

38XR-A

True RMS digital multimeter with optical PC interface for engineers designing and troubleshooting industrial automation and control systems.



- Frequency to 10 MHz, capacitance to 400 uF, temperature to 2372 °F
 - Duty cycle, dBm and 4 to 20 mA loop current test
 - 1000 V/750 V dc/ac True RMS, ac + dc input
 - 10 Amps ac/dc, fully safety fused
 - Resistance to 40 MΩ
 - Continuity beeper
 - Min/Max, Average, Relative, Peak, and Data Hold
 - Bright blue backlight
 - Auto power off to save battery life
 - Separate door for easy battery and fuse access
 - CAT IV 600 V, CAT III 1000 V, highest rating
 - Magne-Grip™ Holster with magnetic hanging strap
 - Three-year warranty

38XR-A Specifications (at 23 °C ± 5 °C, <75 % R.H. non-condensing)

DC Voltage	
Ranges	1000 mV, 10 V, 100 V, 1000 V
Accuracy	all ranges: $\pm (0.25\% \text{ rdg} + 5 \text{ dgt})$
Resolution	100 μV
AC Voltage (45 Hz to 2 kHz) True RMS	
Ranges	1000 mV, 10 V, 100 V, 750 V
Accuracy	750 V range: 45 to 1 kHz: $\pm (2.0\% \text{ rdg} + 10 \text{ dgt})$ All other ranges, 45 to 500 Hz: $\pm (1.2\% \text{ rdg} + 10 \text{ dgt})$ All other ranges, 500 to 2 kHz: $\pm (2.0\% \text{ rdg} + 10 \text{ dgt})$
AC coupled True RMS specified from 5% to 100% of range	
AC + DC Voltage (45 Hz to 2 kHz)	
Ranges	1000 mV, 10 V, 100 V, 750 V
Accuracy	750 V range: 45 to 1 kHz: $\pm (2.5\% \text{ rdg} + 10 \text{ dgt})$ All other ranges, 45 to 500 Hz: $\pm (1.5\% \text{ rdg} + 10 \text{ dgt})$ All other ranges, 500 to 2 kHz: $\pm (2.5\% \text{ rdg} + 10 \text{ dgt})$
Resolution	100 μV
DC coupled True RMS specified from 5% to 100% of range	
DC Current	
Ranges	100 μA , 1000 μA , 10 mA, 100 mA, 400 mA, 10 A
Accuracy	100 μA range: $\pm (0.5\% \text{ rdg} + 10 \text{ dgt})$ 1000 μA to 400 mA ranges: $\pm (0.5\% \text{ rdg} + 5 \text{ dgt})$ 10 A range: $\pm (1.5\% \text{ rdg} + 10 \text{ dgt})$
Resolution	0.01 μA
AC Current (True RMS) (AC + DC) (45 Hz – 1kHz)	
Ranges	100 μA , 1000 μA , 10 mA, 100 mA, 400 mA, 10 A
Accuracy	100 μA to 100 mA ranges: $\pm (1.5\% \text{ rdg} + 20 \text{ dgt})$ 400 mA range: $\pm (2.0\% \text{ rdg} + 10 \text{ dgt})$ 10 A range: $\pm (2.5\% \text{ rdg} + 20 \text{ dgt})$
Resolution	0.01 μA
AC coupled True RMS specified from 5% to 100% of range	
AC + DC Accuracy	
	100 μA to 400 mA ranges: $\pm (2.0\% \text{ rdg} + 20 \text{ dgt})$ 10 A range: $\pm (3.0\% \text{ rdg} + 20 \text{ dgt})$
AC + DC: AC coupled True RMS specified from 10% to 100% of range	
Resistance	
Ranges	1000 Ω , 10 k Ω , 100 k Ω , 1000 k Ω , 10 M Ω , 40 M Ω
Accuracy	1000 Ω to 1000 k Ω ranges: $\pm (0.5\% \text{ rdg} + 8 \text{ dgt})$ 10 M Ω range: $\pm (1.0\% \text{ rdg} + 10 \text{ dgt})$ 40 M Ω range: $\pm (2.0\% \text{ rdg} + 10 \text{ dgt})$
Resolution	100 m Ω
Capacitance	
Ranges	40 nF, 400 nF, 4 μF , 40 μF , 400 μF
Accuracy	40 nF, 400 μF ranges: $\pm (3.0\% \text{ rdg} + 10 \text{ dgt})$ 400 nF to 40 μF ranges: $\pm (3.0\% \text{ rdg} + 5 \text{ dgt})$
Resolution	0.01 nF
Temperature	
Ranges	-20 °C to 1300 °C, -4 °F to 2372 °F
Accuracy	-20 °C to 10 °C: $\pm (2.0\% \text{ rdg} + 4 \text{ °C})$ 10 °C to 200 °C: $\pm (1.0\% \text{ rdg} + 3 \text{ °C})$ 200 °C to 1300 °C: $\pm (2.0\% \text{ rdg} + 2 \text{ °C})$ -4 °F to 50 °F: $\pm (2.0\% \text{ rdg} + 8 \text{ °F})$ 50 °F to 400 °F: $\pm (1.0\% \text{ rdg} + 6 \text{ °F})$ 400 °F to 2372 °F: $\pm (2.0\% \text{ rdg} + 4 \text{ °F})$
Resolution	1 °C, 1 °F

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Frequency

Ranges	100 Hz, 1000 Hz, 10 kHz, 100 kHz, 1000 kHz, 10 MHz
Accuracy	all ranges: ± (0.1 % rdg + 5 dcts)
Resolution	0.01 Hz

Duty Cycle

Ranges	0 to 90 %
Accuracy	5 V logic: ± (2.0 % rdg + 10 dcts)
Resolution	0.01 %
Frequency Range	0 % to 10 %: 40 Hz to 990 Hz 10 % to 90 %: 40 Hz to 20 kHz

4 - 20 mA DC Current Test

Range	0 – 100 %
Accuracy	± (0.5 % + 5 dcts)
Resolution	0.01 %

dBm

Ranges	-13 dBm to + 50 dBm
Accuracy	45 Hz to 5 kHz: ± (0.7 dB + 8 dcts) 5 kHz to 10 kHz: ± (2.5 dB + 8 dcts)
Resolution	0.01 dBm

Continuity

Audible Indication	< 40 Ω
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Diode Test

Test Current	0.5 mA (approximate)
Open Circuit Volts	3.0 V dc typical

Peak

AC Volts Accuracy	100 V, 750 V ranges: ± (3.0 + 200 dcts) 1000 mV, 10 V ranges: unspecified
AC Current	± (3.0 + 200 dcts)

Overload Protection

AC/DC Voltage	1000 V dc or 750 V ac rms
AC/DC Current	µA/mA input: F0.5 A /1000 V fast-blow ceramic 6.3 x 32 mm 10A input: F10 A /1000V fast-blow ceramic 10 x 38 mm

General Specifications

Autoranging: Display: 4-3/4 digit LCD, 10,000 counts with 41-segment analog bar graph; **Display Update Rate:** 2/sec, nominal; **Power Battery:** 9 V NEDA 1604, JIS 006P, IEC 6F22; **Battery Life:** 150 hrs typical (alkaline) frequent use of backlight will decrease battery life; **Operating Temperature:** 0 °C to 45 °C at < 70% R.H.; **Storage Temperature:** -20 °C to 60 °C, 0 to 80 % R.H. with battery removed from meter; **Temperature Coefficient:** 0.1 x (specified accuracy) per °C (0 °C to 18 °C, 28 °C to 45 °C); **Altitude:** 2000 m) 6562 ft; **Dimensions:** 7.8" x 3.55" x 2.4" (196 x 96 x 60 mm); **Weight (without holster, including battery):** 1 lb (400 gr)

Included Accessories

Test leads with threaded alligator clips (TL36), temperature adaptor (XR-TA), Type K thermocouple probe (TP255), 9 V battery (installed), Magne-Grip™ Holster with magnetic hanging strap, spare fuse, operators manual

Features

Input lead warning; analog bar graph; Data Hold; Min/Max; Average; Relative; Peak; auto power off after 30 minutes typical; low battery indication; backlight; overrange indication; three-year warranty

Optional Accessories

VC221A Padded Vinyl Carry Case, DL248C Deluxe Test Lead Kit, DC207B Heavy Duty Case, HV231-10 High Voltage Probe, TP254 High Temperature Probe; P/N 38-SW RS232 Cable and Software

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