



# UT231

Operating Manual

Digital Power Clamp Meter

P/N: 41451518

## LINI-T<sub>®</sub>

# Model UT231 OPERATING MANUAL



## TABLE OF CONTENTS TITLE PAGE Overview ------3 Unpacking Inspection -----3 Safety Information ----- 4 Rules For Safe Operation \_\_\_\_\_ 4 International Electrical Symbols ----- 6 B. The Meter Back and Bottom Structure - - - 8 Display Symbols ------11 B. AC Current + AC Voltage Measurement -----15 C. Active Power + Phase Angle Measurement -----16 D. Apparent Power + Reactive Power Measurement -----18 E. Power Factor + Phase Angle Measurement ------19 F. Active Energy + Time Measurement \_\_\_\_\_21 G. Temperature °C + Temperature °F Measurement -----23 True RMS Measurement and Average Value Measurement -----24





| TABLE OF CONTENTS                                |           |
|--|-----------|
| TITLE  | PAGE      |
| Three Phases Four Wires and Three Phases Three W | ires      |
| Measurement Method                               |           |
| Specifications —-—                               | 26        |
| A. General Specifications —-—                    | 26        |
| B. Environmental Requirements —                  | 26        |
| Accuracy Specifications —-—                      | 27        |
| A. AC Voltage                                    | 27        |
| B. Frequency                                     | 27        |
| C. AC Current                                    |           |
| D. Active Power                                  | 28        |
| E. Apparent Power —                              | <u>29</u> |
| F. Reactive Power                                | —-—-      |
| G. Power Factor —-—                              | —-—-      |
| H. Phase Angle                                   | 31        |
| I. Active Energy                                 | 32        |
| J. Temperature —-—                               | 32        |
| Maintenance                                      |           |
| A. General Service                               | —-—-      |
| B. Replacing the Battery                         | —-—-—- 34 |



## Overview

This Operating Manual covers information on safety and cautions. Please read the relevant information carefully and observe all the **Warnings** and **Notes** strictly.



To avoid electric shock or personal injury, read the "Safety Information" and "Rules for Safe Operation" carefully before using the Meter.

**Model UT231** is a digital power clamp meter (hereafter referred to as "the Meter") is a handheld intelligent power meter which has both the features of digital current meter and also power measurement meter.

The Meter can measure Voltage, Current, Active Power, Apparent Power, Reactive Power, Power Factor, Phase Angle, Frequency, Active Energy, Temperature and etc.

## **Unpacking Inspection**

Open the package case and take out the Meter. Check the following items carefully to see any missing or damaged part:

| Item | Description                     | Qty      |
|------|---------------------------------|----------|
| 1    | English Operating Manual        | 1 piece  |
| 2    | Test Lead                       | 1 pair   |
| 3    | Alligator Clip                  | 1 pair   |
| 4    | Point Contact Temperature Probe | 1 piece  |
| 5    | USB Interface Cable             | 1 piece  |
| 6    | Software                        | 1 piece  |
| 7    | Tool Box                        | 1 piece  |
| 8    | 1.5V Battery (LR6)              | 4 pieces |

In the event you find any missing or damage, please contact your dealer immediately.





## **Safety Information**

This Meter complies with the standards IEC61010: in pollution degree 2, overvoltage category (CAT. III 600V, CAT IV 300V) and double insulation.

CAT. III: Distribution level, fixed installation, with smaller transient overvoltages than CAT. IV.

CAT IV: Primary supply level, overhead lines, cable systems.

Use the Meter only as specified in this operating manual, otherwise the protection provided by the Meter may be impaired.

In this manual, a **Warning** identifies conditions and actions that pose hazards to the user, or may damage the Meter or the equipment under test.

A **Note** identifies the information that user should pay attention to.

International electrical symbols used on the Meter and in this Operating Manual are explained on page 6.

## **Rules For Safe Operation**

## **⚠** Warning

To avoid possible electric shock or personal injury, and to avoid possible damage to the Meter or to the equipment under test, adhere to the following rules:

- Before using the Meter inspect the case. Do not use the Meter if it is damaged or the case (or part of the case) is removed. Look for cracks or missing plastic. Pay attention to the insulation around the connectors.
- Inspect the test leads for damaged insulation or exposed metal. Replace damaged test leads with identical model number or electrical specifications before using the Meter.
- Do not apply more that the rated voltage, as marked on the Meter.



- When measurement has been completed, disconnect the connection between the test leads and the circuit under test, remove the testing leads away from the input terminals of the Meter and turn the Meter power off.
- Do not carry out the measurement when the Meter's back case and / or battery door is opened to avoid electric shock.
- When the Meter working at an effective voltage over 30V in AC, special care should be taken.
- Use the proper terminals and function for your measurements.
- Do not use or store the Meter in an environment of high temperature, humidity, explosive, inflammable and strong magnetic field. The performance of the Meter may deteriorate after dampened.
- Do not use the Meter if the surface of it is wet or the user's hands are wet.
- When using the test leads, keep your fingers behind the finger guards.
- Replace the battery as soon as the battery

- indicator 

  appears. With a low battery, the Meter might produce false readings that can lead to electric shock and personal injury.
- When opening the battery door, must make sure the Meter is power off.
- When servicing the Meter, use only the same model number or identical electrical specifications replacement parts.
- The internal circuit of the Meter shall not be altered at will to avoid damage of the Meter and any accident.
- Soft cloth and mild detergent should be used to clean the surface of the Meter when servicing.
   No abrasive and solvent should be used to prevent the surface of the Meter from corrosion, damage and accident.
- Turn the Meter off when it is not in use and take out the battery when not using for a long time.
- Constantly check the battery as it may leak when it has been using for some time, replace the battery as soon as leaking appears. A leaking battery will damage the Meter.





## **International Electrical Symbols**

| ~           | AC (Alternating Current)                |  |  |
|-------------|---|--|--|
| ÷           | Grounding                               |  |  |
|             | Double Insulated                        |  |  |
| $\triangle$ | Warning. Refer to the Operating Manual  |  |  |
| <b>=</b>    | Deficiency of Built-In Battery          |  |  |
| 5           | Danger of High Voltage                  |  |  |
| C€          | Conforms to Standards of European Union |  |  |

## **The Meter Structure**

A. The Meter Face View (see figure 1)

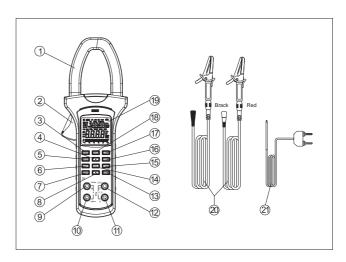


Figure 1



| Transformer Jaw: designed to pick up the AC      |
|--|
| and DC current flowing through the conductor.    |
| It could transfer current to voltage. The tested |
| conductor must vertically go through the Jaw     |
| center.  |
| Hand Guards: to protect user's hand from         |
| touching the dangerous area.                     |
| Power button                                     |
| Max/△ button                                     |
| MENU button                                      |
| LOAD button (recall data)                        |
| CLEAR button (clear the stored reading)          |
| MIN/ ▽ button                                    |
|  |

| 9   | Temperature negative Input Terminal          |  |
|-----|--|--|
| 10  | Temperature positive Input Terminal          |  |
| 11) | V: Voltage Input Terminal                    |  |
| 12  | COM Input Terminal                           |  |
| 13  | MAX/MIN button                               |  |
| 14  | CAL: calibration button                      |  |
| 15  | SAVE button (data store button)              |  |
| 16  | USB button                                   |  |
| 17  | LIGHT button (auto display backlight button) |  |
| 18  | HOLD button                                  |  |
| 19  | LCD Display                                  |  |
| 20  | Testing Leads (Red and Black)                |  |
| 21) | Temperature Probe                            |  |





## B.The Meter Back and Bottom Structure (see figure 2)

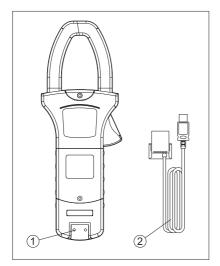


Figure 2

| 1 | Infrared Interface                |  |
|---|-----------------------------------|--|
| 2 | USB Communication Interface Cable |  |

## **Functional Buttons**

Below table indicated for information about the functional button operations.

| Button | Operation Performed   |  |
|--------|---|--|
| POWER  | Press and hold <b>POWER</b> for 1 second to                   |  |
|        | turn the Meter on.  |  |
|        | Press <b>POWER</b> again to turn the Meter off.               |  |
| HOLD   | Press HOLD to enter the Hold mode in                          |  |
|        | any mode, 🖪 appears and the Meter                             |  |
|        | beeps.  |  |
|        | <ul><li>Press HOLD again to exit the Hold mode</li></ul>      |  |
|        | to return to measurement mode, the                            |  |
|        | Meter beeps and <b>I</b> disappears.                          |  |
| LIGHT  | <ul> <li>Press LIGHT to turn the display backlight</li> </ul> |  |
|        | on.   |  |
|        | <ul> <li>The display backlight will be off</li> </ul>         |  |
|        | automatically after 30 seconds.                               |  |
| MENU   | Press <b>MENU</b> to display the following                    |  |
|        | functions in sequence:  |  |
|        | ·   |  |



| Button | Operation Performed   |
|--------|---|
| MENU   | <ul> <li>AC Voltage (main display) + Frequency (secondary display)</li> <li>AC Current (main display) + AC Voltage (secondary display)</li> <li>Active power (main display) + Phase angle (secondary display)</li> <li>Apparent power (main display) + Reactive power (secondary display)</li> <li>Power factor (main display) + Phase angle (secondary display)</li> <li>Active Energy (main display) + Time (secondary display)</li> <li>Temperature °C (main display) +</li> </ul> |
|        | Temperature °F (secondary display)  |
|        | <ul> <li>Press LOAD once, MR icon shown, the<br/>Meter displays the next stored reading,<br/>the left secondary display showing the<br/>index increase one.</li> </ul>  |
| USB    | Press USB once to turn the USB  |

| Button | Operation Performed   |
|--------|---|
| USB    | <ul> <li>interface on, USB appears and the Meter beeps.</li> <li>Press USB again to turn the USB interface off, USB disappears and the Meter beeps.</li> </ul>  |
|        | <ul> <li>It is invalid at active energy mode.</li> </ul>  |
| LOAD   | <ul> <li>Press once to enter LOAD mode, MR appears and the Meter beeps.</li> <li>Press again to exit LOAD mode, MR disappears and the Meter beeps.</li> <li>Press and hold LOAD for 1 second to display the stored data quickly.</li> </ul> |
| CAL    | Calibrating data. It is not recommended to calibrate the meter without authorization.   |
| SAVE   | <ul> <li>Press once to store single reading, MEM appears and the Meter beeps.</li> <li>Press and hold for over 1 second to continuous store reading, MEM blinks and the Meter beeps. The index number</li> </ul>                            |





| Button  | Operation Performed   |  |  |
|---------|---|--|--|
| SAVE    | shown on the left secondary display keep on increasing. Press <b>SAVE</b> again to exit. The maximum number of data store is 99, when it achieves 99, the Meter shows FUL. Press <b>CLEAR</b> to clear the stored reading in order to store next reading. |  |  |
| CLEAR   | <ul> <li>At active energy range, press to reset time the zero, then restart the timing.</li> <li>At all other ranges, press to clear stored readings.</li> </ul>  |  |  |
| abla    | <ul> <li>Press once at LOAD mode, MR icon<br/>shown, the Meter displays the previous<br/>stored reading, the left secondary<br/>display showing the index decrease<br/>one.</li> </ul>  |  |  |
| MAX/MIN | Starts recording of maximum and<br>minimum vales. Press to step through<br>maximum (high), minimum (low) and<br>the current AC voltage True RMS value   |  |  |

| Button  | Operation Performed   |  |  |
|---------|---|--|--|
| MAX/MIN | at any mode except at the following ranges:   |  |  |
|         | <ul><li>Power factor (main display) + Phase<br/>angle (secondary display)</li></ul> |  |  |
|         | <ul><li>Active Energy (main display) + Time<br/>(secondary display)</li></ul>       |  |  |
|         | ➤ Temperature °C (main display) +   |  |  |
|         | Temperature °F (secondary display)  |  |  |



## Display Symbols (see figure 3)

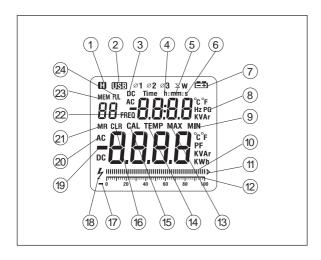


Figure 3

| NI.    | 0      | B.A. a. a. *a. a.                 |
|--------|--------|-----------------------------------|
| Number | Symbol | Meaning                           |
| 1      |        | Data hold is active               |
| 2      | USB    | Data Output is in progress        |
| 3      | DC     | Indicator for DC measurement      |
| 4      | h      | Unit for hour                     |
| 5      | mm     | Unit for minute                   |
| 6      | s      | Unit for second                   |
| 7      | ≅      | The battery is low.               |
|        |        | riangle Warning: To avoid false   |
|        |        | readings, which could lead to     |
|        |        | possible electric shock or        |
|        |        | personal injury, replace the      |
|        |        | battery as soon as the battery    |
|        |        | indicator appears.                |
| 8      | Hz,    | Symbol of Unit.                   |
|        | PG,    | Hz: Hertz. The unit of frequency. |
|        | KVAr   | PG: The unit of phase angle       |
|        | IVAI   | KVAr: The unit of reactive power  |
|        |        | Minimum reading                   |



| Number | Symbol     | Meaning                         |
|--------|------------|---------------------------------|
| 9      | MIN        | Minimum reading                 |
| 10     |            | Analogue Bar Graph              |
| 11)    | <b>▶</b>   | Overloading                     |
| 12     | 0 20 40 60 | Ruler                           |
| 13     | MAX        | Maximum reading                 |
| 14)    | TEMP       | Temperature symbol              |
| 15     | CAL        | Calibration symbol              |
| 16     | CLR        | Indicator for clear the stored  |
|        |            | reading                         |
| 17     | _          | Ruler negative symbol           |
| 18     | 4          | High voltage symbol             |
| 19     | _          | Indicates negative reading      |
| 20     | AC         | Indicator for AC voltage or     |
|        |            | current                         |
| 21)    | MR         | Indicator for recall the stored |
|        |            | reading                         |
| 22     | FREQ       | Frequency symbol                |

| Number | Symbol | Meaning                           |  |
|--------|--------|-----------------------------------|--|
| 23     | MEM    | Indicator for data store          |  |
| 24)    | FUL    | Indicator for data stored is full |  |



## **Measurement Operation**

## Preparation

- Press and hold POWER for one second to turn the Meter on. The default range is the last measurement range when you turned off the Meter.
- Replace the battery as soon as the battery indicator
   " appears on the display.
- A. AC Voltage (main display) + Frequency (secondary display) Measurement (see figure 4)

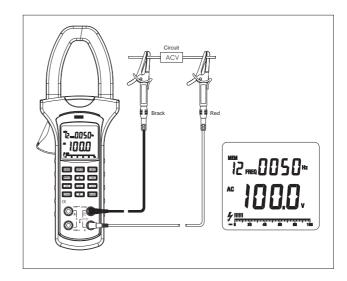


Figure 4





The AC Voltage ranges are: 15V, 100V, 300V and 600V

The frequency range is: 20Hz~500Hz



- When the voltage input is higher than 30V, the display shows 

   ✓ to warn you to take extra care of safety.
- When the input voltage is higher than 600V (r.m.s.), the display shows OL.

To measure AC voltage + frequency, connect the Meter as follows:

- 1. Insert the red test lead into the V terminal and black test lead to the COM input terminal.
- Press the MENU to select Voltage (main display)
   + Frequency (secondary display) range and connect the two test leads to the object being measured.
- 3. The double display shows the AC voltage True RMS value and the frequency value.

- Press MAX/MIN once, the LCD displays MAX, it starts recording the maximum AC voltage True RMS value.
- Press MAX/MIN again, the LCD displays MIN, it starts recording the minimum AC voltage True RMS value.
- 6. Press **MAX/MIN** again to show the present AC voltage True RMS value.
- 7. The display shows **OL** when the input voltage is higher than 600V (r.m.s).

## Note

When the measurement has been completed, disconnect the connection between the testing leads and the circuit under test and remove testing leads from the input terminals.



## B. AC Current (main display) + AC Voltage (secondary display) Measurement (see figure 5)

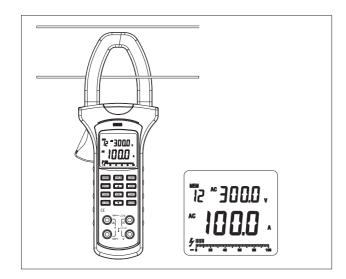


Figure 5

The AC current ranges are: 40A, 100A, 400A and 1000A

The AC Voltage ranges are: 15V, 100V, 300V and 600V

To measure AC current + AC voltage, connect the Meter as follows:

- 1. Press the **MENU** to select AC Current (main display) + AC Voltage (secondary display) range.
- 2. Press the lever to open the transformer jaw.
- 3. Center the tested conductor within the transformer jaw, then release the Meter slowly until the trasnformer jaw is completely closed, Make sure the conductor to be tested is placed at the center of the transformer jaw, otherwise it will casue deviation. The Meter can only measure one conductor at a time, to measure more than one condutor at a time will cause deviation.
- 4. The double display shows the AC current True RMS value and AC voltage True RMS value.
- 5. Press MAX/MIN once, the LCD displays MAX, it





- starts recording the maximum AC current True RMS value.
- Press MAX/MIN again, the LCD displays MIN, it starts recording the minimum AC current True RMS value.
- Press MAX/MIN again to show the present AC current True RMS value.
- 8. The display shows **OL** when the current of the tested conductor is higher than 1000A rms.

## Note

 When the measurement has been completed, disconnect the connection between the conductor under test and the jaw, and remove the conductor away from the transformer jaw of the Meter.

## C. Active Power (main display) + Phase Angle (secondary display) Measurement (see figure 6)

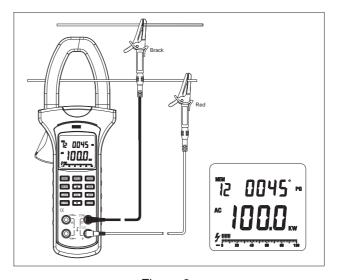


Figure 6



The active power ranges are: 40A, 100A, 400A and 1000A

The phase angle ranges are: 0° ~360°



To avoid damages to the Meter or harms to you, do you measure higher than AC voltage 600 v.r.s. and AC current 1000A v.r.s.

To measure active power + phase angle, connect the Meter as follows:

- Press the MENU to select Active power (main display) + Phase angle (secondary display) range.
- Press the lever to open the transformer jaw, and clamp them to the power source or the tested conductor.
- Insert the red test lead to V input terminal and black test lead to COM input terminal and connect them to the live wire and neutrual wire of the tested circuit.

- The double display shows the active power kW value and the PG value of the measured object.
- The maximum active power kW measuring range is 600kW, OL will be displayed when it is over than that.
- 6. Press **MAX/MIN** once, the LCD displays MAX, it starts recording the maximum active power value.
- 7. Press **MAX/MIN** again, the LCD displays MIN, it starts recording the minimum active power value.
- Press MAX/MIN again to show the present active power value.

#### Note

 When testing has been completed, disconnect the connection between the testing leads and the circuit under test and remove testing leads from the input terminals



## D. Apparent Power (main display) + Reactive Power (secondary display) Measurement (see figure 7)

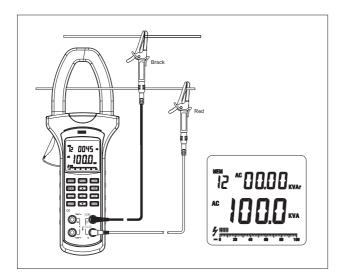


Figure 7

## Marning

To avoid damages to the Meter or harms to you, do you measure higher than AC voltage 600V rms and AC current 1000A rms.

To test for Apparent power (main display) + Reactive power (secondary display), connect the Meter as follows:

- 1. Press the **MENU** to select Apparent power (main display) + Reactive power (secondary display) range.
- 2. Press the lever to open the transformer jaw, and clamp them to the power source or the tested conductor.
- Insert the red test lead to V input terminal and black test lead to COM input terminal and connect them to the live wire and neutrual wire of the tested circuit.
- The double display shows the apparent power kVA value and the reactive power KVAr value of the measured object.
- 5. The maximum apparent value kVA and the reactive power KVAr measuring range is 600kVar. **OL** will be displayed when it is over than that.
- 6. Press MAX/MIN once, the LCD displays MAX, it



- starts recording the maximum apparent power value.
- 7. Press **MAX/MIN** again, the LCD displays MIN, it starts recording the minimum apparent power value.
- 8 . Press **MAX/MIN** again to show the present apparent power value.

## Note

 When testing has been completed, disconnect the connection between the testing leads and the circuit under test and remove testing leads from the input terminals. E. Power Factor (main display) + Phase Angle (secondary display) Measurement (see figure 8)

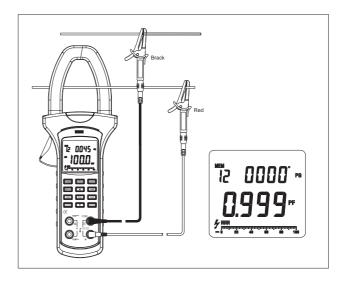


Figure 8





## **⚠** Warning

To avoid damages to the Meter or harms to you, do you measure higher than AC voltage 600V rms and AC current 1000A rms.

To test for Apparent power (main display) + Reactive power (secondary display), connect the Meter as follows:

- 1. Press the **MENU** to select Power factor (main display) + Phase angle (secondary display) range.
- 2. Press the lever to open the transformer jaw, and clamp them to the power source or the tested conductor.
- Insert the red test lead to V input terminal and black test lead to COM input terminal and connect them to the live wire and neutrual wire of the tested circuit.
- 4. The double display shows the power factor value and the phase angle value of the measured object.
- 5. When the power factor value is negative, it means the loading is capacitive.
- 6. When the power factor value is positive, it means the loading is inductive.
- 7. MAX and MIN are not valid when measuring power

factor.

#### Note

 When testing has been completed, disconnect the connection between the testing leads and the circuit under test and remove testing leads from the input terminals.



## F. Active Energy (main display) + Time (secondary display) Measurement (see figure 9)

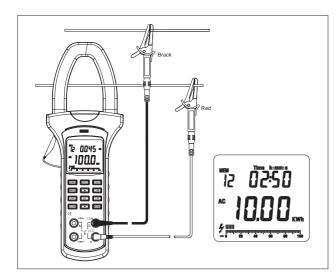


Figure 9

## ⚠ Warning

To avoid damages to the Meter or harms to you, do you measure higher than AC voltage 600V rms and AC current 1000A rms.

To test for Active Energy (main display) + Time (secondary display), connect the Meter as follows:

- 1. Press the **MENU** to select Power factor (main display) + Phase angle (secondary display) range.
- 2. Press the lever to open the transformer jaw, and clamp them to the power source or the tested conductor.
- Insert the red test lead to V input terminal and black test lead to COM input terminal and connect them to the live wire and neutrual wire of the tested circuit.
- The double display shows the active energy value and the measuring time value of the measured object.
  - The measuring reading gets increasing along with the time increases. Press HOLD to read a particular time kWh value. Then the reading and





- time are locked, but still continuous accumulate measuring time.
- After read the data, press HOLD again to continous measurement. kWh value continous accumulate and the measuring time jumps to the present measuring time.
- When the measuring time is over 24 hours or the Meter is switched to other measuring ranges, active energy measuring will stop.
- The maximum reading of acitve energy is 9999kWh. OL will be displayed when the reading is over than that.
- 5. **MAX** and **MIN** are not valid when measuring active energy.
- 6. Press CLEAR to reset the time.

## Note

 When testing has been completed, disconnect the connection between the testing leads and the circuit under test and remove testing leads from the input terminals.



G. Temperature °C (main display) and Temperature °F (secondary display) Measurement (see figure 10)

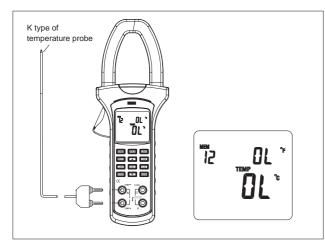


Figure 10

To test for temperature °C (main display) and Temperature °F (secondary display), connect the Meter as follows:

- Press the **MENU** to select Power factor (main display)
   + Phase angle (secondary display) range.
- 2. Inser the temperature probe positive to the **TEMP+** input terminal and negative to the **TEMP** input terminal and connect it to the mesaured object.
- 3. The double display shows the present degree celsius value on the main display and the fahrenheit value on the secondardy display.

#### Note

 When testing has been completed, disconnect the connection between the temperature probe and the circuit under test and remove temperature probe from the input terminals.





## True RMS Measurement and Average Value Measurement

The True RMS measurement method can measure accurately the effective value of non-sine wave input signal.

Average value measurement method can measure the mean value of one sine wave input signal, and then displays it as RMS value

When the input waveform has distortion, measuring tolerance will be included. The total tolerance depends on the total distortion. Below table 1 shows the waveform coefficient and the relationship and the requested changing factor of sine wave, square wave, pulse rectangle wave, sawtooth triangle wave, RMS value and average value.

| Input Wave                              | PK-PK | 0-PK   | RMS    | AVG   |
|---|-------|--------|--------|-------|
| Sine  O  PK  PK-PK                      | 2.828 | 1.414  | 1.000  | 0.900 |
| sine commute (whole wave)  PK  O  PK-PK | 1.414 | 1.414  | 1.000  | 0.900 |
| sine commute (half wave)                | 2.828 | 2.828  | 1.414  | 0.900 |
| square wave  PK PK-PK                   | 1.800 | 0.900  | 0.900  | 0.900 |
| commuted square wave                    | 1.800 | 1.800  | 1.272  | 0.900 |
| pulse rectangle D=X/Y  0 = X - PK-PK    | 0.9/D | 0.9/ D | 0.9D/2 | 0.9/D |
| sawtooth triangle  PK 0  PK-PK          | 3.600 | 1.800  | 1.038  | 0.900 |



## Three Phases Four Wires and Three Phases Three Wires Measurement Method

The Model UT231 digital power clamp meter can measure single phase power and power factor. The power of three phases four wires system can use single phase power measurement method to measure, see figure 7.

If it is a balance load, the total watts is three times of single phase. If it is not a balance load, test each phase power separately, then sum up the three phases power value to obtain the total watt. The apparent power, reactive power, active energy and active power measurement methods are the same.

Power factor value can be obtained directly from each phase power factor testing. Thee phases total power factor is equal to three phases total active power value divided by three phases total apparent power value.

Under three phases three wires balance load situation,

its total watt can be directly by measuring its voltage of the line and current of the line. Connect the loaded two phases to the V and COM input terminal of the power meter, clamp the transformer jaw to the third phase, its total watt is equal to the reading obtained times 1.732.

Three phases total watt also can be obtained by using the specified clamp type three phases digital power meter.





## **Specifications**

## A. General Specifications

- Maximum Voltage between any Terminals and grounding: Refer to different range input protection voltage.
- Display: Multi LCD displays, Maximum display 9999.
- Ranges: Auto
- Overloading: Display OL.
- Data Holding: Display
- Data Logging: Maximum 99, Single or Continuous records
- Data Recall
- Maximum and Minimum value display: Voltage,
   Current, Active Power and Apparent Power ranges
- Display Backlight: White colour
- Computer connection: USB
- Calibration Feature
- Sleep Mode: To preserve battery life, the Meter automatically turns off if you do not turn press any button for around 15 minutes., except at active

energy range.

- Analogue Bar Graph
- Sampling: 3 times per second.
- Max. Jaw Size: 55mm diameter.
- Power: 4 x 1.5V battery (LR6)
- Dimensions: 303mm x 112mm x 39mm
- Weight: Approximate 601g

## **B. Environmental Requirements**

- Altitude: Operating: 2000m Storage: 10000m
- Temperature and humidity:
  - Operating:

0°C~30°C (≤ 85%R.H) 30°C~40°C (≤ 75%R.H) 40°C~50°C (≤ 45%R.H)

- Storage:
  - -10°C~+60°C (≤ 85%R.H)
- Safety/ Compliances: IEC 61010 CAT.III 600V, CAT.IV 300V overvoltage and double insulation standard, pollution degree 2.
- Certification: CE



## **Accurate Specifications**

Accuracy: ±(a% reading + b digits), guarantee for 1 year.

Operating temperature: 23°C± 5°C Operating humidity: 45~75%R.H

## A. AC Voltage (True RMS)

| Range | Resolution | Accuracy  | Allowable Maximum overload protection | Input Impedance |
|-------|------------|-----------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|
|       |            |           | voltage                               |                 |
| 15V   |            |           |                                       |                 |
| 100V  | 0.1V       | ±(1.2%+5) | 600 RMS                               | 10ΜΩ            |
| 300V  | 1          |           |                                       |                 |

## **B. Frequency**

| Range      | Precision | Accuracy  |
|------------|-----------|-----------|
| 20Hz~500Hz | 1Hz       | ±(0.5%+5) |



## C. AC Current (True RMS)

| Range | Resolution | Accuracy | Allowable Maximum overload protection current |
|-------|------------|----------|---|
| 40A   |            |          |   |
| 100A  | 0.1A       | ±(2%+5)  | 1000A RMS                                     |
| 400A  |            |          |   |
| 1000A | 1A         |          |   |

## D. Active Power (W=V x A x COS $\Phi$ )

| Voltage / Current |         |               | Voltage Range |          |         |  |  |
|-------------------|---------|---------------|---------------|----------|---------|--|--|
| voltage /         | Current | 15V 100V      |               | 300V     | 600V    |  |  |
|                   | 40A     | 0.60kW        | 4.00kW        | 12.00kW  | 24.00kW |  |  |
| Current           | 100A    | 1.50kW        | 10.00kW       | 30.00kW  | 60.00kW |  |  |
| Range             | 400A    | 6.00kW        | 40.00kW       | 120.0kW  | 240.0kW |  |  |
|                   | 1000A   | 15.00kW       | 100.0kW       | 300.0kW  | 600.0kW |  |  |
| Precis            | sion    | ±(3%+5)       |               |          |         |  |  |
| Defen             | d Rate  | <100kW:0.01kW | ≥100k¹        | W: 0.1kW |         |  |  |

## Remarks:

- Allowable maximum overload protection voltage: 600V RMS
- Allowable maximum overload protection current: 1000A RMS



## E. Apparent Power ( $VA = V \times A$ )

| Voltage / Current |         | Voltage Range  |          |             |          |
|-------------------|---------|----------------|----------|-------------|----------|
| voitage           | Current | 15V            | 100V     | 300V        | 600V     |
|                   | 40A     | 0.60kVA        | 4.00kVA  | 12.00kVA    | 24.00kVA |
| Current           | 100A    | 1.50kVA        | 10.00kVA | 30.00kVA    | 60.00kVA |
| Range             | 400A    | 6.00kVA        | 40.00kVA | 120.0kVA    | 240.0kVA |
|                   | 1000A   | 15.00kVA       | 100.0kVA | 300.0kVA    | 600.0kVA |
| Accur             | acy     | ±(3%+5)        |          |             |          |
| Resol             | ution   | <1000kVA:0.01k | VA ≥100  | kVA: 0.1kVA |          |

## Remarks:

Allowable maximum overload protection voltage: 600V RMS

• Allowable maximum overload protection current: 1000A RMS





## F. Reactive Power (Var = $V \times A \times SIN \Phi$ )

| Voltage / Current |         | Voltage Range    |              |             |           |  |
|-------------------|---------|------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|--|
| voltage           | Current | 15V              | 100V         | 300V        | 600V      |  |
|                   | 40A     | 0.60kVar         | 4.00kVar     | 12.00kVar   | 24.00kVar |  |
| Current           | 100A    | 1.50kVar         | 10.00kVar    | 30.00kVar   | 60.00kVar |  |
| Range             | 400A    | 6.00kVar         | 40.00kVar    | 120.0kVar   | 240.0kVar |  |
|                   | 1000A   | 15.00kVar        | 100.0kVar    | 300.0kVar   | 600.0kVar |  |
| Accur             | acy     | <u>+</u> (4%+5)  |              |             |           |  |
| Resol             | ution   | <1000kVar: 0.01k | √Var ≥100kVa | ar: 0.1kVar |           |  |

## Remarks:

Allowable maximum overload protection voltage: 600V RMS

• Allowable maximum overload protection current: 1000A RMS



## G. Power Factor (PF = W / VA)

| Range                     | Accuracy           | Resolution | Measuring Condition                |
|---------------------------|--------------------|------------|------------------------------------|
| 0.3~1                     | ±0.022             | 0.001      | The minimum measuring current 10A  |
| (capacitive or inductive) | _0.022             | 0.001      | The minimum measuring voltage 45V  |
| 0.3~1                     | For reference only |            | Measuring current less than 10A OR |
| (capacitive or inductive) |                    |            | Measuring voltage less than 45V    |

## Remarks:

Allowable maximum overload protection voltage: 600V RMS

• Allowable maximum overload protection current: 1000A RMS

## H. Phase Angle (PG=acos (PF))

| Range    | Accuracy           | Resolution | Measuring Condition                |
|----------|--------------------|------------|------------------------------------|
| 00 0000  | ±1°                | 4°         | The minimum measuring current 10A  |
| 0° ~360° | _'                 | l I        | The minimum measuring voltage 45V  |
| -00      | - <i>,</i>         |            | Measuring current less than 10A OR |
| 0°~360°  | For reference only |            | Measuring voltage less than 45V    |





## I. Active Energy (kWh)

| Range     | Accuracy | Resolution |
|-----------|----------|------------|
| 1~9999kWh | ±(3%+2)  | 0.001kWh   |

## Remarks:

Allowable maximum overload protection voltage: 600V RMS

• Allowable maximum overload protection current: 1000A RMS

## K. Temperature (TEMP)

| Range       | Accuracy | Resolution |
|-------------|----------|------------|
| -50°C~0°C   | ±(1%+10) | 1°C        |
| 0°C~1300°C  | ±(1%+5)  | 1°C        |
| -58°F~32°F  | ±(1%+18) |            |
| 32°F~2372°F | ±(1%+11) |            |



## **MAINTENANCE**

This section provides basic maintenance information including battery replacement instruction.



Do not attempt to repair or service your Meter unless you are qualified to do so and have the relevant calibration, performance test, and service information.

To avoid electrical shock or damage to the Meter, do not get water inside the case.

## A. General Service

- Periodically wipe the case with a damp cloth and mild detergent. Do not use abrasives or solvents.
- To clean the terminals with cotton bar with detergent, as dirt or moisture in the terminals can affect readings.
- Turn the Meter power off when it is not in use.
- Take out the battery when it is not using for a long time.

 Do not use or store the Meter in a place of humidity, high temperature, explosive, inflammable and strong magnetic field.





## B. Replacing the Battery (see figure 11)

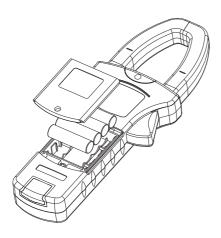


Figure 11

## **⚠** Warning

To avoid false readings, which could lead to possible electric shock or personal injury, replace the battery as soon as the battery indicator " " appears. Make sure the transformer jaw and the tests leads are disconected from the circuit being tested before opening the case bottom.

To replace the battery:.

- 1. Press **POWER** to turn the Meter off and remove all the connections from the input terminals
- 2. Turn the Meter's front case down.
- 3. Remove the screw from the battery door, and separate the battery door from the case bottom.
- 4. Take out the old battery and replace with 4 x 1.5V battery (LR6).
- Rejoin the case bottom and the battery compartment, and reinstall the screw.



\*END\*

This operating manual is subject to change without notice.



©Copyright 2007 Uni-Trend Group Limited. All rights reserved.

Manufacturer:

Uni-Trend Technology (Dongguan) Limited
Dong Fang Da Dao
Bei Shan Dong Fang Industrial Development District
Hu Men Town, Dongguan City
Guang Dong Province
China

Postal Code: 523 925

Headquarters:

Uni-Trend Group Limited Rm901, 9/F, Nanyang Plaza 57 Hung To Road Kwun Tong Kowloon, Hong Kong Tel: (852) 2950 9168

Fax: (852) 2950 9303 Email: info@uni-trend.com http://www.uni-trend.com