Model 820

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±2 kV High Impedance Contacting Voltmeter



The Trek Model 820 Contacting Voltmeter represents the next generation of contacting precision surface voltage measuring instruments with features not previously available with any other voltmeter.

Trek developed the Model 820 for voltage measurement applications that demand virtually infinite loading impedance levels which are far beyond the reach of currently available high impedance voltmeter instruments. These applications include accurate reading of electrostatic voltage levels associated with ESD sensitive components, circuits, and surfaces.

Featuring an input capacitance of less than 5 x 10^{-13} F and an input resistance of greater than $3 \times 10^{13} \, \Omega$. A guarantee of virtually no modification of the charge (voltage) of the measured object is obtained. This allows the Model 820 to indicate, with high precision, the voltage level of both conductive and insulative objects and surfaces.

A rear panel USB Connector allows data transfer to a computer with a sampling rate of either 1 ms or 10 μ s between data points (stream data or block data transfer protocols). PC software records and graphs the unit's output.

With virtually zero charge exchange upon probe contact, no ESD events, which would normally cause object damage, can occur. These near infinite impedance features allows direct measurement of such devices as semiconductor components and chips, insulative surfaces, MR head sensors, hand tools, etc.

Measurement Range:
0 to ±2 kV DC or peak AC
at ±0.1% accuracy of

conductive, dissipative or insulative surfaces

Input Characteristics:
Resistance greater than $3 \times 10^{13} \Omega$ Capacitance less than $5 \times 10^{-13} F$

Data Acquisition with an USB port interface

Voltage Monitor Output: Scale Factor at 1/200

Probe Electrode:

May be easily replaced with other sensor tips.

Digital Enable:

Allows an external device to enable or disable the measurement

Easy-to-read LED display



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Performance

Measurement Range

0 to ±2 kV DC or peak AC.

Accuracy

At the Voltage Monitor Output

Better than ±0.1% of full scale.

At the Voltage Display

Better than $\pm 0.1\%$ of reading ± 1 digit (referred to measured input).

Large Signal Bandwidth (-3 dB)

DC to greater than 200 Hz.

Small Signal Bandwidth (-3 dB)

DC to greater than 5 kHz.

Input Characteristics

Resistance greater than 3 x $10^{13}\,\Omega$. Capacitance less than 5 x 10^{13} F.

Stability

Drift with Time (at 22 °C)

Less than 6 V/minute, accumulative [referred to input].

Features

Voltage Display

3½ digit LED display.

Range

0 to ±1999 V.

Resolution

1 V.

Zero Offset

Less than or equal to ±1 count.

USB Connector

Allows data transfer to a computer with a sampling rate of 1 ms between data points (stream data or block data transfer protocols). PC software can graph the unit's output.

Reset Button/Connector

A momentary front panel pushbutton switch or rear panel external TTL input signal initiates a reset function.

Features (cont.)

Voltage Monitor Output

A BNC provides a buffered low-voltage replica of the measured voltage.

Scale Factor

1/200 (standard).

Output Current

±5 mA (minimum).

Output Noise

Less than 10 mV rms.

Output Impedance

Less than 0.1Ω .

Digital Enable

An open collector, TTL compatible input to enable or disable the unit's high-voltage measurement. A TTL high will disable while a TTL low will enable the measurement.

USB Connector

Allows data transfer to a computer with a sampling rate of either 1 ms or 10 μ s between data points (stream data or block data transfer protocols). PC software records and graphs the unit's output.

Probe

The probe connects to the front panel and may either be hand-held or mounted to a clamping device.

Model 820 Probe

Sensor

0.8 mm conducting ceramic electrode. The sensors may be easily replaced dependent on the measurement requirements.

Orientation

Pencil probe structure with end contact sensor.

Probe Dimensions

152 mm L x 20 mm Diameter (6" L x 0.75" Diameter).

Probe Cable Length

1.5 m ±75 mm (5.3 ft. ±3 in).

General

Power Requirements

Available for all nominal line voltages. The wall cube provides the following input power to the ESVM:

Voltage

24 V DC, ±5% @ 1 Amp.

Input Connector

2.1 mm DC power plug.

Dimensions

62.5 mm H x 228 mm W x 257 mm D (2.5" H x 9" W x 10" D).

Weight

1 kg (2.2 lb).

Voltage Monitor Connector

BNC connector.

Digital Enable Connector

BNC connector.

Reset Connector

BNC connector.

Ground Receptacle

Threaded ground stud.

Operating Conditions Temperature

10 °C to 35 °C.

Relative Humidity

To 75%, noncondensing.

Power ON/OFF

A momentary push-button.

Probe Connector Location

Front panel

ACCESSORIES SUPPLIED

Operator's Manual, Ground Cord, Universal Power Cube (90 V to 264 V AC).

