

6485 Picoammeter Specifications

RANGE	5½ DIGIT DEFAULT RESOLUTION	ACCURACY (1YR) ¹ ±(% RDG. + OFFSET) 18°–28°C, 0–70% RH	TYPICAL RMS NOISE ²	ANALOG RISE TIME ³ (10% to 90%)
2 nA	10 fA	0.4 % + 400 fA	20 fA	8 ms
20 nA	100 fA	0.4 % + 1 pA	100 fA	8 ms
200 nA	1 pA	0.2 % + 10 pA	1 pA	500 µs
2 µA	10 pA	0.15% + 100 pA	10 pA	500 µs
20 µA	100 pA	0.1 % + 1 nA	100 pA	500 µs
200 µA	1 nA	0.1 % + 10 nA	1 nA	500 µs
2 mA	10 nA	0.1 % + 100 nA	10 nA	500 µs
20 mA	100 nA	0.1 % + 1 µA	100 nA	500 µs

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT: 0°–18°C & 28°–50°C. For each °C, add 0.1 × (% rdg + offset) to accuracy spec.

INPUT VOLTAGE BURDEN: <200µV on all ranges except <1mV on 20mA range.

MAXIMUM INPUT CAPACITANCE: Stable to 10nF on all nA ranges and 2µA range; 1µF on 20µA and 200µA ranges, and on mA ranges.

MAXIMUM CONTINUOUS INPUT VOLTAGE: 220VDC

NMRr: (50 or 60Hz) :60dB

MAXIMUM COMMON MODE VOLTAGE: 42V.

ISOLATION (Meter COMMON to chassis): Typically >5×10¹¹Ω in parallel with <1nF.

ANALOG OUTPUT: Scaled voltage output (inverting 2V full scale on all ranges) 3% ±2mV, 1kΩ impedance.

¹ At 1 PLC – limited to 60 rdgs/sec under this condition.

² At 6 PLC, 1 standard deviation, 100 readings, filter off, capped input – limited to 10 rdgs/sec under this condition.

³ Measured at analog output with resistive load >100kΩ.

IEEE-488 BUS IMPLEMENTATION

MULTILINE COMMANDS: DCL, LLO, SDC, GET, GTL, UNT, UNL, SPE, SPD.

IMPLEMENTATION: SCPI (IEEE-488.2, SCPI-1996.0); DDC (IEEE-488.1).

UNILINE COMMANDS: IFC, REN, EOI, SRQ, ATN.

INTERFACE FUNCTIONS: SH1, AH1, T5, TE0, L4, LE0, SR1, RL1, PPO, DC1, DT1, C0, E1.

PROGRAMMABLE PARAMETERS: Range, Zero Check, Zero Correct, EOI (DDC mode only), Trigger, Terminator (DDC mode only), Calibration (SCPI mode only), Display Format, SRQ, REL, Output Format, V-offset Cal.

ADDRESS MODES: TALK ONLY and ADDRESSABLE.

LANGUAGE EMULATION: Keithley Model 485 emulation via DDC mode.

RS-232 IMPLEMENTATION:

Supports: SCPI 1996.0.

Baud Rates: 300, 600, 1200, 2400, 4800, 9600, 19.2k, 38.4k, 57.6k.

Protocols: Xon/Xoff, 7 or 8 bit ASCII, parity-odd/even/none.

Connector: DB-9 TXD/RXD/GND.

GENERAL

INPUT CONNECTOR: BNC on rear panel.

DISPLAY: 12 character vacuum fluorescent.

RANGING: Automatic or manual.

OVERRANGE INDICATION: Display reads "OVRFLOW".

CONVERSION TIME: Selectable 0.01 PLC to 60 PLC (50PLC under 50Hz operation). (Adjustable from 200µs to 1s)

READING RATE:

To internal buffer 1000 readings/second¹

To IEEE-488 bus 900 readings/second^{1,2}

Notes:

¹ 0.01 PLC, digital filters off, front panel off, auto zero off.

² Binary transfer mode. IEEE-488.1.

BUFFER: Stores up to 2500 readings.

PROGRAMS: Provide front panel access to IEEE address, choice of engineering units or scientific notation, and digital calibration.

EMC: Conforms with European Union Directive 89/336/EEC, EN61326-1.

SAFETY: Conforms with European Union Directive 73/23/EEC, EN61010-1.

TRIGGER LINE: Available, see manual for usage.

DIGITAL FILTER: Median and averaging (selectable from 2 to 100 readings).

ENVIRONMENT:

Operating: 0°–50°C; relative humidity 70% non-condensing, up to 35°C. Above 35°C, derate humidity by 3% for each °C.

Storage: –25° to +65°C.

WARM-UP: 1 hour to rated accuracy (see manual for recommended procedure).

POWER: 100–120V or 220–240V, 50–60Hz, 30VA.

PHYSICAL:

Case Dimensions: 90mm high × 214mm wide × 369mm deep (3½ in. × 8½ in. × 14½ in.).

Working Dimensions: From front of case to rear including power cord and IEEE-488 connector: 394mm (15.5 inches).

Net Weight: <2.8 kg (<6.1 lbs).

Shipping Weight: <5 kg (<11 lbs).