1.5 ms
100 mA	200 Ω	1%	200 μs
1 A	200 Ω	1%	500 μs
1 A	180 Ω	0.2%	5 ms
10 A	0.5 Ω	0.5%	300 μs

Typical tests were performed using remote operation, 4W sense, and best, fixed measurement range. For more information on pulse scripts, see the Series 2600B Reference Manual.

16. Times measured from the start of pulse to the start off-time; see figure below.



METER SPECIFICATIONS

VOLTAGE MEASUREMENT ACCURACY^{17, 18}

Range	Default Display Resolution ¹⁹	Input Resistance	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ±5°C ±(% rdg. + volts)
200 mV	100 nV	>10 GΩ	0.015% + 225 μV
2 V	1 μV	>10 GΩ	0.02% + 350 μV
20 V	10 μV	>10 GΩ	0.015% + 5 mV
200 V	100 μV	>10 GΩ	0.015% + 50 mV

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C)²⁰: ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C. Applicable for normal mode only. Not applicable for high capacitance mode.

CURRENT MEASUREMENT ACCURACY^{18, 21}

Range	Default Display Resolution ²²	Voltage Burden ²³	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ±5°C ±(% rdg. + amps)
100 nA	100 fA	<1 mV	0.06% + 100 pA
1 μA	1 pA	<1 mV	0.025% + 500 pA
10 μA	10 pA	<1 mV	0.025% + 1.5 nA
100 μA	100 pA	<1 mV	0.02% + 25 nA
1 mA	1 nA	<1 mV	0.02% + 200 nA
10 mA	10 nA	<1 mV	0.02% + 2.5 μA
100 mA	100 nA	<1 mV	0.02% + 20 μA
1 A	1 μA	<1 mV	0.03% + 1.5 mA
1.5 A	1 μA	<1 mV	0.05% + 3.5 mA
10 A ²⁴	10 μA	<1 mV	0.4% + 25 mA (typical)

CURRENT MEASURE SETTling TIME (Time for measurement to settle after a Vstep)²⁵: Time required to reach 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range. Values for V_{out} = 2V unless noted. Current Range: 1mA. Settling Time: <100μs (typical).

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C)²⁶: ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C. Applicable for normal mode only. Not applicable for high capacitance mode.

CONTACT CHECK²⁷ (not available on Model 2614B)

Speed	Maximum Measurement Time to Memory For 60Hz (50Hz)	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ±5°C ±(%rdg. + ohms)
FAST	1 (1.2) ms	5% + 10 Ω
MEDIUM	4 (5) ms	5% + 1 Ω
SLOW	36 (42) ms	5% + 0.3 Ω

ADDITIONAL METER SPECIFICATIONS

MAXIMUM LOAD IMPEDANCE:

Normal Mode: 10nF (typical). High Capacitance Mode: 50μF (typical).

COMMON MODE VOLTAGE: 250VDC.

COMMON MODE ISOLATION: >1GΩ, <4500pF.

OVERRANGE: 101% of source range, 102% of measure range.

MAXIMUM SENSE LEAD RESISTANCE: 1kΩ for rated accuracy.

SENSE INPUT IMPEDANCE: >10GΩ.

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METER SPECIFICATIONS (continued)

NOTES

17. Add 50 μ V to source accuracy specifications per volt of HI lead drop.
 18. De-rate accuracy specifications for NPLC setting <1 by increasing error term. Add appropriate % of range term using table below.
- | NPLC Setting | 200mV Range | 2V–200V Ranges | 100nA Range | 1 μ A–100mA Ranges | 1A–1.5A Ranges |
|--------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|----------------|
| 0.1 | 0.01% | 0.01% | 0.01% | 0.01% | 0.01% |
| 0.01 | 0.08% | 0.07% | 0.1% | 0.05% | 0.05% |
| 0.001 | 0.8% | 0.6% | 1% | 0.5% | 1.1% |
19. Applies when in single channel display mode.
 20. High Capacitance Mode accuracy is applicable at 23°C \pm 5°C only.
 21. Accuracy specifications do not include connector leakage. De-rate accuracy by $V_{out}/2E11$ per °C when operating between 18°–28°C. De-rate accuracy by $V_{out}/2E11 + (0.15 * V_{out}/2E11)$ per °C when operating <18° and >28°C.
 22. Applies when in single channel display mode.
 23. Four-wire remote sense only and with current meter mode selected. Voltage measure set to 200mV or 2V range only.
 24. 10A range accessible only in pulse mode.
 25. Compliance equal to 100mA.
 26. High Capacitance Mode accuracy is applicable at 23°C \pm 5°C only.
 27. Includes measurement of SENSE HI to HI and SENSE LO to LO contact resistances.

HIGH CAPACITANCE MODE 28, 29, 30

VOLTAGE SOURCE OUTPUT SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach within 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range. Current limit = 1A.

Voltage Source Range	Settling Time with $C_{load} = 4.7\mu$ F
200 mV	600 μ s (typical)
2 V	600 μ s (typical)
20 V	1.5 ms (typical)
200 V	20 ms (typical)

CURRENT MEASURE SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach within 0.1% of final value after voltage source is stabilized on a fixed range. Values below for $V_{out} = 2V$ unless noted.

Current Measure Range	Settling Time
1.5 A – 1 A	<120 μ s (typical) ($R_{load} > 6\Omega$)
100 mA – 10 mA	<100 μ s (typical)
1 mA	< 3 ms (typical)
100 μ A	< 3 ms (typical)
10 μ A	< 230 ms (typical)
1 μ A	< 230 ms (typical)

CAPACITOR LEAKAGE PERFORMANCE USING HIGH-C SCRIPTS³¹: Load = 5 μ F || 10M Ω .

Test: 5V step and measure. 200ms (typical) @ 50nA.

MODE CHANGE DELAY:

100 μ A Current Range and Above:

- Delay into High Capacitance Mode: 10ms.
- Delay out of High Capacitance Mode: 10ms.

1 μ A and 10 μ A Current Ranges:

- Delay into High Capacitance Mode: 230ms.
- Delay out of High Capacitance Mode: 10ms.

VOLTMETER INPUT IMPEDANCE: 30G Ω in parallel with 330pF.

NOISE, 10Hz–20MHz (20V Range): <30mV peak-peak (typical).

VOLTAGE SOURCE RANGE CHANGE OVERSHOOT (for 20V range and below): <400mV + 0.1% of larger range (typical). Overshoot into a 200k Ω load, 20MHz BW.

NOTES

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RS-232: Baud rates from 300bps to 115200bps.

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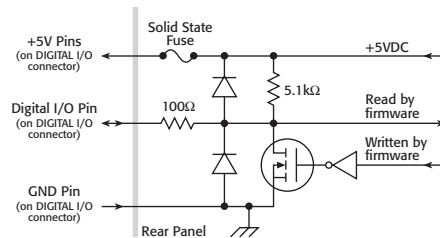
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LXI COMPLIANCE: LXI Class C 1.4.

LXI TIMING: Total Output Trigger Response Time: 245 μ s min., 280 μ s typ., (not specified) max. **Receive LAN[0-7] Event Delay:** Unknown. **Generate LAN[0-7] Event Delay:** Unknown.

DIGITAL I/O INTERFACE: (Not available on Model 2614B)



Connector: 25-pin female D.

Input/Output Pins: 14 open drain I/O bits.

Absolute Maximum Input Voltage: 5.25V.

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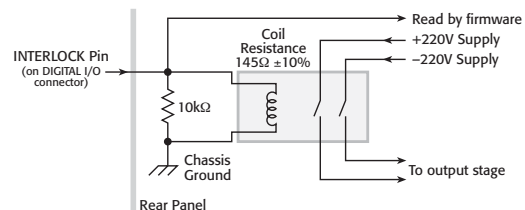
Maximum Source Current (flowing out of Digital I/O bit): +960 μ A.

Maximum Sink Current @ Maximum Logic Low Voltage (0.7V): –5.0mA.

Absolute Maximum Sink Current (flowing into Digital I/O pin): –11mA.

5V Power Supply Pins: Limited to 250mA total for all three pins, solid state fuse protected.

Safety Interlock Pin: Active high input. >3.4V @ 24mA (absolute maximum of 6V) must be externally applied to this pin to ensure 200V operation. This signal is pulled down to chassis ground with a 10k Ω resistor. 200V operation will be blocked when the INTERLOCK signal is <0.4V (absolute minimum –0.4V). See figure below:



USB FILE SYSTEM (FRONT): USB 2.0 Host: Mass storage class device.

POWER SUPPLY: 100V to 250VAC, 50–60Hz (auto sensing), 240VA max.

COOLING: Forced air. Side intake and rear exhaust. One side must be unobstructed when rack mounted.

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WEIGHT: 2611B: 4.75kg (10.4 lbs). 2612B, 2614B: 5.50kg (12.0 lbs).

ENVIRONMENT: For indoor use only. **Altitude:** Maximum 2000 meters above sea level.

Operating: 0°–50°C, 70% R.H. up to 35°C. Derate 3% R.H./°C, 35°–50°C.

Storage: –25°C to 65°C.

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- Speed normal (1 NPLC)
- A/D auto-zero enabled
- Remote sense operation or properly zeroed local sense operation
- Calibration period = 1 year

SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS

VOLTAGE SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS

VOLTAGE PROGRAMMING ACCURACY¹

Range	Programming Resolution	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ± 5°C ±(% rdg. + volts)	Typical Noise (peak-peak) 0.1Hz–10Hz
200 mV	5 μV	0.02% + 375 μV	20 μV
2 V	50 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	50 μV
20 V	500 μV	0.02% + 5 mV	300 μV
200 V	5 mV	0.02% + 50 mV	2 mV

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C)²: ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C. Applicable for normal mode only. Not applicable for high capacitance mode.

MAXIMUM OUTPUT POWER AND SOURCE/SINK LIMITS³: 30.3W per channel maximum. ±20.2V @ ±1.5A, ±202V @ ±100mA, four quadrant source or sink operation.

VOLTAGE REGULATION: Line: 0.01% of range. Load: ±(0.01% of range + 100μV).

NOISE 10Hz–20MHz: <20mV pk-pk (typical), <3mV rms (typical), 20V range.

CURRENT LIMIT/COMPLIANCE⁴: Bipolar current limit (compliance) set with single value. Minimum value is 100pA. Accuracy is the same as current source.

OVERSHOOT: <±(0.1% + 10mV) typical (step size = 10% to 90% of range, resistive load, maximum current limit/compliance).

GUARD OFFSET VOLTAGE: <4mV (current <10mA).

CURRENT SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS

CURRENT PROGRAMMING ACCURACY

Range	Programming Resolution	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ± 5°C ±(% rdg. + amps)	Typical Noise (peak-peak) 0.1Hz–10Hz
1 nA	20 fA	0.15% + 2 pA	800 fA
10 nA	200 fA	0.15% + 5 pA	2 pA
100 nA	2 pA	0.06% + 50 pA	5 pA
1 μA	20 pA	0.03% + 700 pA	25 pA
10 μA	200 pA	0.03% + 5 nA	60 pA
100 μA	2 nA	0.03% + 60 nA	3 nA
1 mA	20 nA	0.03% + 300 nA	6 nA
10 mA	200 nA	0.03% + 6 μA	200 nA
100 mA	2 μA	0.03% + 30 μA	600 nA
1 A ⁵	20 μA	0.05% + 1.8 mA	70 μA
1.5 A ⁵	50 μA	0.06% + 4 mA	150 μA
10 A ^{5,6}	200 μA	0.5% + 40 mA (typical)	

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C)⁷: ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C. Applicable for normal mode only. Not applicable for high capacitance mode.

MAXIMUM OUTPUT POWER AND SOURCE/SINK LIMITS⁸: 30.3W per channel maximum. ±1.515A @ ±20V, ±101mA @ ±200V, four quadrant source or sink operation.

CURRENT REGULATION: Line: 0.01% of range. Load: ±(0.01% of range + 100pA).

VOLTAGE LIMIT/COMPLIANCE⁹: Bipolar voltage limit (compliance) set with a single value. Minimum value is 20mV. Accuracy is the same as voltage source.

OVERSHOOT: <±0.1% typical (step size = 10% to 90% of range, resistive load, maximum current limit/compliance; see Current Source Output Settling Time for additional test conditions).

ADDITIONAL SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS

TRANSIENT RESPONSE TIME: <70μs for the output to recover to within 0.1% for a 10% to 90% step change in load.

VOLTAGE SOURCE OUTPUT SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach within 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range.

Range	Settling Time
200 mV	<50 μs (typical)
2 V	<50 μs (typical)
20 V	<110 μs (typical)
200 V	<700 μs (typical)

CURRENT SOURCE OUTPUT SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach within 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range. Values below for I_{out} · R_{load} = 2V unless noted.

Current Range	Settling Time
1.5 A – 1 A	<120 μs (typical) (R _{load} > 6Ω)
100 mA – 10 mA	<80 μs (typical)
1 mA	<100 μs (typical)
100 μA	<150 μs (typical)
10 μA	<500 μs (typical)
1 μA	<2 ms (typical)
100 nA	<20 ms (typical)
10 nA	<40 ms (typical)
1 nA	<150 ms (typical)

DC FLOATING VOLTAGE: Output can be floated up to ±250VDC.

REMOTE SENSE OPERATING RANGE¹⁰: Maximum voltage between HI and SENSE HI = 3V. Maximum voltage between LO and SENSE LO = 3V.

VOLTAGE OUTPUT HEADROOM:

200V Range: Max. output voltage = 202.3V – total voltage drop across source leads (maximum 1Ω per source lead).

20V Range: Max. output voltage = 23.3V – total voltage drop across source leads (maximum 1Ω per source lead).

OVER TEMPERATURE PROTECTION: Internally sensed temperature overload puts unit in standby mode.

VOLTAGE SOURCE RANGE CHANGE OVERSHOOT: <300mV + 0.1% of larger range (typical). Overshoot into a 200kΩ load, 20MHz BW.

CURRENT SOURCE RANGE CHANGE OVERSHOOT: <5% of larger range + 300mV/R_{load} (typical – With source settling set to SETTLE_SMOOTH_100NA). See Current Source Output Settling Time for additional test conditions.

PULSE SPECIFICATIONS

Region	Maximum Current Limit	Maximum Pulse Width ¹¹	Maximum Duty Cycle ¹²
1	100 mA @ 200 V	DC, no limit	100%
1	1.5 A @ 20 V	DC, no limit	100%
2	1 A @ 180 V	8.5 ms	1%
3 ¹³	1 A @ 200 V	2.2 ms	1%
4	10 A @ 5 V	1 ms	2.2%

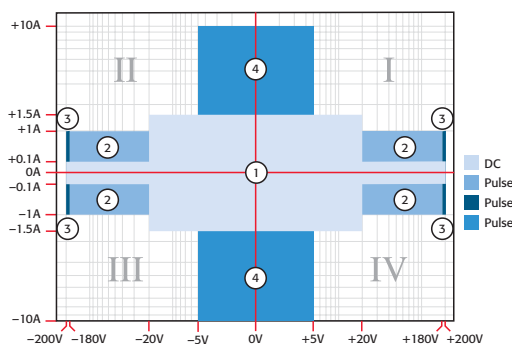
MINIMUM PROGRAMMABLE PULSE WIDTH^{14, 15}: 100μs. NOTE: Minimum pulse width for settled source at a given I/V output and load can be longer than 100μs.

PULSE WIDTH PROGRAMMING RESOLUTION: 1μs.

PULSE WIDTH PROGRAMMING ACCURACY¹⁵: ±5μs.

PULSE WIDTH JITTER: 50μs (typical).

QUADRANT DIAGRAM:



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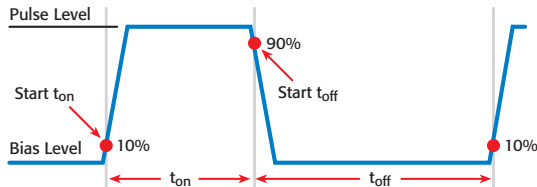
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SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS (continued)

NOTES

1. Add 50µV to source accuracy specifications per volt of HI lead drop.
2. High Capacitance Mode accuracy is applicable at 23°C ±5°C only.
3. Full power source operation regardless of load to 30°C ambient. Above 30°C and/or power sink operation, refer to "Operating Boundaries" in the Series 2600B Reference Manual for additional power derating information.
4. For sink mode operation (quadrants II and IV), add 0.06% of limit range to the corresponding current limit accuracy specifications. Specifications apply with sink mode operation enabled.
5. Full power source operation regardless of load to 30°C ambient. Above 30°C and/or power sink operation, refer to "Operating Boundaries" in the Series 2600B Reference Manual for additional power derating information.
6. 10A range accessible only in pulse mode.
7. High Capacitance Mode accuracy is applicable at 23°C ±5°C only.
8. Full power source operation regardless of load to 30°C ambient. Above 30°C and/or power sink operation, refer to "Operating Boundaries" in the Series 2600B Reference Manual for additional power derating information.
9. For sink mode operation (quadrants II and IV), add 10% of compliance range and ±0.02% of limit setting to corresponding voltage source specification. For 200mV range add an additional 120mV of uncertainty.
10. Add 50µV to source accuracy specifications per volt of HI lead drop.
11. Times measured from the start of pulse to the start off-time; see figure below.

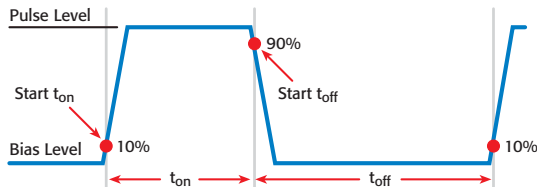


12. Thermally limited in sink mode (quadrants II and IV) and ambient temperatures above 30°C. See power equations in the Reference Manual for more information.
13. Voltage source operation with 1.5 A current limit.
14. Typical performance for minimum settled pulse widths:

Source Value	Load	Source Settling (% of range)	Min. Pulse Width
5 V	0.5 Ω	1%	300 µs
20 V	200 Ω	0.2%	200 µs
180 V	180 Ω	0.2%	5 ms
200 V (1.5 A Limit)	200 Ω	0.2%	1.5 ms
100 mA	200 Ω	1%	200 µs
1 A	200 Ω	1%	500 µs
1 A	180 Ω	0.2%	5 ms
10 A	0.5 Ω	0.5%	300 µs

Typical tests were performed using remote operation, 4W sense, and best, fixed measurement range. For more information on pulse scripts, see the Series 2600B Reference Manual.

15. Times measured from the start of pulse to the start off-time; see figure below.



METER SPECIFICATIONS

VOLTAGE MEASUREMENT ACCURACY^{16, 17}

Range	Default Display Resolution ¹⁸	Input Resistance	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ±5°C ±(% rdg. + volts)
200 mV	100 nV	>10 ¹⁴ Ω	0.015% + 225 µV
2 V	1 µV	>10 ¹⁴ Ω	0.02% + 350 µV
20 V	10 µV	>10 ¹⁴ Ω	0.015% + 5 mV
200 V	100 µV	>10 ¹⁴ Ω	0.015% + 50 mV

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C)¹⁹: ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C. Applicable for normal mode only. Not applicable for high capacitance mode.

CURRENT MEASUREMENT ACCURACY¹⁷

Range	Default Display Resolution ²⁰	Voltage Burden ²¹	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ±5°C ±(% rdg. + amps)
*100 pA ^{22, 23}	0.1 fA	<1 mV	0.15% + 120 fA
1 nA ^{22, 24}	1 fA	<1 mV	0.15% + 240 fA
10 nA	10 fA	<1 mV	0.15% + 3 pA
100 nA	100 fA	<1 mV	0.06% + 40 pA
1 µA	1 pA	<1 mV	0.025% + 400 pA
10 µA	10 pA	<1 mV	0.025% + 1.5 nA
100 µA	100 pA	<1 mV	0.02% + 25 nA
1 mA	1 nA	<1 mV	0.02% + 200 nA
10 mA	10 nA	<1 mV	0.02% + 2.5 µA
100 mA	100 nA	<1 mV	0.02% + 20 µA
1 A	1 µA	<1 mV	0.03% + 1.5 mA
1.5 A	1 µA	<1 mV	0.05% + 3.5 mA
10 A ²⁵	10 µA	<1 mV	0.4% + 25 mA

* 100 pA range not available on Model 2634B.

CURRENT MEASURE SETTLING TIME (Time for measurement to settle after a Vstep)²⁶: Time required to reach within 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range. Values for V_{out} = 2V unless noted. Current Range: 1mA. Settling Time: <100µs (typical).

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C)²⁷: ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C. Applicable for normal mode only. Not applicable for high capacitance mode.

CONTACT CHECK²⁸ (Not available on Model 2634B)

Speed	Maximum Measurement Time to Memory For 60Hz (50Hz)	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ±5°C ±(%rdg. + ohms)
FAST	1 (1.2) ms	5% + 10 Ω
MEDIUM	4 (5) ms	5% + 1 Ω
SLOW	36 (42) ms	5% + 0.3 Ω

ADDITIONAL METER SPECIFICATIONS

MAXIMUM LOAD IMPEDANCE:

Normal Mode: 10nF (typical). High Capacitance Mode: 50µF (typical).

COMMON MODE VOLTAGE: 250VDC.

COMMON MODE ISOLATION: >1GΩ, <4500pF.

OVERRANGE: 101% of source range, 102% of measure range.

MAXIMUM SENSE LEAD RESISTANCE: 1kΩ for rated accuracy.

SENSE INPUT IMPEDANCE: >10¹⁴Ω.

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METER SPECIFICATIONS (continued)

NOTES

16. Add 50µV to source accuracy specifications per volt of HI lead drop.
17. De-rate accuracy specifications for NPLC setting <1 by increasing error term. Add appropriate % of range term using table below.

NPLC Setting	200mV Range	2V–200V Ranges	100nA Range	1µA–100mA Ranges	1A–1.5A Ranges
0.1	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%
0.01	0.08%	0.07%	0.1%	0.05%	0.05%
0.001	0.8 %	0.6 %	1%	0.5 %	1.1 %

18. Applies when in single channel display mode.
19. High Capacitance Mode accuracy is applicable at 23°C ±5°C only.
20. Applies when in single channel display mode.
21. Four-wire remote sense only and with current meter mode selected. Voltage measure set to 200mV or 2V range only.
22. 10-NPLC, 11-Point Median Filter, <200V range, measurements made within 1 hour after zeroing. 23°C ± 1°C
23. Under default specification conditions: ±(0.15% + 750fA).
24. Under default specification conditions: ±(0.15% + 1pA).
25. 10A range accessible only in pulse mode.
26. Delay factor set to 1. Compliance equal to 100mA.
27. High Capacitance Mode accuracy is applicable at 23°C ±5°C only.
28. Includes measurement of SENSE HI to HI and SENSE LO to LO contact resistances.

HIGH CAPACITANCE MODE 29, 30, 31

VOLTAGE SOURCE OUTPUT SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach within 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range. Current limit = 1A.

Voltage Source Range	Settling Time with $C_{load} = 4.7\mu F$
200 mV	600 µs (typical)
2 V	600 µs (typical)
20 V	1.5 ms (typical)
200 V	20 ms (typical)

CURRENT MEASURE SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach within 0.1% of final value after voltage source is stabilized on a fixed range. Values below for $V_{out} = 2V$ unless noted.

Current Measure Range	Settling Time
1.5 A – 1 A	<120 µs (typical) ($R_{load} > 6\Omega$)
100 mA – 10 mA	<100 µs (typical)
1 mA	< 3 ms (typical)
100 µA	< 3 ms (typical)
10 µA	< 230 ms (typical)
1 µA	< 230 ms (typical)

CAPACITOR LEAKAGE PERFORMANCE USING HIGH-C SCRIPTS³²: Load = 5µF || 10MΩ.
Test: 5V step and measure. 200ms (typical) @ 50nA.

MODE CHANGE DELAY:

- 100µA Current Range and Above:**
Delay into High Capacitance Mode: 10ms.
Delay out of High Capacitance Mode: 10ms.
1µA and 10µA Current Ranges:
Delay into High Capacitance Mode: 230ms.
Delay out of High Capacitance Mode: 10ms.

VOLTMETER INPUT IMPEDANCE: 30GΩ in parallel with 3300pF.

NOISE, 10Hz–20MHz (20V Range): <30mV peak-peak (typical).

VOLTAGE SOURCE RANGE CHANGE OVERTHOOT (for 20V range and below): <400mV + 0.1% of larger range (typical). Overshoot into a 200kΩ load, 20MHz BW.

NOTES

29. High Capacitance Mode specifications are for DC measurements only.
30. 100nA range and below are not available in high capacitance mode.
31. High Capacitance Mode utilizes locked ranges. Auto Range is disabled.
32. Part of KI Factory scripts. See reference manual for details.

SEE PAGES 23 AND 24 FOR MEASUREMENT SPEEDS AND OTHER SPECIFICATIONS.

GENERAL

IEEE-488: IEEE-488.1 compliant. Supports IEEE-488.2 common commands and status model topology.

USB CONTROL (REAR): USB 2.0 device, TMC488 protocol.

RS-232: Baud rates from 300bps to 115200bps. Programmable number of data bits, parity type, and flow control (RTS/CTS hardware or none).

ETHERNET: RJ-45 connector, LXI Class C, 10/100BT, no auto MDIX.

EXPANSION INTERFACE: The TSP-Link expansion interface allows TSP enabled instruments to trigger and communicate with each other. (Not available on Model 2614B.)

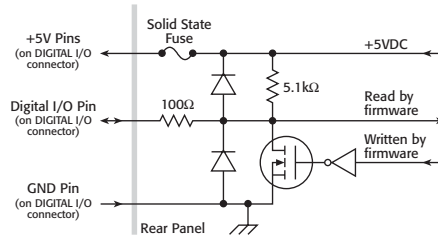
Cable Type: Category 5e or higher LAN crossover cable.

Length: 3 meters maximum between each TSP enabled instrument.

LXI COMPLIANCE: LXI Class C 1.4.

LXI TIMING: Total Output Trigger Response Time: 245µs min., 280µs typ., (not specified) max. **Receive LAN[0-7] Event Delay:** Unknown. **Generate LAN[0-7] Event Delay:** Unknown.

DIGITAL I/O INTERFACE: (Not available on Model 2614B)



Connector: 25-pin female D.

Input/Output Pins: 14 open drain I/O bits.

Absolute Maximum Input Voltage: 5.25V.

Absolute Minimum Input Voltage: -0.25V.

Maximum Logic Low Input Voltage: 0.7V, +850µA max.

Minimum Logic High Input Voltage: 2.1V, +570µA.

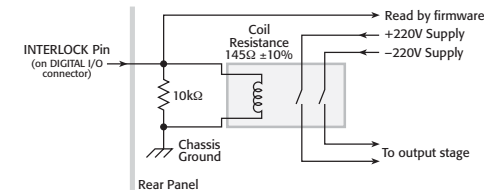
Maximum Source Current (flowing out of Digital I/O bit): +960µA.

Maximum Sink Current @ Maximum Logic Low Voltage (0.7V): -5.0mA.

Absolute Maximum Sink Current (flowing into Digital I/O pin): -11mA.

5V Power Supply Pins: Limited to 250mA total for all three pins, solid state fuse protected.

Safety Interlock Pin: Active high input. >3.4V @ 24mA (absolute maximum of 6V) must be externally applied to this pin to ensure 200V operation. This signal is pulled down to chassis ground with a 10kΩ resistor. 200V operation will be blocked when the INTERLOCK signal is <0.4V (absolute minimum -0.4V). See figure below:



USB FILE SYSTEM (FRONT): USB 2.0 Host: Mass storage class device.

POWER SUPPLY: 100V to 250VAC, 50–60Hz (auto sensing), 240VA max.

COOLING: Forced air. Side intake and rear exhaust. One side must be unobstructed when rack mounted.

EMC: Conforms to European Union Directive 2004/108/EEC, EN 61326-1.

SAFETY: Conforms to European Union Directive 73/23/EEC, EN 61010-1, and UL 61010-1.

DIMENSIONS: 89mm high × 213mm wide × 460mm deep (3½ in × 8½ in × 17½ in). Bench Configuration (with handle and feet): 104mm high × 238mm wide × 460mm deep (4¼ in × 9½ in × 17½ in).

WEIGHT: 2635B: 4.75kg (10.4 lbs). 2634B, 2636B: 5.50kg (12.0 lbs).

ENVIRONMENT: For indoor use only. **Altitude:** Maximum 2000 meters above sea level.

Operating: 0°–50°C, 70% R.H. up to 35°C. Derate 3% R.H./°C, 35°–50°C.

Storage: -25°C to 65°C.

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MEASUREMENT SPEED SPECIFICATIONS ^{1, 2, 3}

MAXIMUM SWEEP OPERATION RATES (operations per second) FOR 60Hz (50Hz):

A/D Converter Speed	Trigger Origin	Measure To Memory Using User Scripts	Measure To GPIB Using User Scripts	Source Measure To Memory Using User Scripts	Source Measure To GPIB Using User Scripts	Source Measure To Memory Using Sweep API	Source Measure To GPIB Using Sweep API
0.001 NPLC	Internal	20000 (20000)	10500 (10500)	7000 (7000)	6200 (6200)	12000 (12000)	5900 (5900)
0.001 NPLC	Digital I/O	8100 (8100)	7100 (7100)	5500 (5500)	5100 (5100)	11200 (11200)	5700 (5700)
0.01 NPLC	Internal	5000 (4000)	4000 (3500)	3400 (3000)	3200 (2900)	4200 (3700)	3100 (2800)
0.01 NPLC	Digital I/O	3650 (3200)	3400 (3000)	3000 (2700)	2900 (2600)	4150 (3650)	3050 (2775)
0.1 NPLC	Internal	580 (490)	560 (475)	550 (465)	550 (460)	575 (480)	545 (460)
0.1 NPLC	Digital I/O	560 (470)	450 (460)	545 (460)	540 (450)	570 (480)	545 (460)
1.0 NPLC	Internal	59 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)
1.0 NPLC	Digital I/O	58 (48)	58 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)

MAXIMUM SINGLE MEASUREMENT RATES (operations per second) FOR 60Hz (50Hz):

A/D Converter Speed	Trigger Origin	Measure To GPIB	Source Measure To GPIB	Source Measure Pass/Fail To GPIB
0.001 NPLC	Internal	1900 (1800)	1400 (1400)	1400 (1400)
0.01 NPLC	Internal	1450 (1400)	1200 (1100)	1100 (1100)
0.1 NPLC	Internal	450 (390)	425 (370)	425 (375)
1.0 NPLC	Internal	58 (48)	57 (48)	57 (48)

TRIGGERING AND SYNCHRONIZATION SPECIFICATIONS ¹

TRIGGERING:

- Trigger in to trigger out: 0.5μs, typical.
- Trigger in to source change:² 10 μs, typical.
- Trigger Timer accuracy: ±2μs, typical.
- Source change² after LXI Trigger: 280μs, typical.

SYNCHRONIZATION:

- Single-node synchronized source change:⁴ <0.5μs, typical.
- Multi-node synchronized source change:⁴ <0.5μs, typical.

NOTES

- TSP-Link not available on Models 2604B, 2614B, and 2634B.
- Fixed source range, with no polarity change.

MAXIMUM MEASUREMENT RANGE CHANGE RATE: <150μs for ranges >10μA, typical. When changing to or from a range ≥1A, maximum rate is <450μs, typical.

MAXIMUM SOURCE RANGE CHANGE RATE: <2.5ms for ranges >10μA, typical. When changing to or from a range ≥1A, maximum rate is <5.2ms, typical.

MAXIMUM SOURCE FUNCTION CHANGE RATE: <1ms, typical.

COMMAND PROCESSING TIME: Maximum time required for the output to begin to change following the receipt of the smux.source.level or smux.source.level command. <1ms typical.

NOTES

- Tests performed with a 2602B, 2612B, or 2636B on Channel A using the following equipment: PC Hardware (Pentium® 4 2.4GHz, 512MB RAM, National Instruments PCI-GPIB). Driver (NI-486.2 Version 2.2 PCI-GPIB). Software (Microsoft® Windows® 2000, Microsoft Visual Studio 2005, VISA version 4.1).
- Exclude current measurement ranges less than 1mA.
- 2635B/2636B with default measurement delays and filters disabled.

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Applicable to Models 2601B, 2602B, 2604B, 2611B, 2612B, 2614B, 2634B, 2635B, and 2636B.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

FRONT PANEL INTERFACE: Two-line vacuum fluorescent display (VFD) with keypad and rotary knob.

Display:

- Show error messages and user defined messages
- Display source and limit settings
- Show current and voltage measurements
- View measurements stored in dedicated reading buffers

Keypad Operations:

- Change host interface settings
- Save and restore instrument setups
- Load and run factory and user defined test scripts (i.e. sequences) that prompt for input and send results to the display
- Store measurements into dedicated reading buffers

PROGRAMMING: Embedded Test Script Processor (TSP) accessible from any host interface. Responds to individual instrument control commands. Responds to high speed test scripts comprised of instrument control commands and Test Script Language (TSL) statements (e.g. branching, looping, math, etc.). Able to execute high speed test scripts stored in memory without intervention.

Minimum Memory Available: 16MB (approximately 250,000 lines of TSL code).

Test Script Builder: Integrated development environment for building, running, and managing TSP scripts. Includes an instrument console for communicating with any TSP enabled instrument in an interactive manner. Requires:

- VISA (NI-VISA included on CD) Pentium III 800MHz or faster personal computer
- Microsoft .NET Framework (included on CD) Microsoft Windows 98, NT, 2000, or XP
- Keithley I/O Layer (included on CD)

Software Interface: TSP Express (embedded), Direct GPIB/VISA, READ/WRITE for VB, VC/C++, LabVIEW, LabWindows/CVI, etc.

READING BUFFERS: Dedicated storage area(s) reserved for measurement data. Reading buffers are arrays of measurement elements. Each element can hold the following items:

- Measurement Source setting (at the time the measurement was taken)
- Measurement status Range information
- Timestamp

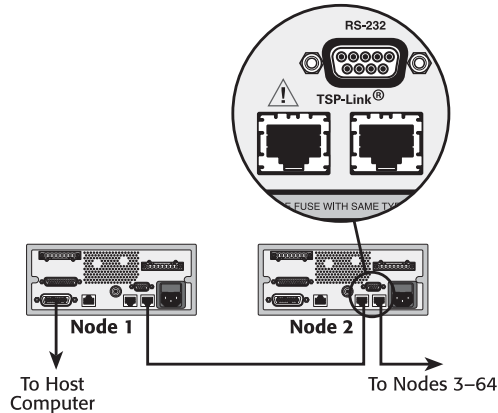
Two reading buffers are reserved for each SourceMeter channel. Reading buffers can be filled using the front panel STORE key and retrieved using the RECALL key or host interface.

Buffer Size, with timestamp and source setting: >60,000 samples.

Buffer Size, without timestamp and source setting: >140,000 samples.

Accuracy: ±100ppm.

SYSTEM EXPANSION: The TSP-Link expansion interface allows TSP enabled instruments to trigger and communicate with each other. Not applicable for Models 2604B, 2614B, and 2634B. See figure below:



Each SourceMeter SMU instrument has two TSP-Link connectors to facilitate chaining instruments together.

Once SourceMeter SMU instruments are interconnected via TSP-Link, a computer can access all of the resources of each SourceMeter SMU instrument via the host interface of any SourceMeter SMU instrument.

A maximum of 32 TSP-Link nodes can be interconnected. Each SourceMeter SMU instrument consumes one TSP-Link node.

TIMER: Free running 47-bit counter with 1MHz clock input. Reset each time instrument powers up. Rolls over every 4 years.

Timestamp: TIMER value automatically saved when each measurement is triggered.

Resolution: 1µs.

ACCESSORIES AVAILABLE

SOFTWARE

ACS-BASIC Component Characterization Software

RACK MOUNT KITS

- 4299-1 Single Rack Mount Kit with front and rear support
- 4299-2 Dual Rack Mount Kit with front and rear support
- 4299-5 1U Vent Panel

CABLES AND CONNECTORS

- 2600-BAN Banana Test Leads/Adapter Cable. For a single 2601B/2602B/2604B/2611B/2612B/2614B SMU instrument channel
- 2600-KIT Extra screw terminal connector, strain relief, and cover for a single SourceMeter channel (one supplied with 2601B/2611B, two with 2602B/2604B/2612B/2614B)
- 2600-FIX-TRIAx Phoenix-to-Triax Adapter for 2 wire sensing
- 2600-TRIAx Phoenix-to-Triax Adapter for 4 wire sensing
- 7078-TRX* 3-Slot, Low Noise Triax Cable, 0.3m–6.1m. For use with 2600-TRIAx Adapter
- 7078-TRX-GND 3-Slot male triax to BNC adapter (guard removed)
- 7709-308A Digital I/O Connector (model specific)
- 8606 High Performance Modular Probe Kit. For use with 2600B-BAN

GPIB INTERFACES AND CABLES

- 7007-1 Double Shielded GPIB Cable, 1m (3.3 ft.)
- 7007-2 Double Shielded GPIB Cable, 2m (6.6 ft.)
- KPCI-488LPA IEEE-488 Interface/Controller for the PCI Bus

DIGITAL I/O, TRIGGER LINK, AND TSP-LINK

- 2600-TLINK Digital I/O to TLINK Adapter Cable, 1m
- CA-126-1A Digital I/O and Trigger Cable, 1.5m
- CA-180-3A CAT5 Crossover Cable for TSP-Link and direct Ethernet connection (two supplied)

TEST FIXTURES

- 8101-PIV DC, Pulse I-V and C-V Component Test Fixture
- 8101-4TRX 4 Pin Transistor Fixture
- LR8028 Component Test Fixture – Optimized for device testing at up to 200V/1A

SWITCHING

- Series 3700A DMM/Switch Systems
- 707B Semiconductor Switching Matrix Mainframe

CALIBRATION AND VERIFICATION

- 2600-STD-RES Calibration Standard 1GΩ Resistor for Models 2634B, 2635B, and 2636B

SERVICES AVAILABLE FOR ALL SERIES 2600B MODELS

EXTENDED WARRANTIES

- 26xxB-EW 1 Year Factory Warranty extended to 2 years
- 26xxB-3Y-EW 1 Year Factory Warranty extended to 3 years
- 26xxB-5Y-EW 1 Year Factory Warranty extended to 5 years

CALIBRATION CONTRACTS

- C/26xxB-3Y-STD 3 Calibrations within 3 years
- C/26xxB-5Y-STD 5 Calibrations within 5 years
- C/26xxB-3Y-DATA 3 Calibrations within 3 years and includes calibration data before and after adjustment
- C/26xxB-5Y-DATA 5 Calibrations within 5 years and includes calibration data before and after adjustment
- C/26xxB-3Y-17025 3 ISO-17025 accredited calibrations within 3 years
- C/26xxB-5Y-17025 5 ISO-17025 accredited calibrations within 5 years

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- **Source or sink:**
 - 2,000W of pulsed power ($\pm 40V$, $\pm 50A$)
 - 200W of DC power ($\pm 10V@ \pm 20A$, $\pm 20V@ \pm 10A$, $\pm 40V@ \pm 5A$)
- Easily connect two units (in series or parallel) to create solutions up to $\pm 100A$ or $\pm 80V$
- 1pA resolution enables precise measurement of very low leakage currents
- 1 μs per point (1MHz), 18-bit sampling, accurately characterizes transient behavior
- 1% to 100% pulse duty cycle for pulse width modulated (PWM) drive schemes and device-specific drive stimulus
- Combines a precision power supply, current source, DMM, arbitrary waveform generator, V or I pulse generator with measurement, electronic load, and trigger controller—all in one instrument
- Includes TSP® Express I-V characterization software, LabVIEW® driver, and Keithley's Test Script Builder software development environment

APPLICATIONS

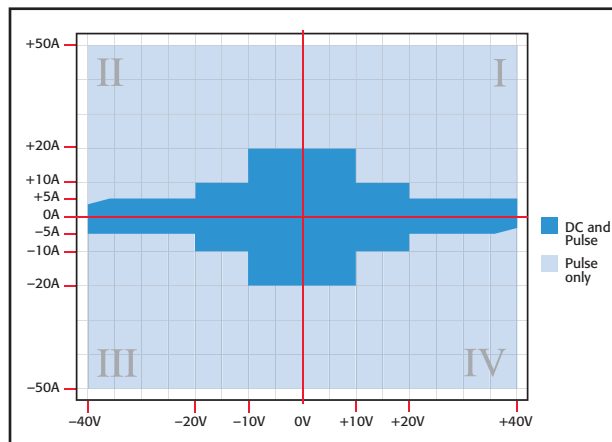
- Power semiconductor, HLED, and optical device characterization and testing
- Solar cell characterization and testing
- Characterization of GaN, SiC, and other compound materials and devices
- Semiconductor junction temperature characterization
- High speed, high precision digitization
- Electromigration studies
- High current, high power device testing



The high power Model 2651A SourceMeter SMU Instrument is specifically designed to characterize and test high power electronics. This SMU instrument can help you improve productivity in applications across the R&D, reliability, and production spectrums, including high brightness LEDs, power semiconductors, DC-DC converters, batteries, solar cells, and other high power materials, components, modules, and subassemblies.

The Model 2651A offers a highly flexible, four-quadrant voltage and current source/load coupled with precision voltage and current meters. It can be used as a:

- Semiconductor characterization instrument
- V or I waveform generator
- V or I pulse generator
- Precision power supply
- True current source
- Digital multimeter (DCV, DCI, ohms, and power with 6½-digit resolution)
- Precision electronic load



The Model 2651A can source or sink up to $\pm 40V$ and $\pm 50A$.

Two Measurement Modes: Digitizing or Integrating

Precisely characterize transient and steady-state behavior, including rapidly changing thermal effects, with the two measurement modes in the Model 2651A. Each mode is defined by its independent analog-to-digital (A/D) converters.

The Digitizing Measurement mode enables 1 μs per point measurements. Its 18-bit A/D converters allow you to precisely measure transient characteristics. For more accurate measurements, use its Integrating Measurement mode, which is based on 22-bit A/D converters.

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Accessories Supplied

2651A-KIT-1A: Low Impedance Cable Assembly (1m)

CS-1592-2: High Current Phoenix Connector (male)

CS-1626-2: High Current Phoenix Connector (female)

CA-557-1: Sense Line Cable Assembly (1m)

7709-308A: Digital I/O Connector

CA-180-3A: TSP-Link/Ethernet Cable

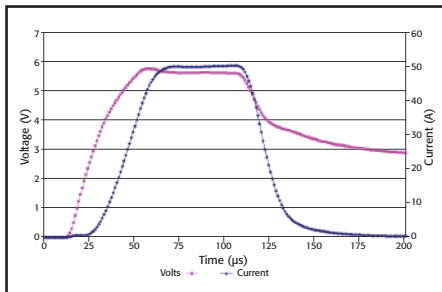
Documentation CD

Software Tools and Drivers CD

ACCESSORIES AVAILABLE

2600-KIT	Screw Terminal Connector Kit
ACS-BASIC	Component Characterization Software
4299-6	Rack Mount Kit
8011	Test Socket Kit

Two A/D converters are used with each measurement mode (one for current and the other for voltage), which run simultaneously for accurate source readback that does not sacrifice test throughput.



The dual digitizing A/D converters sample at up to 1µs/point, enabling full simultaneous characterization of both current and voltage waveforms.

High Speed Pulsing

The Model 2651A minimizes the unwanted effects of self heating during tests by accurately sourcing and measuring pulses as short as 100µs. Additional control flexibility enables you to program the pulse width from 100µs to DC and the duty cycle from 1% to 100%. A single

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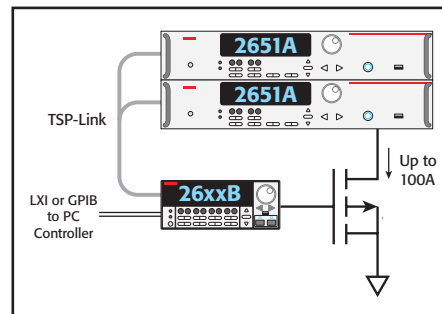
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unit can pulse up to 50A; combine two units to pulse up to 100A.

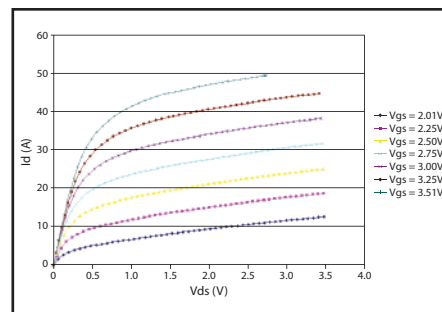
Expansion Capabilities

Through TSP-Link Technology technology, multiple Model 2651As and selected Series 2600B SMU instruments can be combined to form a larger integrated system with up to 64 channels. Precision timing and tight channel synchronization are guaranteed with built-in 500ns trigger controllers. True SMU instrument-per-pin testing is assured with the fully isolated, independent channels of the SourceMeter SMU instruments.

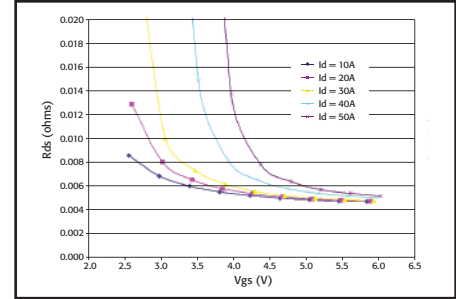


Keithley's TSP and TSP-Link Technologies enable true SMU-per-pin testing without the power and/or channel limitations of a mainframe-based system.

Also, when two Model 2651As are connected in parallel with TSP-Link Technology, the current range is expanded from 50A to 100A. When two units are connected in series, the voltage range is expanded from 40V to 80V. Built-in intelligence simplifies testing by enabling the units to be addressed as a single instrument, thus creating an industry-best dynamic range (100A to 1pA). This capability enables you to test a much wider range of power semiconductors and other devices.



Precision measurements to 50A (100A with two units) enable a more complete and accurate characterization.



1µV measurement resolution and current sourcing up to 50A (100A with two units) enable low-level Rds measurements to support next-generation devices.

Standard Capabilities of Series 2600B SMU Instruments

Each Model 2651A includes all the features and capabilities provided in most Series 2600B SMU instruments, such as:

- Ability to be used as either a bench-top I-V characterization tool or as a building block component of multiple-channel I-V test systems
- TSP Express software to quickly and easily perform common I-V tests without programming or installing software
- ACS Basic Edition software for semiconductor component characterization (optional). ACS Basic now features a Trace mode for generating a suite of characteristic curves.
- Keithley's Test Script Processor (TSP®) Technology, which enables creation of custom user test scripts to further automate testing, and also supports the creation of programming sequences that allow the instrument to operate asynchronously without direct PC control.
- Parallel test execution and precision timing when multiple SMU instruments are connected together in a system
- LXI compliance
- 14 digital I/O lines for direct interaction with probe stations, component handlers, or other automation tools
- USB port for extra data and test program storage via USB memory device

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Specification Conditions

This document contains specifications and supplemental information for the Model 2651A High Power System SourceMeter SMU instrument. Specifications are the standards against which the Model 2651A is tested. Upon leaving the factory, the Model 2651A meets these specifications. Supplemental and typical values are non-warranted, apply at 23°C, and are provided solely as useful information.

Accuracy specifications are applicable for both normal and high-capacitance modes.

Source and measurement accuracies are specified at the Model 2651A terminals under these conditions:

- 23° ±5°C, <70 percent relative humidity
- After two-hour warm-up
- Speed normal (1 NPLC)
- A/D autozero enabled
- Remote sense operation or properly zeroed local operation
- Calibration period: One year

VOLTAGE ACCURACY SPECIFICATIONS 1, 2

Range	SOURCE			MEASURE		
	Programming Resolution	Accuracy ±(% reading + volts)	Noise (Vpp) (typical) 0.1 Hz to 10 Hz	Default Display Resolution	Integrating ADC Accuracy ³ ±(% reading + volts)	High-Speed ADC Accuracy ⁴ ±(% reading + volts)
100.000 mV	5 μV	0.02% + 500 μV	100 μV	1 μV	0.02% + 300 μV	0.05% + 600 μV
1.00000 V	50 μV	0.02% + 500 μV	500 μV	10 μV	0.02% + 300 μV	0.05% + 600 μV
10.0000 V	500 μV	0.02% + 5 mV	1 mV	100 μV	0.02% + 3 mV	0.05% + 8 mV
20.0000 V	500 μV	0.02% + 5 mV	1 mV	100 μV	0.02% + 5 mV	0.05% + 8 mV
40.0000 V	500 μV	0.02% + 12 mV	2 mV	100 μV	0.02% + 12 mV	0.05% + 15 mV

CURRENT ACCURACY SPECIFICATIONS 5

Range	SOURCE			MEASURE		
	Programming Resolution	Accuracy ±(% reading + amps)	Noise (Ipp) (typical) 0.1Hz to 10Hz	Default Display Resolution	Integrating ADC Accuracy ³ ±(% reading + amps)	High-Speed ADC Accuracy ⁴ ±(% reading + amps)
100.000 nA	2 pA	0.1 % + 500 pA	50 pA	1 pA	0.08% + 500 pA	0.08% + 800 pA
1.00000 μA	20 pA	0.1 % + 2 nA	250 pA	10 pA	0.08% + 2 nA	0.08% + 4 nA
10.0000 μA	200 pA	0.1 % + 10 nA	500 pA	100 pA	0.08% + 8 nA	0.08% + 10 nA
100.000 μA	2 nA	0.03% + 60 nA	5 nA	1 nA	0.02% + 25 nA	0.05% + 60 nA
1.00000 mA	20 nA	0.03% + 300 nA	10 nA	10 nA	0.02% + 200 nA	0.05% + 500 nA
10.0000 mA	200 nA	0.03% + 8 μA	500 nA	100 nA	0.02% + 2.5 μA	0.05% + 10 μA
100.000 mA	2 μA	0.03% + 30 μA	1 μA	1 μA	0.02% + 20 μA	0.05% + 50 μA
1.00000 A	200 μA	0.08% + 3.5 mA	300 μA	10 μA	0.05% + 3 mA	0.05% + 5 mA
5.00000 A	200 μA	0.08% + 3.5 mA	300 μA	10 μA	0.05% + 3 mA	0.05% + 5 mA
10.0000 A	500 μA	0.15% + 6 mA	500 μA	100 μA	0.12% + 6 mA	0.12% + 12 mA
20.0000 A	500 μA	0.15% + 8 mA	500 μA	100 μA	0.08% + 8 mA	0.08% + 15 mA
50.0000 A ⁶	2 mA	0.15% + 80 mA	N/A	100 μA	0.05% + 50 mA ⁷	0.05% + 90 mA ⁸

NOTES

1. Add 50μV to source accuracy specifications per volt of HI lead drop.
2. For temperatures 0° to 18°C and 28° to 50°C, accuracy is degraded by ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C. High-capacitance mode accuracy is applicable at 23° ±5°C only.
3. Derate accuracy specification for NPLC setting <1 by increasing error term. Add appropriate typical percent of range term for resistive loads using the table below.

NPLC Setting	100mV Range	1V to 40V Ranges	100nA Range	1μA to 100mA Ranges	1A to 20A Ranges
0.1	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%
0.01	0.08%	0.07%	0.1 %	0.05%	0.1 %
0.001	0.8 %	0.6 %	1 %	0.5 %	1.8 %

4. 18-bit ADC. Average of 1000 samples taken at 1μs intervals.
5. At temperatures 0° to 18°C and 28° to 50°C, 100nA to 10μA accuracy is degraded by ±(0.35 × accuracy specification)/°C. 100μA to 50A accuracy is degraded by ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C. High-capacitance mode accuracy is applicable at 23° ±5°C only.
6. 50A range accessible only in pulse mode.
7. 50A range accuracy measurements are taken at 0.008 NPLC.
8. Average of 100 samples taken at 1μs intervals.

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DC POWER SPECIFICATIONS

MAXIMUM OUTPUT POWER: 202W maximum.

SOURCE/SINK LIMITS ¹:

Voltage: $\pm 10.1\text{V}$ at $\pm 20.0\text{A}$, $\pm 20.2\text{V}$ at $\pm 10.0\text{A}$, $\pm 40.4\text{V}$ at $\pm 5.0\text{A}$ ².
Four-quadrant source or sink operation.

Current: $\pm 5.05\text{A}$ at $\pm 40\text{V}$ ², $\pm 10.1\text{A}$ at $\pm 20\text{V}$, $\pm 20.2\text{A}$ at $\pm 10\text{V}$.
Four-quadrant source or sink operation.

CAUTION: Carefully consider and configure the appropriate output-off state and source and compliance levels before connecting the Model 2651A to a device that can deliver energy. Failure to consider the output-off state and source and compliance levels may result in damage to the instrument or to the device under test.

PULSE SPECIFICATIONS

MINIMUM PROGRAMMABLE PULSE WIDTH ³: $100\mu\text{s}$. Note: Minimum pulse width for settled source at a given I/V output and load can be longer than $100\mu\text{s}$.

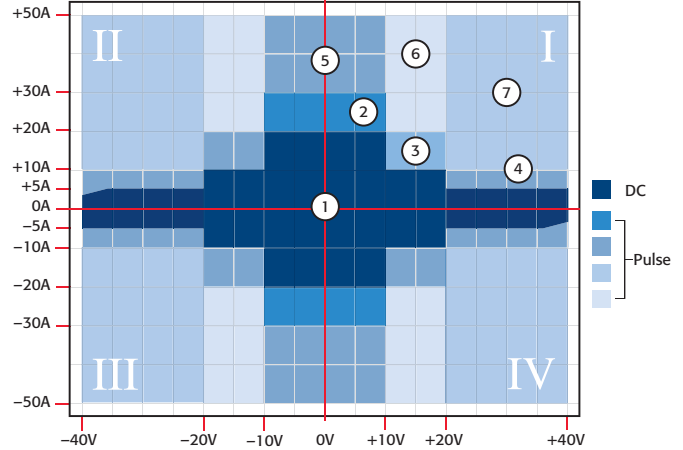
PULSE WIDTH PROGRAMMING RESOLUTION: $1\mu\text{s}$.

PULSE WIDTH PROGRAMMING ACCURACY ³: $\pm 5\mu\text{s}$.

PULSE WIDTH JITTER: $2\mu\text{s}$ (typical).

PULSE RISE TIME (TYPICAL):

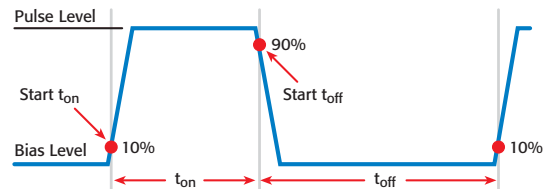
Current Range	R _{load}	Rise Time (typical)
50 A	0.05 Ω	26 μs
50 A	0.2 Ω	57 μs
50 A	0.4 Ω	85 μs
20 A	0.5 Ω	95 μs
50 A	0.8 Ω	130 μs
20 A	1 Ω	180 μs
10 A	2 Ω	330 μs
5 A	8.2 Ω	400 μs



Region	Region Maximums	Maximum Pulse Width ³	Maximum Duty Cycle ⁴
1	5 A at 40 V	DC, no limit	100%
1	10 A at 20 V	DC, no limit	100%
1	20 A at 10 V	DC, no limit	100%
2	30 A at 10 V	1 ms	50%
3	20 A at 20 V	1.5 ms	40%
4	10 A at 40 V	1.5 ms	40%
5	50 A at 10 V	1 ms	35%
6	50 A at 20 V	330 μs	10%
7	50 A at 40 V	300 μs	1%

NOTES

- Full power source operation regardless of load to 30°C ambient. Above 30°C or power sink operation, refer to "Operating Boundaries" in the Model 2651A Reference manual for additional power derating information.
- Quadrants 2 and 4 power envelope is trimmed at 36V and 4.5A.
- Times measured from the start of pulse to the start of off-time; see figure below.



- Thermally limited in sink mode (quadrants 2 and 4) and ambient temperatures above 30°C. See power equations in the Model 2651A Reference Manual for more information.



The Model 2651A supports GPIB, LXI, Digital I/O, and Keithley's TSP-Link Technology for multi-channel synchronization.

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ADDITIONAL SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS

NOISE (10Hz to 20MHz): <100mV peak-peak (typical), <30mV RMS (typical), 10V range with a 20A limit.

OVERSHOOT:

Voltage: <±(0.1% + 10mV) (typical). Step size = 10% to 90% of range, resistive load, maximum current limit/compliance.

Current: <±(0.1% + 10mV) (typical). Step Size = 10% to 90% of range, resistive load. See Current Source Output Settling Time specifications for additional test conditions.

RANGE CHANGE OVERTHOOT:

Voltage: <300mV + 0.1% of larger range (for <20V ranges) (typical).
<400mV + 0.1% of larger range (for ≥20V ranges) (typical).
Overshoot into a 100kΩ load, 20MHz bandwidth.

Current: <5% of larger range + 360mV/R_{load} (for >10μA ranges) (typical). $I_{out} \times R_{load} = 1V$.

VOLTAGE SOURCE OUTPUT SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach within 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range.¹

Range	Settling Time (typical)
1 V	< 70 μs
10 V	<160 μs
20 V	<190 μs
40 V	<175 μs

CURRENT SOURCE OUTPUT SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach within 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range. Values below for $I_{out} \times R_{load}$.

Current Range	R _{load}	Settling time (typical)
20 A	0.5 Ω	<195 μs
10 A	1.5 Ω	<540 μs
5 A	5 Ω	<560 μs
1 A	1 Ω	< 80 μs
100 mA	10 Ω	< 80 μs
10 mA	100 Ω	<210 μs
1 mA	1 kΩ	<300 μs
100 μA	10 kΩ	<500 μs
10 μA	100 kΩ	< 15 ms
1 μA	1 MΩ	< 35 ms
100 nA	10 MΩ	<110 ms

TRANSIENT RESPONSE TIME:

10V and 20V Ranges: <70μs for the output to recover to within 0.1% for a 10% to 90% step change in load.

40V Range: <110μs for the output to recover to within 0.1% for a 10% to 90% step change in load.

GUARD OFFSET VOLTAGE: <4mV, current <10mA.

REMOTE SENSE OPERATING RANGE²:

Maximum Voltage between HI and SENSE HI: 3V.

Maximum Voltage between LO and SENSE LO: 3V.

MAXIMUM IMPEDANCE PER SOURCE LEAD:

Maximum impedance limited by 3V drop by remote sense operating range.

Maximum resistance = 3V/source current value (amperes) (maximum of 1Ω per source lead).

$3V = I \text{ di/dt}$.

VOLTAGE OUTPUT HEADROOM:

5A Range: Maximum output voltage = 48.5V – (Total voltage drop across source leads).

10A Range: Maximum output voltage = 24.5V – (Total voltage drop across source leads).

20A Range: Maximum output voltage = 15.9V – (Total voltage drop across source leads).

OVERTEMPERATURE PROTECTION: Internally sensed temperature overload puts unit in stand-by mode.

LIMIT/COMPLIANCE: Bipolar limit (compliance) set with single value.

Voltage³: Minimum value is 10mV; accuracy is the same as voltage source.

Current⁴: Minimum value is 10nA; accuracy is the same as current source.

NOTES

- With measure and compliance set to the maximum current for the specified voltage range.
- Add 50μV to source accuracy specifications per volt of HI lead drop.
- For sink mode operation (quadrants II and IV), add 0.6% of limit range to the corresponding voltage source accuracy specifications. For 100mV range add an additional 60mV of uncertainty. Specifications apply with sink mode enabled.
- For sink mode operation (quadrants II and IV), add 0.6% of limit range to the corresponding current limit accuracy specifications. Specifications apply with sink mode enabled.

ADDITIONAL MEASUREMENT SPECIFICATIONS**CONTACT CHECK¹**

Speed	Maximum Measurement Time to Memory for 60Hz (50Hz)	Accuracy (1 Year) 23° ± 5°C ±(% reading + ohms)
Fast	1.1 ms (1.2 ms)	5% + 15 Ω
Medium	4.1 ms (5 ms)	5% + 5 Ω
Slow	36 ms (42 ms)	5% + 3 Ω

NOTES

- Includes measurement of SENSE HI to HI and SENSE LO to LO contact resistances.

ADDITIONAL METER SPECIFICATIONS**MAXIMUM LOAD IMPEDANCE:**

Normal Mode: 10nF (typical), 3μH (typical).

High-Capacitance Mode: 50μF (typical), 3μH (typical).

COMMON MODE VOLTAGE: 250V DC.

COMMON MODE ISOLATION: >1GΩ, <4500pF.

MEASURE INPUT IMPEDANCE: >10GΩ.

SENSE HIGH INPUT IMPEDANCE: >10GΩ.

MAXIMUM SENSE LEAD RESISTANCE: 1kΩ for rated accuracy.

OVERRRANGE: 101% of source range, 102% of measure range.

HIGH-CAPACITANCE MODE^{1,2}

ACCURACY SPECIFICATIONS³: Accuracy specifications are applicable in both normal and high-capacitance modes.

VOLTAGE SOURCE OUTPUT SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach within 0.1% of final value after source level command is processed on a fixed range.⁴

Voltage Source Range	Settling Time with C _{load} = 4.7μF (typical)
1 V	75 μs
10 V	170 μs
20 V	200 μs
40 V	180 μs

MODE CHANGE DELAY:

100μA Current Range and Above:

Delay into High-Capacitance Mode: 11ms.

Delay out of High-Capacitance Mode: 11ms.

1μA and 10μA Current Ranges:

Delay into High-Capacitance Mode: 250ms.

Delay out of High-Capacitance Mode: 11ms.

MEASURE INPUT IMPEDANCE: >10GΩ in parallel with 25nF.

VOLTAGE SOURCE RANGE CHANGE OVERTHOOT: <400mV + 0.1% of larger range (typical).
Overshoot into a 100kΩ load, 20MHz bandwidth.

NOTES

- High-capacitance mode specifications are for DC measurements only and use locked ranges. Autorange is disabled.
- 100nA range is not available in high-capacitance mode.
- Add an additional 2nA to the source current accuracy and measure current accuracy offset for the 1μA range.
- With measure and compliance set to the maximum current for the specified voltage range.

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MEASUREMENT SPEED SPECIFICATIONS ^{1, 2}

MAXIMUM SWEEP OPERATION RATES (operations per second) FOR 60Hz (50Hz):

A/D Converter Speed	Trigger Origin	Measure To Memory Using User Scripts	Measure To GPIB Using User Scripts	Source Measure To Memory Using User Scripts	Source Measure To GPIB Using User Scripts	Source Measure To Memory Using Sweep API	Source Measure To GPIB Using Sweep API
0.001 NPLC	Internal	20000 (20000)	9800 (9800)	7000 (7000)	6200 (6200)	12000 (12000)	5900 (5900)
0.001 NPLC	Digital I/O	8100 (8100)	7100 (7100)	5500 (5500)	5100 (5100)	11200 (11200)	5700 (5700)
0.01 NPLC	Internal	4900 (4000)	3900 (3400)	3400 (3000)	3200 (2900)	4200 (3700)	4000 (3500)
0.01 NPLC	Digital I/O	3500 (3100)	3400 (3000)	3000 (2700)	2900 (2600)	4150 (3650)	3800 (3400)
0.1 NPLC	Internal	580 (480)	560 (470)	550 (465)	550 (460)	560 (470)	545 (460)
0.1 NPLC	Digital I/O	550 (460)	550 (460)	540 (450)	540 (450)	560 (470)	545 (460)
1.0 NPLC	Internal	59 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)
1.0 NPLC	Digital I/O	58 (48)	58 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)
HS ADC	Internal	38500 (38500)	18000 (18000)	10000 (10000)	9500 (9500)	14300 (14300)	6300 (6300)
HS ADC	Digital I/O	12500 (12500)	11500 (11500)	7500 (7500)	7000 (7000)	13200 (13200)	6000 (6000)

HIGH SPEED ADC BURST MEASUREMENT RATES ³

Burst Length (readings)	Readings per Second	Bursts per Second
100	1,000,000	400
500	1,000,000	80
1000	1,000,000	40
2500	1,000,000	16
5000	1,000,000	8

MAXIMUM SINGLE MEASUREMENT RATES (operations per second) FOR 60Hz (50Hz)

A/D Converter Speed	Trigger Origin	Measure To GPIB	Source Measure To GPIB	Source Measure Pass/Fail To GPIB
0.001 NPLC	Internal	1900 (1800)	1400 (1400)	1400 (1400)
0.01 NPLC	Internal	1450 (1400)	1200 (1100)	1100 (1100)
0.1 NPLC	Internal	450 (390)	425 (370)	425 (375)
1.0 NPLC	Internal	58 (48)	57 (48)	57 (48)

MAXIMUM MEASUREMENT RANGE CHANGE RATE: >4000 per second for >10 μ A (typical).

MAXIMUM SOURCE RANGE CHANGE RATE: >325 per second for >10 μ A, typical. When changing to or from a range \geq 1A, maximum rate is >250 per second, typical.

COMMAND PROCESSING TIME: Maximum time required for the output to begin to change following the receipt of the smua.source.levelv or smua.source.leveli command. <1ms typical.

NOTES

1. Tests performed with a Model 2651A on channel A using the following equipment: Computer hardware (Intel® Pentium® 4 2.4GHz, 2GB RAM, National Instruments™ PCI-GPIB). Driver (NI-488.2 Version 2.2 PCI-GPIB). Software (Microsoft® Windows® XP, Microsoft Visual Studio® 2010, VISA™ version 4.1).
2. Exclude current measurement ranges less than 1mA.
3. smua.measure.adc has to be enabled and the smua.measure.count set to the burst length.

TRIGGERING AND SYNCHRONIZATION SPECIFICATIONS

TRIGGERING:

- Trigger In to Trigger Out: 0.5 μ s (typical).
- Trigger In to Source Change ¹: 10 μ s (typical).
- Trigger Timer Accuracy: \pm 2 μ s (typical).
- Source Change ¹ After LXI Trigger: 280 μ s (typical).

SYNCHRONIZATION:

- Single-Node Synchronized Source Change ¹: <0.5 μ s (typical).
- Multi-Node Synchronized Source Change ¹: <0.5 μ s (typical).

NOTES

1. Fixed source range with no polarity change.

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50A, High Power System SourceMeter[®] SMU Instrument

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

FRONT PANEL INTERFACE: Two-line vacuum fluorescent display (VFD) with keypad and navigation wheel.

DISPLAY:

Show error messages and user defined messages. Display source and limit settings.
 Show current and voltage measurements View measurements stored in dedicated reading buffers.
 (6½-digit to 4½-digit).

KEYPAD OPERATIONS:

Change host interface settings.
 Save and restore instrument setups.
 Load and run factory and user defined test scripts that prompt for input and send results to the display.
 Store measurements into dedicated reading buffers.

PROGRAMMING: Embedded Test Script Processor (TSP[®]) scripting engine is accessible from any host interface.

Responds to individual instrument control commands.
 Responds to high speed test scripts comprised of instrument control commands and Test Script Language (TSL) statements (for example, branching, looping, and math).
 Able to execute high speed test scripts stored in memory without host intervention.

MINIMUM USER MEMORY AVAILABLE: 16MB (approximately 250,000 lines of TSP code).

TEST SCRIPT BUILDER: Integrated development environment for building, running, and managing TSP scripts. Includes an instrument console for communicating with any TSP enabled instrument in an interactive manner. Requires:

- VISA (NI-VISA included on CD),
- Microsoft[®] .NET Framework (included on CD),
- Keithley I/O Layer (included on CD),
- Intel[®] Pentium III 800MHz or faster personal computer,
- Microsoft Windows[®] 2000, XP, Vista[®], or 7.

TSP EXPRESS (embedded): Tool that allows users to quickly and easily perform common I-V tests without programming or installing software. To run TSP Express, you need:

- Java[™] Platform, Standard Edition 6,
- Microsoft Internet Explorer[®], Mozilla[®] Firefox[®], or another Java-compatible web browser.

SOFTWARE INTERFACE: TSP Express (embedded), direct GPIB/VISA, read/write with Microsoft Visual Basic[®], Visual C/C++[®], Visual C#[®], LabVIEW[™], CEC TestPoint[™] Data Acquisition Software Package, NI LabWindows[™]/CVI, etc.

READING BUFFERS: Nonvolatile memory uses dedicated storage areas reserved for measurement data. Reading buffers are arrays of measurement elements. Each element can hold the following items:

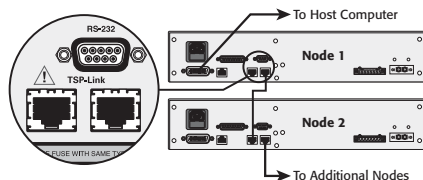
Measurement	Source setting (at the time the measurement was taken)
Measurement status	Range information
Timestamp	

Two reading buffers are reserved for each Model 2651A channel. Reading buffers can be filled using the front panel STORE key and retrieved using the RECALL key or host interface.

Buffer Size, with timestamp and source setting: >60,000 samples.

Buffer Size, without timestamp and source setting: >140,000 samples.

SYSTEM EXPANSION: The TSP-Link expansion interface allows TSP-enabled instruments to trigger and communicate with each other. See figure below.



Each Model 2651A has two TSP-Link connectors to make it easier to connect instruments together in sequence.

Once source-measure instruments are interconnected through the TSP-Link expansion interface, a computer can access all the resources of each source-measure instrument through the host interface of any Model 2651A.

A maximum of 32 TSP-Link nodes can be interconnected. Each source-measure instrument consumes one TSP-Link node.

TIMER: Free-running 47-bit counter with 1MHz clock input. Resets each time instrument power is turned on. If the instrument is not turned off, the timer is reset to zero every 4 years.

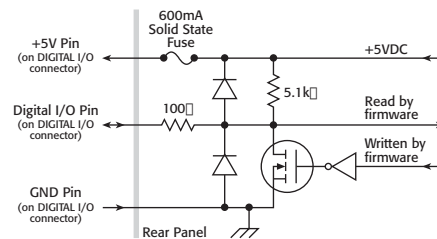
Timestamp: TIMER value is automatically saved when each measurement is triggered.

Resolution: 1µs.

Timestamp Accuracy: ±100ppm.

GENERAL

DIGITAL I/O INTERFACE:



Connector: 25-pin female D.

Input/Output Pins: 14 open drain I/O bits.

Absolute Maximum Input Voltage: 5.25V.

Absolute Minimum Input Voltage: -0.25V.

Maximum Logic Low Input Voltage: 0.7V, +850µA max.

Minimum Logic High Input Voltage: 2.1V, +570µA.

Maximum Source Current (flowing out of digital I/O bit): +960µA.

Maximum Sink Current At Maximum Logic Low Voltage (0.7V): -5.0mA.

Absolute Maximum Sink Current (flowing into digital I/O pin): -11mA.

5V Power Supply Pin: Limited to 250mA, solid-state fuse protected.

Output Enable Pin: Active high input pulled down internally to ground with a 10kΩ resistor; when the output enable input function has been activated, the Model 2651A channel will not turn on unless the output enable pin is driven to >2.1V (nominal current = 2.1V/10kΩ = 210µA).

IEEE-488: IEEE-488.1 compliant. Supports IEEE-488.2 common commands and status model topology.

RS-232: Baud rates from 300bps to 115200bps. Programmable number of data bits, parity type, and flow control (RTS/CTS hardware or none). When not programmed as the active host interface, the Model 2651A can use the RS-232 interface to control other instrumentation.

ETHERNET: RJ-45 connector, LXI, 10/100BT, Auto MDIX.

LXI COMPLIANCE: LXI Class C 1.2.

Total Output Trigger Response Time: 245µs minimum, 280µs (typical), (not specified) maximum.

Receive Lan[0-7] Event Delay: Unknown.

Generate Lan[0-7] Event Delay: Unknown.

EXPANSION INTERFACE: The TSP-Link Technology expansion interface allows TSP-enabled instruments to trigger and communicate with each other.

Cable Type: Category 5e or higher LAN crossover cable. 3 meters maximum between each TSP-enabled instrument.

USB: USB 2.0 host controller.

POWER SUPPLY: 100V to 250V AC, 50Hz to 60Hz (autosensing), 550VA maximum.

COOLING: Forced air; side and top intake and rear exhaust.

WARRANTY: 1 year.

EMC: Conforms to European Union EMC Directive.

SAFETY: UL listed to UL61010-1:2004. Conforms to European Union Low Voltage Directive.

DIMENSIONS: 89mm high × 435mm wide × 549mm deep (3.5 in. × 17.1 in. × 21.6 in.).

BENCH CONFIGURATION (with handle and feet): 104mm high × 483mm wide × 620mm deep (4.1 in. × 19 in. × 24.4 in.).

WEIGHT: 9.98kg (22 lbs).

ENVIRONMENT: For indoor use only.

ALTITUDE: Maximum 2000 meters above sea level.

OPERATING: 0° to 50°C, 70% relative humidity up to 35°C. Derate 3% relative humidity/°C, 35° to 50°C.

STORAGE: -25° to 65°C.

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Model 2651A specifications

SMU INSTRUMENTS

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High Power System SourceMeter[®] SMU Instrument



High power SourceMeter SMU instrument

- Source or sink up to 180W of DC or pulsed power ($\pm 3000\text{V}@20\text{mA}$, $\pm 1500\text{V}@120\text{mA}$)
- 1fA low current resolution
- Dual 22-bit precision ADCs and dual 18-bit $1\mu\text{s}$ per point digitizers for high accuracy and high speed transient capture
- Fully TSP[®] compliant for easy system integration with Series 2600B System SourceMeter models
- Combines a precision power supply, current source, DMM, arbitrary waveform generator, V or I pulse generator, electronic 18-bit load, and trigger controller – all in one instrument
- Includes TSP[®] Express characterization software, LabVIEW[®] driver, and Keithley's Test Script Builder software development environment

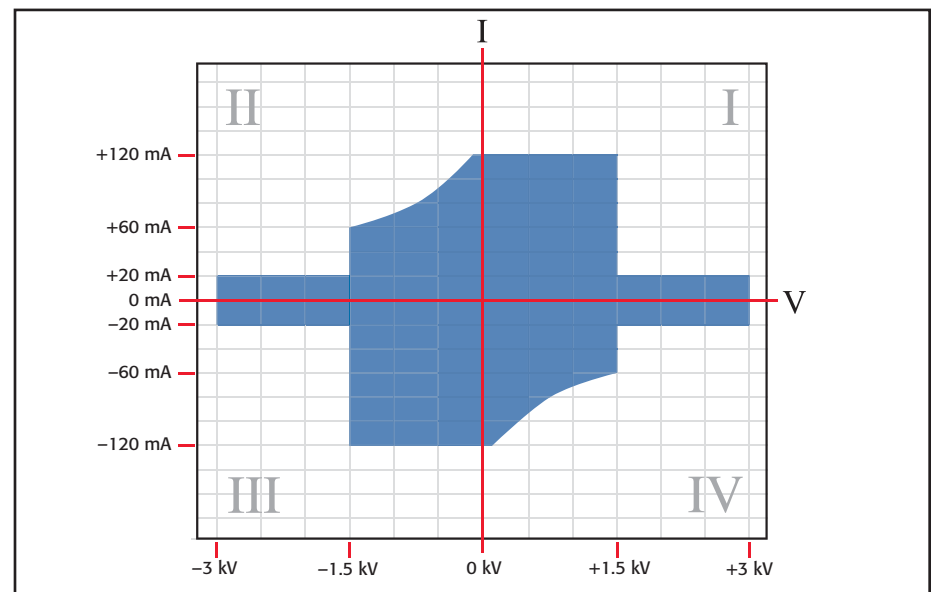
TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

- Power semiconductor device characterization and testing
- Characterization of GaN, SiC, and other compound materials and devices
- Breakdown and leakage testing to 3kV
- Characterization of sub-millisecond transients

The Model 2657A is a high voltage, high power, low current source measure unit (SMU) instrument that delivers unprecedented power, precision, speed, flexibility, and ease of use to improve productivity in R&D, production test, and reliability environments. The Model 2657A is designed specifically for characterizing and testing high voltage electronics and power semiconductors, such as diodes, FETs, and IGBTs, as well as other components and materials in which high voltage, fast response, and precise measurements of voltage and current are required. The Model 2657A offers the highest power and best low current performance in the industry. It is supported by the industry's most powerful parametric characterization software platforms to grow with you as your applications evolve.

The Model 2657A offers highly flexible, four-quadrant voltage and current source/load coupled with precision voltage and current meters. It can be used as a:

- Semiconductor characterization instrument
- V or I waveform generator
- V or I pulse generator
- Precision power supply with V and I readback
- True current source
- Digital multimeter (DCV, DCI, ohms, and power with $6\frac{1}{2}$ -digit resolution)
- Precision electronic load



The Model 2657A can source or sink up to 3000V @ 20mA or 1500V @ 120mA.

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Accessories Supplied

7709-308A Digital I/O and Interlock Connector

CA-180-3A TSP-Link/Ethernet Cable

Documentation CD

Software tools and drivers CD

ACCESSORIES AVAILABLE

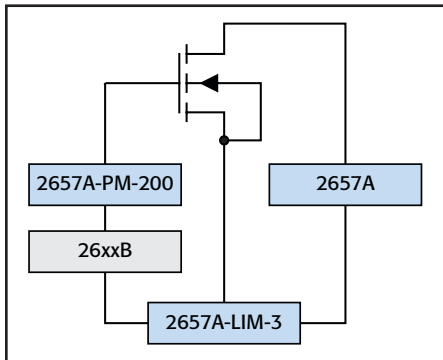
2657A-LIM-3	Low Interconnect Module
2657A-PM-200	200V Protection Module
4299-6	Fixed Rack Mount Kit
SHV-CA-553-x	High Voltage Triax to SHV Cable (1, 2, 3m)
HV-CA-554-x	High Voltage Triax to Triax Cable (0.5, 1, 2, 3m)
HV-CA-571-3	High Voltage Triax to Unterminated Cable
HV-CS-1613	High Voltage Triax Feedthrough Connector

ACCESSORIES SUPPLIED WITH THE 8010

CA-558-2	25-pin D-sub Interlock Cable for 26xxA
CA-560-x	4mm Black and Red Banana Cables, 8 in.
CA-562-x	6mm Black and Red Banana Cables, 10 in.
CA-563	BNC to Banana Cable, 9.5 in.
CA-568-120	Safety Earth Ground Cable
8010-DTB	Device Test Board with TO-247 Socket

ACCESSORIES AVAILABLE FOR THE 8010

8010-CTB	Customizable Test Board
8010-DTB-220	Device Test Board with TO-220 Socket (1.5kV)

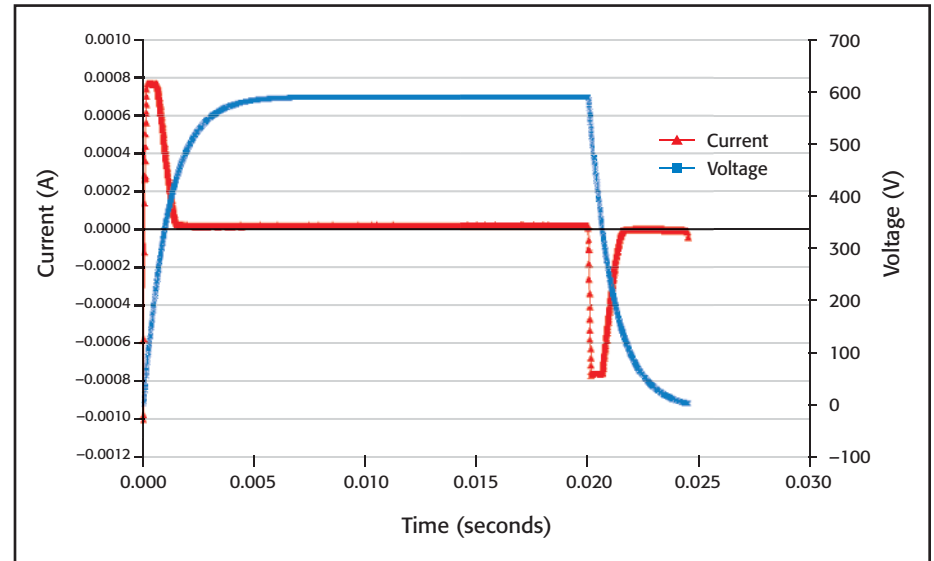


The Model 2657A can be combined with Series 2600B and Model 4200-SCS SMU instruments to support multi-terminal test capability. The Models 2657A-PM-200 Protection Module and 2657A-LIM-3 Low Interconnect Module make it easier to connect multiple instruments to a probe station safely (not required for connecting to the Model 8010 High Power Device Test Fixture).

Two Measurement Modes: Digitizing or Integrating

Precisely characterize transient and steady-state behavior, including rapidly changing thermal effects, with the two measurement modes in the Model 2657A. Each mode is defined by its independent analog-to-digital (A/D) converters.

The digitizing measurement mode provides speeds up to $1\mu\text{s}$ per sample. The dual 18-bit digitizers allow you to capture voltage and current transients simultaneously. In the integrating measurement mode, the dual 22-bit integrating analog to digital converters allow more precise measurement of voltage and current. Two A/D converters are used with each measurement mode, one for current and the other for voltage, that run simultaneously for accurate source readback that does not sacrifice test throughput.



The dual high speed A/D converters sample as fast as $1\mu\text{s}$ per point, enabling full simultaneous characterization of both voltage and current.

Expansion Capabilities

Through TSP-Link Technology technology, the Model 2657A can be linked with Series 2600B SMU instruments to form a larger integrated system with up to 32 nodes. Precision timing and tight channel synchronization are guaranteed with built-in 500ns trigger controllers. The fully isolated, independent channels of the SourceMeter SMU instruments make true SMU-per-pin testing possible.

High Power Device Test Fixture

The Model 8010 High Power Device Test Fixture provides safe and easy connections for testing packaged high power devices at up to 3000V or 100A. The Model 8010 provides connections for a high voltage SourceMeter SMU instrument (Model 2657A), one or two high current SourceMeter SMU instruments (Model 2651A), and three low power SourceMeter SMU instruments (Series 2600B or Model 4200-SCS SMU instruments). This allows devices with two terminals (diodes) or three terminals (transistors) or even four or five terminals to be characterized safely and accurately. The Model 8010 has full interlock capability for up to six SourceMeter SMU instruments. The Model 8010 has integrated protection circuits that protect the low voltage SourceMeter SMU instruments from high voltages the Model 2657A can output should a device fault occur. The Model 8010 includes both a high current (100A) and a high voltage (3000V) test socket. Various replacement test socket modules are available, including TO-247, TO-220, axial lead, and a blank socket module that allows building a custom socket. In addition to standard banana jumpers, the Model 8010 has rear-panel scope and thermal probe ports to simplify system integration.

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Standard Capabilities of Series 2600B SMU Instruments

Each Model 2657A includes all the features and capabilities provided in Series 2600B SourceMeter SMU instruments:

- Flexibility for use as either a bench-top I-V characterization tool or as a building block component of multiple channel I-V test systems.
- TSP Express software to perform common I-V tests quickly and easily without programming or installing software.
- ACS Basic Edition software for semiconductor component characterization (optional). ACS Basic Edition now features a “Trace” mode for generating a suite of characteristic curves.
- Keithley’s Test Script Processor (TSP) technology supports creating and running custom user test scripts for high speed test automation, as well as creating programming sequences that allow the instrument to operate asynchronously without direct PC control.
- Parallel test execution and precision timing when multiple Series 2600B SMU instruments are connected together in a system.
- LXI Class C compliance.
- 14 digital I/O lines for direct connection to a probe station, component handler, or other automation tools.
- USB port for extra data and test program storage via USB memory device.

Model 2657A Condensed Specifications

VOLTAGE ACCURACY SPECIFICATIONS ¹

Range	SOURCE		Display Resolution	MEASURE	
	Programming Resolution	Accuracy ±(% rdg + volts)		Integrating ADC Accuracy ² ±(% rdg + volts)	High Speed ADC Accuracy ³ ±(% rdg + volts)
200 V	5 mV	0.03% + 50 mV	100 μ V	0.025% + 50 mV	0.05% + 100 mV
500 V	10 mV	0.03% + 125 mV	100 μ V	0.025% + 100 mV	0.05% + 200 mV
1500 V	40 mV	0.03% + 375 mV	1 mV	0.025% + 300 mV	0.05% + 600 mV
3000 V	80 mV	0.03% + 750 mV	1 mV	0.025% + 600 mV	0.05% + 1.2 V

CURRENT ACCURACY SPECIFICATIONS ⁴

Range	SOURCE		Display Resolution	MEASURE	
	Programming Resolution	Accuracy ±(% rdg + amps)		Integrating ADC Accuracy ² ±(% rdg + amps)	High Speed ADC Accuracy ³ ±(% rdg + amps)
1 nA	30 fA	0.1% + 2E ⁻¹² + VoE ⁻¹⁵	1 fA	0.1% + 6E ⁻¹³ + VoE ⁻¹⁵	0.2% + 6E ⁻¹³ + VoE ⁻¹⁵
10 nA	300 fA	0.1% + 5E ⁻¹² + VoE ⁻¹⁵	10 fA	0.1% + 5E ⁻¹² + VoE ⁻¹⁵	0.2% + 5E ⁻¹² + VoE ⁻¹⁵
100 nA	3 pA	0.1% + 6E ⁻¹¹ + VoE ⁻¹³	100 fA	0.1% + 6E ⁻¹¹ + VoE ⁻¹³	0.2% + 6E ⁻¹¹ + VoE ⁻¹³
1 μ A	30 pA	0.03% + 700 pA	1 pA	0.025% + 400 pA	0.08% + 800 nA
10 μ A	300 pA	0.03% + 5 nA	10 pA	0.025% + 1.5 nA	0.08% + 3 nA
100 μ A	3 nA	0.03% + 60 nA	100 pA	0.02 % + 25 nA	0.05% + 50 nA
1 mA	30 nA	0.03% + 300 nA	1 nA	0.02 % + 200 nA	0.05% + 400 nA
2 mA	60 nA	0.03% + 1.2 μ A	1 nA	0.02 % + 500 nA	0.05% + 1 μ A
20 mA	600 nA	0.03% + 12 μ A	10 nA	0.02 % + 5 μ A	0.05% + 10 μ A
120 mA	3 μ A	0.03% + 36 μ A	100 nA	0.02 % + 24 μ A	0.05% + 50 μ A

1. For temperatures 0° to 18°C and 28° to 50°C, accuracy is degraded by $\pm(0.15 \times \text{accuracy specification})^{\circ}\text{C}$.

2. Derate accuracy specification for NPLC setting <1 by increasing error term. Add appropriate typical percent of range term for resistive loads using the table below.

NPLC Setting	200 V and 500 V Ranges	1500 V and 3000 V Ranges	100 nA Range	1 μ A to 120 mA Ranges
0.1	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%
0.01	0.08%	0.07%	0.1 %	0.05%
0.001	0.8 %	0.6 %	1 %	0.5 %

3. 18-bit ADC. Average of 1000 samples taken at 1 μ s intervals.

4. For temperatures 0° to 18°C and 28° to 50°C, accuracy is degraded by $\pm(0.35 \times \text{accuracy specification})^{\circ}\text{C}$.

SUPPLEMENTAL CHARACTERISTICS

TYPICAL VOLTAGE SOURCE NOISE: 0.005% of range.

TYPICAL CURRENT SOURCE NOISE: 0.08% of range.

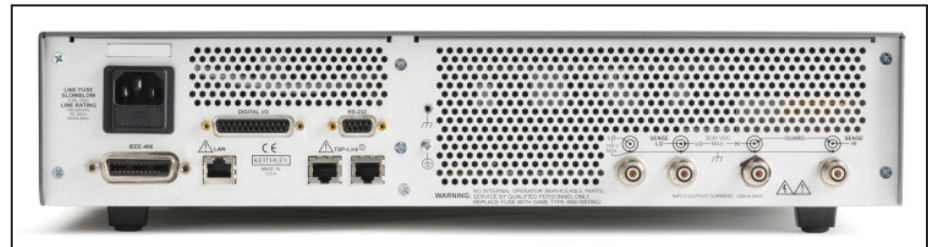
TYPICAL VOLTAGE SOURCE SETTling: <1ms to 200V, <7ms to 3000V.

TYPICAL CURRENT SOURCE SETTling: <5ms to 120mA, <200ms to 1 μ A.

Specifications are subject to change without notice.



Model 8010 High Power Device Test Fixture



Model 2657A rear panel

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TRIGGERING AND SYNCHRONIZATION SPECIFICATIONS

TRIGGERING: Trigger In to Trigger Out: $0.5\mu\text{s}$, typical.

SYNCHRONIZATION: Single- or multi-node synchronized source change: $<0.5\mu\text{s}$, typical.

PROGRAMMING

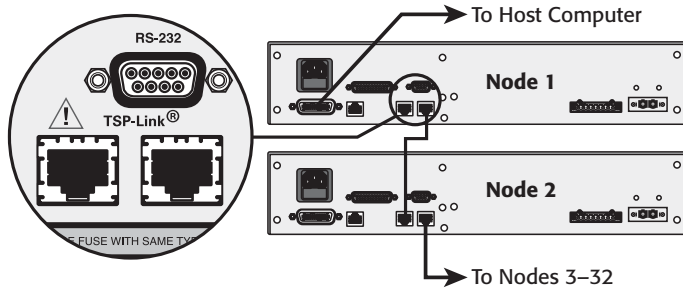
TEST SCRIPT BUILDER: Integrated development environment for building, running, and managing TSP scripts.

TSP EXPRESS (Embedded): Tool that allows users to perform common I-V tests quickly and easily without programming or installing software.

SOFTWARE INTERFACE: TSP Express (Embedded), Direct GPIB/VISA, Read/Write with VB, VC/C++, VC#, LabVIEW™, TestPoint™, LabWindows™/CVI, etc.

SYSTEM EXPANSION

The TSP-Link expansion interface allows TSP-enabled instruments to trigger and communicate with each other. See figure below:



GENERAL

USB: USB 2.1 Host Controller, supports external data storage.

CONTACT CHECK: $\pm 50\Omega$.

PC INTERFACE: IEEE-488.1 and .2; LXI Ethernet; RS-232.

DIGITAL I/O INTERFACE: Input/Output Pins: 14 open drain I/O bits. 5.25V max.

POWER SUPPLY: 100V to 250VAC, 50Hz–60Hz (auto sensing), 550VA max.

COOLING: Forced air. Side and top intake and rear exhaust.

EMC: Conforms to European Union EMC Directive.

SAFETY: ETL listed (PENDING). Conforms to European Union Low Voltage Directive.

WARRANTY: 1 year.

DIMENSIONS: 89mm high \times 435mm wide \times 549mm deep (3.5 in \times 17.1 in \times 21.6 in). Bench Configuration (with handle and feet): 104mm high \times 483mm wide \times 620mm deep (4.1 in \times 19 in \times 24.4 in).

WEIGHT: 9.98kg (22 lbs).

ENVIRONMENT: For indoor use only.

CALIBRATION PERIOD: One year.

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SourceMeter® SMU Instrument



- Capabilities of analyzers, curve tracers, and I-V systems at a fraction of their cost.
- Five-inch, high resolution capacitive touchscreen GUI
- 0.012% basic measure accuracy with 6½-digit resolution
- Enhanced sensitivity with new 20mV and 10nA source/measure ranges
- Source and sink (4-quadrant) operation
- Four “Quickset” modes for fast setup and measurements
- Built-in, context-sensitive front panel help
- Front panel input banana jacks; rear panel input triaxial connections
- 2450 SCPI and TSP® scripting programming modes
- Model 2400 SCPI-compatible programming mode
- Front panel USB memory port for data/programming/configuration I/O

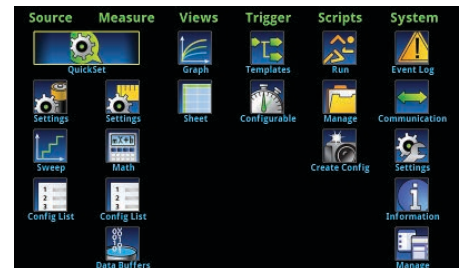
The Model 2450 is Keithley’s next-generation SourceMeter source measure unit (SMU) Instrument that truly brings Ohm’s law (current, voltage, and resistance) testing right to your fingertips. Its innovative graphical user interface (GUI) and advanced, capacitive touchscreen technology allow intuitive usage and minimize the learning curve to enable engineers and scientists to learn faster, work smarter, and invent easier. The 2450 is the SMU for everyone: a versatile instrument, particularly well-suited for characterizing modern scaled semiconductors, nano-scale devices and materials, organic semiconductors, printed electronics, and other small-geometry and low-power devices. All this combined with Keithley SMU precision and accuracy allow users to Touch, Test, Invent™ with the new favorite go-to instrument in the lab for years to come.

Learn Faster, Work Smarter, Invent Easier

Unlike conventional instruments with dedicated pushbutton technology and small, obscure, limited-character displays, the 2450 features a five-inch, full-color, high resolution touchscreen that facilitates ease of use, learning, and optimizes overall speed and productivity. A simple icon-based menu structure reduces configuration steps by as much as 50 percent and eliminates the cumbersome multi-layer menu structures typically used on soft-key instruments. Built-in, context-sensitive help enables intuitive operation and minimizes the need to review a separate manual. These capabilities combined with its application versatility make the 2450 the SMU instrument inherently easy to use for basic and advanced measurement applications, regardless of your experience level with SMU instruments.



2450 main home screen.

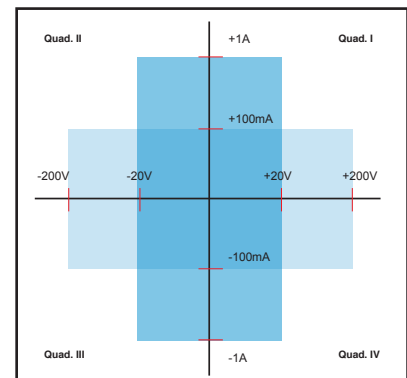


View of 2450 menu.

Fourth-Generation, All-in-One SMU Instrument

The 2450 is the fourth-generation member of Keithley’s award-winning SourceMeter family of SMU instruments and leverages the proven capabilities of the Model 2400 SourceMeter SMU Instrument. It offers a highly flexible, four-quadrant voltage and current source/load coupled with precision voltage and current meters. This all-in-one instrument can be used as a:

- Precision power supply with V and I readback
- True current source
- Digital multimeter (DCV, DCI, ohms, and power with 6½-digit resolution).
- Precision electronic load
- Trigger controller



2450 power envelope.

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Ordering Information

- 2450** 200V, 1A, 20W
SourceMeter Instrument
- 2450-NFP** 200V, 1A, 20W
SourceMeter Instrument,
with No Front Panel
- 2450-RACK**
200V, 1A, 20W
SourceMeter Instrument,
without Handle
- 2450-NFP-RACK**
200V, 1A, 20W
SourceMeter Instrument,
with No Front Panel
and No Handle

Accessories Supplied

- 8608** High Performance
Test Leads
- USB-B-1** USB Cable, Type A to
Type B, 1m (3.3 ft)
- CS-1616-3** Safety Interlock
Mating Connector
- CA-180-3A** TSP-Link/Ethernet Cable
- Documentation CD
- 2450 QuickStart Guide
- Test Script Builder Software
(supplied on CD)
- KickStart Startup Software
(supplied on CD)
- LabVIEW and IVI Drivers
available at www.keithley.com

SourceMeter® SMU Instrument

Model 2400	Model 2450
V-Ranges: 200mV – 200V	V-Ranges: 20mV – 200V
I-Ranges: 1 μ A – 1A	I-Ranges: 10nA – 1A
0.012% Basic Accuracy	0.012% Basic Accuracy
Wideband Noise: 4mV _{rms} Typ.	Wideband Noise: 2mV _{rms} Typ.
Sweep Types: Linear, Log, Custom, Source-Memory	Sweep Types: Linear, Log, Dual Linear, Dual Log, Custom, Source-Memory (SCPI 2400 Mode)
5000 Point Reading Buffer	>250,000 Point Reading Buffer
>2000 Readings/Sec.	>3000 Readings/Sec.
SCPI Programming	SCPI (2400 + 2450) + TSP Programming
GPIB	GPIB, USB, Ethernet (LXI)
Front/Rear Banana Jacks	Front: Banana Jacks, Rear: Triax

Comparison of Model 2400 vs Model 2450.

Ease of Use Beyond the Touchscreen

In addition to its five-inch, color touchscreen, the 2450 front panel has many features that supplement its speed, user-friendliness, and learnability, including a USB 2.0 memory I/O port, a HELP key, a rotary navigation/control knob, a front/rear input selector button, and banana jacks for basic bench applications. The USB 2.0 memory port supports easy data storing, saving instrument configurations, loading test scripts, and system upgrades. Plus, all front panel buttons are backlit to enhance visibility in low-light environments.

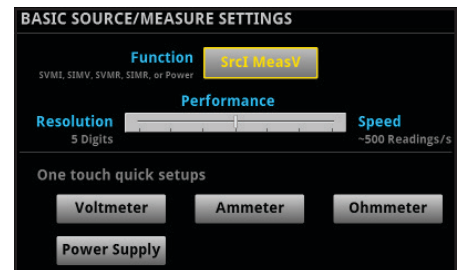


Model 2450 front panel with high resolution, capacitive touchscreen.

Four “Quickset” modes simplify user setup. With one touch, the instrument can be quickly configured for various operating modes without the need to configure the instrument indirectly for this operation.

Comprehensive Built-in Connectivity

Rear panel access to rear-input triax connectors, remote control interfaces (GPIB, USB 2.0, and LXI/Ethernet), D-sub 9-pin digital I/O port (for internal/external trigger signals and handler control), instrument interlock control, and TSP-Link® jacks enables easy configuration of multiple instrument test solutions and eliminates the need to invest in additional adapter accessories.



Quickset modes enable fast setup and time to measurements.

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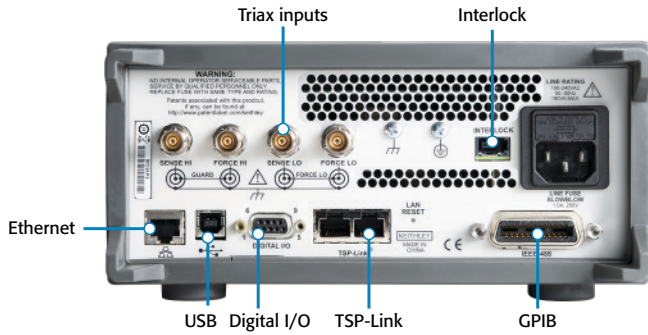
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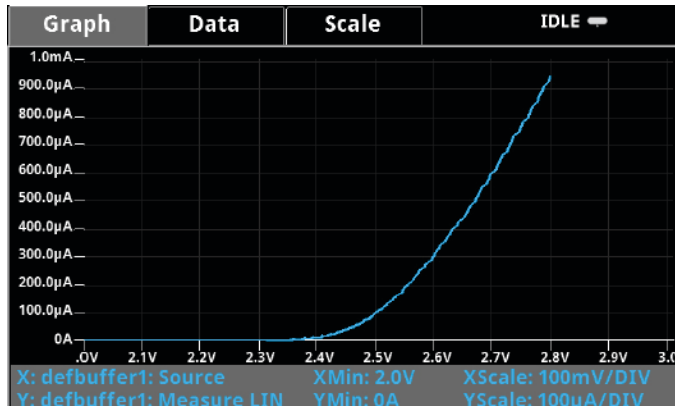
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Rear panel connections are optimized for signal integrity.

Convert Raw Data to Information

The 2450 provides a full plotting and sheet view to display sweeps, measurement data, and charting right on the screen. It also supports exporting to a spreadsheet for further analysis, dramatically improving productivity for research, bench-top testing, device qualification, and debugging.



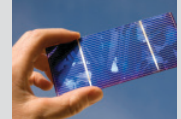
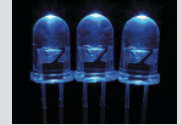
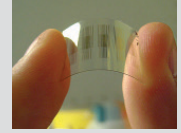
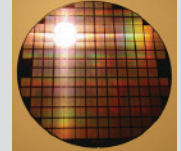
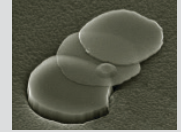
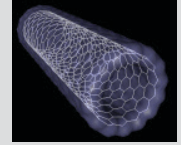
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2	09:50:03.6	0.1	6.38803e-05
3	09:50:05.3	0.2	0.000127991
4	09:50:05.8	0.3	0.00019225
5	09:50:06.4	0.4	0.000256259
6	09:50:06.9	0.5	0.000320488
7	09:50:07.5	0.6	0.000384533
8	09:50:08.0	0.7	0.000448547
9	09:50:08.6	0.8	0.000512793
10	09:50:09.1	0.9	0.000576823
11	09:50:09.7	1	0.000641066

Full data display, charting, and export to a spreadsheet lets you convert raw data to useful information.

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

Ideal for current/voltage characterization and functional test of a wide range of today's modern electronics and devices, including:

- **Nanomaterials and Devices**
 - Graphene
 - Carbon nanotubes
 - Nanowires
 - Low power nanostructures
- **Semiconductor Structures**
 - Wafers
 - Thin films
- **Organic Materials and Devices**
 - E-inks
 - Printable electronics
- **Energy Efficiency and Lighting**
 - LEDs/AMOLEDs
 - Photovoltaics/Solar Cells
 - Batteries
- **Discrete and Passive Components**
 - Two-leaded: Resistors, diodes, zener diodes, LEDs, disk drive heads, sensors
 - Three-leaded: Small signal bipolar junction transistors (BJTs), field effect transistors (FETs), and more
- **Material Characterization**
 - Resistivity
 - Hall Effect



TriggerFlow™ Building Blocks for Instrument Control and Execution

The 2450 incorporates Keithley's new TriggerFlow triggering system that allows user control of instrument execution. Similar to developing a flow chart, TriggerFlow diagrams are created using four fundamental building blocks:

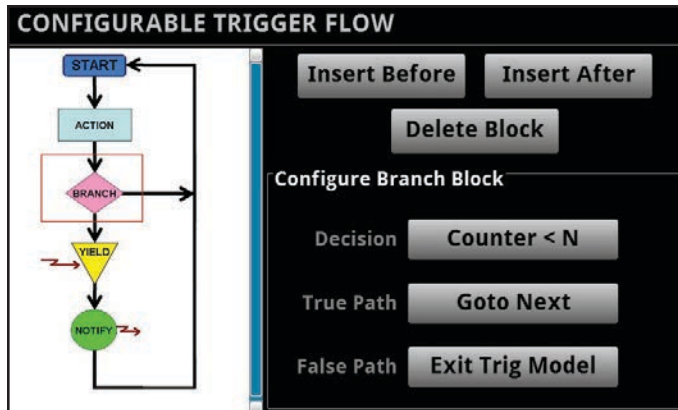
- **Wait** – Waits for an event to occur before the flow continues
- **Branch** – Branches when a condition has been satisfied
- **Action** – Initiates an action in the instrument, for example, measure, source, delay, set digital I/O, etc.
- **Notify** – Notifies other equipment that an event has occurred

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TriggerFlow building blocks let users create very simple to very complex triggering models.

A TriggerFlow model using a combination of these building blocks can be created from the front panel or by sending remote commands. With the TriggerFlow system, users can build triggering models from very simple to complex with up to 255 block levels. The 2450 also includes basic triggering functions, including immediate, timer, and manual triggering.

Unmatched System Integration and Programming Flexibility

When the 2450 is integrated as part of a multi-channel I-V test system, the Test Script Processor (TSP®) embedded scripting capability allows test scripts to be run by the instrument, enabling the user to create powerful measurement applications with significantly reduced development times. TSP technology also offers channel expansion without a mainframe. Keithley's TSP-Link® channel expansion bus, which uses a 100 Base T Ethernet cable, connects multiple 2450 instruments and other TSP instruments such as Keithley's Series 2600B SourceMeter SMU instruments and Series 3700A Switch/Multimeter systems in a master-slave configuration that behaves as one integrated system. The TSP-Link expansion bus supports up to 32 units per GPIB or IP address, making it easy to scale a system to fit an application's particular requirements.

The 2450 also includes a SCPI programming mode that optimizes the instrument's new features, as well as a SCPI 2400 mode that provides backwards compatibility with the existing Model 2400 SourceMeter instrument. Not only does this preserve your 2400 investment, but it also eliminates re-work normally associated with upgrading to a new instrument with new capabilities.

Parallel Test Capability

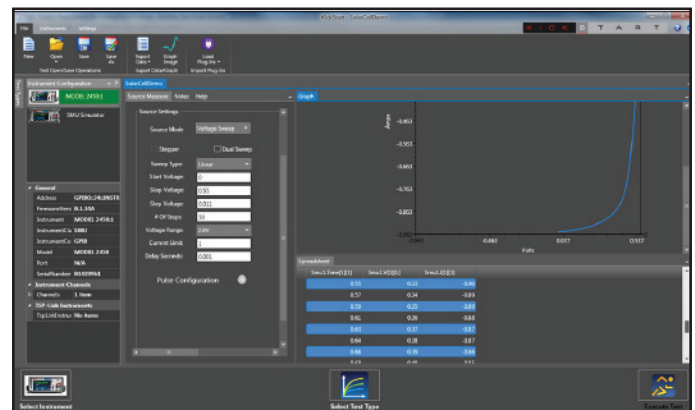
With the TSP technology in the 2450, multiple devices can be tested in parallel to meet the needs of device research, advanced semiconductor lab applications, and even high throughput production test. This parallel testing capability enables each instrument in the system to run its own complete test sequence, creating a fully multi-threaded test environment. The number of tests that can be run in parallel on a 2450 can be as high as the number of instruments in the system.

Free Instrument Control Start-up Software and Web Interface

KickStart, Keithley's new instrument control non-programming start-up software, lets users start taking measurements in minutes. In most cases, users merely need to make quick measurements, graph the data, and store the data to disk to perform analysis in software environments such as Excel.

KickStart offers the following functionality:

- Instrument configuration control to perform I-V characterization
- Native X-Y graphing, panning, and zooming
- Spreadsheet/tabular viewing of data
- Saving and exporting data for further analysis
- Saving of test setups
- Screenshot capturing of graph
- Annotation of tests
- Command line dialog for sending and receiving data
- HTML help
- GPIB, USB 2.0, Ethernet compliant



With KickStart start-up software, users are ready to take measurements in minutes.

Simplified Programming with Ready-to-Use Instrument Drivers

For users who want to create their own customized application software, native National Instruments LabVIEW® drivers, IVI-C, and IVI-COM drivers are available at www.keithley.com.

ACCESSORIES AVAILABLE

TEST LEADS AND PROBES

1754	2-wire Universal 10-Piece Test Lead Kit
5804	Kelvin (4-Wire) Universal 10-Piece Test Lead Kit
5805	Kelvin (4-Wire) Spring-Loaded Probes
5806	Kelvin Clip Lead Set
5808	Low Cost Single-pin Kelvin Probe Set
5809	Low Cost Kelvin Clip Lead Set
8605	High Performance Modular Test Leads
8606	High Performance Modular Probe Kit
8608	High Performance Clip Lead Set

CABLES, CONNECTORS, ADAPTERS

237-ALG-2	3-slot Male Triax Connector to 3 Alligator Clips
237-BAN-3A	Triax to Banana Plug
2450-TRX-BAN	Triax to Banana Adapter. Converts the 4 Triax adapters on the rear panel to 5 banana jacks
7078-TRX*	3-slot, Low Noise Triax Cable
7078-TRX-GND	3-slot Male Triax To BNC Adapter (guard removed)
8607	2-wire, 1000V Banana Cables, 1m (3.3 ft)
CA-18-1	Shielded Dual Banana Cable, 1.2m (4 ft)
CAP-31	Protective Shield/Cap for 3-lug Triax Connectors
CS-1546	Triax 3-lug Special Shorting Plug. Shorts center pin to outer shield
CS-1616-3	Safety Interlock Mating Connector

COMMUNICATION INTERFACES & CABLES

KPCI-488LPA	IEEE-488 Interface for PCI Bus
KUSB-488B	IEEE-488 USB-to-GPIB Interface Adapter
7007-1	Shielded GPIB Cable, 1m (3.3 ft)
7007-2	Shielded GPIB Cable, 1m (6.6 ft)
CA-180-3A	CAT5 Crossover Cable for TSP-Link/Ethernet
USB-B-1	USB Cable, Type A to Type B, 1m (3.3 ft)

TRIGGERING AND CONTROL

2450-TLINK	DB-9 to Trigger Link Connector Adapter.
8501-1	Trigger Link Cable, DIN-to-DIN, 1m (3.3 ft)
8501-2	Trigger Link Cable, DIN-to-DIN, 2m (6.6 ft)

RACK MOUNT KITS

4299-8	Single Fixed Rack Mount Kit
4299-9	Dual Fixed Rack Mount Kit
4299-10	Dual Fixed Rack Mount Kit. Mount one 2450 and one Series 26xxB
4299-11	Dual Fixed Rack Mount Kit. Mount one 2450 and one Series 2400, Series 2000, etc.
2450-BenchKit	Ears and Handle for 2450-NFP-RACK and 2450-RACK models

TEST FIXTURES

8101-PIV	DC Test Fixture
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SERVICES AVAILABLE

2450-3Y-EW	1 Year Factory Warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
2450-5Y-EW	1 Year Factory Warranty extended to 5 years from date of shipment
C/2450-3Y-17025	KeithleyCare® 3 Year ISO 17025 Calibration Plan
C/2450-3Y-DATA	KeithleyCare 3 Year Calibration w/Data Plan
C/2450-3Y-STD	KeithleyCare 3 Year Std. Calibration Plan
C/2450-5Y-17025	KeithleyCare 5 Year ISO 17025 Calibration Plan
C/2450-5Y-DATA	KeithleyCare 5 Year Calibration w/Data Plan
C/2450-5Y-STD	KeithleyCare 5 Year Std. Calibration Plan

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Voltage Specifications^{1,2}

Range	Source			Measure ³		
	Resolution	Accuracy (23° ± 5°C) 1 Year ±(% setting + volts)	Noise (RMS) (<10Hz)	Resolution	Input Resistance	Accuracy (23° ± 5°C) 1 Year ±(% rdg. + volts)
20.00000 mV	500 nV	0.100% + 200 μV	1 μV	10 nV	>10 GΩ	0.100% + 150 μV
200.0000 mV	5 μV	0.015% + 200 μV	1 μV	100 nV	>10 GΩ	0.012% + 200 μV
2.000000 V	50 μV	0.020% + 300 μV	10 μV	1 μV	>10 GΩ	0.012% + 300 μV
20.00000 V	500 μV	0.015% + 2.4 mV	100 μV	10 μV	>10 GΩ	0.015% + 1 mV
200.0000 V	5 mV	0.015% + 24 mV	1 mV	100 μV	>10 GΩ	0.015% + 10 mV

Current Specifications^{1,2}

Range	Source			Measure ³		
	Resolution	Accuracy (23° ± 5°C) ⁴ 1 Year ±(% setting + amps)	Noise (RMS) (<10Hz)	Resolution	Voltage Burden	Accuracy (23° ± 5°C) 1 Year ±(% rdg. + amps)
10.00000 nA ⁵	500 fA	0.100% + 100 pA	500 fA	10 fA	<100 μV	0.100% + 50 pA
100.0000 nA ⁵	5 pA	0.060% + 150 pA	500 fA	100 fA	<100 μV	0.060% + 100 pA
1.000000 μA	50 pA	0.025% + 400 pA	5 pA	1 pA	<100 μV	0.025% + 300 pA
10.00000 μA	500 pA	0.025% + 1.5 nA	40 pA	10 pA	<100 μV	0.025% + 700 pA
100.0000 μA	5 nA	0.020% + 15 nA	400 pA	100 pA	<100 μV	0.020% + 6 nA
1.000000 mA	50 nA	0.020% + 150 nA	5 nA	1 nA	<100 μV	0.020% + 60 nA
10.00000 mA	500 nA	0.020% + 1.5 μA	40 nA	10 nA	<100 μV	0.020% + 600 nA
100.0000 mA	5 μA	0.025% + 15 μA	100 nA	100 nA	<100 μV	0.025% + 6 μA
1.000000 A	50 μA	0.067% + 900 μA	3 μA	1 μA	<100 μV	0.030% + 500 μA

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C): ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C.

- Speed = 1 PLC.
- All specifications are guaranteed with output ON.
- Accuracies apply to 2- and 4-wire mode when properly zeroed.
- For sink mode, 1μA to 100mA range accuracy is ±(0.15% + offset × 4). For 1A range, accuracy is ±(1.5% + offset × 8).
- Rear panel triax connections only.

Resistance Measurement Accuracy (Local or Remote Sense)^{2,3}

Range	Default Resolution ⁶	Default Test Current	Normal Accuracy	Enhanced Accuracy ⁷
			(23°C ± 5°C) 1 Year, ±(% rdg. + ohms)	(23°C ± 5°C) 1 Year, ±(% rdg. + ohms)
<2.000000 Ω ⁸	1 μΩ	User defined	Source I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}	Meas. I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}
20.00000 Ω	10 μΩ	100 mA	0.098% + 0.003 Ω	0.073% + 0.001 Ω
200.0000 Ω	100 μΩ	10 mA	0.077% + 0.03 Ω	0.053% + 0.01 Ω
2.000000 kΩ	1 mΩ	1 mA	0.066% + 0.3 Ω	0.045% + 0.1 Ω
20.00000 kΩ	10 mΩ	100 μA	0.063% + 3 Ω	0.043% + 1 Ω
200.0000 kΩ	100 mΩ	10 μA	0.065% + 30 Ω	0.046% + 10 Ω
2.000000 MΩ	1 Ω	1 μA	0.110% + 300 Ω	0.049% + 100 Ω
20.00000 MΩ	10 Ω	1 μA	0.110% + 1 kΩ	0.052% + 500 Ω
200.0000 MΩ	100 Ω	100 nA	0.655% + 10 kΩ	0.349% + 5k Ω
>200.0000 MΩ ⁸	—	User defined	Source I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}	Meas. I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C): ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C.

SOURCE CURRENT, MEASURE RESISTANCE MODE:

Total uncertainty = I_{source} accuracy + V_{measure} accuracy (4-wire remote sense).

SOURCE VOLTAGE, MEASURE RESISTANCE MODE:

Total uncertainty = V_{source} accuracy + I_{measure} accuracy (4-wire remote sense).

GUARD OUTPUT IMPEDANCE: 0.5Ω (DC) in ohms mode.

- 6.5 digit measure resolution
- Source readback enabled. Offset compensation ON.
- Source Current, Measure Resistance or Source Voltage, Measure Resistance only.

OPERATING CHARACTERISTICS

MAX. OUTPUT POWER:	20W, four-quadrant source or sink operation.												
SOURCE LIMITS:	V_{source}: ±21V (≤ 1A range), ±210V (≤ 100mA range) I_{source}: ±1.05A (≤ 20V range), ±105mA (≤ 200V range)												
OVERRRANGE:	105% of range, source and measure.												
REGULATION:	Voltage: Line: 0.01% of range. Load: 0.01% of range + 100μV. Current: Line: 0.01% of range. Load: 0.01% of range + 100pA.												
SOURCE LIMITS:	Voltage Source Current Limit: Bipolar current limit set with single value. Min. 10% of range. Current Source Voltage Limit: Bipolar voltage limit set with single value. Min. 10% of range.												
V-LIMIT / I-LIMIT ACCURACY:	Add 0.3% of setting and ±0.02% of reading to base specification.												
OVERSHOOT:	Voltage Source: <0.1% typical (full scale step, resistive load, 20V range, 10mA I-Limit). Current Source: <0.1% typical (1mA step, R _{load} = 10kΩ, 20V range)												
RANGE CHANGE OVERSHOOT:	Overshoot into a fully resistive 100kΩ load, 10Hz to 20MHz BW, adjacent ranges: 250mV typical												
OUTPUT SETTLING TIME:	Time required to reach 0.1% of final value, 20V range, 100mA I-Limit: <200μs typical.												
MAXIMUM SLEW RATE:	0.2V/μs, 200V range, 100mA limit into a 2kΩ load (typical)												
OVER VOLTAGE PROTECTION:	User selectable values, 5% tolerance. Factory default = none.												
VOLTAGE SOURCE NOISE:	10Hz–1MHz (RMS): 2mV typical into a resistive load.												
COMMON MODE VOLTAGE:	250V DC.												
COMMON MODE ISOLATION:	>1GΩ, <1000pF.												
NOISE REJECTION (TYPICAL):	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>NPLC</th> <th>NMRR</th> <th>CMRR</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>0.01</td> <td>—</td> <td>60 dB</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0.1</td> <td>—</td> <td>60 dB</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>60 dB</td> <td>100 dB*</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>* Except lowest two current ranges ~90dB.</p>	NPLC	NMRR	CMRR	0.01	—	60 dB	0.1	—	60 dB	1	60 dB	100 dB*
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0.01	—	60 dB											
0.1	—	60 dB											
1	60 dB	100 dB*											
LOAD IMPEDANCE:	20nF typical (standard). Stable into 50μF typical (High-C mode). High-C mode valid for ≥100μA ranges, ≥200mV ranges.												
MAX. VOLTAGE DROP BETWEEN FORCE and SENSE TERMINALS:	5V.												
MAX. SENSE LEAD RESISTANCE:	1MΩ for rated accuracy.												
SENSE INPUT IMPEDANCE:	>10GΩ.												
GUARD OFFSET VOLTAGE:	<300μV, typical												

System Measurement Speeds ⁹

READING RATES (READINGS/SECOND) TYPICAL FOR 60Hz (50Hz):

SCRIPT (TSP) Programmed

NPLC/Trigger Origin	Measure				Source-Measure Sweep			
	To Mem.	To GPIB	To USB	To LAN	To Mem.	To GPIB	To USB	To LAN
0.01 / Internal	3130 (2800)	2830 (2570)	2825 (2600)	2790 (2530)	1710 (1620)	1620 (1540)	1630 (1540)	1620 (1540)
0.01 / External	2170 (2050)	2150 (2030)	2170 (2040)	2160 (1990)	1670 (1590)	1580 (1500)	1590 (1510)	1580 (1510)
0.1 / Internal	540 (460)	530 (450)	530 (450)	530 (450)	470 (410)	460 (400)	470 (400)	470 (400)
0.1 / External	500 (430)	490 (420)	500 (430)	500 (420)	470 (400)	460 (390)	460 (400)	460 (400)
1.00 / Internal	59 (49)	58 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)	58 (48)	58 (48)	58 (48)	58 (48)
1.00 / External	58 (48)	57 (48)	58 (48)	58 (48)	57 (48)	57 (47)	57 (48)	57 (48)

SCPI Programmed ¹⁰

NPLC/Trigger Origin	Measure				Source-Measure Sweep			
	To Mem.	To GPIB	To USB	To LAN	To Mem.	To GPIB	To USB	To LAN
0.01 / Internal	3130 (2800)	3060 (2760)	3000 (2790)	3010 (2710)	1710 (1630)	1610 (1600)	1440 (1380)	1690 (1590)
0.01 / External	2350 (2200)	2320 (2170)	2340 (2190)	2320 (2130)	1680 (1590)	1560 (1570)	1410 (1360)	1660 (1560)
0.1 / Internal	540 (460)	540 (450)	540 (460)	540 (450)	470 (410)	470 (410)	450 (390)	470 (410)
0.1 / External	510 (440)	510 (430)	510 (440)	510 (430)	470 (400)	470 (400)	450 (390)	470 (400)
1.00 / Internal	59 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)	59 (49)	58 (48)	58 (48)	57 (48)	58 (48)
1.00 / External	58 (49)	58 (49)	58 (49)	58 (49)	58 (48)	58 (48)	57 (47)	58 (48)

9. Reading rates applicable for voltage or current measurements, autozero off, autorange off, filter off, binary reading format, and source readback off.

10. SCPI programming mode. Speeds do not apply to SCPI 2400 mode.

GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS (default mode unless specified)

FACTORY DEFAULT STANDARD POWER-UP: SCPI MODE.

SOURCE OUTPUT MODES: Fixed DC Level, Memory/Configuration List (mixed function), Stair (linear and log).

SOURCE MEMORY LIST: 100 points max. (SCPI 2400 Mode only).

MEMORY BUFFER: >250,000 readings. Includes selected measured value(s) and time stamp.

REAL-TIME CLOCK: Lithium battery backup (3 yr. + battery life).

REMOTE INTERFACES:

GPIB: IEEE-488.1 compliant. Supports IEEE-488.2 common commands and status model topology.

USB Device (rear panel, type B): 2.0 Full Speed USBTMC.

USB Host (front panel, type A): USB 2.0, support for flash drives, FAT32.

Ethernet: RJ-45 (10/100BT)

PROGRAMMABILITY: SCPI or TSP command sets.

TSP MODE: Embedded Test Script Processor (TSP) accessible from any host interface.

IP CONFIGURATION: Static or DHCP

EXPANSION INTERFACE: The TSP-Link expansion interface allows TSP enabled instruments to trigger and communicate with each other.

LXI COMPLIANCE: 1.4 LXI Core 2011.

DISPLAY: 5 inch capacitive touch, color TFT WVGA (800x480) with LED backlight.

INPUT SIGNAL CONNECTIONS: **Front:** Banana. **Rear:** Triaxial (3-Lug)

INTERLOCK: Active High Input

DIGITAL I/O INTERFACE:

Lines: 6 Input/Output user defined for digital I/O or triggering

Connector: 9-pin female D

Input Signal Levels: 0.7 V (maximum logic low), 3.7 V (minimum logic high)

Input Voltage Limits: -0.25 V (Abs. minimum), +5.25 V (Abs. maximum)

Maximum Source Current: +2.0 mA @ >2.7 V (per pin)

Maximum Sink Current: -50 mA @ 0.7 V (per pin, solid-state fuse protected)

5 V Power Supply Pin: Limited to 500 mA @ >4V (solid-state fuse protected)

Handler: User definable Start of Test, End of Test, 4 category bits

COOLING: Forced air, variable speed.

OVER TEMPERATURE PROTECTION: Internally sensed temperature overload puts unit in stand-by mode.

POWER SUPPLY: 100V to 240V RMS, 50–60Hz (automatically detected at power up).

VA RATING: 190 volt-amps max.

ALTITUDE: Maximum 2000 meters above sea level.

EMC: Conforms to European Union EMC Directive.

SAFETY: NRTL listed to UL61010-1 and UL61010-2-30. Conforms with European Union Low Voltage Directive.

VIBRATION: MIL-PRF-28800F Class 3 Random.

WARM-UP: 1 hour to rated accuracies.

DIMENSIONS: (With handle and bumpers): 106mm high × 255mm wide × 425mm deep (4.18 in × 10.05 in × 16.75 in). (Without handle and bumpers): 88mm high × 213mm wide × 403mm deep (3.46 in × 8.39 in × 15.87 in).

WEIGHT: With bumpers & handle: 4.04 kg (8.9 lbs.). Without bumpers & handle 3.58 kg (7.9 lbs.).

ENVIRONMENT: Operating: 0°–50°C, 70% R.H. up to 35°C. Derate 3% R.H./°C, 35°–50°C.

Storage: –25°C to 65°C.

ACCESSORIES SUPPLIED: Test Leads, USB Cable, Ethernet/TSP Cable, Interlock Adapter, Power Cord, Quick Start Guide, CD User's Manual.

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SourceMeter[®] SMU Instruments



- Five instruments in one (IV Source, IVR Measure)
- Seven models: 20–100W DC, 1000W pulsed, 1100V to 1µV, 10A to 10pA
- Source and sink (4-quadrant) operation
- 0.012% basic measure accuracy with 6½-digit resolution
- 2-, 4-, and 6-wire remote V-source and measure sensing
- 1700 readings/second at 4½ digits via GPIB
- Pass/Fail comparator for fast sorting/binning
- Available high speed sense lead contact check function
- Programmable DIO port for automation/handler/prober control (except Model 2401)
- Standard SCPI GPIB, RS-232 and Keithley Trigger Link interfaces
- Keithley LabTracer 2.0 I-V curve tracing application software (download)

Keithley's Series 2400 Source Measure Unit (SMU) Instruments are designed specifically for test applications that demand tightly coupled sourcing and measurement. All SourceMeter models provide precision voltage and current sourcing as well as measurement capabilities. Each SourceMeter SMU instrument is both a highly stable DC power source and a true instrument-grade 6½-digit multimeter. The power source characteristics include low noise, precision, and readback. The multimeter capabilities include high repeatability and low noise. The result is a compact, single-channel, DC parametric tester. In operation, these instruments can act as a voltage source, a current source, a voltage meter, a current meter, and an ohmmeter. Manufacturers of components and modules for the communications, semiconductor, computer, automotive, and medical industries will find the SourceMeter SMU instruments invaluable for a wide range of characterization and production test applications.

Advantages of a Tightly Integrated Instrument

By linking source and measurement circuitry in a single unit, these instruments offer a variety of advantages over systems configured with separate source and measurement instruments. For example, they minimize the time required for test station development, setup, and maintenance, while lowering the overall cost of system ownership. They simplify the test process itself

by eliminating many of the complex synchronization and connection issues associated with using multiple instruments. And, their compact half-rack size conserves precious "real estate" in the test rack or bench.

Power of Five Instruments in One (IV Source, IVR Measure)

The tightly coupled nature of a SourceMeter SMU instrument provides many advantages over solutions configured from separate instruments, such as a precision power supply and a digital multimeter. For example, it provides faster test times by reducing GPIB traffic and simplifies the remote programming interface. It also protects the device under test from damage due to accidental overloads, thermal runaway, etc. Both the current and voltage source are programmable with readback to help maximize device measurement integrity. If the readback reaches a programmed compliance limit, then the source is clamped at the limit, providing fault protection.

ACCESSORIES AVAILABLE

TEST LEADS AND PROBES

1754	2-Wire Universal 10-Piece Test Lead Kit
5804	Kelvin (4-Wire) Universal 10-Piece Test Lead Kit
5805	Kelvin (4-Wire) Spring-Loaded Probes
5808	Low Cost Single-pin Kelvin Probe Set
5809	Low Cost Kelvin Clip Lead Set
8607	2-Wire, 1000V Banana Cables, 1m (3.3 ft)
CA-18-1	Shielded Dual Banana Cable, 1.2m (4 ft)

SWITCHING HARDWARE

7001	Two-Slot Switch System
7002	Ten-Slot Switch System
7019-C	6-Wire Ohms Switch Card
7053	High-Current Switch Card

CABLES/ADAPTERS

7007-1	Shielded GPIB Cable, 1m (3.3 ft)
7007-2	Shielded GPIB Cable, 2m (6.6 ft)
7009-5	RS-232 Cable
8620	Shorting Plug

COMMUNICATION INTERFACE

KPCI-488LPA	IEEE-488 Interface/Controller for the PCI Bus
KUSB-488B	IEEE-488 USB-to-GPIB Interface Adapter

TRIGGERING AND CONTROL

2499-DIGIO	Digital I/O Expander Assembly (not for Model 2401)
8501-1	Trigger Link Cable, DIN-to-DIN, 1m (3.3 ft)
8501-2	Trigger Link Cable, DIN-to-DIN, 2m (6.6 ft)
8502	Trigger Link to BNC Breakout Box
8503	Trigger Link Cable, DIN-to-Dual BNC, 1m (3.3 ft)
8505	Male to 2-Female Y-DIN Cable for Trigger Link

RACK MOUNT KITS

4288-1	Single Fixed Rack Mount Kit
4288-2	Dual Fixed Rack Mount Kit
4288-4	Dual Fixed Rack Mount Kit
4288-5	Shelf Type Side by Side Rack Mounting Kit
4288-9	Dual Fixed Rack Mounting Kit

SOFTWARE

LabTracer 2.0	Curve Tracing Software (downloadable)
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SMU INSTRUMENTS

Series 2400

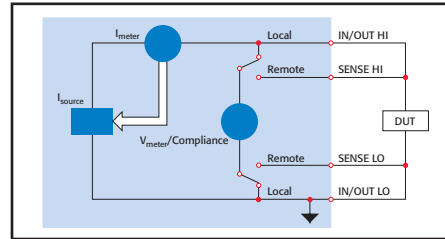
- 2400 200V, 1A, 20W SourceMeter SMU Instrument
- 2400-C 200V, 1A, 20W SourceMeter SMU Instrument with Contact Check
- 2401 20V, 1A, 20W SourceMeter SMU Instrument
- 2410 1100V, 1A, 20W SourceMeter SMU Instrument
- 2410-C 1100V, 1A, 20W SourceMeter SMU Instrument with Contact Check
- 2420 60V, 3A, 60W SourceMeter SMU Instrument
- 2420-C 60V, 3A, 60W SourceMeter SMU Instrument with Contact Check
- 2425 100V, 3A, 100W SourceMeter SMU Instrument
- 2425-C 100V, 3A, 100W SourceMeter SMU Instrument with Contact Check
- 2430 100V, 10A, 1000W Pulse Mode SourceMeter SMU Instrument
- 2430-C 100V, 10A, 1000W Pulse Mode SourceMeter SMU Instrument with Contact Check
- 2440 40V, 5A, 50W SourceMeter SMU Instrument
- 2440-C 40V, 5A, 50W SourceMeter SMU Instrument with Contact Check

Model 8605 Test Leads
 LabVIEW Software Driver (downloadable)
 LabTracer Software (downloadable)

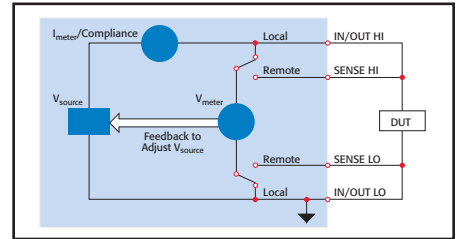
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I-V Characteristics

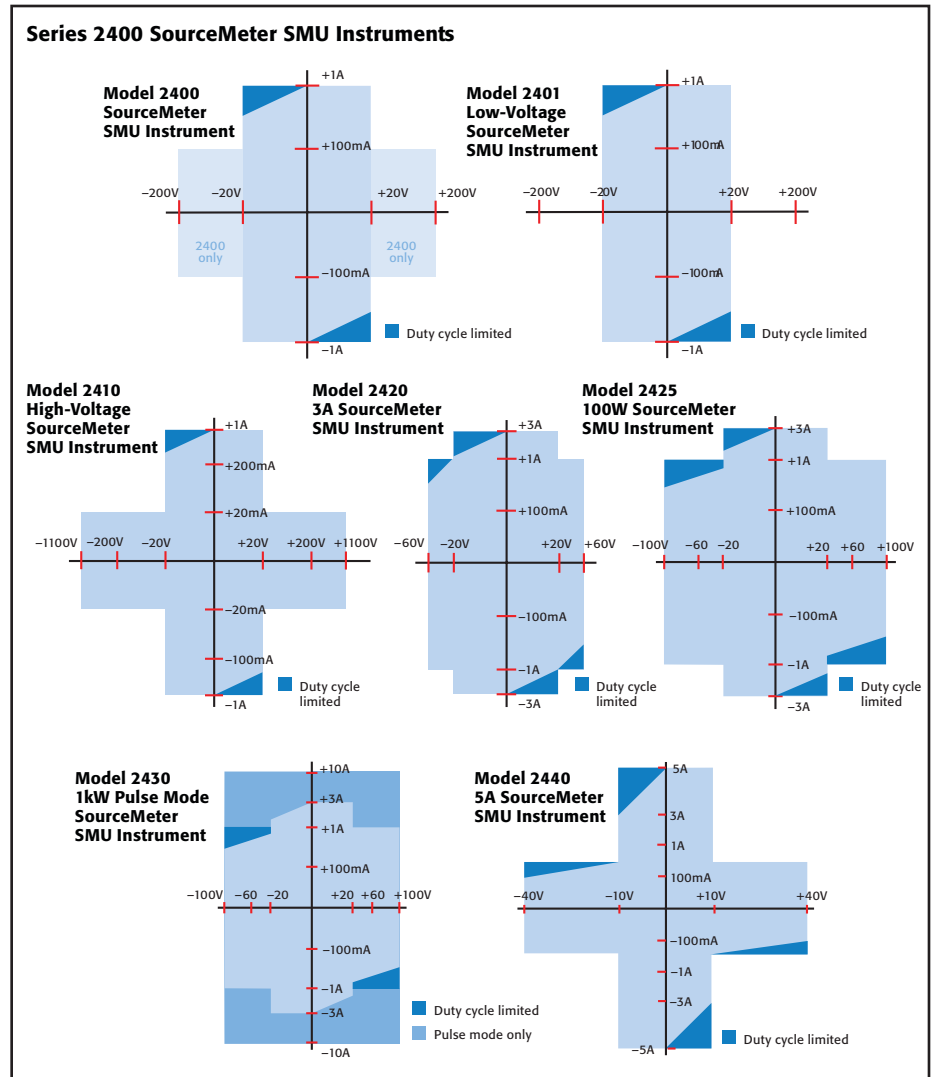
All SourceMeter SMU instruments provide four-quadrant operation. In the first and third quadrants they operate as a source, delivering power to a load. In the second and fourth quadrants they operate as a sink, dissipating power internally. Voltage, current, and resistance can be measured during source or sink operation.



Source I-Measure V, I, or Ω configuration



Source V-Measure I, V, or Ω configuration



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Automation for Speed

A SourceMeter SMU instrument streamlines production testing. It sources voltage or current while making measurements without needing to change connections. It is designed for reliable operation in non-stop production environments. To provide the throughput demanded by production applications, the SourceMeter SMU instrument offers many built-in features that allow it to run complex test sequences without computer control or GPIB communications slowing things down.

Standard and Custom Sweeps

Sweep solutions greatly accelerate testing with automation hooks. Three basic sweep waveforms are provided that can be programmed for single-event or continuous operation. They are ideal for I/V, I/R, V/I, and V/R characterization.

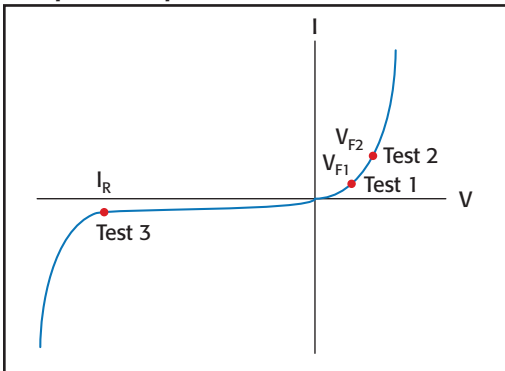
- **Linear Staircase Sweep:** Moves from the start level to the stop level in equal linear steps
- **Logarithmic Staircase Sweep:** Done on a log scale with a specified number of steps per decade
- **Custom Sweep:** Allows construction of special sweeps by specifying the number of measurement points and the source level at each point
- Up to 1700 readings/second at 4½ digits to the GPIB bus
- 5000 readings can be stored in the non-volatile buffer memory

Built-In Test Sequencer (Source Memory List)

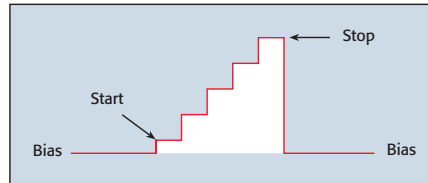
The Source Memory list provides faster and easier testing by allowing you to setup and execute up to 100 different tests that run without PC intervention.

- Stores up to 100 instrument configurations, each containing source settings, measurement settings, pass/fail criteria, etc.
- Pass/fail limit test as fast as 500µs per point
- Onboard comparator eliminates the delay caused when sending data to the computer for analysis
- Built-in, user definable math functions to calculate derived parameters

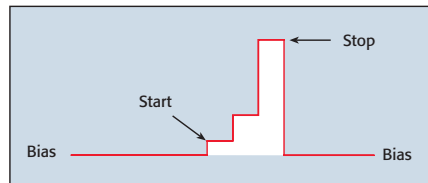
Example Test Sequence



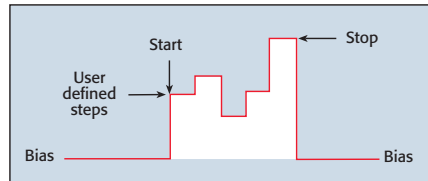
Test	Pass/Fail Test	If Passes Test	If Fails Test
Test 1	Check V_{F1} at 100mA against pass/fail limits	Go to Test 2	1. Bin part to bad bin 2. Transmit data to computer while handler is placing new part 3. Return to Test 1
Test 2	Check V_{F2} at 1A against pass/fail limits	Go to Test 3	
Test 3	Check leakage current at -500V and test against pass/fail limits	1. Bin part to good bin 2. Transmit readings to computer while handler is placing new part 3. Return to Test 1	



Linear staircase sweep



Logarithmic staircase sweep



Custom sweep

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

Devices:

- Discrete semiconductor devices
- Passive devices
- Transient suppression devices
- ICs, RFICs, MMICs
- Laser diodes, laser diode modules, LEDs, photodetectors
- Circuit protection devices: TVS, MOV, Fuses, etc.
- Airbags
- Connectors, switches, relays
- High brightness LEDs (DC and pulse)

Tests:

- Leakage
- Low voltage/resistances
- LIV
- IDDQ
- I-V characterization
- Isolation and trace resistance
- Temperature coefficient
- Forward voltage, reverse breakdown, leakage current
- DC parametric test
- DC power source
- HIPOT
- Photovoltaic cell efficiency (source and sink)
- Dielectric withstanding

Series 2400

SourceMeter® SMU Instruments

Digital I/O Interface

The digital I/O interface can link a SourceMeter SMU instrument to many popular component handlers, including Aetrium, Aeco, and Robotronics. Other capabilities of the interface include:

- Tight systems integration for applications such as binning and sorting
- Built-in component handler interface
- Start of test and end of test signals
- 5V, 300mA power supply
- Optional expander accessory (Model 2499-DIGIO) adds 16 digital I/O lines

The digital I/O interface is available on all Series 2400 SourceMeter instruments except the Model 2401.

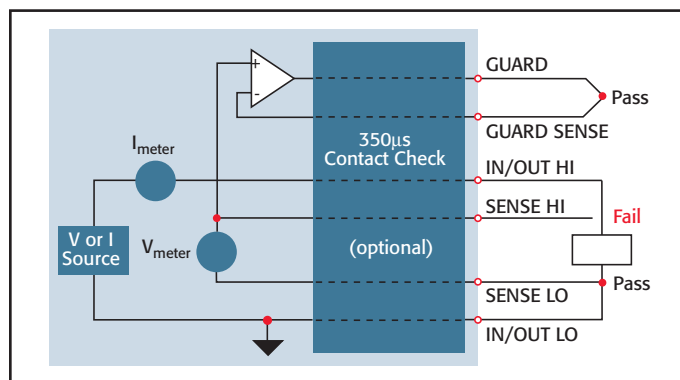
Trigger Link Interface

All SourceMeter SMU instruments include Keithley's unique Trigger Link interface which provides high-speed, seamless communications with many of Keithley's other instruments. For example, use the Trigger Link interface to connect a SourceMeter SMU instrument with a Series 7000 Switching System for a complete multi-point test solution. With Trigger Link, the Series 7000 Switching Systems can be controlled by a SourceMeter SMU instrument during a high-speed test sequence independent of a computer and GPIB.

Optional Contact Check Function

The Contact Check function makes it simple to verify good connections quickly and easily before an automated test sequence begins. This eliminates measurement errors and false product failures associated with contact fatigue, breakage, contamination, loose or broken connection, relay failures, etc. Some capabilities of this function are:

- 350 μ s verification and notification process time
- The output of the SourceMeter SMU instrument is automatically shut off after a fault and is not re-activated until good contact is verified, protecting the device under test from damage and the operator from potential safety hazards.
- 3 pass/fail threshold values: 2 Ω , 15 Ω , and 50 Ω
- No energy passes through the device under test during the operation.
- Enabled either from the front panel or remotely over the GPIB
- 3 fault notification methods

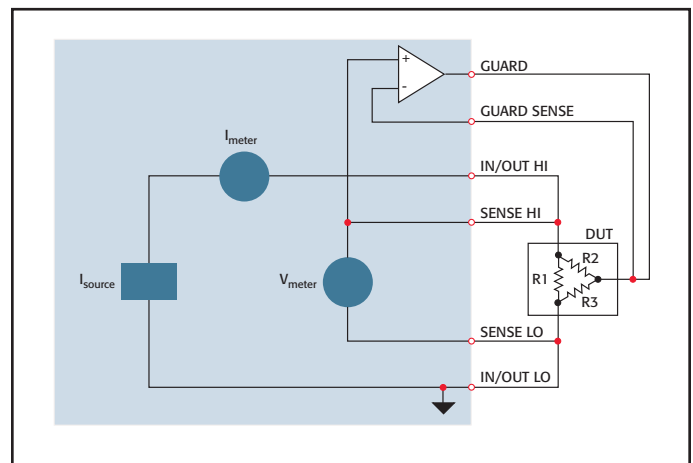


Contact check option for 4-wire or 6-wire applications

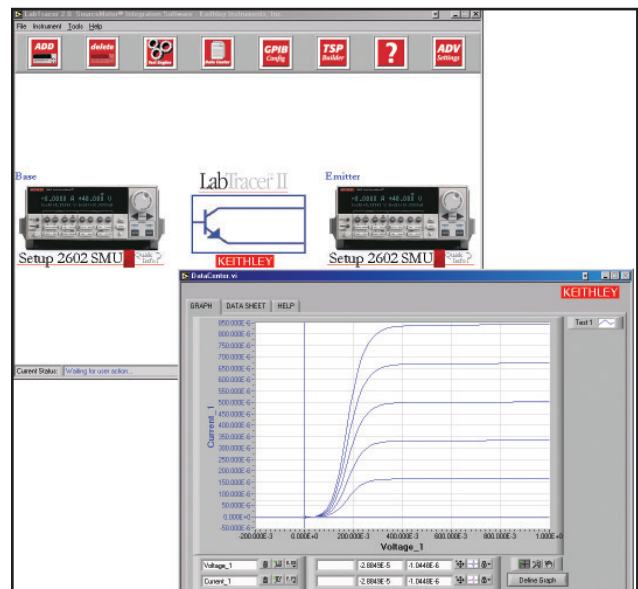
Unique 6-Wire Ohms Technique

SourceMeter SMU instruments can make standard 4-wire, split Kelvin, and 6-wire, guarded ohms measurements and can be configured for either the constant current or constant voltage method. The 6-wire ohms technique:

- Uses guard and guard sense leads in addition to the 4-wire sense and source leads.
- Locks out parallel current paths when measuring resistor networks or hybrid circuits to isolate the component under test.
- Allows users to configure and plot data easily from Series 2400 SourceMeter SMU instruments, making characterization of two, three, and four terminal devices a snap.



6-Wire Ohms Circuit. All test current flows through R1 because the high current guard drives the voltage across R2 to 0V.



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Voltage Accuracy (Local or Remote Sense)

Model	Range	Programming Resolution	Source ¹ Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ±5°C ±(% rdg. + volts)	Default Measurement Resolution	Measurement ^{2,3,4} Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ±5°C ±(% rdg. + volts)	Output Slew Rate (±30%)	Source/Sink Limit
2400, 2400-C, 2401	200.000 mV	5 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	1 μV	0.012% + 300 μV		
	2.00000 V	50 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	10 μV	0.012% + 300 μV		±21 V @ ±1.05 A
	20.0000 V	500 μV	0.02% + 2.4 mV	100 μV	0.015% + 1.5 mV	0.08 V/μs	±210 V @ ±105 mA*
	200.000 V*	5 mV	0.02% + 24 mV	1 mV	0.015% + 10 mV	0.5 V/μs	
2410, 2410-C	200.000 mV	5 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	1 μV	0.012% + 300 μV		
	2.00000 V	50 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	10 μV	0.012% + 300 μV		±21 V @ ±1.05 A
	20.0000 V	500 μV	0.02% + 2.4 mV	100 μV	0.015% + 1 mV	0.15 V/μs	±1100 V @ ±21 mA
	1000.00 V	50 mV	0.02% + 100 mV	10 mV	0.015% + 50 mV	0.5 V/μs	
2420, 2420-C	200.000 mV	5 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	1 μV	0.012% + 300 μV		
	2.00000 V	50 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	10 μV	0.012% + 300 μV		±21 V @ ±3.15 A
	20.0000 V	500 μV	0.02% + 2.4 mV	100 μV	0.015% + 1 mV	0.08 V/μs	±63 V @ ±1.05 A
	60.0000 V	1.5 mV	0.02% + 7.2 mV	1 mV	0.015% + 3 mV	0.14 V/μs	
2425, 2425-C	200.000 mV	5 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	1 μV	0.012% + 300 μV		
	2.00000 V	50 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	10 μV	0.012% + 300 μV		±21 V @ ±3.15 A
	20.0000 V	500 μV	0.02% + 2.4 mV	100 μV	0.015% + 1 mV	0.08 V/μs	±105 V @ ±1.05 A
	100.0000 V	2.5 mV	0.02% + 12 mV	1 mV	0.015% + 5 mV	0.25 V/μs	
2430, 2430-C	200.000 mV	5 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	1 μV	0.012% + 300 μV		±105 V @ ±1.05 A
	2.00000 V	50 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	10 μV	0.012% + 300 μV		±105 V @ ±10.5 A
	20.0000 V	500 μV	0.02% + 2.4 mV	100 μV	0.015% + 1 mV	0.08 V/μs	(pulse mode only)
	100.0000 V	2.5 mV	0.02% + 12 mV	1 mV	0.015% + 5 mV	0.25 V/μs	
2440, 2440-C	200.000 mV	5 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	1 μV	0.012% + 300 μV		
	2.00000 V	50 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	10 μV	0.012% + 300 μV		±10.5 V @ ±5.25 A
	10.0000 V	500 μV	0.02% + 1.2 mV	100 μV	0.015% + 750 μV	0.08 V/μs	±42 V @ ±1.05 A
	40.0000 V	5 mV	0.02% + 4.8 mV	1 mV	0.015% + 3 mV	0.25 V/μs	

*Not available on Model 2401.

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C): ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C.

VOLTAGE REGULATION: **Line:** 0.01% of range. **Load:** 0.01% of range + 100μV.

OVER VOLTAGE PROTECTION: User selectable values, 5% tolerance. Factory default = none.

CURRENT LIMIT: Bipolar current limit (compliance) set with single value. Min. 0.1% of range.

OVERSHOOT: <0.1% typical (full scale step, resistive load, 10mA range).

ADDITIONAL SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS (All Models)

TRANSIENT RESPONSE TIME: 30μs minimum for the output to recover to its spec. following a step change in load.

COMMAND PROCESSING TIME: Maximum time required for the output to begin to change following the receipt of .SOURce:VOLTage|CURRent <nrf> command. **Autorange On:** 10ms. **Autorange Off:** 7ms.

OUTPUT SETTLING TIME: Time required to reach 0.1% of final value after command is processed. 100μs typical. Resistive load. 10μA to 100mA range.

DC FLOATING VOLTAGE: Output can be floated up to ±250VDC (Model 2440 ±40VDC) from chassis ground.

REMOTE SENSE: Up to 1V drop per load lead.

COMPLIANCE ACCURACY: Add 0.3% of range and ±0.02% of reading to base specification.

OVER TEMPERATURE PROTECTION: Internally sensed temperature overload puts unit in stand-by mode.

RANGE CHANGE OVERSHOOT: Overshoot into a fully resistive 100kΩ load, 10Hz to 1MHz BW, adjacent ranges: 100mV typical, except 20V/200V (20V/60V on Model 2420), 20V/100V on Model 2425 and 2430, range boundary, and Model 2440.

MINIMUM COMPLIANCE VALUE: 0.1% of range.

ADDITIONAL PULSE MODE SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS (2430 and 2430-C only)

MAXIMUM DUTY CYCLE: 8%, hardware limited, 10A range only. All other ranges 100%.

MAXIMUM PULSE WIDTH: 5ms from 90% rising to 90% falling edge, 2.5ms 10A range.

MINIMUM PULSE WIDTH: 150μs.

MINIMUM PULSE RESOLUTION: 50μs typical, 70μs max., limited by system jitter.

SOURCE ACCURACY: Determined by settling time and source range specifications.

OUTPUT SETTLING TIME 0.1%:

800μs typ., source I = 10A into 10Ω, limited by voltage slew rate.

500μs typ., source I = 10A into 1Ω, limited by voltage slew rate.

OUTPUT SLEW RATE:

Voltage (10Ω load): 0.25V/μs ±30% on 100V range. 0.08V/μs ±30% on 20V range, 10A range.

Current (0Ω load): 0.25A/μs ±30% on 100V range. 0.08A/μs ±30% on 20V range, 10A range.

NOTES

- 2400, 2401, 2410 Only: Specifications valid for continuous output currents below 105mA. For operation above 105mA continuous for >1 minute, derate accuracy 10%/35mA above 105mA.
- Speed = Normal (1 PLC). For 0.1 PLC, add 0.005% of range to offset specifications, except 200mV, 1A, 10A ranges, add 0.05%. For 0.01 PLC, add 0.05% of range to offset specifications, except 200mV, 1A, 10A ranges, add 0.5%.
- Accuracies apply to 2- or 4-wire mode when properly zeroed.
- In pulse mode, limited to 0.1 PLC measurement.

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Current Accuracy (Local or Remote Sense)

Model	Range	Programming Resolution	Source ^{1,3} Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ±5°C ±(% rdg. + amps)	Default Measurement Resolution	Measurement ^{5,6,7} Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ±5°C ±(% rdg. + amps)	Source/Sink Limit
2400, 2400-C, 2401	1.00000 µA	50 pA	0.035% + 600 pA	10 pA	0.029% + 300 pA	±1.05A @ ±21 V ±105 mA @ ±210 V ⁸
	10.0000 µA	500 pA	0.033% + 2 nA	100 pA	0.027% + 700 pA	
	100.000 µA	5 nA	0.031% + 20 nA	1 nA	0.025% + 6 nA	
	1.00000 mA	50 nA	0.034% + 200 nA	10 nA	0.027% + 60 nA	
	10.0000 mA	500 nA	0.045% + 2 µA	100 nA	0.035% + 600 nA	
	100.000 mA	5 µA	0.066% + 20 µA	1 µA	0.055% + 6 µA	
	1.00000 A ²	50 µA	0.27 % + 900 µA	10 µA	0.22 % + 570 µA	
2410, 2410-C	1.00000 µA	50 pA	0.035% + 600 pA	10 pA	0.029% + 300 pA	±1.05A @ ±21 V ±21 mA @ ±1100 V
	10.0000 µA	500 pA	0.033% + 2 nA	100 pA	0.027% + 700 pA	
	100.000 µA	5 nA	0.031% + 20 nA	1 nA	0.025% + 6 nA	
	1.00000 mA	50 nA	0.034% + 200 nA	10 nA	0.027% + 60 nA	
	10.0000 mA	500 nA	0.045% + 4 µA	100 nA	0.035% + 1.2 µA	
	100.000 mA	5 µA	0.066% + 20 µA	1 µA	0.055% + 6 µA	
	1.00000 A ²	50 µA	0.27 % + 900 µA	10 µA	0.22 % + 570 µA	
2420, 2420-C	10.0000 µA	500 pA	0.033% + 2 nA	100 pA	0.027% + 700 pA	±3.15A @ ±21 V ±1.05 A @ ±63 V
	100.000 µA	5 nA	0.031% + 20 nA	1 nA	0.025% + 6 nA	
	1.00000 mA	50 nA	0.034% + 200 nA	10 nA	0.027% + 60 nA	
	10.0000 mA	500 nA	0.045% + 2 µA	100 nA	0.035% + 600 nA	
	100.000 mA	5 µA	0.066% + 20 µA	1 µA	0.055% + 6 µA	
	1.00000 A ²	50 µA	0.067% + 900 µA	10 µA	0.066% + 570 µA	
	3.00000 A ²	50 µA	0.059% + 2.7 mA	10 µA	0.052% + 1.71 mA	
2425, 2425-C	10.0000 µA	500 pA	0.033% + 2 nA	100 pA	0.027% + 700 pA	±3.15A @ ±21 V ±1.05 A @ ±105 V
	100.000 µA	5 nA	0.031% + 20 nA	1 nA	0.025% + 6 nA	
	1.00000 mA	50 nA	0.034% + 200 nA	10 nA	0.027% + 60 nA	
	10.0000 mA	500 nA	0.045% + 2 µA	100 nA	0.035% + 600 nA	
	100.000 mA	5 µA	0.066% + 20 µA	1 µA	0.055% + 6 µA	
	1.00000 A ²	50 µA	0.067% + 900 µA	10 µA	0.060% + 570 µA	
	3.00000 A ²	50 µA	0.059% + 2.8 mA	10 µA	0.052% + 1.71 mA	
2430, 2430-C	10.0000 µA	500 pA	0.033% + 2 nA	100 pA	0.027% + 700 pA	±1.05A @ ±105 V ±10.5 A @ ±105 V (pulse mode only)
	100.000 µA	5 nA	0.031% + 20 nA	1 nA	0.025% + 6 nA	
	1.00000 mA	50 nA	0.034% + 200 nA	10 nA	0.027% + 60 nA	
	10.0000 mA	500 nA	0.045% + 2 µA	100 nA	0.035% + 600 nA	
	100.000 mA	5 µA	0.066% + 20 µA	1 µA	0.055% + 6 µA	
	1.00000 A	50 µA	0.067% + 900 µA	10 µA	0.060% + 570 µA	
	3.00000 A ²	500 µA	0.059% + 2.8 mA	10 µA	0.052% + 1.71 mA	
	10.00000 A ⁴	500 µA	0.089% + 5.9 mA	10 µA	0.082% + 1.71 mA	
2440, 2440-C	10.0000 µA	500 pA	0.033% + 2 nA	100 pA	0.027% + 700 pA	±5.25A @ ±10.5 V ±1.05 A @ ±42 V
	100.000 µA	5 nA	0.031% + 20 nA	1 nA	0.025% + 6 nA	
	1.00000 mA	50 nA	0.034% + 200 nA	10 nA	0.027% + 60 nA	
	10.0000 mA	500 nA	0.045% + 2 µA	100 nA	0.035% + 600 nA	
	100.000 mA	5 µA	0.066% + 20 µA	1 µA	0.055% + 6 µA	
	1.00000 A	50 µA	0.067% + 900 µA	10 µA	0.060% + 570 µA	
	5.00000 A	50 µA	0.10 % + 5.4 mA	10 µA	0.10 % + 3.42 mA	

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C): ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C.

CURRENT REGULATION: Line: 0.01% of range. Load: 0.01% of range (except Model 2440 5A range 0.05%) + 100pA.

VOLTAGE LIMIT: Bipolar voltage limit (compliance) set with single value. Min. 0.1% of range.

OVERSHOOT: <0.1% typical (1mA step, RL = 10kΩ, 20V range for Model 2400, 2401, 2410, 2420, 2425, 2430), (10V range for Model 2440).

CONTACT CHECK SPECIFICATIONS (requires -C version)

(Not available for Model 2401)

SPEED: 350µs for verification and notification.

CONTACT CHECK:	2 Ω	15 Ω	50 Ω
No contact check failure	<1.00 Ω	<13.5 Ω	<47.5 Ω
Always contact check failure	>3.00 Ω	>16.5 Ω	>52.5 Ω

NOTES

- 2400, 2401, 2410 Only: Specifications valid for continuous output currents below 105mA. For operation above 105mA continuous for >1 minute, derate accuracy 10%/35mA above 105mA.
- Full operation (1A) regardless of load to 30°C (50°C for Model 2420 and 2440). Above 30°C (50°C for Model 2420 and 2440) ambient, derate 35mA/°C and prorata 35mA/Ω load. 4-wire mode. For current sink operation on 1A, 3A, or 5A ranges, maximum continuous power is limited to approximately 1/2 rated power or less, depending on current, up to 30°C ambient. See power equations in the User's Manual to calculate allowable duty cycle for specific conditions.
- For sink mode, 1µA to 100mA range, accuracy is:
Model 2400, 2401: ±(0.15% + offset*4). Models 2410, 2420, 2425, 2430, 2440: ±(0.5% + offset*3).
For 1A range, accuracy is:
Model 2400, 2401: ±(1.5% + offset*8). Models 2410, 2420, 2425, 2430, 2440: ±(1.5% + offset*3).
- 10A range only in pulse mode. Limited to 2.5ms pulse width maximum. 10% duty cycle maximum.
- Speed = Normal (1 PLC). For 0.1 PLC, add 0.005% of range to offset specifications, except 200mV, 1A, 10A ranges, add 0.05%. For 0.01 PLC, add 0.05% of range to offset specifications, except 200mV, 1A, 10A ranges, add 0.5%.
- Accuracies apply to 2- or 4-wire mode when properly zeroed.
- In pulse mode, limited to 0.1 PLC measurement.
- Model 2400 and 2400-C only.

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Resistance Measurement Accuracy (Local or Remote Sense)^{1, 2, 5}

Range	Default Resolution	Default Test Current 2400, 2401, 2410	Default Test Current 2420, 2425, 2430, 2440	Normal Accuracy (23°C ±5°C) 1 Year, ±(% rdg. + ohms)			Enhanced Accuracy (23°C ±5°C) ⁴ 1 Year, ±(% rdg. + ohms)
				2400, 2401	2410	2420, 2425, 2430, 2440	2400, 2401
<0.20000 Ω ³	–	–	–	Source I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}	Source I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}	Source I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}	Source I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}
2.00000 Ω ³	10 μΩ	–	1 A	Source I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}	Source I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}	0.17% + 0.0003Ω	Source I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}
20.0000 Ω	100 μΩ	100 mA	100 mA	0.10% + 0.003 Ω	0.11% + 0.006 Ω	0.10% + 0.003 Ω	0.07% + 0.001 Ω
200.000 Ω	1 mΩ	10 mA	10 mA	0.08% + 0.03 Ω	0.09% + 0.1 Ω	0.08% + 0.03 Ω	0.05% + 0.01 Ω
2.00000 kΩ	10 mΩ	1 mA	1 mA	0.07% + 0.3 Ω	0.08% + 0.6 Ω	0.07% + 0.3 Ω	0.05% + 0.1 Ω
20.0000 kΩ	100 mΩ	100 μA	100 μA	0.06% + 3 Ω	0.07% + 6 Ω	0.06% + 3 Ω	0.04% + 1 Ω
200.000 kΩ	1 Ω	10 μA	10 μA	0.07% + 30 Ω	0.07% + 60 Ω	0.07% + 30 Ω	0.05% + 10 Ω
2.00000 MΩ ⁶	10 Ω	1 μA	1 μA	0.11% + 300 Ω	0.12% + 600 Ω	0.11% + 300 Ω	0.05% + 100 Ω
20.0000 MΩ ⁷	100 Ω	1 μA	1 μA	0.11% + 1 kΩ	0.12% + 2.4 kΩ	0.11% + 1 kΩ	0.05% + 500 Ω
200.000 MΩ ³	1 kΩ	100 nA	–	0.66% + 10 kΩ	0.66% + 24 kΩ	Source I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}	0.35% + 5 kΩ
>200.000 MΩ ³	–	–	–	Source I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}	Source I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}	Source I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}	Source I _{ACC} + Meas. V _{ACC}

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–50°C): ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C.

SOURCE I MODE, MANUAL OHMS: Total uncertainty = I source accuracy + V measure accuracy (4-wire remote sense).

SOURCE V MODE, MANUAL OHMS: Total uncertainty = V source accuracy + I measure accuracy (4-wire remote sense).

6-WIRE OHMS MODE: Available using active ohms guard and guard sense. Max. Guard Output Current: 50mA (except 1A range). Accuracy is load dependent. Refer to White Paper no. 2033 for calculation formula.

GUARD OUTPUT IMPEDANCE: <0.1Ω in ohms mode.

NOTES

- Speed = Normal (1 PLC). For 0.1 PLC, add 0.005% of range to offset specifications, except 200mV, 1A, 10A ranges, add 0.05%. For 0.01 PLC, add 0.05% of range to offset specifications, except 200mV, 1A, 10A ranges, add 0.5%.
- Accuracies apply to 2- or 4-wire mode when properly zeroed.
- Manual ohms only – except 2420, 2425, 2430, 2440 for 2Ω range and 2400, 2401, or 2410 for 200MΩ range.
- Source readback enabled, offset compensation ON. Also available on 2410, 2420, 2425, 2430, and 2440 with similar accuracy enhancement.
- In pulse mode, limited to 0.1 PLC measurement.
- Except 2440; default test current is 5μA.
- Except 2440; default test current is 0.5μA.

SERVICES AVAILABLE

2400-3Y-EW	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
2400-C-3Y-EW	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
2401-3Y-EW	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
2410-3Y-EW	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
2410-C-3Y-EW	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
2420-3Y-EW	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
2420-C-3Y-EW	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
2425-3Y-EW	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
2425-C-3Y-EW	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
2430-3Y-EW	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
2430-C-3Y-EW	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
2440-3Y-EW	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
2440-C-3Y-EW	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
C/2400-3Y-ISO	3 (ISO-17025 accredited) calibrations within 3 years of purchase for Models 2400, 2400-C, 2400-IV*
C/2401-3Y-ISO	3 (ISO-17025 accredited) calibrations within 3 years of purchase for Model 2401*
C/2410-3Y-ISO	3 (ISO-17025 accredited) calibrations within 3 years of purchase for Models 2410, 2410-C*
C/2420-3Y-ISO	3 (ISO-17025 accredited) calibrations within 3 years of purchase for Models 2420, 2420-C*
C/2425-3Y-ISO	3 (ISO-17025 accredited) calibrations within 3 years of purchase for Models 2425, 2425-C*
C/2430-3Y-ISO	3 (ISO-17025 accredited) calibrations within 3 years of purchase for Models 2430, 2430-C*
C/2440-3Y-ISO	3 (ISO-17025 accredited) calibrations within 3 years of purchase for Models 2440, 2440-C*
TRN-2400-1-C	Course: Unleashing the Power of Your SourceMeter SMU Instrument

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System Speeds

MEASUREMENT¹

MAXIMUM RANGE CHANGE RATE: 75/second.

MAXIMUM MEASURE AUTORANGE TIME: 40ms (fixed source).²

Sweep Operation³ Reading Rates (rdg./second) for 60Hz (50Hz):

Speed	NPLC/Trigger Origin	Measure		Source-Measure		Source-Measure ⁵ Pass/Fail Test ^{4, 5}		Source-Memory ⁴	
		To Mem.	To GPIB	To Mem.	To GPIB	To Mem.	To GPIB	To Mem.	To GPIB
Fast	0.01 / internal	2081 (2030)	1754	1551 (1515)	1369	902 (900)	981	165 (162)	165
IEEE-488.1 Mode	0.01 / external	1239 (1200)	1254	1018 (990)	1035	830 (830)	886	163 (160)	163
Fast	0.01 / internal	2081 (2030)	1198 (1210)	1551 (1515)	1000 (900)	902 (900)	809 (840)	165 (162)	164 (162)
IEEE-488.2 Mode	0.01 / external	1239 (1200)	1079 (1050)	1018 (990)	916 (835)	830 (830)	756 (780)	163 (160)	162 (160)
Medium	0.10 / internal	510 (433)	509 (433)	470 (405)	470 (410)	389 (343)	388 (343)	133 (126)	132 (126)
IEEE-488.2 Mode	0.10 / external	438 (380)	438 (380)	409 (360)	409 (365)	374 (333)	374 (333)	131 (125)	131 (125)
Normal	1.00 / internal	59 (49)	59 (49)	58 (48)	58 (48)	56 (47)	56 (47)	44 (38)	44 (38)
IEEE-488.2 Mode	1.00 / external	57 (48)	57 (48)	57 (48)	57 (47)	56 (47)	56 (47)	44 (38)	44 (38)

Single Reading Operation Reading Rates (rdg./second) for 60Hz (50Hz):

Speed	NPLC/Trigger Origin	Measure To GPIB	Source-Measure ⁵ To GPIB	Source-Measure Pass/Fail Test ^{5, 7} To GPIB
Fast (488.1)	0.01 / internal	537	140	135
Fast (488.2)	0.01 / internal	256 (256)	79 (83)	79 (83)
Medium (488.2)	0.10 / internal	167 (166)	72 (70)	69 (70)
Normal (488.2)	1.00 / internal	49 (42)	34 (31)	35 (30)

Component for 60Hz (50Hz):^{4, 6}

Speed	NPLC/Trigger Origin	Measure To GPIB	Source Pass/Fail Test	Source-Measure Pass/Fail Test ^{5, 7} To GPIB
Fast	0.01 / external	1.04 ms (1.08 ms)	0.5 ms (0.5 ms)	4.82 ms (5.3 ms)
Medium	0.10 / external	2.55 ms (2.9 ms)	0.5 ms (0.5 ms)	6.27 ms (7.1 ms)
Normal	1.00 / external	17.53 ms (20.9 ms)	0.5 ms (0.5 ms)	21.31 ms (25.0 ms)

NOTES

¹ Reading rates applicable for voltage or current measurements. Auto zero off, autorange off, filter off, display off, trigger delay = 0, and binary reading format.

² Purely resistive load. 1 μ A and 10 μ A ranges <65ms.

³ 1000 point sweep was characterized with the source on a fixed range.

⁴ Pass/Fail test performed using one high limit and one low math limit.

⁵ Includes time to re-program source to a new level before making measurement.

⁶ Time from falling edge of START OF TEST signal to falling edge of END OF TEST signal.

⁷ Command processing time of :SOURce:VOLTage|CURRent:TRIGgered <nrf> command not included.

GENERAL

Noise Rejection:

	NPLC	NMRR	CMRR
Fast	0.01	—	80 dB
Medium	0.1	—	80 dB
Slow	1	60 dB	100 dB ¹

¹ Except lowest 2 current ranges = 90dB.

LOAD IMPEDANCE: Stable into 20,000pF typical.

COMMON MODE VOLTAGE: 250V DC (40V DC for Model 2440).

COMMON MODE ISOLATION: >10 Ω , <1000pF.

OVERRANGE: 105% of range, source and measure.

MAX. VOLTAGE DROP BETWEEN INPUT/OUTPUT AND SENSE TERMINALS: 5V.

MAX. SENSE LEAD RESISTANCE: 1M Ω for rated accuracy.

SENSE INPUT IMPEDANCE: >10 Ω .

GUARD OFFSET VOLTAGE: <150 μ V, typical (300 μ V for Models 2430, 2440).

SOURCE OUTPUT MODES:

- Pulse (Model 2430 only)
- Fixed DC level
- Memory List (mixed function)
- Stair (linear and log)

MEMORY BUFFER: 5,000 readings @ 5 digits (two 2,500 point buffers). Includes selected measured value(s) and time stamp. Lithium battery backup (3 yr+ battery life).

SOURCE MEMORY LIST: 100 points max.

PROGRAMMABILITY: IEEE-488 (SCPI-1995.0), RS-232, 5 user-definable power-up states plus factory default and *RST.

DIGITAL INTERFACE:

Interlock: Active low input.

Handler Interface: Start of test, end of test, 3 category bits. +5V@ 300mA supply.

Not available on Model 2401.

Digital I/O: 1 trigger input, 4 TTL/Relay Drive outputs (33V @ 500mA, diode clamped).

Not available on Model 2401.

POWER SUPPLY: 100V to 240V rms, 50–60Hz (automatically detected at power up). **Model 2400, 2401:** 190VA. **Model 2410:** 210VA. **Model 2420:** 220VA. **Model 2425, 2430:** 250VA. **Model 2440:** 240VA.

COOLING: Model 2401: Convection. **Model 2410, 2420, 2425, 2430, 2440:** Forced air, variable speed.

EMC: Conforms to European Union Directive 89/336/EEC, EN 61326-1.

SAFETY: UL listed to UL 61010B-1:2003; Conforms to European Union Low Voltage Directive.

VIBRATION: MIL-PRF-28800F Class 3 Random.

WARM-UP: 1 hour to rated accuracies.

DIMENSIONS: 89mm high \times 213mm wide \times 370mm deep (3 $\frac{1}{2}$ in \times 8 $\frac{3}{8}$ in \times 14 $\frac{1}{8}$ in). **Bench Configuration (with handle and feet):** 104mm high \times 238mm wide \times 370mm deep (4 $\frac{1}{8}$ in \times 9 $\frac{3}{8}$ in \times 14 $\frac{1}{8}$ in).

WEIGHT: 3.21kg (7.08 lbs) (Model 2425, 2430, 2440: 4.1kg, 9.0 lbs).

ENVIRONMENT: Operating: 0 $^{\circ}$ –50 $^{\circ}$ C, 70% R.H. up to 35 $^{\circ}$ C. Derate 3% R.H./ $^{\circ}$ C, 35 $^{\circ}$ –50 $^{\circ}$ C.

Storage: –25 $^{\circ}$ C to 65 $^{\circ}$ C.

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Sub-femtoamp Remote SourceMeter[®] SMU Instrument



- **0.4fA p-p (4E-16A) noise (typical)**
- **Remote PreAmp can be located at the signal source to minimize cable noise**
- **>10¹⁶Ω input resistance on voltage measurements**
- **High speed – up to 2000 readings/second**
- **Up to 6½-digit resolution**
- **Fast characterization of components with programmable digital I/O and interfaces**

measure readings per second into internal memory. Currents can be measured in as little as 5ms on the 100nA range, decreasing to just a few hundred microseconds on the higher ranges.

The Model 6430's distinguishing features include its excellent low current sensitivity and the Remote PreAmp, which makes this sensitivity useful by eliminating long input cables. The Remote PreAmp is an integral part of the Model 6430's feedback measuring system that cannot be operated independently from the measurement mainframe, although it can be separated from the mainframe by up to two meters of connection cable carrying high level signals.

Applications

The Model 6430's capabilities make it equally useful for research work and for evaluating sophisticated components in test labs for low-current, high-resistance, or sensitive semiconductor measurements. The low noise and drift performance of the Model 6430 also makes it well suited for research studies in single electron devices, highly resistive nanowires and nanotubes, polymers, highly resistive nanomaterials, and electrochemical amperometry applications.

High Speed Data Handling

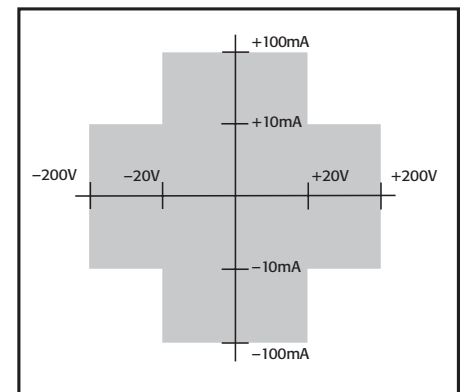
The Model 6430 can read more than 2000 readings per second into its internal memory buffer. The IEEE-488 bus output can transmit up to 75 source/measure readings per second to an external computer controller, including pass/fail indication.

The Model 6430 Sub-Femtoamp Remote SourceMeter SMU Instrument combines the voltage and current sourcing and measurement functions of Keithley's popular SourceMeter SMU instruments with sensitivity, noise, and input resistance specifications superior to electrometers. This unique combination of broad functionality and exceptional measurement integrity is made possible by the Model 6430's Remote PreAmp, which offers a very sensitive bi-directional amplifier with sensitive feedback elements for measuring or sourcing currents at the device being tested. The high level signals output by the Remote PreAmp are sent to the controlling mainframe via a two-meter cable. This allows the user to make a direct or very short connection to the signal, minimizing the effects of cable noise.

The Model 6430 makes voltage, current, and resistance measurements at speeds no electrometer can match. It can read up to 2000 source/

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The Model 6430 provides four-quadrant sourcing of up to 2.2W, as well as measurement sensitivity down to sub-femtoamp and microvolt levels. It can measure currents from the 1pA range (with just 0.4fA p-p noise typical) up to the 100mA range at up to 20V. Voltage ranges from 200mV to 200V are available. Current and voltage range settings define the maximum source or sink voltage or current.

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SMU INSTRUMENTS

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Sub-Femtoamp Remote SourceMeter® SMU Instrument

Ordering Information

6430 Sub-femtoamp Remote SourceMeter SMU Instrument

Accessories Supplied

- 6430-322-1B** Low Noise Triax Cable, 3-slot triax to alligator clips, 20cm (8 in)
- 8607** Safety High Voltage Dual Test Leads
- CA-176-1E** PreAmp Cable, 2m (6.6 ft)
- CA-186-1B** Banana Lead to Screw Terminal Adapter
- CAP-31** 3-lug Protective Cap (2)

Instruction Manual

7007-1	Shielded GPIB Cable, 1m (3.3 ft)
7007-2	Shielded GPIB Cable, 2m (6.6 ft)
7007-4	Shielded GPIB Cable, 4m (13.1 ft)
7007-05	Shielded GPIB Cable, 0.5m (1.6 ft)
7078-TRX-6IN	3-slot, Low Noise, 0.15m (0.5 ft) Guarded Triax Cable
8501-1	Trigger Link Cable, 1m (3.3 ft)
8501-2	Trigger Link Cable, 2m (6.6 ft)
8502	Trigger Link Adapter Box
8503	Trigger Link DIN-to-BNC Trigger Cable
KPCI-488LPA	IEEE-488 Interface/Controller for the PCI Bus
KUSB-488B	IEEE-488 USB-to-GPIB Interface Adapter

SERVICES AVAILABLE

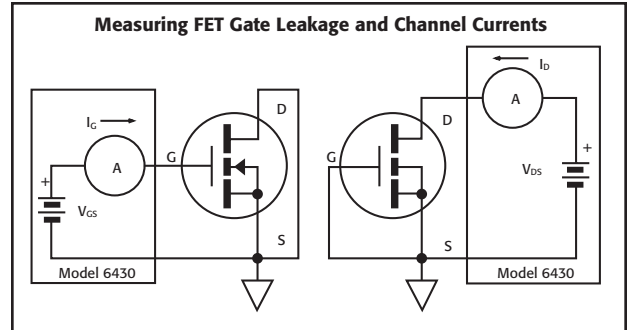
TRN-2400-1-C	Course: Unleashing the Power of Your SourceMeter SMU Instrument
6430-3Y-EW	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
C/6430-3Y-ISO	3 (ISO-17025 accredited) calibrations within 3 years of purchase*

*Not available in all countries

Typical applications:

Semiconductor measurements

Gate leakage or channel leakage in FET-based components can generate errors in MOSFETs, JFETs, analog switches, and many other circuits. By allowing researchers to measure extremely low-level currents and voltages, the Model 6430 can help them understand the design limitations of these components and investigate alternative device structures or materials.

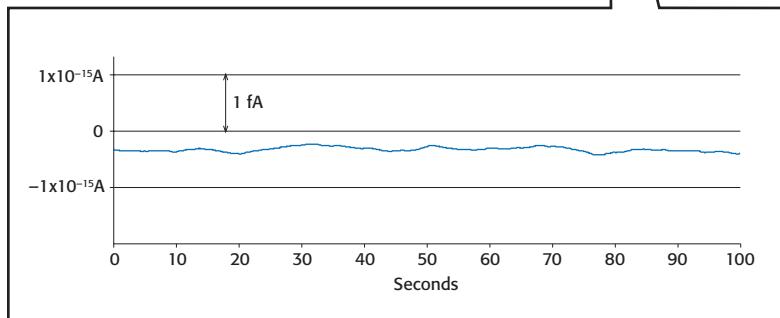
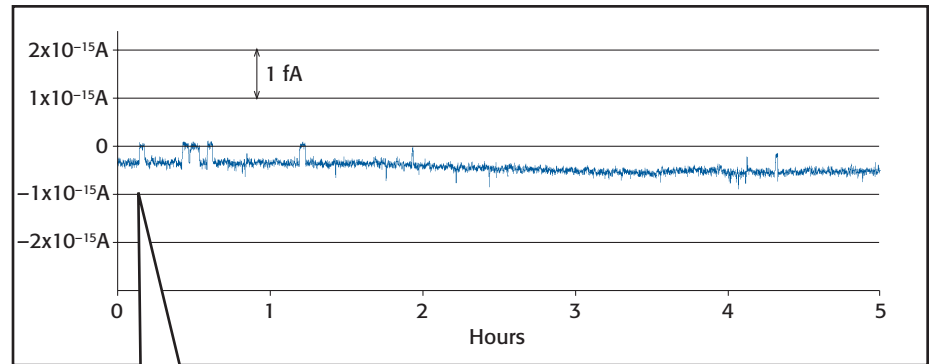


SET research

The Model 6430's superior low current measurement ability (0.4fA p-p noise typical) makes it extremely useful for single electron transistor (SET) and quantum-dot research. Using a technique similar to a lock-in, the 6430 can measure currents with 1aA sensitivity ($10^{-18}A = 6$ electrons/second).

The Measurement Industry's Lowest Noise and Drift

This data illustrates the Model 6430's impressive stability over a five-hour period, as well as its low short-term noise performance. This signal trace was acquired using the instrument's AUTOFILTER with a 5-second rise time on the 1pA range. The inset close-up is a snapshot of the filtered signal, showing the Model 6430's low noise during the first 100-second period. The data was taken in a laboratory environment where temperature varied about 1°C, with the instrument's IN/OUT HI and SENSE leads capped.



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CONDENSED MEASURE SPECIFICATIONS ¹

VOLTAGE MEASUREMENT ACCURACY (4-WIRE SENSE)³

Range	Max. Resolution	Input ² Resistance	Accuracy (23°C ± 5°C) 1 Year, ±(%rdg + volts)
200.000 mV	1 μV	>10 ¹⁶ Ω	0.012% + 350 μV
2.00000 V	10 μV	>10 ¹⁶ Ω	0.012% + 350 μV
20.0000 V	100 μV	>10 ¹⁶ Ω	0.015% + 1.5 mV
200.000 V	1 mV	>10 ¹⁶ Ω	0.015% + 10 mV

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–40°C): ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C.

ADDITIONAL MEASURE SPECIFICATIONS

OUTPUT SETTLING TIME (typical to 10% of final value): <2s, 1pA and 10pA ranges; <50ms, 100pA through 10nA ranges; <5ms, 100nA through 100mA ranges.

CURRENT NOISE: When observed over 1 minute intervals, peak to peak noise will be within 400nA (typical) during 90% of the intervals using Autofilter (5s 10% to 90% rise time), with triax connectors capped, Autozero OFF, Source Delay = 0, on the 1pA range for at least 3 minutes.

CURRENT MEASUREMENT ACCURACY (2- OR 4-WIRE SENSE)⁴

Range	Max. Resolution	Voltage Burden ⁵	Accuracy (23°C ± 5°C) 1 Year ±(%rdg + amps)
1.00000 pA	10 aA	< 1mV	1.0 % + 7 fA
10.0000 pA	100 aA	< 1mV	0.50 % + 7 fA
100.000 pA	1 fA	< 1mV	0.15 % + 30 fA
1.00000 nA	10 fA	< 1mV	0.050 % + 200 fA
10.0000 nA	100 fA	< 1mV	0.050 % + 2 pA
100.000 nA	1 pA	< 1mV	0.050 % + 20 pA
1.00000 μA	10 pA	< 1mV	0.050 % + 300 pA
10.0000 μA	100 pA	< 1mV	0.050 % + 2 nA
100.000 μA	1 nA	< 1mV	0.025 % + 6 nA
1.00000 mA	10 nA	< 1mV	0.027 % + 60 nA
10.0000 mA	100 nA	< 1mV	0.035 % + 600 nA
100.000 mA	1 μA	< 1mV	0.055 % + 6 μA

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–40°C): ±[(0.15 × accuracy specification) + 1fA]/°C.

INPUT CURRENT: <3fA at 23°C, <40% RH; typically ±0.5fA/°C around 23°C, <40% RH.

RESISTANCE MEASUREMENT ACCURACY (4-WIRE SENSE WITH REMOTE PREAMP)

Source I Mode, Auto Ohms

Range	Max. Resolution	Default Test Current	Normal Accuracy (23°C ± 5°C) 1 Year, ±(%rdg + ohms)	Enhanced Accuracy (23°C ± 5°C) ⁷ 1 Year, ±(%rdg + ohms)
<2.00000 Ω ⁶	1 μΩ	—	Source I _{ACC} + Measure V _{ACC}	Measure I _{ACC} + Measure V _{ACC}
20.0000 Ω	100 μΩ	100 mA	0.098% + 0.003 Ω	0.068% + 0.001 Ω
200.000 Ω	1 mΩ	10 mA	0.077% + 0.03 Ω	0.048% + 0.01 Ω
2.00000 kΩ	10 mΩ	1 mA	0.066% + 0.3 Ω	0.040% + 0.1 Ω
20.0000 kΩ	100 mΩ	100 μA	0.063% + 3 Ω	0.038% + 1 Ω
200.000 kΩ	1 Ω	10 μA	0.082% + 30 Ω	0.064% + 10 Ω
2.00000 MΩ	10 Ω	1 μA	0.082% + 300 Ω	0.064% + 100 Ω
20.0000 MΩ	100 Ω	1 μA	0.085% + 1 kΩ	0.067% + 500 Ω
200.000 MΩ	1 kΩ	100 nA	0.085% + 10 kΩ	0.068% + 5 kΩ
2.00000 GΩ	10 kΩ	10 nA	0.085% + 100 kΩ	0.070% + 50 kΩ
20.0000 GΩ	100 kΩ	1 nA	0.085% + 1 MΩ	0.070% + 500 kΩ
200.000 GΩ	1 MΩ	100 pA	0.205% + 10 MΩ	0.185% + 5 MΩ
2.00000 TΩ	10 MΩ	10 pA	0.822% + 100 MΩ	0.619% + 50 MΩ
20.0000 TΩ	100 MΩ	1 pA	2.06% + 1 GΩ	1.54% + 500 MΩ
>20.0000 TΩ ⁶	—	—	Source I _{ACC} + Measure V _{ACC}	Measure I _{ACC} + Measure V _{ACC}

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–40°C): ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C.

SOURCE I MODE, MANUAL OHMS: Total uncertainty = I source accuracy + V measure accuracy (4-wire sense).

SOURCE V MODE: Total uncertainty = V source accuracy + I measure accuracy (4-wire sense).

6-WIRE OHMS MODE: Available using active ohms guard and guard sense (mainframe rear panel ONLY). **Max. Guard Output Current:** 50 mA. Accuracy is load dependent. Refer to manual for calculation formula.

MAINFRAME GUARD OUTPUT RESISTANCE: 0.1Ω in ohms mode.

NOTES

- Speed = 10 PLC, Autofilter ON, properly zeroed and settled.
- Source I mode, I = 0.
- Voltage measurement accuracy is not affected by the remote preamp.
- Current measurement accuracy is not affected by the remote preamp; however, the 1pA through 100nA ranges are available only when using a preamp.
- 4-wire mode.
- Manual ohms mode only.
- Source readback enabled, offset compensation ON. Source delay must be programmed such that the source is fully settled for each reading.

CONDENSED SYSTEM SPEEDS

MEASUREMENT¹

MAXIMUM RANGE CHANGE RATE: 75/second.

SINGLE READING OPERATION READING RATES (rdg/second) FOR 60Hz (50Hz):

Speed	NPLC/ Trigger Origin	Measure To GPIB	Source- Measure ³ To GPIB	Source-Measure Pass/Fail Test ^{2,3} To GPIB
Fast	0.01 / internal	256 (256)	83 (83)	83 (83)
Medium	0.10 / internal	181 (166)	73 (70)	73 (70)
Normal	1.00 / internal	49 (42)	35 (31)	34 (30)

CONDENSED SOURCE SPECIFICATIONS⁴VOLTAGE PROGRAMMING ACCURACY (4-WIRE SENSE)⁵

Range	Programming Resolution	Accuracy (1 Year) 23°C ±5°C ±(% rdg. + volts)	Noise (peak-peak) 0.1Hz – 10Hz
200.000 mV	5 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	5 μV
2.00000 V	50 μV	0.02% + 600 μV	50 μV
20.0000 V	500 μV	0.02% + 2.4 mV	500 μV
200.000 V	5 mV	0.02% + 24 mV	5 mV

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–40°C): ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C.

MAX. OUTPUT POWER: 2.2W (four quadrant source or sink operation).

SOURCE/SINK LIMITS: ±21V @ ±105mA, ±210V @ ±10.5mA.

VOLTAGE REGULATION: Line: 0.01% of range. Load: 0.01% of range + 100μV.

NOISE 10Hz–1MHz (p-p): 10mV.

OVER VOLTAGE PROTECTION: User selectable values, 5% tolerance. Factory default = None.

CURRENT LIMIT: Bipolar current limit (compliance) set with single value. Min. 0.1% of range.

CURRENT PROGRAMMING ACCURACY (WITH REMOTE PREAMP)

Range	Programming Resolution	Accuracy (1 Year) ⁴ 23°C ±5°C ±(% rdg. + amps)	Noise (peak-peak) 0.1Hz – 10Hz
1.00000 pA	50 aA	1.0 % + 10 fA	5 fA
10.0000 pA	500 aA	0.50 % + 30 fA	10 fA
100.000 pA	5 fA	0.15 % + 40 fA	20 fA
1.00000 nA	50 fA	0.050 % + 200 fA	50 fA
10.0000 nA	500 fA	0.050 % + 2 pA	500 fA
100.000 nA	5 pA	0.050 % + 20 pA	3 pA
1.00000 μA	50 pA	0.050 % + 300 pA	20 pA
10.0000 μA	500 pA	0.050 % + 2 nA	200 pA
100.000 μA	5 nA	0.031 % + 20 nA	500 pA
1.00000 mA	50 nA	0.034 % + 200 nA	5 nA
10.0000 mA	500 nA	0.045 % + 2 μA	50 nA
100.000 mA	5 μA	0.066 % + 20 μA	500 nA

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT (0°–18°C and 28°–40°C): ±(0.15 × accuracy specification)/°C.

MAX. OUTPUT POWER: 2.2W (four quadrant source or sink operation).

SOURCE/SINK LIMITS: ±10.5mA @ ±210V, ±105mA @ ±21V.

CURRENT REGULATION: Line: 0.01% of range. Load: 0.01% of range + 1fA.

VOLTAGE LIMIT: Bipolar voltage limit (compliance) set with single value. Min. 0.1% of range.

NOTES

1. Reading rates applicable for voltage or current measurements. Auto zero off, autorange off, filter off, display off, trigger delay = 0, source auto clear off, and binary reading format.
2. Pass/Fail test performed using one high limit and one low math limit.
3. Includes time to re-program source to a new level before making measurement.
4. For sink mode, 1pA to 100mA range, accuracy is ±(0.15% + offset⁶).
5. Voltage source accuracies are not affected by the remote preamp.

GENERAL

Noise Rejection:	NPLC	NMRR	CMRR
Fast	0.01	—	80 dB
Medium	0.1	—	80 dB
Normal	1	60 dB	90 dB

LOAD IMPEDANCE: Stable into 20,000pF on the 100mA through 100μA ranges, 470pF on the 10μA and 1μA ranges, and 100pF on the nA and pA ranges. Refer to the User's Manual for details on measuring large capacitive loads.

COMMON MODE VOLTAGE: ±42VDC maximum.

COMMON MODE ISOLATION: >10°Ω, <1000pF.

OVERRANGE: 105% of range, source and measure.

MAX. VOLTAGE DROP BETWEEN INPUT/OUTPUT AND SENSE TERMINALS: 5V. (To meet specified accuracy with 4-wire sense, refer to the User's Manual.)

MAX. SENSE LEAD RESISTANCE: 10Ω for rated accuracy.

SENSE INPUT RESISTANCE: 1MΩ.

MAINFRAME GUARD OFFSET VOLTAGE: 300μV, typical.

PREAMP GUARD OFFSET VOLTAGE: 1mV, typical.

PREAMP GUARD OUTPUT RESISTANCE: 110kΩ.

SOURCE OUTPUT MODES: Fixed DC level, Memory List (mixed function), Stair (linear and log).

SOURCE MEMORY LIST: 100 points max.

MEMORY BUFFER: 5,000 readings @ ½ digits (two 2,500 point buffers). Includes selected measured value(s) and time stamp. Lithium battery backup (3 yr+ battery life).

DIGITAL INTERFACE:

Safety Interlock: Active low input.

Handler Interface: Start of test, end of test, 3 category bits. +5V @ 300mA supply.

Digital I/O: 1 trigger input, 4 TTL/Relay Drive outputs (33V @ 500mA sink, diode clamped).

PROGRAMMABILITY: IEEE-488 (SCPI-1995.0), RS-232, 5 user-definable power-up states plus factory default and *RST.

POWER SUPPLY: 100V–240V rms, 50–60Hz (automatically detected at power up), 100VA max.

EMC: Conforms with European Union Directive 89/336/EEC EN 55011, EN 50082-1, EN 61000-3-2 and 61000-3-3, FCC part 15 class B.

SAFETY: Conforms with European Union Directive 73/23/EEC EN 61010-1.

VIBRATION: MIL-PRF-28800F, Class 3.

WARM-UP: 1 hour to rated accuracies.

DIMENSIONS: 89mm high × 213mm wide × 370mm deep (3½ in × 8⅜ in × 14⅞ in). Bench Configuration (with handle and feet): 104mm high × 238mm wide × 370mm deep (4⅛ in × 9⅝ in × 14⅞ in).

Amplifier: 20mm high × 57mm wide × 97mm deep (0.783 in × 2.225 in × 3.75 in).

WEIGHT: 5.9kg (13 lbs).

ENVIRONMENT: Operating: 0°–40°C, 60% R.H. (non-condensing) up to 35°C. Derate 5% R.H./°C, 35°–40°C. Storage: –25°C to 65°C. Non-condensing humidity.

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APPLICATIONS:

Semiconductor Devices

- On-wafer parametric test
- Wafer level reliability
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- High κ gate charge trapping
- Isothermal testing of devices and materials subject to self-heating effects
- Charge pumping to characterize interface state densities in MOSFET devices
- Resistive or capacitive MEMS drive characterization

Optoelectronic Devices

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- DC/CW characterization of transceiver modules
- PIN and APD characterization

Technology Development

- Carbon nanotube characterization
- Materials research
- Electrochemistry

The easy-to-use Model 4200-SCS performs laboratory grade DC I-V, C-V, and pulse device characterization, real-time plotting, and analysis with high precision and sub-femtoamp resolution. It is the best tool available for interactive parametric analysis and device characterization. It offers the most advanced capabilities available in a fully integrated characterization system, including a complete, embedded PC with Windows operating system and mass storage. Its self-documenting, point-and-click interface speeds and simplifies the process of taking data, so users can begin analyzing their results sooner.

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The C-V option includes the new C-V Power package, which supports high power C-V measurements up to 400V and 300mA, up to 60V of differential DC bias, and quasistatic C-V measurements.

The exceptional low current performance of the Model 4200-SCS makes it the perfect solution for research studies of single electron transistors (SETs), molecular electronic devices, and other nanoelectronic devices that require I-V characterization. The 4200-SCS can also be used to make four-probe van der Pauw resistivity and Hall voltage measurements.

For more information on the Model 4200-SCS, see page 58.

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