# **USER'S MANUAL**

**DIGITAL MULTIMETER** 

**DMR-4300** 

# **CIRCUIT-TEST ELECTRONICS**

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#### SAFETY INFORMATION

This meter is CUL and UL approved and conforms to IEC 61010-1 for Category III 600V and Category II 1000V. This meter is designed to be safe under the following conditions: indoor use, altitude up to 2000m, temperature 5°C to 40°C, maximum relative humidity 80% for temperatures up to 31°C decreasing linearly to 50% relative humidity at 40°C and rated pollution degree 2. Caution and proper guidelines must be followed for personal and product safety. Read this instruction manual carefully and completely before using the meter. Lack of caution or poor safety practices can result in serious injury or death.

- This meter is not recommended for high voltage industrial use; for example, do not use for measurement on 440VAC or 600VAC industrial power mains. The unit is intended for use with low energy circuits up to 600VDC / 600VAC or high energy circuits up to 250VAC / 250VDC only.
- Use caution when working above 60VDC or 30VAC RMS as these voltages pose a shock hazard.
- Always consider circuits to be energized. Never assume any equipment to be de-energized.
- Always start with power off. Set the function switch to the correct setting before making any measurements and do not change position of the function switch during measurements.
- Never connect unit to AC or DC powered circuits when the function switch is set to resistance, diode check or continuity ranges.
- Always disconnect the power when performing resistance, diode or capacitance tests. Discharge capacitor before testing.
- Disconnect the live/positive test lead (red) prior to disconnecting the common/negative test lead (black).
- When 'BAT' appears on the display, change both batteries to achieve more accurate readings.
- · Disconnect test leads before removing the batteries or the fuse.
- · Do not operate the unit unless the case is completely closed.
- When using the test probes always keep fingers behind the finger guards. Never touch the exposed probe tip.
- Always inspect the instrument, test leads and other accessories for damage prior to use.
- · Use only UL recognized test leads (included with this meter).

### **SAFETY SYMBOLS**

Safety symbols and special annunciators on the meter and in this manual indicate cautions and warnings of important operational procedures that must be followed to ensure personal and product safety.

- A
- This symbol indicates a General Warning. When adjacent to a terminal or operating device indicates that the operator must refer to an explanation in the Operating Instructions.
- This symbol indicates that the terminal(s) so marked must not be connected to a circuit point at which the voltage with respect to ground exceeds 500V AC/DC.
- This symbol adjacent to one or more terminals indicates them as being associated with ranges that may in normal use, be subjected to particularly hazardous voltages. For maximum safety, the meter and its test leads should not be handled when these terminals are energized.
- This meter is protected by double insulation. Service this meter by a professional only.

#### INTRODUCTION

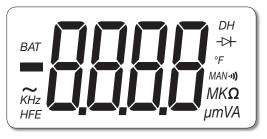
DMR-4300 is a manual ranging digital multimeter with a 4000 count LCD display. This meter can measure/test the following:

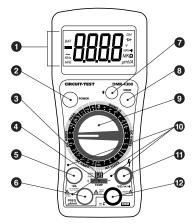
Voltage
Resistance
Diode
Temperature
Current
Continuity
Transistor hFE
Frequency

## **LCD DISPLAY SYMBOL DEFINITIONS**

DISPLAY/SYMBOL	DEFINITION	
BAT	Low Battery	
~	Alternating Current	
KHz	Kilo Hertz - Frequency	
HFE	Transistor	
DH	Data Hold	
4	Diode	
°F	Degrees Fahrenheit	
MAN	Manual Ranging	
-1)	Continuity	

DISPLAY/SYMBOL	DEFINITION
М	Mega
К	Kilo
Ω	Ohms
μ	Micro
m	milli
v	Volts
Α	Amps
OL	Over Range





# FRONT PANEL DESCRIPTION

NO.	ITEM	DESCRIPTION
1	LCD Display	3-3/4 digit 4000 count LCD Display
2	Power Button	Power ON/OFF push button switch
3	Transistor Socket	For performing transistor hFE test
4	Temperature Jack	Plug in 'K' type thermocouple observing the polarity
5	10A Jack	Positive Input Jack to plug in red test lead for 10A measurement only
6	FREQ/µA/mA Jack	Positive Input Jack to plug in red test lead for frequency measurement or current measurement up to 400mA
7	Backlight Button	Backlight display - will shut off automatically after 15 seconds
8	Hold Button	The displayed data will freeze and 'DH' will appear on the LCD. Changes in the input signal will not change the display.
9	Function Switch	Function Switch to select measurement mode
10	Test Lead Input Indicating LEDs	Lighted LED indicates the correct jack to plug in the test lead for the selected function. LED will turn off after the test lead is fully inserted. If the test lead is incorrectly plugged in, the LED will start blinking and buzzer will sound.
11	∇/ <b>Ω</b> /→-/·•)) Jack	Positive Input Jack to plug in red test lead for voltage, resistor, diode and continuity check
12	COM Jack	Plug in black test lead in all measurement modes, common ground

### **SPECIFICATIONS**

#### **GENERAL**

Display: 3 3/4 digit 4000 count LCD

Maximum Display: 3999

Backlight Display: 15 seconds ON

Ranging: Manual

Auto Shut-off: Meter will shut-off after 30 minutes from last use

Polarity: Automatic, minus (-) sign indicates negative polar-

ity, no sign for positive polarity

Measuring rate: 3 times/sec

Input impedance:  $10M\Omega$  (DCV / ACV)

Diode Test: Test current of 1.0 mA maximum

Continuity: Audible signal sounds if resistance is less than

20Ω

Transistor Test: Base current approx.  $10\mu A$  DC,

Vce approx. 1.5V DC

Over range indication: 'OL' is displayed

Operating Temp: 41 to 95° F (5 to 35° C)
Storage Temp: 14 to 122° F (-10 to 50° C)
Relative Humidity: <75% Operating/Storage
Power Source: 2 x AAA 1.5V Batteries

Fuse: 0.5A/250V (5x20mm Fast Acting Ceramic),

10A/500V (6.3x32mm Fast Acting Ceramic)

Temperature Probe: 'K' Type Thermocouple rated at -32° to 500°F

(Model no. TL-190)

Dimensions: 185(H) x 90(W) x 45(D) mm

 $(7^5/_{16} \times 3^1/_2 \times 1^{13}/_{16}")$ 

Weight: 347g (12.25 oz)

Accessories included: One pair of test leads, 'K' type thermocouple,

Screw-on Alligator Clips, 2 x AAA batteries,

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## **RANGES AND ACCURACY**

FUNCTION	RANGE	RESOLUTION	ACCURACY
DC VOLTAGE	400mV	100μV	±(0.5% reading + 3 digits)
(DC V)	4V	1mV	
	40V	10mV	
	400V	100mV	
	1000V	1V	±(0.8% reading + 3 digits)
AC VOLTAGE	400mV	100μV	±(0.5% reading + 3 digits)
(AC V)	4V	1mV	
(40-400HZ)	40V	10mV	
	400V	100mV	
	750V	1V	±(0.8% reading + 3 digits)
DC CURRENT	400μA	0.1 <i>µ</i> A	±(0.5% reading + 3 digits)
(DC A)	4mA	1μA	
	40mA	10μA	
	400mA	100μA	±(0.8% reading + 3 digits)
	10A	10mA	±(1.2% reading + 3 digits)
AC CURRENT	4000μA	1μA	±(0.5% reading + 3 digits)
(AC A)	40mA	10μA	
(40-400HZ)	400mA	100μA	±(0.8% reading + 3 digits)
	10A	10mA	±(1.2% reading + 3 digits)
RESISTANCE	400 Ω	0.1 Ω	±(0.5% reading + 3 digits)
	4k <b>Ω</b>	1 Ω	
	40k <b>Ω</b>	10 Ω	
	400k <b>Ω</b>	100 Ω	
	4M <b>Ω</b>	1kΩ	
	40M <b>Ω</b>	10k <b>Ω</b>	±(1.0% reading + 3 digits)
FREQUENCY	10-3kHz	1Hz	±(1.8% reading + 5 digits)
	1KHz-300kHz	100Hz	
TEMP°F	-4 to 1200°F	1°F	±(1.5% reading + 3 digits)

NOTE: Accuracy consists of: (% reading i.e. accuracy of the measurement circuit + digits i.e. accuracy of the analog to digital converter)

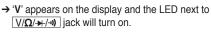
#### **OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**

This meter comes with an exclusive patented technology featuring bright LEDs indicating the correct input jack to plug-in the positive (red) test lead for the selected function. The LED turns off after the test lead is completely plugged in the correct jack. If the test lead is plugged in the wrong jack, the LED will start flashing and the buzzer will start beeping.

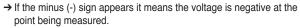
#### 1. DC VOLTAGE MEASUREMENT

WARNING: MAXIMUM INPUT IS 1000V DC. USE EXTREME CAUTION WHEN WORKING WITH HIGH VOLTAGES. NEVER APPLY THE TEST LEAD TO THE MEASURING CIRCUIT WHEN CHANGING THE POSITION OF THE FUNCTION SWITCH. IF YOU ARE UNSURE OF THE VOLTAGE BEING MEASURED, SELECT THE HIGHEST RANGE AND REDUCE UNTIL A SATISFACTORY READING IS OBTAINED.

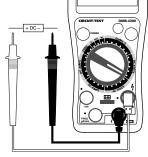
→ Set the function switch to 1000 on the **DC VOLTS** scale.



- → Plug the red test lead in \(\frac{\frac{\(\Delta/\nu)}{\rightarrow\nu}\)}{\(\text{jack and black test lead in \(\text{COM}\) jack.}\)
- → Apply the test leads to the circuit to be measured. Ensure that the black lead is connected to the negative side of the circuit and red lead to the positive.
- → Read the displayed voltage.
- → If the reading displayed does not have a sufficient number of digits i.e. 00.2 Instead of 1.786, set the function switch to the next lower range. Repeat until you have maximum digits possible without displayed.
  - mum digits possible without displaying 'OL'.



→ If 'OL' appears on the display, it indicates over-range. Immediately remove test leads from the measuring circuit to avoid any damage to the meter. The input voltage should not exceed the measurement capability of this meter.

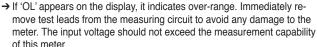


#### 2. AC VOLTAGE MEASUREMENT

WARNING: MAXIMUM INPUT IS 750V AC. USE EXTREME CAUTION WHEN WORKING WITH HIGH VOLTAGES. NEVER APPLY TEST LEADS TO THE MEASURING CIRCUIT WHEN CHANGING THE POSITION OF THE FUNCTION SWITCH. IF YOU ARE UNSURE OF THE VOLTAGE BEING MEASURED, SELECT THE HIGHEST RANGE AND REDUCE UNTIL A SATISFACTORY READING IS OBTAINED.

- → Set the function switch to 750 on the AC VOLTS scale.
- → '~' and 'V' appear on the display and the LED next to V/Ω/→/·•) jack will turn on.
- → Plug the red test lead in √(Ω/→+/·•)) jack and black test lead in com jack.
- → Apply the test leads to the circuit to be measured.
- → Read the displayed voltage.
- → If the reading displayed does not have a sufficient number of digits, i.e. 114 instead of 113.6, set the function switch to the next lower range. Repeat until you have the maximum digite possible without or

maximum digits possible without displaying 'OL'.



## 3. DC CURRENT MEASUREMENT

WARNING: WHEN MEASURING CURRENT REMOVE ALL POWER FROM THE CIRCUIT BEING TESTED. NEVER APPLY THE TEST LEAD TO THE MEASURING CIRCUIT WHEN CHANGING THE POSITION OF THE FUNCTION SWITCH. IF YOU ARE UNSURE OF THE CURRENT BEING MEASURED, SELECT THE HIGHEST RANGE AND REDUCE UNTIL A SATISFACTORY READING IS OBTAINED.

## a) Less than 400mA DC Current Measurement

- → Set the function switch to 400m on the **DC AMPS** scale.
- → 'mA' appears on the display and the LED next to FREQ/µA/mA jack will turn on.



→ Plug the red test lead in FREQ/µA/mA jack and black test lead in the **COM** jack.

→ Remove power from the circuit that is to be measured. Open up the circuit and connect the black lead to the negative side and the red lead to the positive side of the circuit so that the test leads are in series with the load to be measured.



- → Read the displayed current.
- → If the numeral value in the display is too small, change the function switch to next lower range. Repeat until you have maximum digits possible without displaying 'OL'.
- → If 'OL' appears on the display, it indicates over-range. Immediately remove test leads from the measuring circuit to avoid any damage to the meter.

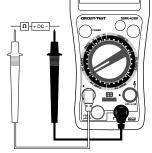
## b) 400mA or more DC Current Measurement

**CAUTION!** Do not exceed 15 seconds when measuring the 10A range and wait for 30 minutes between each measurement.

→ Set the function switch to 10A on the **DC AMPS** scale.

→ 'A' appears on the display and the LED above 10A jack will turn on.

- → Plug the red test lead in 10A jack and black test lead in the COM jack.
- → Remove power from the circuit that is to be measured. Open up the circuit and connect the black lead to the negative side and the red lead to the positive side of the circuit so that the test leads are in series with the load to be measured.



- → Apply power to the circuit.
- → Read the displayed current.
- → If 'OL' appears on the display, it indicates over-range. Immediately remove test leads from the measuring circuit to avoid any damage to the meter

#### 4. AC CURRENT MEASUREMENT

WARNING: WHEN MEASURING CURRENT REMOVE ALL POWER FROM THE CIRCUIT BEING TESTED. NEVER APPLY THE TEST LEAD TO THE MEASURING CIRCUIT WHEN CHANGING THE POSITION OF THE FUNCTION SWITCH. IF YOU ARE UNSURE OF THE CURRENT BEING MEASURED, SELECT THE HIGHEST RANGE AND REDUCE UNTIL A SATISFACTORY READING IS OBTAINED.

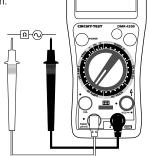
## a) Less than 400mA AC Current Measurement

→ Set the function switch to 400m on the AC AMPS scale.

→ '~' and 'mA' appear on the display and the LED next to FREQ/µA/mA jack will turn on.

- → Plug the red test lead in FREQ/µA/mA] jack and black test lead in the COM jack.
- → Remove power from the circuit that is to be measured. Open up the circuit and connect the black lead to the negative side and the red lead to the positive side of the circuit so that the test leads are in series with the load to be measured.
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  → Apply power to the circuit.
- → Read the displayed current.
- → If the numeral value in the display is too small, change the function switch to next lower range. Repeat until you have maximum digits possible without displaying 'OL'.
- → If 'OL' appears on the display, it indicates over-range. Immediately remove test leads from the measuring circuit to avoid any damage to the meter.



## b) 400mA or more AC Current Measurement

**CAUTION!** Do not exceed 15 seconds when measuring the 10A range and wait for 30 minutes between each measurement.

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→ Set the function switch to 10A on the **AC AMPS** scale.

→ '~' and 'A' appear on the display and the LED above 10A jack will turn on.

→ Plug the red test lead in 10A jack and black test lead in the COM jack.

- → Remove power from the circuit that is to be measured. Open up the circuit and connect the black lead to the negative side and the red lead to the positive side of the circuit so that the test leads are in series with the load to be measured.
- → Apply power to the circuit.
- → Read the displayed current.
- → If 'OL' appears on the display, it indicates over-range. Immediately remove test leads from the measuring circuit to avoid any damage to the meter.

# 5. RESISTANCE MEASUREMENT

WARNING: NEVER CONNECT THE TEST LEAD TO ANY VOLTAGE WHEN THE FUNCTION SWITCH IS SET TO REMOVE ALL POWER FROM THE CIRCUIT BEING TESTED WHEN CHECKING RESISTANCE. DISCHARGE ANY CHARGED CAPACITORS. NEVER APPLY THE TEST LEAD TO THE MEASURING CIRCUIT WHEN CHANGING THE POSITION OF THE

WHEN CHANGING THE POSITION OF THE FUNCTION SWITCH. IF YOU ARE UNSURE OF THE RESISTANCE BEING MEASURED, SELECT THE HIGHEST RANGE AND REDUCE UNTIL A SATISFACTORY READING IS OBTAINED.

- ightarrow Set the function switch to the desired **OHMS**  $\Omega$  scale.



- → Plug the red test lead in V/Ω/→+/·•) jack and black test lead in GOM jack.
- → Apply the test leads to the resistor being measured. If the resistor is part of a circuit, it is necessary to disconnect one end of the resistor to avoid any unwanted interference from the rest of the circuit.
- → Read the displayed resistance.

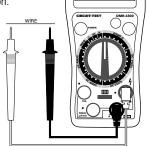
#### NOTE:

- . 'OL' is displayed when the inputs are not connected.
- When measuring resistance above 1M Ω, the meter may take a few seconds to get a stable reading.
- Never measure a resistor that has voltage on it.

### 6. CONTINUITY TEST

MARNING: NEVER CONNECT THE TEST LEADS TO ANY VOLTAGE WHEN THE FUNCTION SWITCH IS SET TO 10 /10/10. REMOVE ALL POWER FROM THE CIRCUIT BEING TESTED WHEN CHECKING RESISTANCE. DISCHARGE ANY CHARGED CAPACITORS.

- → Set the function switch to •ು/400 on the OHMS Ω scale.
- → '••)' and 'Ω' will appear on the display and the LED next to [V/Ω/→+/••)] jack will turn on.
- → Plug the red test lead into V/Ω/→+/-⅓) jack and the black test lead into COM jack.
- → Apply the test leads to the circuit.
- The buzzer will sound if the resistance is less than 20Ω and the measured resistance value will be displayed in Ohms.



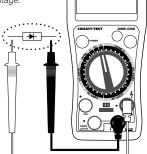
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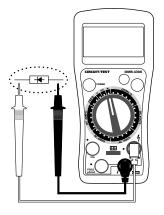
WARNING: NEVER CONNECT THE TEST LEAD TO ANY VOLTAGE WHEN THE FUNCTION SWITCH IS SET TO →. REMOVE ALL POWER FROM THE CIRCUIT BEING TESTED WHEN PERFORMING THE DIODE TEST. DISCHARGE ANY CHARGED CAPACITORS.

Note: If the diode is part of a circuit, it is necessary to disconnect one end of the diode to avoid any unwanted interference from the rest of the circuit. The value indicated in the display during the diode check is the forward bias voltage.

- → Set the function switch to →.
- → '-\-' and 'V' will appear on the display and the LED next to \[
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- → Plug the red test lead into

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- → Apply the test leads across the diode terminals and note the meter reading.
- → Reverse the diode and note this reading. Based on the readings the result can be evaluated as follows:
  - If one reading is around 0.5 and the other reading is 'OL', the diode is good
  - If both readings are 'OL', the diode is open (defective)
  - If both readings are very small or 0 (zero), the diode is shorted (defective)





#### 8. TRANSISTOR HEE MEASUREMENT

WARNING: NEVER CONNECT THE TEST LEAD TO ANY VOLTAGE WHEN THE FUNCTION SWITCH IS SET TO HEE. REMOVE ALL POWER FROM THE CIRCUIT BEING TESTED WHEN PERFORMING THE HEE TEST. DISCHARGE ANY CHARGED CAPACITORS. FOR ACCURATE MEASUREMENT, IT IS RECOMMENDED TO REMOVE THE TRANSISTOR FROM THE CIRCUIT.

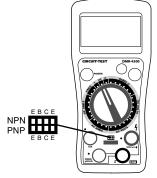
#### Note:

To measure the hFE (gain) of a bipolar junction transistor you must know two things: a) whether the transistor is a PNP or an NPN

b) how to identify the Emitter (E), Base (B) and Collector (C) leads of the transistor.

The transistor socket has two independent socket for NPN and PNP with two possible lead configuration. Most transistor leads are arranged in EBC pattern but a few have the BCE configuration. The transistor socket allows for either pattern by having four openings arranged as EBCE. Use the first three for EBC and last three for BCE.

- → Set the function switch to **hFE**.
- → 'HFE' appears on the display.
- → Insert the transistor leads into the correct positions of the socket.
- → Read the displayed hFE value.



Note: The hFE reading is limited to the test current of the multimeter circuit (10µA DC base current and Vce of approximately 1.5V DC). The hFE reading may be different than the published transistor data but will provide information as to whether the transistor is functional.

#### 9. FREQUENCY MEASUREMENT

MARNING: NEVER MEASURE FREQUENCY ON A CIRCUIT WITH MORE THAN 250V.

→ Set the function switch to the desired **FREQ** scale.

→ 'KHz' will appear on the display and the LED next to FREQ/µA/mA jack will turn on.

- → Plug the red test lead in the FREQ/µA/mA] jack and black test lead in the COM jack.
- → Apply the test leads to the point of measurement.
- → Read the displayed frequency.



#### 10. TEMPERATURE MEASUREMENT

WARNING: REMOVE ALL VOLTAGE SOURCES FROM THE CIRCUIT TO BE TESTED BEFORE TAKING A TEMPERATURE MEASUREMENT.

NOTE: If the function switch is set to °F and the 'K' type temperature probe is not inserted in the temperature socket, the meter will give an audible signal. Once the temperature probe is inserted, the signal will automatically stop.

- → Set the function switch to °F.
- → Plug the 'K' type thermocouple into the TEMP jack.

NOTE: The 'K' type thermocouple supplied with this meter is rated at -32° to 500°F, although the meter is capable of measuring up to 1200°F.

- → Touch the probe tip to the component you are testing and keep it there for about 30 seconds or until the reading stabilizes.
- → The digital reading will display the value in proper decimal point & value.



#### 11. HOLD FUNCTION

This function is used to hold a reading. When this pushbutton is pressed, the data being displayed at the time will be 'frozen' in the display and '**DH**' will appear in the display. Changes in the input signals will not change the display. This function can be used in all measurement modes. Press the pushbutton again to release this function and '**DH**' will disappear.

## 12. BATTERY REPLACEMENT

WARNING: DISCONNECT BOTH TEST LEADS FROM ANY SOURCE OF VOLTAGE BE-FORE REMOVING THE BACK COVER. DO NOT OPERATE THE METER UNTIL THE BACK COVER IS IN PLACE AND FASTENED SECURELY.

**'BAT'** will appear in the display when the battery drops below the operating voltage and requires replacing.

- → Turn off the meter and disconnect both test leads.
- → Remove the single screw securing the battery/fuse cover and lift to open.
- → Replace both AAA batteries observing the correct polarity.
- → Replace the cover and tighten the screw.



#### 13. FUSE REPLACEMENT

WARNING: DISCONNECT BOTH TEST LEADS FROM ANY SOURCE OF VOLTAGE BEFORE REMOVING THE BACK COVER. DO NOT OPERATE THE METER UNTIL THE BACK COVER IS IN PLACE AND FASTENED SECURELY.

## a) 0.5 Amp Fast acting 5x20mm Fuse

- → Turn off the meter and disconnect both test leads.
- → Remove the single screw securing the battery/fuse cover and lift to open. •
- → Remove the batteries.
- → Gently pull the fuse from its holder by pulling gently on the ribbon. •
- → Replace the blown fuse with a CSA/UL listed fast acting fuse rated at 0.5A/250V only (with the same ribbon ring around the fuse). Do not use a fuse which has higher rated value than specified or try to bypass the fuse.
- → Replace the batteries and cover and tighten the screw.



# b) 10 Amp Fast acting 6.3x32mm Ceramic Fuse (by a professional person only)

- → Turn off the meter and disconnect both test leads.
- → Remove the three screws at the back of the case (one at the top and two at the bottom).
- → Remove the single screw securing the battery/fuse cover and lift to open. •
- → Remove the batteries.

→ Carefully lift the top of the case away from the bottom.

**CAUTION:** Lift the top case carefully - do not break the wires attached to the battery compartment.

- → Gently lift the battery compartment and move it through the hole on the inner side of the meter.
- → The 10 amp fuse is the larger fuse on the bottom of the PC board, which should now be in full view. Carefully remove the old fuse and replace it with a new CSA/UL listed fast acting ceramic 10A/500V fuse only.



#### **MAINTENANCE**

- a) Always keep the meter dry.
- b) Keep the meter clean. Wipe the case occasionally with a damp cloth. Do not use chemicals, cleaning solvents or detergents.
- c) Use and store the meter in recommended normal environmental conditions. Extreme temperatures can shorten the life of the electronic components.
- d) Always use fresh batteries.
- e) Remove the batteries when the meter is not being used for a long period of time.

## **ACCESSORIES**

Test Leads (TL-108)

'K' Type Thermocouple (TL-190)

Screw-on Alligator Clips (TL-210)

Fuses: 5x20mm Fast 0.5A/250V, 6.3x32mm Fast Ceramic 10A/500V

Batteries: 2 x AAA

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