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## VC171 DIGITAL MULTIMETER



### Item no. 2446478

A robust CAT III 600 V digital multimeter for professional, industrial and do-it-yourself applications.

### FEATURES

- AC / DC voltage measurement
- AC / DC current measurement up to 10 A
- Duty cycle
- Diode test
- Acoustic continuity tester
- Hold function
- Auto power off
- 4000 counts
- True RMS
- Auto range
- 600 V high performance fuses
- CAT III 600 V measuring category
- Torch function



## TECHNICAL DATA

Intended use	Indoors
Voltage supply	9 V block battery (6F22, NEDA 1604 or same)
Operating time/battery	approx. 35 h (backlight always on, torch off, buzzer off)
Measuring impedance	approx. 10 M $\Omega$ (600 mV: $\geq 100$ M $\Omega$ )
Display range	4000 counts (characters)
Refresh rate	2-3x per sec
Measuring method AC	True RMS
Measuring line length	each approx. 90 cm
Low battery indicator	$\leq 6$ V $\pm 0.2$ V
Measuring jacks distance	19 mm (COM-V)
Auto power off	approx. 15 minutes
Data hold	approx. 15 minutes
Measuring category	$\leq$ CAT III 600 V
Degree of contamination	2
Direct voltage	max. 600.0 V / DC
Alternating voltage	max. 600.0 V / AC
Direct current	max. 10.00 A / DC
Alternating current	max. 10.00 A / AC
Resistance	max. 40.00 M $\Omega$
Capacitance	max. 100.0 $\mu$ F
Operating temperature	0 to +40 °C
Storage temperature	-10 to +50 °C
Operating/storage humidity	0 to +30 °C: $\leq 75$ % RH (non-condensing) +30 to +40 °C: $\leq 50$ % RH (non-condensing)
Operating altitude	max. 2000 m (above sea level)
Dimensions (W x H x D):	76.5 x 157.5 x 40 mm
Weight	approx. 262 g (without battery)
F1 Fuse	$\varnothing 6 \times 32$ mm, FF 10 A, H 600 V, Breaking capacity: 10 KA Input terminal protection (A)
F2 Fuse	$\varnothing 5 \times 20$ mm, FF 400 mA H 600 V, Breaking capacity: 500 A min. Input terminal protection ( $\mu$ A, mA)

### Capacitance measurement

Range	Resolution	Accuracy
40.00 nF	0.01 nF	$\pm (4 \% + 10)$
400.0 nF	0.1 nF	$\pm (4 \% + 3)$
4.000 - 100.0 $\mu$ F	0.001 - 0.1 $\mu$ F	
Overload protection: 600 V		

### Continuity (•••) and diode (▶) test

Range	Resolution	Remark
•••)	0.1 $\Omega$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Open circuit: Resistance <math>&gt; 100</math> <math>\Omega</math>, no beep.</li> <li>Circuit with a good connection: Resistance <math>\leq 10</math> <math>\Omega</math>, consecutive beeps.</li> </ul>
▶	1 mV	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Open circuit voltage: Approx. 3.2 V</li> <li>Silicon PN junction voltage: Approx. 0.5 to 0.8 V</li> </ul>
Overload protection: 600 V		

## DC voltage measurement

Range	Resolution	Accuracy
4.000 V	0.001 V	± (0.7 % +6)
40.00 V	0.01 V	
400.0 V	0.1 V	
600 V	1 V	

- Input impedance: approx 10 MΩ
- Input voltage: max. 600 V

## AC voltage measurement

Range	Resolution	Accuracy
400.0 mV	0.1m V	± (1.5 % + 8)
4.000 V	0.001 V	± (1.2 % + 6)
40.00 V	0.01 V	± (1.2 % + 6)
400.0 V	0.1 V	± (1.2 % + 6)
600 V	1 V	± (1.5 % + 4)

- Input impedance: approx. 10 MΩ.
- True RMS display.
- Frequency response: 40 - 400 Hz.
- Accuracy guarantee range: 5~100% of range, short circuit allows least significant digit <5.
- Non-sinusoidal waveforms:
  - When the crest factor is 1.0 to 2.0, the accuracy must be increased by 4.0 %.
  - When the crest factor is 2.0 to 2.5, the accuracy must be increased by 5.0 %.
  - When the crest factor is 2.5 to 3.0, the accuracy must be increased by 7.0 %.
- Input voltage: max. 600 Vrms.

## Resistance measurement (Ω)

Range	Resolution	Accuracy
400.0 Ω	0.1 Ω	± (1.3 % + 5)
4.000 kΩ	1 Ω	± (1.3 % + 5)
40.00 kΩ	10 Ω	
400.0 kΩ	100 Ω	
4.000 MΩ	1 kΩ	± (1.5 % + 5)
40.00 MΩ	10 kΩ	± (2.5 % + 5)

Overload protection: 600 V

## Frequency / duty ratio measurement

Range	Resolution	Accuracy
10.00 Hz - 10.00 MHz	0.01 Hz - 0.01 MHz	± (0.6 % + 5)
0.1 % - 99.9 %	0.1 %	± 2.5 %

- Overload protection: 600 V
- Input amplitude a: (DC level = 0)
  - ≤100 kHz: 300 m Vrms ≤ a ≤ 20 Vrms
  - 100 kHz - 1 MHz: 600 m Vrms ≤ a ≤ 20 Vrms
  - ≥1 MHz - 10 MHz: 6 Vrms ≤ a ≤ 30 Vrms
- Duty ratio measurement is applicable to zero-crossing square waves with frequency ≤10kHz.
  - 1 Vpp ≤ Input amplitude ≤ 30 Vpp.
  - Frequency ≤ 1 kHz, duty ratio: 10.0 % to 90.0 %.
  - Frequency > 1 kHz, duty ratio: 30.0 % to 70.0 %

## DC current measurement

Range		Resolution	Accuracy
μA	400.0 μA	0.1 μA	± (1.0 % + 6)
	4000 μA	1 μA	
mA	40.00 mA	10 μA	
	400.0 mA	0.1 mA	
A	4.000 A	1 mA	± (1.3 % + 4)
	10.00 A	10 mA	± (1.5 % + 6)

- When the measured current is >5 A, each measurement time should be ≤30 s and the rest interval should be ≥15 minutes.
- Overload protection:
  - F1 Fuse: ø6×32 mm, FF 10 A, H 600 V, Breaking capacity:10 KA
  - F2 Fuse: ø5×20 mm, FF 400 mA H 600 V, Breaking capacity: 500 A min.

## AC current measurement

Range		Resolution	Accuracy
μA	400.0μA	0.1 μA	± (1.5 % + 6)
	4000μA	1 μA	
mA	40.00 mA	10 μA	
	400.0 mA	0.1 mA	
A	4.000 A	1 mA	± (1.8 % + 6)
	10.00 A	10 mA	

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