

# MSO1000Z/DS1000Z Series Digital Oscilloscope

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# **Safety Requirement**

# **General Safety Summary**

Please review the following safety precautions carefully before putting the instrument into operation so as to avoid any personal injury or damage to the instrument and any product connected to it. To prevent potential hazards, please use the instrument only specified by this manual.

### **Use Proper Power Cord.**

Only the power cord designed for the instrument and authorized for use within the local country could be used.

#### **Ground the Instrument.**

The instrument is grounded through the Protective Earth lead of the power cord. To avoid electric shock, it is essential to connect the earth terminal of the power cord to the Protective Earth terminal before connecting any inputs or outputs.

### **Connect the Probe Correctly.**

If a probe is used, do not connect the ground lead to high voltage since it has isobaric electric potential as the ground.

### **Observe All Terminal Ratings.**

To avoid fire or shock hazard, observe all ratings and markers on the instrument and check your manual for more information about ratings before connecting the instrument.

### **Use Proper Overvoltage Protection.**

Make sure that no overvoltage (such as that caused by a thunderstorm) can reach the product, or else the operator might be exposed to the danger of electrical shock.

### **Do Not Operate Without Covers.**

Do not operate the instrument with covers or panels removed.

#### Do Not Insert Anything Into the Holes of Fan.

Do not insert anything into the holes of the fan to avoid damaging the instrument.

### **Use Proper Fuse.**

Please use the specified fuses.

#### **Avoid Circuit or Wire Exposure.**

Do not touch exposed junctions and components when the unit is powered.

### **Do Not Operate With Suspected Failures.**

If you suspect damage occurs to the instrument, have it inspected by **RIGOL** authorized personnel before further operations. Any maintenance, adjustment or replacement especially to circuits or accessories must be performed by **RIGOL** authorized personnel.

#### **Keep Well Ventilation.**

Inadequate ventilation may cause an increase of instrument temperature which would cause damage to the instrument. So please keep the instrument well ventilated and inspect the intake and fan regularly.

### **Do Not Operate in Wet Conditions.**

In order to avoid short circuiting to the interior of the device or electric shock, please do not operate the instrument in a humid environment.

### **Do Not Operate in an Explosive Atmosphere.**

In order to avoid damage to the device or personal injuries, it is important to operate the device away from an explosive atmosphere.

### **Keep Product Surfaces Clean and Dry.**

To avoid the influence of dust and/or moisture in the air, please keep the surface of the device clean and dry.

### **Electrostatic Prevention.**

Operate the instrument in an electrostatic discharge protective environment to avoid damage induced by static discharges. Always ground both the internal and external conductors of cables to release static before making connections.

#### **Proper Use of Battery.**

If a battery is supplied, it must not be exposed to high temperature or in contact with fire. Keep it out of the reach of children. Improper change of battery (note: lithium battery) may cause explosion. Use **RIGOL** specified battery only.

### **Handling Safety.**

Please handle with care during transportation to avoid damage to keys, knob interfaces and other parts on the panels.

# **Safety Terms and Symbols**

**Terms Used in this Manual.** These terms may appear in this manual:



### **WARNING**

Warning statements indicate conditions or practices that could result in injury or loss of life.



#### **CAUTION**

Caution statements indicate conditions or practices that could result in damage to this product or other property.

**Terms Used on the Product.** These terms may appear on the product:

**DANGER** It calls attention to an operation, if not correctly performed, could result in injury

or hazard immediately.

**WARNING** It calls attention to an operation, if not correctly performed, could result in

potential injury or hazard.

**CAUTION** It calls attention to an operation, if not correctly performed, could result in

damage to the product or other devices connected to the product.

**Symbols Used on the Product.** These symbols may appear on the product:











Hazardous Voltage

Safety Warning

Protective Earth Terminal

Chassis Ground

Test Ground

# **Allgemeine Sicherheits Informationen**

Überprüfen Sie diefolgenden Sicherheitshinweise sorgfältigumPersonenschädenoderSchäden am Gerätundan damit verbundenen weiteren Gerätenzu vermeiden. Zur Vermeidung vonGefahren, nutzen Sie bitte das Gerät nur so, wiein diesem Handbuchangegeben.

# Um Feuer oder Verletzungen zu vermeiden, verwenden Sie ein ordnungsgemäßes Netzkabel.

Verwenden Sie für dieses Gerät nur das für ihr Land zugelassene und genehmigte Netzkabel.

### Erden des Gerätes.

Das Gerät ist durch den Schutzleiter im Netzkabel geerdet. Um Gefahren durch elektrischen Schlag zu vermeiden, ist es unerlässlich, die Erdung durchzuführen. Erst dann dürfen weitere Ein- oder Ausgänge verbunden werden.

### Anschluss eines Tastkopfes.

Die Erdungsklemmen der Sonden sindauf dem gleichen Spannungspegel des Instruments geerdet. SchließenSie die Erdungsklemmen an keine hohe Spannung an.

#### Beachten Sie alle Anschlüsse.

Zur Vermeidung von Feuer oder Stromschlag, beachten Sie alle Bemerkungen und Markierungen auf dem Instrument. Befolgen Sie die Bedienungsanleitung für weitere Informationen, bevor Sie weitere Anschlüsse an das Instrument legen.

### Verwenden Sie einen geeigneten Überspannungsschutz.

Stellen Sie sicher, daß keinerlei Überspannung (wie z.B. durch Gewitter verursacht) das Gerät erreichen kann. Andernfallsbestehtfür den Anwender die GefahreinesStromschlages.

#### Nicht ohne Abdeckung einschalten.

Betreiben Sie das Gerät nicht mit entfernten Gehäuse-Abdeckungen.

### Betreiben Sie das Gerät nicht geöffnet.

Der Betrieb mit offenen oder entfernten Gehäuseteilen ist nicht zulässig. Nichts in entsprechende Öffnungen stecken (Lüfter z.B.)

#### Passende Sicherung verwenden.

Setzen Sie nur die spezifikationsgemäßen Sicherungen ein.

### Vermeiden Sie ungeschützte Verbindungen.

Berühren Sie keine unisolierten Verbindungen oder Baugruppen, während das Gerät in Betrieb ist.

### Betreiben Sie das Gerät nicht im Fehlerfall.

Wenn Sie am Gerät einen Defekt vermuten, sorgen Sie dafür, bevor Sie das Gerät wieder betreiben, dass eine Untersuchung durch **RIGOL** autorisiertem Personal durchgeführt wird. Jedwede Wartung, Einstellarbeiten oder Austausch von Teilen am Gerät, sowie am Zubehör dürfen nur von **RIGOL** autorisiertem Personal durchgeführt werden.

### Belüftung sicherstellen.

Unzureichende Belüftung kann zu Temperaturanstiegen und somit zu thermischen Schäden am Gerät führen. Stellen Sie deswegen die Belüftung sicher und kontrollieren regelmäßig Lüfter und Belüftungsöffnungen.

### Nicht in feuchter Umgebung betreiben.

Zur Vermeidung von Kurzschluß im Geräteinneren und Stromschlag betreiben Sie das Gerät bitte niemals in feuchter Umgebung.

### Nicht in explosiver Atmosphäre betreiben.

Zur Vermeidung von Personen- und Sachschäden ist es unumgänglich, das Gerät ausschließlich fernab jedweder explosiven Atmosphäre zu betreiben.

#### Geräteoberflächen sauber und trocken halten.

Um den Einfluß von Staub und Feuchtigkeit aus der Luft auszuschließen, halten Sie bitte die Geräteoberflächen sauber und trocken.

### Schutz gegen elektrostatische Entladung (ESD).

Sorgen Sie für eine elektrostatisch geschützte Umgebung, um somit Schäden und Funktionsstörungen durch ESD zu vermeiden. Erden Sie vor dem Anschluß immer Innen- und Außenleiter der Verbindungsleitung, um statische Aufladung zu entladen.

### Die richtige Verwendung desAkku.

Wenneine Batterieverwendet wird, vermeiden Sie hohe Temperaturen bzw. Feuer ausgesetzt werden. Bewahren Sie es außerhalbder Reichweitevon Kindern auf. UnsachgemäßeÄnderung derBatterie (Anmerkung: Lithium-Batterie) kann zu einer Explosion führen. VerwendenSie nur von **RIGOL** angegebenenAkkus.

### **Sicherer Transport.**

Transportieren Sie das Gerät sorgfältig (Verpackung!), um Schäden an Bedienelementen, Anschlüssen und anderen Teilen zu vermeiden.

# **Sicherheits Begriffe und Symbole**

**Begriffe in diesem Guide.** Diese Begriffe können in diesem Handbuch auftauchen:



### **WARNING**

Die Kennzeichnung WARNING beschreibt Gefahrenquellen die leibliche Schäden oder den Tod von Personen zur Folge haben können.



#### **CAUTION**

Die Kennzeichnung Caution (Vorsicht) beschreibt Gefahrenquellen die Schäden am Gerät hervorrufen können.

Begriffe auf dem Produkt. Diese Bedingungen können auf dem Produkt erscheinen:

DANGER WARNING

weist auf eine Verletzung oder Gefährdung hin, die sofort geschehen kann. weist auf eine Verletzung oder Gefährdung hin, die möglicherweise nicht sofort geschehen.

**CAUTION** 

weist auf eine Verletzung oder Gefährdung hin und bedeutet, dass eine mögliche Beschädigung des Instruments oder anderer Gegenstände auftreten kann.

Symbole auf dem Produkt. Diese Symbole können auf dem Produkt erscheinen:











Gefährliche Spannung Sicherheits-Hinweis

**Schutz-erde** 

Gehäusemasse

Erde

# **Measurement Category**

### **Measurement Category**

MSO1000Z/DS1000Z series digital oscilloscopes can make measurements in Measurement Category I.



#### **WARNING**

This oscilloscope can only be used for measurements within its specified measurement categories.

### **Measurement Category Definitions**

Measurement category I is for measurements performed on circuits not directly connected to MAINS. Examples are measurements on circuits not derived from MAINS, and specially protected (internal) MAINS derived circuits. In the latter case, transient stresses are variable; for that reason, the transient withstand capability of the equipment is made known to the user.

Measurement category II is for measurements performed on circuits directly connected to the low voltage installation. Examples are measurements on household appliances, portable tools and similar equipment.

Measurement category III is for measurements performed in the building installation. Examples are measurements on distribution boards, circuit-breakers, wiring, including cables, bus-bars, junction boxes, switches, socket-outlets in the fixed installation, and equipment for industrial use and some other equipment, for example. Stationary motors with permanent connection to the fixed installation.

Measurement category IV is for measurements performed at the source of the low-voltage installation. Examples are electricity meters and measurements on primary overcurrent protection devices and ripple control units.

# **Ventilation Requirement**

This oscilloscope uses fan to force cooling. Please make sure that the air intake and exhaust areas are free from obstructions and have free air. When using the oscilloscope in a bench-top or rack setting, provide at least 10 cm clearance beside, above and behind the instrument for adequate ventilation.



#### **WARNING**

Inadequate ventilation may cause temperature increase which would damage the instrument. So please keep the instrument well ventilated during operation and inspect the intake and fan regularly.

# **Working Environment**

### **Temperature**

Operating:  $0^{\circ}$ C to  $+50^{\circ}$ C Non-operating:  $-40^{\circ}$ C to  $+70^{\circ}$ C

### **Humidity**

 $0^{\circ}$  to +30°C: ≤95% relative humidity +30°C to +40°C: ≤75% relative humidity +40°C to +50°C: ≤45% relative humility



#### WARNING

To avoid short circuit inside the instrument or electric shock, please do not operate in humid environment.

### **Altitude**

Operating: below 3 km Non-operating: below 15 km

### **Installation (Overvoltage) Category**

This product is powered by mains conforming to installation (overvoltage) category II.



#### **WARNING**

Make sure that no overvoltage (such as that caused by thunderbolt) can reach the product, or else the operator might expose to danger of electric shock.

### **Installation (Overvoltage) Category Definitions**

Installation (overvoltage) category I refers to signal level which is applicable to equipment measurement terminals connected to the source circuit. In these terminals, precautions are done to limit the transient voltage to the corresponding low level.

Installation (overvoltage) category II refers to the local power distribution level which is applicable to equipment connected to the AC line (AC power).

### **Pollution Degree**

Degree 2

### **Pollution Degree Definitions**

Pollution degree 1: No pollution or only dry, non-conductive pollution occurs. The pollution has no influence. For example: a clean room or air-conditioned office environment.

Pollution degree 2: Normally only dry, non-conductive pollution occurs. Occasionally a temporary conductivity caused by condensation may occur. For example: general indoor environment.

Pollution degree 3: Conductive pollution occurs, or dry, non-conductive pollution occurs which becomes conductive due to condensation which is expected. For example: Sheltered outdoor environment.

Pollution degree 4: Pollution that generates persistent conductivity through conductive dust, rain, or snow. For example: outdoor locations.

### **Safety Class**

Class 1 - Grounded Product

# **General Care and Cleaning**

#### **General Care**

Do not store or leave the instrument where it may be exposed to direct sunlight for long periods of time.

#### Cleaning

Clean the instrument regularly according to its operating conditions. To clean the exterior surface, perform the following steps:

- 1. Disconnect the instrument from all power sources.
- 2. Clean the loose dust on the outside of the instrument with a lint-free cloth (with a mild detergent or water). When cleaning the LCD, take care to avoid scarifying it.



#### CALITION

To avoid damage to the instrument, do not expose it to caustic liquids.



#### **WARNING**

To avoid short-circuit and personal injury resulting from moisture, make sure the instrument is completely dry before reconnecting it to power supply.

# **Environmental Considerations**

The following symbol indicates that this product complies with the WEEE Directive 2002/96/EC.



### **Product End-of-Life Handling**

The equipment may contain substances that could be harmful to the environment or human health. In order to avoid release of such substances into the environment and harm to human health, we encourage you to recycle this product in an appropriate system that will ensure that most of the materials are reused or recycled appropriately. Please contact your local authorities for disposal or recycling information.

# **Document Overview**

This manual is used to guide users to quickly get familiar with the front panel, rear panel, user interface and basic operation method of MSO1000Z/DS1000Z series digital oscilloscope. You can download the newest version of the manual from **RIGOL** official website (www.rigol.com).

### **Format Conventions in this Manual:**

### 1. Key

The front panel keys are denoted by the format of "Key Name (Bold) + Text Box". For example, **Utility** denotes the "Utility" key.

#### 2. Menu

The menu softkeys are denoted by the format of "Menu Word (Bold) + Character Shading". For example, **System** denotes the "System" menu under **Utility**.

### 3. Operation Step

The next step of operation is denoted by an arrow " $\rightarrow$ ". For example,  $\boxed{\text{Utility}} \rightarrow \text{System}$  denotes pressing  $\boxed{\text{Utility}}$  at the front panel and then pressing  $\boxed{\text{System}}$ .

#### 4. Knob

Label	Knob
HORIZONTAL SCALE	Horizontal Scale Knob
HORIZONTAL O POSITION	Horizontal Position Knob
VERTICAL SCALE	Vertical Scale Knob
VERTICAL OPPOSITION	Vertical Position Knob
TRIGGER O LEVEL	Trigger Level Knob

### **Content Conventions in this Manual:**

MSO1000Z/DS1000Z series includes the following models. Unless otherwise noted, in this manual, MSO1104Z-S is taken as an example to illustrate the front panel, rear panel, user interface and basic operation methods of MSO1000Z/DS1000Z series.

Model	Analog Bandwidth	Number of Analog Channels	Number of Source Channels	Number of Digital Channels
MSO1104Z-S	100 MHz	4	2	16
MSO1074Z-S	70 MHz	4	2	16
MSO1104Z	100 MHz	4		16
MSO1074Z	70 MHz	4		16
DS1104Z-S Plus	100 MHz	4	2	16 <sup>[1]</sup>
DS1074Z-S Plus	70 MHz	4	2	16 <sup>[1]</sup>
DS1104Z Plus	100 MHz	4		16 <sup>[1]</sup>
DS1074Z Plus	70 MHz	4		16 <sup>[1]</sup>
DS1054Z	50 MHz	4		

**Note**<sup>[1]</sup>: Need to be upgraded to MSO using the MSO upgrade option.

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# **Quick Start**

# **General Inspection**

### 1. Inspect the shipping container for damage.

Keep the damaged shipping container or cushioning material until the contents of the shipment have been checked for completeness and the instrument has passed both electrical and mechanical tests.

The consigner or carrier shall be liable for the damage to instrument resulting from shipment. **RIGOL** would not be responsible for free maintenance/rework or replacement of the unit.

# 2. Inspect the instrument.

In case of any damage, or defect, or failure, notify your **RIGOL** sales representative.

### 3. Check the Accessories

Please check the accessories according to the packing lists. If the accessories are incomplete or damaged, please contact your **RIGOL** sales representative.

# **Appearance and Dimensions**

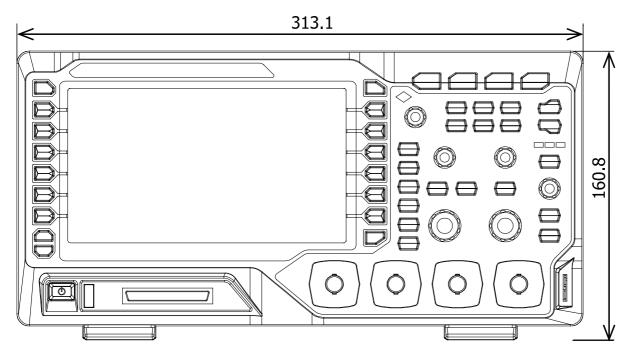


Figure 1 Front View Unit: mm

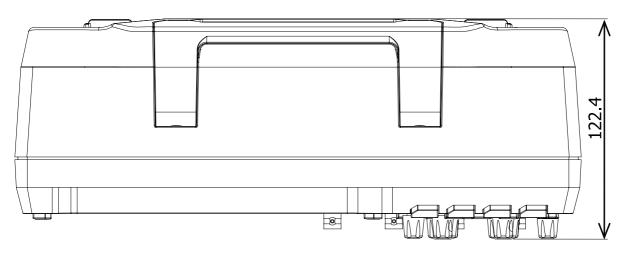


Figure 2 Top View Unit: mm

# **To Prepare for Operation**

# **To Adjust the Supporting Legs**

Adjust the supporting legs properly to use them as stands to tilt the oscilloscope upwards for stable placement of the instrument as well as easier operation and observation of the instrument.

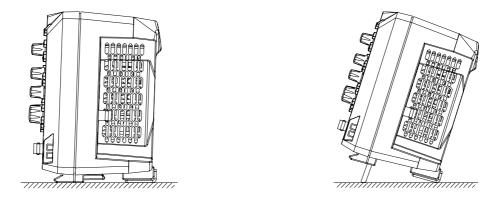


Figure 3 To Adjust the Supporting Legs

# **To Connect to AC Power Supply**

This oscilloscope can accept 100-240 V, 45-440 Hz AC power supply. Please use the power cord supplied with the accessories to connect the oscilloscope to the power source as shown in the figure below.

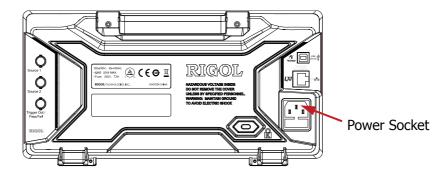


Figure 4 To Connect to AC Power Supply

# **Power-on Inspection**

When the oscilloscope is energized, press the power key at the lower-left corner of the front panel to turn on the oscilloscope. During the start-up process, the oscilloscope performs a series of self-test items. After the self-test is finished, the welcome screen is displayed. The instrument is installed with the trial versions of the options before leaving factory and the remaining time is about 2000 minutes. The "Installed Options" dialog box will be displayed if your instrument currently installs the trial versions of options. From this dialog box you can view the name, detail, version and remaining trial time of the option currently installed.

# **To Connect the Probe**

**RIGOL** provides passive probe (standard) for DS1000Z series as well as passive probe (standard) and logic probe (standard) for MSO1000Z series. For detailed technical information of the probes, please refer to corresponding Probe User's Guide. The following are the probes recommended for use with the oscilloscope.

Model	Description	
RP2200A	150 MHz, passive probe, standard	
RPL1116	Logic probe, standard	

### **Connect the Probe:**

- 1. Connect the BNC terminal of the probe to an analog channel input of the oscilloscope at the front panel.
- 2. Connect the ground alligator clip of the probe to the circuit ground terminal and then connect the probe tip to the circuit point under test.

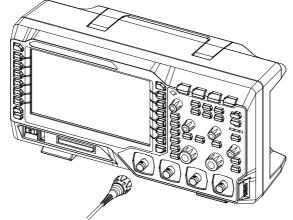


Figure 5 To Connect the Passive Probe

### **Connect the Logic Probe:**

- 1. Connect the single-wire terminal of the logic probe to the digital channel input terminal at the front panel of the oscilloscope in the correct direction.
- 2. Connect the other terminal of the logic probe to the signal under test. MSO1000Z series is provided with the RPL1116 logic probe (standard) which provides two connecting methods to connect to the signal under test to realize convenient and flexible detection. For the details, please refer to the *RPL1116 Logic Probe User's Guide*.



Figure 6 To Connect the Logic Probe

**Note:** The digital channel input terminal does not support hot plug. Please do not insert or pull out the logic probe when the instrument is powered on.

# **Function Inspection**

- Press <u>Storage</u> → <u>Default</u> to restore the oscilloscope to its default configuration.
- 2. Connect the earth alligator clip of the probe to the "Ground Terminal" as shown in the figure below.
- 3. Use the probe to connect the input terminal of CH1 and the "Compensation Signal Output Terminal" of the oscilloscope.

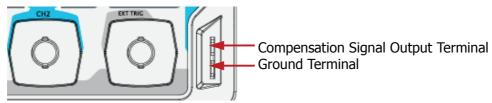


Figure 7 To Use the Compensation Signal

- 4. Press AUTO.
- 5. Observe the waveform on the display. In normal condition, the display should be a square waveform as shown in the figure below:

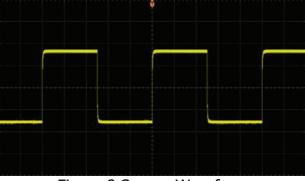


Figure 8 Square Waveform

6. Use the same method to test the other channels. If the square waveforms actually shown do not match that in the figure above, please perform "**Probe Compensation**".



### **WARNING**

To avoid electric shock during the use of probe, please make sure that the insulated wire of the probe is in good condition and do not touch the metallic part of the probe when the probe is connected to high voltage source.

### Tip

The signal output from the probe compensation connector can only be used for probe compensation adjustment and can not be used for calibration.

# **Probe Compensation**

When the probes are used for the first time, you should compensate the probes to match the input channels of the oscilloscope. Non-compensated or poorly compensated probes may cause measurement inaccuracy or error. The probe compensation procedures are as follows:

- 1. Perform steps 1, 2, 3 and 4 of "Function Inspection".
- 2. Check the displayed waveforms and compare them with the following figures.

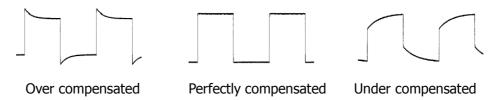


Figure 9 Probe Compensation

3. Use a nonmetallic driver to adjust the low-frequency compensation adjustment hole on the probe until the displayed waveform is as the "Perfectly compensated" in the figure above.

# **Front Panel Overview**

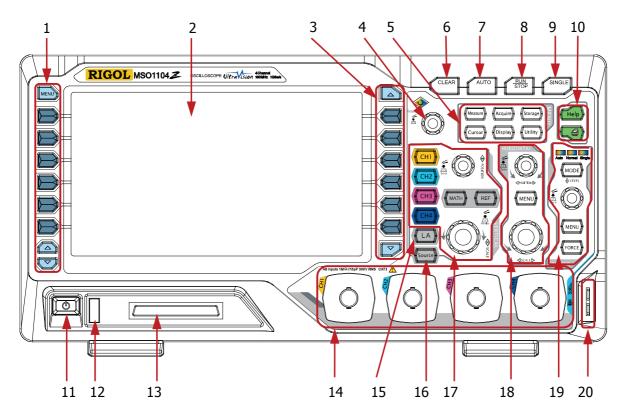


Figure 10 Front Panel Overview

Table 1 Front Panel Description

No.	Description	No.	Description
1	Measurement Menu Softkeys	11	Power Key
2	LCD	12	USB Host Interface
3	Function Menu Softkeys	13	Digital Channel Input Interface <sup>[1]</sup>
4	Multifunction Knob	14	Analog Channel Input Interface
5	Common Operation Keys	15	Logic Analysis Control Key <sup>[1]</sup>
6	CLEAR	16	Signal Source <sup>[2]</sup>
7	AUTO	17	VERTICAL Control
8	RUN/STOP	18	HORIZONTAL Control
9	SINGLE	19	TRIGGER Control
10	Help/Print	20	Probe Compensation Signal Output Terminal/Ground Terminal

**Note**<sup>[1]</sup>: Only applicable to MSO1000Z and DS1000Z Plus. **Note**<sup>[2]</sup>: Only applicable to digital oscilloscopes with source channels.

# **Rear Panel Overview**

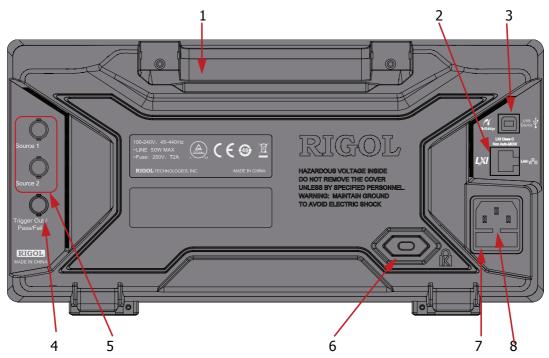


Figure 11 Rear Panel Overview

### 1. Handle

Pull up the handle vertically for easy carrying of the instrument. When you do not need the handle, press it down.

### 2. LAN

Connect the instrument to the network via this interface for remote control. This oscilloscope conforms to the LXI CORE 2011 DEVICE class instrument standards and can quickly build test system with other instruments.

### 3. USB DEVICE

You can connect the oscilloscope to a PictBridge printer or PC via this interface. When a PC is connected, users can send SCPI commands using the PC software or control the oscilloscope via user-defined programming. When a printer is connected, users can print the waveforms displayed on the screen using the printer.

# 4. Trigger Out and Pass/Fail

### Trigger Out:

The oscilloscope can output a signal that can reflect the current capture rate of the oscilloscope at each trigger via this interface. Connect the signal to a waveform display device to measure the frequency of the signal. The measurement result is equal to the current capture rate.

### Pass/Fail:

The instrument will output a negative pulse via this connector when a failed waveform is detected during the pass/fail test. The instrument continuously outputs a low level via this connector when no failed waveform is detected.

### **5. Source Output**

The output terminals of the built-in dual-channel source of the oscilloscope. When Source1 or Source2 is enabled, the signal currently set can be output through the **[Source1]** or **[Source2]** connector at the rear panel.

### 6. Lock Hole

You can lock the instrument to a fixed location using the security lock (please buy it yourself) via the lock hole.

### 7. Fuse

If a new fuse is required, please use the specified fuse (250V, T2A). The operation method is as follows:

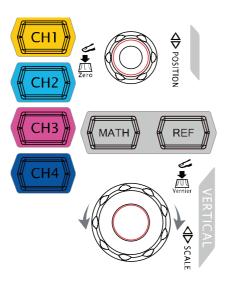
- a) Turn off the instrument, disconnect the power, and then remove the power cord.
- b) Insert a small straight screwdriver into the slot at the power socket and prize out the fuse seat gently.
- c) Take out the fuse and replace it with a specified fuse. Then, install the fuse seat.

#### 8. AC Power Socket

AC power input terminal. The power requirements of this oscilloscope are 100-240 V, 45-440 Hz. Use the power cord provided with the accessories to connect the instrument to AC power. Then, you can press the power key at the front panel to start the instrument.

# **Front Panel Function Overview**

### **VERTICAL**



keys. The 4 channels are marked by different colors which are also used to mark both the corresponding waveforms on the screen and the channel input connectors. Press any key to open the corresponding channel menu and press again to turn off the channel.

MATH: press MATH → Math, you can open the math operation menu under which A+B, A-B, A×B, A/B, FFT, A&&B, A|B, A^B, !A, Intg, Diff, Sqrt, Lg, Ln, Exp and Abs are provided. You can also press MATH to open the decoding menu and set the decoding options.

**REF**: press this key to enable the reference waveform function to compare the waveform actually measured with the reference waveform.

**Vertical** POSITION: modify the vertical position of the current channel waveform. Turn clockwise to increase the position and turn counterclockwise to decrease. During the modification, the waveform would move up and down and the position message (e.g. Pos: 216.0mV) at the lower-left corner of the screen would change accordingly. Press down this knob to quickly reset the vertical position to zero.

**VERTICAL** SCALE: modify the vertical scale of the current channel. Turn clockwise to decrease the scale and turn counterclockwise to increase. During the modification, the amplitude of the waveform would enlarge or reduce and the scale information (e.g. 1 200mV ) at the lower side of the screen would change accordingly. Press down this knob to quickly switch the vertical scale adjustment modes between "Coarse" and "Fine".

### Tip

How to set the vertical scale and vertical position of each channel? The 4 channels of MSO1000Z/DS1000Z use the same VERTICAL POSITION and VERTICAL SCALE knobs. If you want to set the vertical scale and vertical position of a certain channel, please press CH1, CH2, CH3 or CH4 at first to select the desired channel. Then rotate the VERTICAL POSITION and VERTICAL SCALE knobs to set the values.

# **Logic Analyzer**



Press this key to open the logic analyzer control menu. You can turn on or off any channel or channel group, modify the display size of the digital channel, modify the logic threshold of the digital channel as well as group the 16 digital channels. You can also set a label for each digital channel.

#### Note:

- This function is only applicable to MSO1000Z and DS1000Z Plus with the MSO upgrade option.
- Press LA → D7-D0; when "On" is selected, CH4 function is automatically disabled; when "Off" is selected, CH4 function recovers automatically. Press LA → D15-D8; when "On" is selected, CH3 function is automatically disabled; when "Off" is selected, CH3 function recovers automatically.

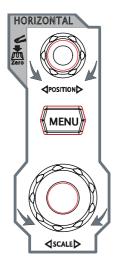
# **Signal Source**



Press this key to enter the source setting interface. You can enable or disable the output of the **[Source1]** or **[Source2]** connector at the rear panel, set the output signal waveform and parameters, turn on or off the state display of the current signal.

**Note:** This function is only applicable to digital oscilloscopes with source channels.

# **HORIZONTAL**



position. The trigger point would move left or right relative to the center of the screen when you turn the knob. During the modification, waveforms of all the channels would move left or right and the horizontal position message (e.g.

D -200.000000ns ) at the upper-right corner of the screen would change accordingly. Press down this knob to quickly reset the horizontal position (or the delayed sweep position).

**MENU**: press this key to open the horizontal control menu where you can turn on or off the delayed sweep function and switch between different time base modes.

**HORIZONTAL** SCALE: modify the horizontal time base. Turn clockwise to reduce the time base and turn counterclockwise to increase the time base. During the modification, waveforms of all the channels will be displayed in expanded or compressed mode and the time base message (e.g. Hospital) at the upper side of the screen would change accordingly. Press down this knob to quickly switch to delayed sweep state.

# TRIGGER



**MODE**: press this key to switch the trigger mode to **Auto**, **Normal** or **Single** and the corresponding state backlight of the current trigger mode would be illuminated.

**TRIGGER** LEVEL: modify the trigger level. Turn clockwise to increase the level and turn counterclockwise to reduce the level. During the modification, the trigger level line would move up and down and the value in the trigger level message box (e.g. Trig Level: 428mV) at the lower-left corner of the screen would change accordingly. Press down the knob to quickly reset the trigger level to zero point.

**MENU**: press this key to open the trigger operation menu. This oscilloscope provides various trigger types; for the details, please refer to the introduction in *MSO1000Z/DS1000Z User's Guide*.

**FORCE**: press this key to generate a trigger signal forcibly.

# **CLEAR**



Press this key to clear all the waveforms on the screen. If the oscilloscope is in "RUN" state, new waveforms will still be displayed.

### **AUTO**



Press this key to enable the waveform auto setting function. The oscilloscope will automatically adjust the vertical scale, horizontal time base and trigger mode according to the input signal to realize optimum waveform display.

**Note:** Waveform auto setting function requires that the frequency of sine is no lower than 41 Hz; the duty cycle should be greater than 1% and the amplitude must be at least 20 mVpp for square. Otherwise, the Waveform auto setting function may be invalid and the quick parameter measurement function displayed in the menu will also be unavailable.

# **RUN/STOP**



Press this key to "RUN" or "STOP" waveform sampling. In the "RUN" state, the key is illuminated in yellow. In the "STOP" state, the key is illuminated in red.

# **SINGLE**



Press this key to set the trigger mode to "Single". In single trigger mode, press **FORCE** to generate a trigger signal immediately.

# **Multifunction Knob**



# Adjust waveform brightness:

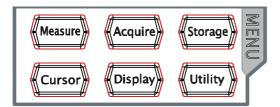
In non-menu-operation mode, turn this knob to adjust the brightness of waveform display. The adjustable range is from 0% to 100%. Turn clockwise to increase the brightness and counterclockwise to reduce. Press down this knob to reset the brightness to 60%.

You can also press **Display Intensity** and use the knob to adjust the waveform brightness.

### **Multifunctional:**

In menu operation, the backlight of the knob goes on. Press any menu softkey and turn the knob to select the submenus under this menu and then press down the knob to select the current submenu. It can also be used to modify parameters (please refer to the introduction in "**Parameter Setting Method**") and input filename.

# **Function Menus**



**Measure**: press this key to open the measurement setting menu. You can set the measurement source, turn on or off the frequency counter, all measure, statistic function and etc. Press **MENU** at the left of the screen to switch the measurement menus of 33 waveform parameters. Then, press down the corresponding menu softkey to quickly realize one-key measurement and the measurement result will be displayed at the bottom of the screen.

**Acquire**: press this key to enter the sample setting menu to set the acquisition mode, Sin(x)/x and memory depth of the oscilloscope.

**Storage**: press this key to enter file store and recall interface. The storable file types include picture, traces, waveforms, setups, CSV and parameters. Internal and external storage as well as disk management are also supported.

**Cursor**: press this key to enter the cursor measurement menu. The oscilloscope provides four cursor modes: manual, track, auto and XY. Note that XY cursor mode is only available when the horizontal time base is set to XY.

**Display**: press this key to enter display setting menu to set the display type, persistence time, wave intensity, grid type and grid brightness.

**Utility**: press this key to enter the system function setting menu to set the system-related functions or parameters, such as the I/O, sound and language. Besides, some advanced functions (such as the pass/fail test, waveform record, etc.) are also supported.

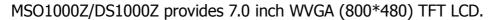
### **Print**



Press this key to print the screen or save the screen to a USB storage device.

- If a PictBridge printer is connected currently and the printer is in idle state, pressing this key will execute the print operation.
- If no printer is connected but a USB storage device is inserted, pressing this key can save the screen to the USB storage device in the specified format.
- If both a printer and a USB storage device are connected at the same time, the printer enjoys higher priority when pressing this key.

# **User Interface**



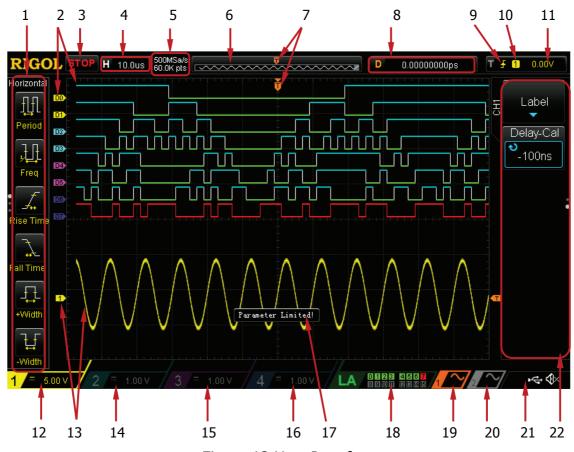


Figure 12 User Interface

### 1. Auto Measurement Items

Provide 16 horizontal (HORIZONTAL) and 17 vertical (VERTICAL) measurement parameters. Press the softkey at the left of the screen to activate the corresponding measurement item. Press **MENU** continuously to switch between the horizontal and vertical parameters.

### 2. Digital Channel Label/Waveform

The logic high level of the digital waveform is displayed in blue and the logic low level in green. Its edge is displayed in white. The label and waveform of the digital channel currently selected are displayed in red. The group set function in logic analyzer menu can divide the digital channels into four groups, channel labels in the same group are marked with the same color and labels in different groups are marked with different colors.

**Note:** This function is only applicable to MSO1000Z and DS1000Z Plus with the MSO upgrade option.

#### 3. Status

Available states include RUN, STOP, T'D (triggered), WAIT and AUTO.

### 4. Horizontal Time Base

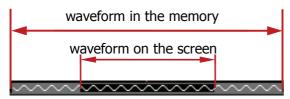
- Represent the time per grid on the horizontal axis on the screen.
- Use **HORIZONTAL** SCALE to modify this parameter. The range available is from 5 ns to 50 s.

# 5. Sample Rate/Memory Depth

- Display the current sample rate and memory depth of the oscilloscope.
- The sample rate and memory depth will change in accordance with the horizontal time base.

### 6. Waveform Memory

Provide the schematic diagram of the memory position of the waveform currently on the screen.



# 7. Trigger Position

Display the trigger position of the waveform in the waveform memory and on the screen.

### 8. Horizontal Position

Use **HORIZONTAL OPENITION** to modify this parameter. Press down the knob to automatically set the parameter to zero.

### 9. Trigger Type

Display the currently selected trigger type and trigger condition setting.

Different labels are displayed when different trigger types are selected.

For example: 

represents triggering on the rising edge in "Edge" trigger.

### **10.** Trigger Source

Display the trigger source currently selected (CH1-CH4, AC Line or any channel of D0-D15). Different labels are displayed when different trigger sources are selected and the color of the trigger parameter area will change accordingly. For example: denotes that CH1 is selected as the trigger source.

### 11. Trigger Level

- When the trigger source is set to analog channel, you need to set proper trigger level.
- at the right of the screen is the trigger level label and the trigger level value is displayed at the upper-right corner of the screen.

When using TRIGGER <u>DEVEL</u> to modify the trigger level, the trigger level value will change with the up and down of .
 Note: In slope trigger, runt trigger and windows trigger, there are two trigger level labels ( and ).

#### 12. CH1 Vertical Scale

- Display the voltage value per grid of CH1 waveform vertically.
- Use **VERTICAL OSCALE** to modify this parameter.
- The following labels will be displayed according to the current channel setting: channel coupling (e.g. ■) and bandwidth limit (e.g. ■).

### 13. Analog Channel Label/Waveform

Different channels are marked with different colors and the colors of the channel label and waveform are the same.

### 14. CH2 Vertical Scale

- Display the voltage value per grid of CH2 waveform vertically.
- Use **VERTICAL SCALE** to modify this parameter.
- The following labels will be displayed according to the current channel setting: channel coupling (e.g. ■) and bandwidth limit (e.g. ■).

### 15. CH3 Vertical Scale

- Display the voltage value per grid of CH3 waveform vertically.
- Use **VERTICAL O SCALE** to modify this parameter.
- The following labels will be displayed according to the current channel setting: channel coupling (e.g. ■) and bandwidth limit (e.g. ■).

### 16. CH4 Vertical Scale

- Display the voltage value per grid of CH4 waveform vertically.
- Use VERTICAL SCALE to modify this parameter.
- The following labels will be displayed according to the current channel setting: channel coupling (e.g. ■) and bandwidth limit (e.g. ■).

### 17. Message Box

Display prompt messages.

### 18. Digital Channel Status Area

Display the current status of the 16 digital channels. The digital channels currently turned on are displayed in green, the digital channel currently selected is displayed in red and the digital channels turned off are displayed in grey.

Note: This function is only applicable to MSO1000Z and DS1000Z Plus with the MSO upgrade option.

### 19. Source1 Waveform

- Display the type of waveform currently set for Source1.
- When the modulation is enabled, M will be displayed at the bottom of the

Source1 Waveform.

- When the impedance of signal source is set to 50  $\Omega$ ,  $\Omega$  will be displayed at the bottom of the Source1 Waveform.
- Only applicable to digital oscilloscopes with source channels.

### 20. Source2 Waveform

- Display the type of waveform currently set for Source2.
- When the modulation is enabled, will be displayed at the bottom of the Source2 Waveform.
- When the impedance of signal source is set to 50  $\Omega$ ,  $\Omega$  will be displayed at the bottom of the Source2 Waveform.
- Only applicable to digital oscilloscopes with source channels.

### 21. Notification Area

Display sound icon and USB disk icon.

- Sound Icon: Press **Utility** → **Sound** to enable or disable the sound. When the sound is enabled, will be displayed; when the sound is disabled, will be displayed.
- USB Disk Icon: when a USB disk is detected, will be displayed.

### 22. Operation Menu

Press any softkey to activate the corresponding menu.

The following symbols might be displayed in the menu:

- Denote that you can rotate the multifunction knob  $\circlearrowleft$  to modify parameters. The backlight of  $\circlearrowright$  turns on during the parameter modification.
- Denote that you can rotate  $\circlearrowleft$  to select the desired item, the item currently selected is displayed in blue, press down the knob to enter the corresponding menu. The backlight of  $\circlearrowright$  is constant on after menus with this symbol are selected.
- Denote that press  $\circlearrowleft$  to input desired paramrter values directly using the pop-up numeric keyboard. The backlight of  $\circlearrowleft$  is constant on after menus with this symbol are selected.
- Denote that the current menu has several options.
- Denote that the current menu has a lower level menu.
- Press this key to return to the previous menu.
- The number of the dots denotes that the number of the pages the current menu has.

# **Parameter Setting Method**

This oscilloscope provides two methods to set the basic parameters.

### Method 1:

When is displayed on the menu, you can rotate to set the desired value directly.

# Method 2:

When is displayed, press down the numeric keyboard is displayed, as shown below. Rotate the knob to select the desired value, and then press down the knob to input the value. After all the value input, rotate the knob to select the desired unit, press down the knob to finish your input.



Figure 13 Numeric Keyboard

# **To Use the Security Lock**

If needed, you can use the security lock (please buy it yourself) to lock the oscilloscope to a fixed location. The method is as follows, align the lock with the lock hole and plug it into the lock hole vertically, turn the key clockwise to lock the oscilloscope and then pull the key out.



Figure 14 To Use the Security Lock

**Note:** Please do not insert other articles into the security lock hole to avoid damaging the instrument.

# To Use the Built-in Help System

The help system of this oscilloscope provides instructions for all the function keys (including menu keys) at the front panel. Press **Help** to open the help interface and press again to close the interface. The help interface mainly consists of two parts. The left is "Help Options" and the right is "Help Display Area".

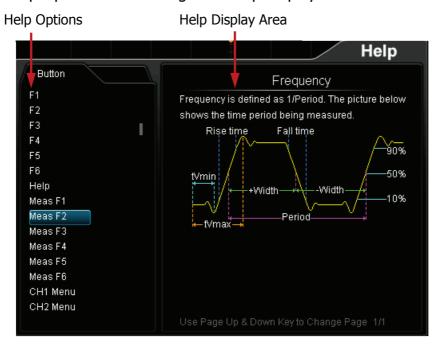


Figure 15 Help Information

# **Troubleshooting**

The commonly encountered failures and their solutions are listed below. When you encounter those failures, please solve them following the corresponding steps. If the problem remains still, please contact **RIGOL** and provide your device information (acquisition method: **Utility > System > System Info**).

# 1. The screen is still dark (no display) after power on:

- (1) Check whether the power switch is really on.
- (2) Check whether the power is correctly connected.
- (3) Check whether the fuse is burned out. If the fuse needs to be changed, please use the specified fuse.
- (4) Restart the instrument after finishing the above inspections.
- (5) If it still does not work correctly, please contact **RIGOL**.

### 2. The signal is sampled but no waveform of the signal is displayed:

- (1) Check whether the probe is correctly connected to the item under tested.
- (2) Check whether there are signals generated from the item under test (you can connect the probe compensation signal to the problematic channel to determine which has problem, the channel or the item under test).
- (3) Resample the signal.
- 3. The voltage amplitude measured is greater or lower than the actual value (note that this failure usually only occurs when probe is used): Check whether the probe ratio of the channel complies with the attenuation ratio of the probe.

### 4. There is waveform display but not stable:

- (1) Check the trigger signal source: press **MENU** (in the trigger control area (TRIGGER) at the front panel) → **Source** to check whether the trigger source selected complies with the signal channel actually used.
- (2) Check the trigger type: general signals should use "Edge" trigger and video signal should use "Video" trigger. Only when the proper trigger type is used, can the waveform be displayed stably.
- (3) Check the trigger level: adjust the trigger level to the middle of the signal.
- (4) Change the trigger holdoff setting.

# 5. No display after pressing RUN/STOP:

Check whether the trigger mode in the trigger control area (TRIGGER) at the front panel is "Normal" or "Single" and whether the trigger level exceeds the waveform range. If yes, set the trigger level to the middle or press **MODE** to set the trigger mode to "Auto".

**Note:** Using **AUTO** could automatically finish the above setting.

# 6. The display of waveform is ladder-like:

- (1) The horizontal time base might be too low. Increase the horizontal time base to increase the horizontal resolution and improve the display.
- (2) If the display type is "Vectors", the lines between the sample points may cause ladder-like display. Press **Display** → **Type** to set the display type to "Dots" to solve the problem.

# 7. Fail to connect PC or PictBridge printer through USB:

- (1) Press **Utility** → **IO Setting** → **USB Device** to check whether the current setting matches the device currently connected.
- (2) Check whether the USB cable is correctly connected to the instrument and PC.
- (3) Check whether the USB cable is in good condition. If needed, restart the oscilloscope.

# 8. The USB storage device cannot be recognized:

- (1) Check whether the USB storage device can work normally.
- (2) Check whether the USB storage device being used is flash type. This oscilloscope does not support hardware type USB storage device.
- (3) Check whether the capacity of the USB storage device is too large. It is recommended that the capacity of the USB storage device being used with this oscilloscope is no larger than 8 GBytes.
- (4) Restart the instrument and then insert the USB storage device to check it.
- (5) If the USB storage device still cannot be used normally, please contact **RIGOL**.