

## USER'S MANUAL

## BM151, BM152, BM155, \& BM351

## 1) SAFETY

This manual contains information and warnings that must be followed for operating the instrument safely and maintaining the instrument in a safe operating condition. If the instrument is used in a manner not specified by the manufacturer, the protection provided by the instrument may be impaired.

The meter protection rating, against the users, is double insulation per IEC61010-1 2nd Ed., EN61010-1 2nd Ed., UL61010-1 2nd Ed., CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 61010.1-0.92, IEC61010-2-032, EN61010-2-032, UL61010B-2-032, \& CAN/CSA C22. 2 No. 61010-2-032-04:

Measurement Category III 600V AC \& DC.

## Per IEC61010-1 2nd Ed. (2001) Measurement Category

Measurement Category IV (CAT 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.

Measurement Category III (CAT 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 II (CAT 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.

## TERMS IN THIS MANUAL

WARNING identifies conditions and actions that could result in serious injury or even death to the user.

CAUTION identifies conditions and actions that could cause damage or malfunction in the instrument.

## WARNING

To reduce the risk of fire or electric shock, do not expose this product to rain or moisture. The meter is intended only for indoor use.

To avoid electrical shock hazard, observe the proper safety precautions when working with voltages above 60 VDC or 30 VAC rms. These voltage levels pose a potential shock hazard to the user.

Keep your hands/fingers behind the hand/finger barriers (of the meter and the test leads) that indicate the limits of safe access of the hand-held part during measurement. Inspect test leads, connectors, and probes for damaged insulation or exposed metal before using the instrument. If any defects are found, replace them immediately.

This Clamp-on meter is designed to apply around or remove from uninsulated hazardous live conductors. But still, individual protective equipment must be used if hazardous live parts in the installation where measurement is to be carried out could be accessible.

## CAUTION

Disconnect the test leads from the test points before changing meter functions.
INTERNATIONAL ELECTRICAL SYMBOLS

| A | Caution! Refer to the explanation in this Manual |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Caution! Risk of electric shock |  |
| 高 | Earth (Ground) |
| Double Insulation or Reinforced insulation |  |
| ~ | Fuse |
| AC--Alternating Current |  |
| B | Application around and removal from hazardous live conductors is permitted |

## 2) CENELEC Directives

The instruments conform to CENELEC Low-voltage directive 2006/95/EC and Electromagnetic compatibility directive 2004/108/EC

## 3) PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Note: Top of the line model is used as representative for illustration purposes. Please refer to your respective model for function availability.


1) Transformer Clamp Jaws for AC current magnetic field pick up
2) Jaw marking lines for ACA (\& thus Power) position error indication
3) Hand/Finger Barrier to indicate the limits of safe access to the jaws during current measurements
4) Push-buttons for special functions \& features
5) Input Jack for all functions EXCEPT non-invasive ACA current (\& thus Power) function
6) Common (Ground reference) Input Jack for all functions EXCEPT non-invasive ACA current (\& thus Power) function
7) Slide-switch Selector to turn the power ON/OFF and Select a function
8) LCD display
9) Jaw trigger for opening the transformer clamp jaws
10) Jaw center Indicators, at where best ACA (\& thus Power) accuracy is specified

## 4) OPERATION

CAUTION: Before and after hazardous voltage measurements, test the voltage function on a known source such as line voltage to determine proper meter functioning.


## AutoVA ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ function

Set the slide-switch function-selector to the $\begin{gathered}V-A \\ \text { Auto }\end{gathered}$ position.
-With no input, the meter displays "Auto" when it is ready.

- With no ACA current input via the jaws but a voltage signal above the nominal threshold of DC 2.4 V or $\mathrm{AC} 30 \mathrm{~V}(40 \mathrm{~Hz} \sim 500 \mathrm{~Hz})$ up to the rated 600 V is present on V-COM terminals, the meter displays the voltage value in appropriate DC or AC, whichever larger in peak magnitude. LCD annunciator "dc" or "~" turns on respectively.
- On the contrary, with no voltage signal present on V-COM terminals but a ACA current signal above the nominal threshold of AC $1 \mathrm{~A}(40 \mathrm{~Hz} \sim 500 \mathrm{~Hz})$ up to the rated 1000 A is input via the jaws, the meter displays the ACA current value. LCD annunciator " $\sim$ " turns on accordingly.
-The Auto-VA feature stays at the auto-selected function as long as its signal remains above the specified threshold. Press SELECT button momentarily to manually select thru the functions ACA, ACV, DCV and then goes back to Auto-VA.

CAUTION (Application and removal of the Clamp-on meter)
$\bullet$-For non-invasive ACA current measurements, press the jaw trigger and clamp the
jaws around only one single conductor of a circuit for load current measurement. Make sure the jaws are completely closed, or else it will introduce measurement errors. Enclosing more than one conductor of a circuit will result in differential current measurement (like identifying leakage current). Locate the conductor(s) at the Jaws center as much as possible to get the best measuring accuracy. For removal, press the jaw trigger and remove the jaws from the conductor(s).
-Adjacent current-carrying devices such as transformers, motors and conductor wires will affect measurement accuracy. Keep the jaws away from them as much as possible to minimize influence.


## THD\%-F Total Harmonic Distortion - Fundamental function (model 155 only)

THD\%-F = (Total Harmonics RMS / Fundamental RMS) x 100\%
Total Harmonic Distortion - Fundamental (THD\%-F) is the percentage ratio of the Total Harmonics RMS value to the Fundamental RMS value of a voltage or current signal, and is given by the above expression. An ideal sinusoidal waveform has a value of 0 THD\%. A badly distorted sinusoidal waveform may have a much higher THD\% value of up to several hundreds.

When the meter is in ACV or ACA function, THD\%-F values of up to 99 THD\% will be displayed in the secondary mini display automatically. Press THD\%-F button momentarily toggles THD\% readings to main display to get full readings of up to 999.9 THD\%.


## Line-level Frequency function

When ACV or ACA function is auto-selected or manual-selected, press Hz button momentarily toggles to Line-level Frequency function. Frequency trigger levels vary automatically with function ranges.

## Peak-rms mode

Peak-rms $\boldsymbol{H}$ compares and displays the maximum RMS value of surge voltage or current with durations as short as 65 ms . When ACV or ACA function is auto-selected or manual-selected, press and hold Peak-rms $\boldsymbol{H}$ button for one second or more toggles to this mode. The LCD annunciators "P-" \& "Max" turn on.

Note:
Manually disable the APO feature (press \& hold the HOLD button while setting the slide-switch function-selector from any position to the $\begin{gathered}\text { Vuto } \\ \text { Auto }\end{gathered}$ position.) before using Peak-rms ${ }^{[ }$mode for long-term measurements.

## HOLDH mode

Hold mode freezes the display for later viewing. When any function is auto-selected or manual-selected, press HOLDG button momentarily toggles to this mode. The annunciator " $\boldsymbol{H}$ " turns on.

## Notes on Displacement Power Factor \& Total Power Factor

- Introduction: Power is the rate of change of energy with respect to time (in terms of voltage V and current A). Instantaneous (real) power $w=v i$ where $v$ is the instantaneous voltage and $i$ the instantaneous current. The average (real) power is the mean of $v i$ and is given by:
$W=\omega / 2 \pi \int v i d t$, over the interval from 0 to $2 \pi / \omega$
-Displacement Power Factor (more traditional): Assuming V and A are pure sinusoidal waveforms without harmonics (as in most traditional cases), that is, $v=V$ $\sin \omega \mathrm{t}$ and $i=I \sin (\omega \mathrm{t}-\theta)$, the expression can be simplified to:
$\mathrm{W}=1 / 2 \times V \times I \times \operatorname{Cos} \theta$ where $V$ and $I$ are the peak values, $\theta$ is the displacement power factor angle, and $\operatorname{Cos} \theta$ is the displacement power factor. Using RMS values, it is written as:

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\mathrm{W}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{ms}} \times \mathrm{A}_{\mathrm{ms}} \times \operatorname{Cos} \theta
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Practically, in such cases without harmonics, $\theta$ is also called the phase-shift angle of the current $A$ to the voltage $V$. An inductive circuit is said to have a lagging power factor since current A lags voltage V (phase-shift angle $\theta$ and thus $\operatorname{Sin} \theta$ are both " + "), and a capacitive circuit is said to have a leading power factor since current A leads voltage V (phase-shift angle $\theta$ and thus $\operatorname{Sin} \theta$ are both "-").
-Total Power Factor (encountering harmonics): When encountering distorted waveforms with the presence of harmonics, however, the simplified power expression should not be used since substituting the above mentioned pure sinusoidal $V$ and $A$ functions cannot fulfill the actual conditions. Cosine of phase-shift angle $(\operatorname{Cos} \theta)$, or the displacement power factor, is no longer the only component constituting the overall power factor. Harmonics do increase apparent power and thus decrease the overall power factor. That is, the Total Power Factor is actually affected by both phase-shift angle and harmonics, and is given by the expression:

## Total Power Factor (PF) = Real Power (W) / Apparent Power (VA)

In order to improve overall system power factor, nowadays power-system engineer needs to address both phase-shift and harmonics problems. Practically, harmonics should be dealt with (e.g. filtering out) before phase-shift to be corrected (e.g. installing capacitors in parallel with inductive loads).

## Power function

Set the slide-switch function-selector to the Power position.
-Default at last selected function. Press SELECT button momentarily selects between W (real power), VAR (reactive power) \& VA (apparent power) measurement functions.
-PF (Total Power Factor) displays simultaneously in the secondary mini display. Denoting efficiency, absolute PF value is adopted.
-"A-lags" LCD annunciator turns on to indicate an inductive circuit, or Current A lags Voltage $V$ (i.e., phase-shift angle $\theta$ is " + ").
On the contrary, together with significant PF values, WITHOUT turning on "A-lags" indicates a capacitive circuit, or Current A leads Voltage $V$ (i.e., phase-shift angle $\theta$ is "-").

Note:

1. When measuring load circuits with power absorptions as in most applications, positive W (Real Power) readings indicate correct measurement setups. Negative readings (LCD annunciator """ turns on) indicate either the clamp-on jaws direction or the test leads polarity is reversed in such cases. Correct the setups to get proper "A-lags" indications.
2. When encountering largely distorted waveforms, "A-lags" detection might be affected due to the influence of harmonics. As mentioned, it is recommended to deal with (e.g. filter out) harmonics before correcting phase-shift problems.

## - Measuring One or Single Phase Power Parameters:



## - Measuring 3-Phase 4-Wire (3~4W) Power Parameters:



In both un-balanced and balanced load cases, 3-Phase 4-Wire (3~4W) systems, measure the phase-to-neutral powers $\mathrm{kW}_{1}, \mathrm{~kW}_{2}$ and $\mathrm{kW}_{3}$ of each phase separately as illustrated. System (total) power $\mathrm{kW}_{\text {Total }}$ is the summation of all three phase-to-neutral powers. That is:
$\mathrm{kW}_{\text {Total }}=\mathrm{kW}_{1}+\mathrm{kW}_{2}+\mathrm{kW}_{3} \quad$ (for both un-balanced and balanced load cases)
In balanced load cases, 3-Phase 4-Wire (3~4W) systems, the system (total) power parameters can be simplified to three times of any of the phase-to-neutral powers. That is:

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\begin{array}{ll}
\mathrm{kW}_{\text {Total }}=3 \times \mathrm{kW} W_{1} & \text { (for balanced load cases only) } \\
\mathrm{kVA}_{\text {Total }}=3 \times \mathrm{kVA}_{1} & \text { (for balanced load cases only) } \\
\mathrm{kVAR}_{\text {Total }}=3 \times \mathrm{kVAR}_{1} & \text { (for balanced load cases only) }
\end{array}
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## - Measuring 3-Phase 3-Wire (3~3W) Power Parameters:



In both un-balanced and balanced load cases, 3-Phase 3-Wire (3~3W) systems, measure the power components $\mathrm{kW}_{1}$ and $\mathrm{kW}_{2}$ separately as illustrated. System (total) power $\mathrm{kW} W_{\text {Total }}$ is the summation of the two measured power components. That is:
$\mathrm{kW}_{\text {Total }}=\mathrm{kW}_{1}+\mathrm{kW}$ (for both un-balanced and balanced load cases)
In balanced load cases, 3-Phase 3-Wire (3~3W) systems, the system (total) power parameters can be achieved by the following expressions:

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\begin{aligned}
& \mathrm{kW}_{\text {Total }}=\mathrm{kW} W_{1}+\mathrm{kW}_{2} \\
& \mathrm{kVA}_{\text {Total }}=\sqrt{ } 3 \times \mathrm{kVA}_{1} \\
& \mathrm{kVAR}_{\text {Total }}=\sqrt{ }\left(\mathrm{kVA}_{\text {Total }}{ }^{2}-\mathrm{kW}_{\text {Totalal }}{ }^{2}\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

(same as above)
(for balanced load cases only)
(for balanced load cases only)


Temperature function (model 152 \& 155 only)
Set the slide-switch function-selector to the ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ position. Default at last selected function. Press SELECT button to toggle between ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ measurement functions. Be sure to insert the banana-plug type-K temperature bead probe Bkp60 at correct + - polarities. You can also use a plug adapter Bkb32 (Optional purchase) with banana pins to type-K socket to adapt other type-K standard mini plug temperature probes.

## $\Omega / \rho)$ ) functions

Set the slide-switch function-selector to the $\Omega / \cdot \mu)$ function position. Default at last selected function. Press SELECT button to toggle between $\Omega$ and $\cdot \boldsymbol{\prime})$ measurement functions.

## Backlighted display (models 152 \& 155 only)

Press the SELECT button for 1 second or more to toggle the display backlight on or off.

## Auto Power Off (APO)

The meter turns off after approximately 17 minutes of neither switch nor button activity. To wake up the meter from APO, slide the function-selector to other positions and back on again. Always turn the function-selector to OFF when the meter is not in use.

## Disabling Auto-Power-Off (APO)

Press-and-hold the HOLD button while sliding the function-selector to a (designated) function-selector position. This disables the Auto-Power-Off feature of the functions on that particular function-selector position. The LCD displays " $\mathrm{g}_{\mathrm{L}} \mathrm{P}$ " \& " FFF, " to confirm activation right after the HOLD button is released. Slide the function-selector to any other positions will then resume Auto-Power-Off feature.

## PC computer interface capabilities

The instrument equips with an optical isolated data output port at the bottom case near the battery compartment. Optional purchase PC interface kit BRUA-13X (includes BA-1XX Optical Adapter Back, BC-100R Cable, BUA-2303 USB-to-Serial adaptor \& Bs software/driver $C D$ ) is required to connect the meter to PC computer USB port. The Data Recording System software equips with a digital meter, an analog meter, a comparator meter, and a Data Graphical recorder. Refer to the README file that comes with the interface kit for further details.
Press-and-hold the Hz button while sliding the function-selector to a (designated) function-selector position. This enables data output of the functions on that particular function-selector position. The LCD displays ".r5." to confirm activation right after the Hz button is released. Slide the function-selector to any other positions will then disable data output.

## 5) MAINTENANCE <br> WARNING

To avoid electrical shock, disconnect the meter from any circuit, remove the test leads from the input jacks and turn OFF the meter before opening the case. Do not operate with open case.

## Trouble Shooting

If the instrument fails to operate, check batteries and test leads etc., and replace as necessary. Double check operating procedure as described in this user's manual

If the instrument voltage-resistance input terminal has subjected to high voltage transient (caused by lightning or switching surge to the system) by accident or abnormal conditions of operation, the series fusible resistors will be blown off (become high impedance) like fuses to protect the user and the instrument. Most measuring functions through this terminal will then be open circuit. The series fusible resistors and the spark gaps should then be replaced by qualified technician. Refer to the LIMITED WARRANTY section for obtaining warranty or repairing service.

## Cleaning and Storage

Periodically wipe the case with a damp cloth and mild detergent; do not use abrasives or solvents. If the meter is not to be used for periods of longer than 60 days, remove the batteries and store them separately

## Battery replacement

The meter uses standard 1.5V AAA Size (NEDA 24A or IEC LR03) battery X 2 Loosen the 2 captive screws from the battery cover case. Lift the battery cover case. Replace the batteries. Replace battery cover case. Re-fasten the screws.


## 6) Specifications

## General Specifications

## Display :

Voltage functions: 6000 counts LCD display(s)
Power, Ohm \& Hz functions: 9999 counts LCD display(s)
ACA clamp-on function: 4000 counts LCD display(s)
Update Rate :
Power function: 1 per second nominal

Voltage, ACA clamp-on, Ohm, Hz \& Temperature functions: 4 per second nominal
Polarity : Automatic
Low Battery : Below approx. 2.4V
Operating Temperature: $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Relative Humidity : Maximum relative humidity $80 \%$ for temperature up to $31^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ decreasing linearly to $50 \%$ relative humidity at $40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Altitude : Operating below 2000m
Storage Temperature : $-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $60^{\circ} \mathrm{C},<80 \%$ R.H. (with battery removed)
Temperature Coefficient : nominal $0.15 \times$ (specified accuracy) $/{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} @\left(0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}-18{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right.$ or $28^{\circ} \mathrm{C}-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), or otherwise specified
Sensing : True RMS sensing for all models
Safety : Meets IEC61010-1 2nd Ed., EN61010-1 2nd Ed., UL61010-1 2nd Ed.,
CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 61010.1-0.92, IEC61010-2-032, EN61010-2-032,
UL61010B-2-032, \& CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 61010-2-032-04:
Measurement Category : III 600 Volts ac \& dc
Transient protection : 6.5 kV ( $1.2 / 50 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ surge) for all models
Pollution degree : 2
E.M.C. : Meets EN61326-1:2006 (EN55022, EN61000-3-2, EN61000-3-3,

EN61000-4-2, EN61000-4-3, EN61000-4-4, , EN61000-4-5, EN61000-4-6,
EN61000-4-8, EN61000-4-11)
In an RF field of $3 \mathrm{~V} / \mathrm{m}$ :
Total Accuracy $=$ Specified Accuracy +45 digits
Performance above $3 \mathrm{~V} / \mathrm{m}$ is not specified

## Overload Protections :

ACA Clamp-on jaws :
AC 1000A rms continuous for model 151, 152 \& 155
AC 600A rms continuous for model 351

+ \& COM terminals (all functions) : 600VDC/VAC rms
Power Supply : standard 1.5V AAA Size (NEDA 24A or IEC LR03) battery X 2
Power Consumption:
Voltage, ACA, Hz \& Power functions: 10 mA typical
Ohm \& Temperature functions: 4 mA typical
APO Timing : Idle for 17 minutes
APO Consumption : $10 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ typical
Dimension : L224mm X W78mm X H40mm for model 151, 152 \& 155; L189 X W78 X H40 mm for model 351
Weight : 224 gm approx for model 151, 152 \& 155; 192 gm approx for model 351 Jaw opening \& Conductor diameter : 45mm max for model 151, 152 \& 155; 26 mm max for model 351

Special features : Backlight display (model 152 \& 155 only); AutoVA ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ (Auto Selection on ACV, DCV or ACA functions); Power measurement of selectable W, VAR \& VA with dual-display Total Power Factor features; Total harmonic distortion THD\%-F (model 155 only); PEAK-rms HOLD
Accessories : Test leads (pair), batteries installed, user's manual, soft carrying pouch, \& BKP60 banana plug type-K thermocouple (model 152 \& 155 only)
Optional accessories : PC interface kit BRUA-13X (including BA-1XX Optical Adapter Back, BC-100R Cable, BUA-2303 USB-to-Serial adaptor \& Bs software/driver CD), BKB32 banana plug to type-K socket plug adaptor (model 152 \& 155 only)

## Electrical Specifications

Accuracy is $\pm\left(\%\right.$ reading digits + number of digits) or otherwise specified, at $23^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \pm 5$ ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ \& less than $75 \%$ R.H.

True RMS (all models) ACV \& ACA clamp-on accuracies are specified from 0\% to $100 \%$ of range or otherwise specified. Maximum Crest Factor are as specified below, and with frequency spectrums, besides fundamentals, fall within the meter specified AC bandwidth for non-sinusoidal waveforms. Fundamentals are specified at 50 Hz and 60 Hz .

AC Voltage

| RANGE | Accuracy |
| :--- | :---: |
| $50 \mathrm{~Hz} / 60 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | $0.5 \%+5 \mathrm{~d}$ |
| 600.0 V |  |
| $45 \mathrm{~Hz} \sim 500 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | $1.5 \%+5 \mathrm{~d}$ |
| 600.0 V | $2.5 \%+5 \mathrm{~d}$ |
| $500 \mathrm{~Hz} \sim 3.1 \mathrm{kHz}$ |  |
| 600.0 V |  |

Input Impedance: 2M $\Omega, 30 \mathrm{pF}$ nominal
Crest Factor:
model $151,152,155$ \& $351:<2: 1$ at full scale \& $<4: 1$ at half scale
ACV AutoVA ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Threshold: 30VAC ( $40 \mathrm{~Hz} \sim 500 \mathrm{~Hz}$ only) nominal

## PEAK-rms HOLD (ACA \& ACV only)

Response: 65ms to 90\%

| RANGE | Accuracy |
| :--- | :---: |
| 600.0 V | $0.5 \%+5 \mathrm{~d}$ |

Input Impedance: $2 \mathrm{M} \Omega, 30 \mathrm{pF}$ nominal
DCV AutoVA ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Threshold: 2.4VDC nominal

## Ohms

| RANGE | Accuracy |
| :--- | :---: |
| $999.9 \Omega$ | $1.0 \%+6 \mathrm{~d}$ |

Open Circuit Voltage : 0.4VDC typical

## Audible Continuity Tester

Audible threshold: between $10 \Omega$ and $300 \Omega$.
Response time: $250 \mu \mathrm{~s}$

## ACA Current (Clamp-on)

| RANGE | Accuracy ${ }^{12}$ 2) |
| :--- | :---: |
| $50 \mathrm{~Hz} / 60 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | $1.0 \%+5 \mathrm{~d}$ |
| $40.00 \mathrm{~A}, 400.0 \mathrm{~A}, 1000 \mathrm{~A}(600 \mathrm{~A}$ for model |  |
| $351)$ | $2.0 \%+5 \mathrm{~d}$ |
| $45 \mathrm{~Hz} \sim 500 \mathrm{~Hz}$ |  |
| $40.00 \mathrm{~A}, 400.0 \mathrm{~A}$ | $2.5 \%+5 \mathrm{~d}$ |
| $1000 \mathrm{~A}(600 \mathrm{~A}$ for model 351) | $2.5 \%+5 \mathrm{~d}$ |
| $500 \mathrm{~Hz} \sim 3.1 \mathrm{kHz}$ |  |
| $40.00 \mathrm{~A}, 400.0 \mathrm{~A}$ | $3.0 \%+5 \mathrm{~d}$ |
| $1000 \mathrm{~A}(600 \mathrm{~A}$ for model 351) |  |

ACA AutoVA ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Threshold: 1A AC ( $40 \mathrm{~Hz} \sim 500 \mathrm{~Hz}$ only) nominal
Crest Factor: model 151, 152 \& 155 :
< 2.1:1 at full scale \& < $4.2: 1$ at half scale for 40.00A \& 400.0A ranges
< $1.6: 1$ at full scale \& < $3.2: 1$ at half scale for 1000 A range model 351:
$<2.5: 1$ at full scale \& < $5: 1$ at half scale for $40.00 \mathrm{~A} \& 400.0 \mathrm{~A}$ ranges
$<3: 1$ at full scale \& < 6:1 at half scale for 600A ranges
${ }^{1}$ )/nduced error from adjacent current-carrying conductor: < 0.06A/A
${ }^{2}$ )Specified accuracy is from $1 \%$ to $100 \%$ of range and for measurements made at the jaw center. When the conductor is not positioned at the jaw center, position
errors introduced are:
Add $1 \%$ to specified accuracy for measurements made WITHIN jaw marking lines (away from jaw opening)
Add $4 \%$ to specified accuracy for measurements made BEYOND jaw marking lines (toward jaws opening)

Temperature (model 152 \& 155 only)

| RANGE | Accuracy |
| :--- | :---: |
| $-50^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \sim 300^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $2.0 \%+3^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| $-58^{\circ} \sim 572^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ | $2.0 \%+6^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ |

Type-K thermocouple range \& accuracy not included
Add $3{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (or $6{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ ) to specified accuracy @ $-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \sim-50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (or @ $-4{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{F} \sim-58^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ )
Frequency

| RANGE | Accuracy |
| :--- | :---: |
| $5.00 \mathrm{~Hz} \sim 500.0 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | $0.5 \%+4 \mathrm{~d}$ |

Sensitivity (Sine RMS)
40A range: > 4A
400A range: > 40A
1000A (600A for model 351) range: > 400A
600 V range: > 30 V

## THD\%-F ${ }^{11}$ (model 155 only)

| RANGE | Harmonic order | Accuracy ${ }^{3)}$ 4) |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| $0.0 \% \sim 100.0 \%{ }^{2)}$ | Fundamental | $1.5 \%$ of Reading +6 d |
|  | 2nd $\sim 3$ rd | $5.0 \%$ of Reading +6 d |
|  | 4th $\sim 16$ th | $2.5 \%$ of Reading +6 d |
|  | 17th $\sim 41 \mathrm{st}$ | $3.0 \%$ of Reading +6 d |
|  | 41st $\sim 51 \mathrm{st}$ | $4.5 \%$ of Reading $\left.+6 \mathrm{~d}^{5}\right)$ |

1)THD-F is defined as:
(Total Harmonic RMS / Fundamental RMS) x 100\%
${ }^{2}$ 2)Range \& resolution for Dual Display mode: 0\% ~ 99\%
3)Specified accuracy @ ACA fundamental > 5A ; ACV fundamental $>50 \mathrm{~V}$
${ }^{4}$ )Add 6d to specified accuracy @ THD-F readings < 10\% or > 75\%
5)Unspecified @ THD-F readings > 95\%

Total Power Factor (PF)

| RANGE | Accuracy ${ }^{11}$ |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| $0.10 \sim 0.99$ | F~21st | 22nd $\sim$ 51st |
|  | 3d | 5 d |

${ }^{1}$ )Specified accuracy @ ACA fundamental $>2 \mathrm{~A}$; ACV fundamental $>50 \mathrm{~V}$

## Power

|  | Accuracy ${ }^{12}$ 2) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | F ~ 10th | 11th ~ 46th |  | 47th ~ 51st |
| @ PF = $0.99 \sim 0.1$ | 2.0\% +6 d | $3.5 \%+6 \mathrm{~d}$ |  | $5.5 \%+6 \mathrm{~d}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { RANGE } \\ 0 \sim 600.0^{4} \mathrm{~kW} / \mathrm{kVAR} \\ \hline \end{array}$ | Accuracy ${ }^{1)^{3}}$ |  |  |  |
|  | F~10th | 11th ~ 25th | 26th $\sim 46$ th | 47th ~ 51st |
| @ PF $=0.99 \sim 0.70$ | 2.0\%+6d | 3.5\%+6d | 4.5\%+6d | 10\%+6d |
| @ PF $=0.70 \sim 0.50$ | $3.0 \%+6 \mathrm{~d}$ |  |  |  |
| @ PF $=0.50 \sim 0.30$ | 4.5\%+6d |  | 15\%+6d |  |
| @ PF $=0.30 \sim 0.20$ | 10\%+6d |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{1)}$ Specified accuracy is for ACA clamp measurement at the center of jaws. When the conductor is not positioned at the jaw center, position errors introduced are:
Add 1\% to specified accuracy for ACA measurements made WITHIN jaw marking lines (away from jaw opening)
Accuracy is not specified for ACA measurement made BEYOND jaw marking lines (toward jaws opening)
${ }^{2}$ 2)Add $1 \%$ to specified accuracy @ ACA fundamental < 6A or ACV fundamental < 90V. Accuracy is not specified @ ACA fundamental < 1A or ACV fundamental < 30V ${ }^{3)}$ Add $1 \%$ to specified accuracy @ ACA fundamental <6A or ACV fundamental <90V. Accuracy is not specified @ ACA fundamental < 2A or ACV fundamental < 50V $\left.{ }^{4}\right) 0$ ~ 360.0 for model 351

## A-lags ${ }^{11}$ Indication:

"A-lags" LCD annunciator turns on to indicate an inductive circuit, or Current A lags Voltage $V$ (i.e., phase-shift angle $\theta$ is " + ").
${ }^{11}$ A-lags Indication is specified at $50 / 60 \mathrm{~Hz}$ fundamental without harmonics, and at ACV > 90V, ACA > 9A, \& PF < 0.95

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