

FLUKE®

Fluke Process Calibration Tools Catalogue



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Process Calibration

Precision, performance, confidence.™



Tools

**Maximise uptime.
Minimise downtime.**

Why Calibrate?

The need to achieve consistent results is one of the most important reasons why we calibrate.

Accuracy is an important feature of a calibrator. You may need a particular level of accuracy to comply with standards that specify a test accuracy ratio (TAR) or test uncertainty ratio (TUR). For example, many standards require a 4:1 ratio between the specified tolerance of the device under test (DUT) and the accuracy or uncertainty of the calibration equipment. However, accuracy is also important because when accurate standards are used most of the time, downtime only needs to be long enough to verify that the instruments are still in tolerance. However, with inaccurate calibration standards, more borderline and out-of-tolerance indications are found. This means that a routine verification turns into an additional adjustment procedure and a final verification at each of the test points to prove the "as left" condition is in tolerance. This more than doubles the downtime and the technician time involved in completing the calibration. This is because inaccurate standards tend to not be consistent with each other causing us to make more adjustments to correct phantom errors.

PROCESS CALIBRATION

Maintenance Manager

Focus: Maintaining plant uptime and maintenance efficiency.

What issues do you face?

- Ensuring continuous uptime
- Maintaining good ROI for equipment
- Compliance
- Process improvement
- Increase efficiency

Quality Manager

Focus: Maintaining and documenting product quality

What issues do you face?

- Complying with quality regulations
- Maintaining documentation of processes

Field Calibration Technician

Focus: Calibrating and verifying measurement devices

What issues do you face?

- Making accurate measurements
- Documenting procedures
- Increasing throughput

Instrumentation Technician

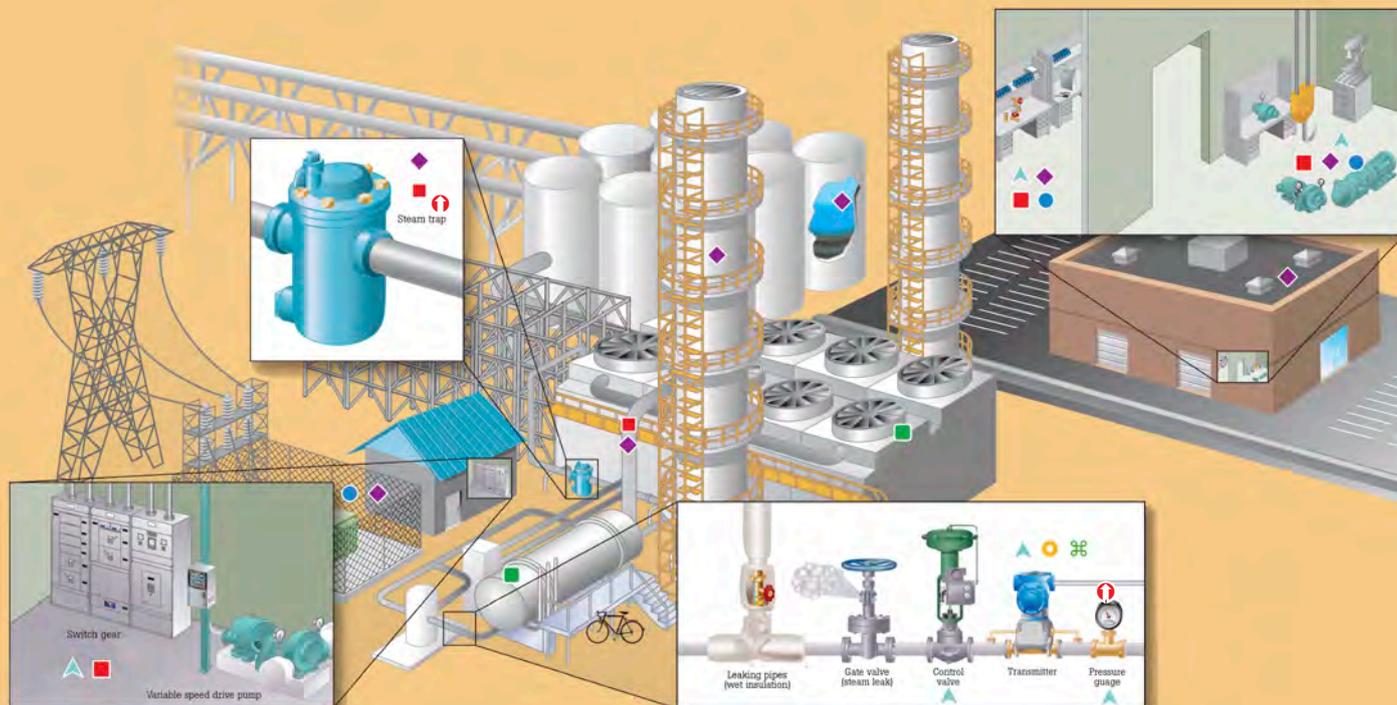
Focus: Maintaining and verifying instrumentation throughout the plant

What issues do you face?

- Monitor and maintain sensors and transmissions
- Accurate measurements

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Process Calibration Solutions

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Fluke Process Calibration
Solutions at

<http://au.fluke.com/PCT>

Based on you. Built by Fluke



Process Calibration Tools

from Fluke and Fluke Calibration

Working in a process environment such as pharmaceutical, refining or other industrial areas can be challenging. Whether you're working at a bench, out in the plant, or in the field, you need accurate tools that you can count on.

Finding the right tools for the specific challenges you face every day is important so we've provided an "at-a-glance" guide to the wide range of multifunction, mA loop, pressure and temperature calibrators that we carry. For complete information on our field and bench solutions to all your calibration needs visit <http://au.fluke.com/PCT> or one of the product pages listed in this catalogue.



Electrical and Multifunction Calibration

Fluke offers a broad range of field and bench calibrators to source, simulate, and measure pressure, temperature and electrical signals to help you verify and adjust your test equipment or almost any process instrument.



mA Loop Calibration

Loop calibrators are essential tools for working with 4-20 mA current loops. Fluke loop calibrators provide mA sourcing, simulation and measurement, readouts in both mA and % of span, 24 V loop supply, simple operation and accuracy you can count on.



Pressure Calibration

Instrumentation is found in virtually every process plant. Periodic calibration of these instruments is required to keep plants operating efficiently and safely. Fluke provides a wide selection of field and bench calibration tools to help you quickly and reliably calibrate your pressure instrumentation.



Temperature Calibration

Temperature calibration refers to the calibration of any device used in a system that measures temperature—from sensors to transmitters to displays. Fluke offers bench and field solutions to ensure process temperature accuracy of not only the system's electronic temperature signals, but also the very temperature sensors that initiate those signals.

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Electrical, Multifunction and mA Loop Calibration



Multifunction Calibrators

These field and bench calibrators source, simulate, and measure pressure, temperature and electrical signals with exceptional precision.



754 Documenting Process Calibrator with HART®

Rugged, reliable tool for calibrating, maintaining and troubleshooting HART and other instrumentation.



- Measure volts, mA, RTDs, thermocouples, frequency and ohms to test sensors, transmitters and other instruments
- Source/simulate volts, mA, thermocouples, RTDs, frequency, ohms and pressure to calibrate transmitters
- Supports popular models of HART transmitters, with more device-specific command support than any other HART field calibrator
- Download procedures and upload calibration results from field calibrations
- NIST traceable calibration

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753 Documenting Process Calibrator

Rugged handheld tool for sourcing, simulating and measuring pressure, temperature, and electrical signals.

- Measure volts, mA, RTDs, thermocouples, frequency and ohms to test sensors, transmitters and other instruments
- Source/simulate volts, mA, thermocouples, RTDs, frequency, ohms and pressure to calibrate transmitters
- Power transmitters during test using loop supply with simultaneous mA measurement
- Download procedures and upload calibration results from field calibrations
- NIST traceable calibration

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726 Precision Multifunction Process Calibrator

Designed specifically for the process industry with broad workload coverage, calibration power and unsurpassed accuracy. Includes all the features and functions of the 725 plus:

- Enhanced accuracy
- Pulse count sourcing and pulse measurement totalising
- Pressure switch test
- Error % calculation
- NIST traceable calibration

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725 Multifunction Process Calibrator

A powerful and easy-to-use field calibrator to test and calibrate almost any process parameter.

- Measure/source/simulate volts, mA, thermocouples, RTDs, frequency, ohms, and pressure to calibrate transmitters
- Measure/source pressure using any of 48 Fluke 750P Pressure Modules
- Source mA with simultaneous pressure measurement to conduct valve and I/P tests
- NIST traceable calibration

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725Ex IS Multifunction Process Calibrator

Easy-to-use, intrinsically safe field calibrator can calibrate almost any process instrument needing service where explosive gasses may be present. Includes all the features and functions of the 725 plus:

- ATEX II 1 G Ex ia IIB 171°C KEMA 04ATEX 1303X
- I.S. Class I, Division 1 Groups B-D, 171°C compliance
- Measure/source pressure using any eight Fluke 750PEX Pressure Modules

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Bench Calibrators

Digital and Precision Bench Multimeters and Precise Process Calibrator.



8845A/8846A 6.5 Digit Precision Multimeters

Precision and versatility for bench or systems applications.

- 6.5 digit resolution
- Basic V DC accuracy of up to 0.0024%
- Dual display
- 100 μ A to 10 A current range, with up to 100 pA resolution
- Wide ohms range from 10 Ω to 1 G Ω with up to 10 $\mu\Omega$ resolution
- 2 x 4 ohms 4-wire measurement technique
- Both models measure frequency and period
- 8846A also measures capacitance and temperature
- Accredited calibration

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8808A Digital Multimeter

Versatile multimeter for manufacturing, development and service applications.

- 5.5 digit resolution
- Basic V DC accuracy of 0.015%
- Dual display
- Dedicated dc leakage current measurement
- 2x4 ohms 4-wire measurement technique
- Six dedicated buttons for fast access to instrument setups
- Hi/Lo limit compare for Pass/Fail testing
- 3 year warranty
- NIST traceable calibration

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7526A Precision Process Calibrator

Best balance of economy and accuracy for calibration of temperature and pressure process measurement instrumentation.

- Sources and measures DC voltage, current, resistance, RTDs and thermocouples
- Measures pressure using Fluke 700/525A-P pressure modules
- Includes 24 V DC loop power supply, automated switch-test function and measures 4 mA to 20 mA
- NIST traceable calibration

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Complete Solution

Fluke 754 with 914X Series Field Metrology Well

By combining the automating and documenting capabilities of the Fluke 754 Documenting Process Calibrator with Fluke Calibration's intelligent and stable family of field drywells and micro-baths, you have the capability to test the entire loop.

This combination of equipment allows you to easily verify the characteristics of the temperature sensor and measurement electronics. Using this information, the entire loop can be adjusted to optimise system measurement performance.



mA Loop Calibrators

Fluke Loop Calibrators are ideal for a wide variety of calibration applications from 4 to 20 mA.



709 Precision Loop Calibrator

Reduces the time it takes to measure or source voltage or current and power up a loop.

- Best-in-class accuracy at 0.01% reading
- Small rugged design
- Intuitive user interface with Quick-Set knob for fast setup and easy use
- Built-in selectable 250 Ω resistor for HART communication
- 24 V DC loop power with mA Measure Mode (-25% to 125%)
- Resolution of 1 μA on mA ranges and 1 mV on voltages ranges

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709H Precision Loop Calibrator with HART Communications/Diagnostics

Designed to save time and produce high-quality results.

- HART Communication built in for easy HART device maintenance
- Best-in-class accuracy at 0.01% reading
- Small rugged design operates on six standard AAA batteries
- Intuitive user interface with Quick-Set knob for fast setup and easy use
- Built-in selectable 250 Ω resistor for HART communication

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710 mA Loop Valve Tester

Designed to enable users to perform quick, easy tests on HART smart control valves.

- Key valve testing functions include pre-configured valve signature test, speed test, step test, manual test, and bump/partial stroke test
- Key mA loop calibrator functions include mA source, mA simulate, mA read, mA read/loop power, and volts read
- ValveTrack™ Software enables upload to a PC for further in-depth analysis of valve measurements that are logged and recorded to memory

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705 Loop Calibrator

A cost-effective, integrated solution for calibration, repair and maintenance of current loops.

- mA sourcing, simulation and measurement
- Simultaneous mA and % of span display
- 24 V loop supply with mA measure
- 0 V DC to 28 V DC measurement to check loop voltage
- NIST traceable calibration

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707 Loop Calibrator

A high performance, extremely fast and easy-to-use solution for calibration, repair and maintenance of current loops.

- mA sourcing, simulation and measurement
- 24 V loop supply with mA measure, including 250 Ω HART resistor
- 0 V DC to 28 V DC measurement to check loop voltage
- NIST traceable calibration

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707Ex IS Loop Calibrator

An intrinsically safe loop calibrator for use in explosion endangered areas. Certified in accordance with the ATEX directive in Zones 1 and 2.

- Measures V DC to 28 V
- 0-20 mA or 4-20 mA default startup modes
- HART® compatible resistance is connected in series with the loop supply for compatibility with HART communicators

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Process Meters and Clamp Meters

Provide the versatility of a digital multimeter and loop calibrator and save time with no need to break the loop.



715 Volt/mA Calibrator

Outstanding performance, durability and reliability.

- Measure loop current (0-20 mA, 4-20 mA) signals with very high accuracy of 0.015% and 1 mA resolution
- Measure voltage output process signals from PLCs, transmitters
- Source or simulate 24 mA loop current
- Source voltage to 100 mV or 10 V
- 24 V loop supply with simultaneous current measurement
- Enhanced voltage and current measure and source accuracy
- NIST traceable calibration

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787B ProcessMeter™

Double troubleshooting capabilities by combining the power of a digital multimeter and mA loop calibrator into one tool.

- 20 mA DC current source/measure/simulate
- Simultaneous mA and % of scale readout
- Fluke Connect® compatibility for wireless data logging (with IR3000FC module)
- Precision 1000 V, 440 mA true-rms digital multimeter
- Frequency measurement to 20 kHz

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789 ProcessMeter™

The 789 includes all the popular features of the 787 and adds:

- 24 V loop power supply
- 1200 ohm drive capability on mA source
- HART mode setting with loop power and a built-in 250 ohm resistor
- 0% and 100% buttons to toggle between 4 and 20 mA sourcing for a quick span check
- CAT IV 600 V rating

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771 Milliamp Process Clamp Meter

Saves time by making fast, accurate measurements on 4-20 mA signal loops without breaking the circuit.

- 0.01 mA resolution and sensitivity
- Measure mA signals for PLC and control system analog I/O
- Measure 10 to 50 mA signals in older control systems using the 99.9 mA range

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772 Milliamp Process Clamp Meter

Expanded features of the popular 771 mA clamp meter by adding loop power and mA sourcing to the capabilities.

- Measure 4 to 20 mA signals with in-circuit measurement
- Simultaneous mA in-circuit measurement with 24 V loop power for powering and testing transmitters
- Source 4 to 20 mA signals for testing control system I/O or I/Ps
- Automatically ramp or step the 4 to 20 mA output for remote testing

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773 Milliamp Process Clamp Meter

The premier mA clamp meter, adds advanced troubleshooting features and voltage source/measure for testing voltage I/O. Includes all the features of the 772 plus:

- DC voltage sourcing and measurement, verify 24 V power supplies or test voltage I/O signals
- Scaled mA output provides a continuous mA signal that corresponds to the 4 to 20 mA signal measured by the mA clamp
- Simultaneously source and measure mA signals

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Process instrumentation requires periodic calibration and maintenance to ensure that it is operating correctly.

Field checking a loop-powered isolator

Fluke loop calibrators have a unique current simulation feature that, when connected to an external power source, allows you to precisely control current between 0 mA and 24 mA. When field checking a loop-powered isolator, the two-wire loop transmitter supplying signal current to the isolator for the loop may be removed and the calibrator connected in simulate mode to control loop current.

Testing valve positioners

Electronic valve positioners should receive periodic in-field calibrations as part of preventive maintenance programs. Fluke loop calibrators are the ideal test tools for these checks. Valve positioners vary in design and valve type and should be calibrated using specific instructions from the individual manufacturer. Quick operational checks can be performed using a field calibrator as a signal source while observing the valve stem position, mechanical position indicators or flow indicators as input changes are made. Fluke loop calibrators provide a convenient source for simulating the controller output to a valve positioner.

Using Fluke Loop Calibrators as a voltage source

A precision shunt resistor may be used to derive voltages for calibration using the calibrator's current source mode. Using this system, Fluke loop calibrators are capable of generating voltages for devices with input spans as low as 10 mV to as high as 24 V.



Pressure Calibration



Digital Pressure Calibrators

Built-in features like mA measure, loop power, switch test and transmitter error calculation make these pressure calibrators powerful tools that are easy to use.



729 Automatic Pressure Calibrator

Portable automatic pressure calibrator simplifies pressure calibration.

- Automatic pressure generation and regulation to 20 bar
- Easily document the process using onboard test templates
- Automatic internal fine-pressure adjustment
- Measure, source and simulate 4 to 20 mA signals
- 24V loop power for powering transmitters for tests
- HART communication for testing HART smart transmitters

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719 Portable Electric Pressure Calibrator

Calibrate and test pressure devices quickly and easily with one hand, saving valuable time.

- Simulates mA signals to troubleshoot 4-20 mA loops
- Powers transmitters during test using 24 V loop supply
- Offers ideal performance for high accuracy transmitter calibration

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719Pro Portable Electric Pressure Calibrator

Calibrate and test pressure devices quickly with the built-in electric pump.

- Source mA with simultaneous pressure measurement to test valves and I/Ps
- Power transmitters during test using 24 V loop supply with simultaneous mA measurement
- New 300 psi range, generate up to 300 psi, with internal electric pump
- NIST traceable calibration

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721 Dual Range Pressure Calibrator

Two measurement ranges plus temperature measurement

- Up to three displayed measurements simultaneously
- High accuracy, 0.025% total measurement uncertainty for one year
- Pt100 RTD input for precise temperature measurement, accurate to 0.1°C
- NIST traceable calibration

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717 Pressure Calibrator

Rugged, reliable and accurate calibrator with outstanding performance and durability.

- Measure pressure, 0.025% of full scale with internal sensor up to 10,000 psi/690 bar sensor (1000G model)
- Measure mA with 0.015% accuracy and 0.001 mA resolution, while sourcing 24 V loop power
- NIST traceable calibration

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718 Pressure Calibrator with Pump

Provides a total pressure calibration solution for transmitters, gauges and switches.

- Pressure source and milliamp measurement to calibrate and maintain almost any pressure device
- 1 psi, 30 psi, 100 psi and 300 psi ranges mean few extra tools required
- NIST traceable calibration

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718Ex IS Pressure Calibrator with Pump

A powerful, intrinsically safe and self-contained pressure calibrator for use in explosion endangered areas.

- ATEX II 1G Ex ia IIC T4 compliant
- Built-in pressure/vacuum hand pump, with fine adjust vernier and bleed valve
- 30 psi, 100 psi, and 300 psi ranges
- NIST traceable calibration

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Pressure Modules and Accessories

Get outstanding value with our most rugged modules.



750P Pressure Modules

A full range of differential, gage, absolute, vacuum, dual and intrinsically safe pressure modules are available, from 2.5 mBar to 690 Bar.

- Improved total uncertainty with reference class accuracies as good as 0.01%
- Enhanced connectability with easy to connect finger-tight adapters for NPT, BSP and M20 fittings (supplied)
- Multiple temperature specification windows offering additional specification improvements
- Absolute pressure measurement now to 1,500 PSIA, 100 bar

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750PEx Pressure Modules

The ideal pressure modules to enable gage, differential and absolute pressure measurement with Fluke 750 DPCs and 725, 726 MPCs to measure pressure.

- Up to 0.01 % reference uncertainty
- 6-month and 1-year specifications
- Temperature compensated 0 °C to 50 °C
- Broad selection of ranges
- Eight (8) Intrinsically Safe models that are certified to:
 - NEC-500: Class I Div 1, Groups A-D, Ga
 - ATEX: II 1 G Ex ia IIC T4 Ga
 - IECEx: Ex ia IIC T4 Ga

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700LTP-1 Low Pressure Test Pump

Hand operated pressure pump designed to generate either vacuum to -13 psi/-0.90 bar or pressures to 100 psi/6.9 bar. Ideal for low pressure applications requiring accurate low pressure testing.

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700HTP-2 Hydraulic Test Pump

Designed to generate pressures up to 10,000 psi/700 bar.

- Generate pressure up to 10,000 psi, 690 bar with the included 700HTP-2 test pump
- Connect the 700G Series gauge directly to the HTP-2 hand pump

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700PTP-1 Pneumatic Test Pump

Designed to generate either vacuum to -11.6 psi/-0.8 bar or pressure to 600 psi/40 bar.

- Generate pressure up to 600 psi, 40 bar with the 700PTP-1 test pump
- Connect the 700G Series gauge directly to the included PTP-1 hand pump

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700PTPK2 Pneumatic Test Kit

- Combine with any Fluke 700G Series Gauge, 1,000 psi (69 bar) or less, to make a complete pressure testing kit
- Generate pressure up to 600 psi, 40 bar with 700PTP-1 Test Pump

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700HTPK2 Hydraulic Test Kit

- Combine with any Fluke-700G Series Gauge, 1,000 psi (69 bar) range or greater, to make a complete pressure testing kit
- Generate pressure up to 10,000 psi, 690 bar

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700PMP Pressure Pump

The 700PMP is a hand-operated pressure pump to provide pressures up to 10 bar. Output fitting is 1/8 FNPT.

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Master Gauges, Manual and Reference Pressure Calibrators

Portable, high-quality pressure calibrators and precision pressure gauges.



2271A Industrial Pressure Calibrator

Everything you need to calibrate and test pressure transmitters and gauges from very low pressure to 3000 psi (20 MPa), all in one box

- Calibrate a wide range of gauges and sensors with a single instrument
- Two levels of accuracy, 0.01% reading or 0.02% FS
- Wide measurement range from -100 kPa to 20 MPa (-15 to 3000 psi)
- Removable pressure measurement modules make it easy to change or add measurement ranges
- Integrated electrical measurement module with HART communication provides a complete solution for calibrating pressure transmitters
- Built-in dual test ports enable you to connect multiple devices under test (DUTs)

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700G Precision Pressure Gauges

Rugged construction for reliable measurements in the field.

- Twenty-three ranges from 15 psi/1 bar to 10,000 psi/690 bar and 0.05 % accuracy
- Combine with a comparator kit for a complete solution
- Four absolute pressure measurement ranges
- Use the 700G/TRACK Software to upload over 8,000 logged pressure measurements
- Up to 1500 hours battery life
- I.S. rating, CSA; Class 1, Div 2, Groups A-D rating, ATEX: rating: II 3 G Ex nA IIB T6
- NIST traceable calibration

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2700G Series Reference Pressure Gauges

Best-in-class accuracy from a master pressure gauge.

- Precision pressure measurement from 100 kPa (15 psi) to 70 MPa (10,000 psi)
- Accuracy to $\pm 0.02\%$ of full scale
- Combine with the 700PTPK or 700HTPK pump kits for a complete portable pressure testing solution for up to 4 MPa (600 psi) with the PTP-1 pneumatic pump and up to 70 MPa (10 000 psi) with the HTP-2 hydraulic pump
- Optional accredited calibration

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3130 Portable Pressure Calibrator

Everything you need for highly accurate calibrations of pneumatic field instruments.

- Measure and generate pressures from -12 psi (0.8 bar) to 2 MPa (300 psi, 20 bar)
- Accuracy of $\pm 0.025\%$ reading to $\pm 0.01\%$ FS
- Works with compressed plant air internal pump
- 24 V loop power and electrical measurement for transmitters and switches
- Compatible with Fluke 750P pressure modules
- NiMH battery

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Pressure Tools Accessories

Accessories increase the functionality of your test tool and increase your safety and proficiency.



71XTrap Liquid and Dirt Trap

- Works with pressure up to 500 psi
- Designed to work with the Fluke 718 and 719PRO

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71X, Hose Kit

- Compatible with Fluke 717 and 718 Calibrators 100 PSI and below
- Kit contains three translucent hoses (1 m long) and one 1/8 to 1/4 NPT female-female adapter

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700ILF In-line Filter

- Can be used to isolate the calibrator from incidental contact with fluids
- Useful with the 718 Fluke Calibrator to help keep moisture or oils from contaminating the on-board pump

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700HTH-1 Hydraulic Test Hose

- 10,000 psi, 690 bar working pressure test hose

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720RTD RTD Probe

Fluke-720RTD Temperature Probe is for use with Fluke 721 and 719Pro Pressure Calibrators

- 10 inch (254mm) insertion depth with 1/4 inch (6.3mm) diameter stainless steel sheath

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720URTD Universal RTD Adapter

Fluke Universal RTD Adapter 720URTD for Fluke 721 Precision Pressure Calibrators and Fluke 719Pro Electric Pressure Calibrators

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Fluke 700MTH Premium Transmitter Test Hose Kit

Easy to use premium pressure transmitter test hose kit for connection to 1/4" female metric/BSP

- 5,000 psi rating
- Includes 1/8" NPT connection for permanent mount to a calibrator or test pump

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Fluke 700M20TH Premium Transmitter Test Hose Kit

Easy to use premium pressure transmitter test hose kit for use with female M20 connections

Includes:

- One (1) 5,000 psi rated, premium test hose
- Premium, no tools required M20 adapter

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700-IV Current Shunt

- Conversion factor: 10 mV = 1 mA
- Accuracy (% of input, one-year): 0.025 %
- Input current: 0 mA to 55 mA
- Input resistance: 250 Ω nominal
- Output resistance: 10 Ω nominal
- Accuracy specification applies from +18 °C and 28 °C to 50 °C
- Maximum input voltage: 30 V DC

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700PRV Pressure Relief Valve Kit

- Consists of a relief valve settable from 725 to 5800 PSI to be used with the 700HTP-1 Test Pump
- The 1/8" NPT male thread to fits directly into the Fluke 700HTP-1 Pressure Pump

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Pressure Calibration

Pressure Comparators

Precise pressure generation for comparing a device under test to a master gauge.



P5510 Gas Pressure Comparator

Easy, efficient pressure and vacuum generation in a single device.

- Pressure to 2 MPa (300 psi)
- Vacuum to -80 kPa (-12 psi)

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P5513 Gas Pressure Comparator

High quality, precise gas pressure generation and control.

- Precise pressure regulation to 210 MPa (3,000 psi) with high quality needle valves
- Built-in screw press for fine pressure adjustment

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P5514 Hydraulic Pressure Comparator

Easy, efficient hydraulic pressure generation.

- Generate and precisely adjust pressure to 70 MPa (10,000 psi)
- Compatible with a wide range of fluids

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P5515 Hydraulic Pressure Comparator

High quality, precise hydraulic pressure generation and control.

- Generate and precisely adjust pressure to 140 MPa (20,000 psi)
- Integrated hand pump for system priming and large volume applications

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700HPPK Pneumatic Test Pump Kit

Rugged and portable way to generate pressure in the field quickly, safely and easily.

- Generates and adjusts pneumatic pressure up to 21 MPa
- Reaches pressure in 20 seconds to full scale into a 30 cm³ volume

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Complete Bench Top Pressure Calibration Solution

Combine P5500 comparison test pumps with one or more 2700G reference pressure gauges for a complete 0.02% accuracy calibration system.

The 2700G has an easy-to-use interface that allows you to configure the sampling rate, tare value, damping and auto off time interval as well as reset the min/max pressure. You can also view the remaining battery life. Select from 21 different standard engineering units, including bar, in H₂O, kPa, MPa and psi.

The 2700G Reference Pressure Gauge can be combined with the Fluke Calibration P5500 series of comparison test pumps to make a complete pressure calibration system. The unique test port design of the P5500 series allows for hand tight connection of the 2700G without the use of PTFE tape.



Bench Deadweight Testers

Deadweight testers are highly accurate, robust and flexible pressure measurement standards capable of calibrating a wide range of instruments.



P3010 Single Piston Gas Deadweight Tester

A high quality, high performance gas deadweight tester.

- 0.015 % of reading accuracy (0.008 % optional)
- Ranges cover from -100 kPa vacuum to 3.5 MPa pressure
- Integrated vacuum/pressure pump available to 2 MPa
- Accredited calibration

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P3020 Dual Piston Gas Deadweight Tester

Unique suspended piston design offers vacuum and pressure calibration in a single instrument.

- 0.015 % of reading accuracy (0.008 % optional)
- Ranges cover from 1.5 kPa to 3.5 MPa
- All models feature vacuum measurement to -100 kPa
- Integrated vacuum/pressure pump available to 2 MPa
- Accredited calibration

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P3030 High Pressure Gas Deadweight Tester

Innovative liquid-lubricated piston offers low drop rates and high tolerance to contamination.

- 0.015 % of reading accuracy (0.008 % optional)
- Ranges cover from 100 kPa to 14 MPa
- Integrated control valves and screw press for fine adjustment
- Accredited calibration

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P3110 Single Piston Oil Deadweight Tester

High quality, high performance, easy to use oil pressure calibration.

- 0.015 % of reading accuracy (0.008 % optional)
- Ranges cover from 100 kPa to 140 MPa
- Integrated pressure generation and control is standard
- Accredited calibration

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P3120 Dual Piston Oil Deadweight Tester

Dual piston design offers maximum hydraulic pressure calibration workload coverage.

- 0.015 % of reading accuracy (0.008 % optional)
- 100 kPa to 110 MPa in a single instrument
- Integrated pressure generation and control is standard
- Accredited calibration

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P3210 Single Piston Water Deadweight Tester

Specially designed to use water as a test medium.

- 0.015 % of reading accuracy (0.008 % optional)
- Ranges cover from 100 kPa to 70 MPa
- Integrated pressure generation and control is standard
- Accredited calibration

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P3220 Dual Piston Water Deadweight Tester

Dual piston design offers maximum water pressure calibration workload coverage.

- 0.015 % of reading accuracy (0.008 % optional)
- 100 kPa to 70 MPa in a single instrument
- Integrated pressure generation and control is standard
- Accredited calibration

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P3800 High Pressure Oil Deadweight Tester

High performance, easy to use very high pressure oil calibration.

- 0.02% of reading accuracy (0.015% optional)
- Ranges up to 400 MPa (60,000 psi)
- Integrated pressure generation, intensifier and control
- Accredited calibration

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Electronic Deadweight Testers

High performance, with powerful features for a wide range of pneumatic pressure calibrations.



6531 Electronic Deadweight Tester

A digital alternative to the traditional deadweight tester.

- 0.02% of reading from 10% to 100% of instrument range (10:1 turndown)
- Ranges from 7 MPa (1000 psi) to 200 MPa (30,000 psi)
- Integrated hydraulic pressure generation and control
- Compatible with water and a wide range of oils and other fluids
- Onboard test routines, data storage, and other advanced features
- Accredited calibration

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6532 Extended Range Electronic Deadweight Tester

All the features of model 6531 with extended pressure range for maximum workload coverage.

- 0.02% of reading from 1% to 100% of instrument range (100:1 turndown)
- Models with full scale ranges from 70 MPa (10,000 psi) to 200 MPa (30,000 psi)
- Accredited calibration

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A pressure calibration system needs to accurately measure pressure and may also need to measure pressure transmitters.

A complete pressure calibration system includes components to generate, control and measure pressure (and normally to log data from some or all of these functions). Some systems include two or all of these functions in a single unit. A procedure to adjust the unit is also usually required. Pressure monitors and references are digital readouts or gages that convert the pressure into numerical pressure units. Pressure sources generate either pneumatic (gas) or hydraulic (oil, water or alcohol typically) pressure.

For PCT field applications, a hand-pump or comparison test pump can be used, in conjunction with a reference calibrator; these normally provide sufficient control for field applications. On the bench, for higher pressures and where a greater degree of control or automation is required, a gas bottle or shop air can be used with a controller. Deadweight testers and the related electronic deadweight tester are portable systems that provide all three functions: generation, control and measurement— in a single unit and are suitable for both field and bench use.

Analogue and digital pressure gauges are often used to monitor pressures in processes. Gages have an internal mechanical or electro-mechanical mechanism to convert input pressure to a reading. Sensors and transmitters comprise both a sensor assembly, to detect and measure the pressure, and a transmitter, which converts the pressure into an electrical signal, typically a 4-20 milliamp signal, that can be transmitted to a control panel, PLC or other readout.

Temperature Calibration



Handheld Temperature Calibrators

Suitable for calibrating temperature transmitters, panel meters and other devices that connect to temperature sensors.



712B RTD Calibrator

Ideal tool for temperature calibration professionals offering a highly accurate easy-to-use single function RTD temperature calibrator.

- The 712B measures and simulates (13) different RTD types and resistance
- Measure 4 to 20 mA signals while simultaneously sourcing a temperature signal
- Configurable 0% and 100% source settings for quick 25% linearity checks
- Linear ramp and 25% step auto ramp based on 0% and 100% settings
- 1-year and 2-year specifications and traceable certificate of calibration

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714B Thermocouple Calibrator

Highly accurate, easy-to-use single function thermocouple temperature calibrator.

- The 714B measures and simulates (17) different thermocouple types and millivolts
- Measure 4 to 20 mA signals while simultaneously sourcing a temperature signal
- Configurable 0% and 100% source settings for quick 25% linearity checks
- Linear ramp and 25% step auto ramp based on 0% and 100% settings
- 1-year and 2-year specifications and traceable certificate of calibration

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724 Temperature Calibrator

Powerful and easy-to-use to measure and source functions for testing and calibrating almost any temperature instrument.

- Measure RTDs, thermocouples, ohms, and volts to test sensors and transmitters
- Source/simulate thermocouples, RTDs, volts, and ohms to calibrate transmitters
- Perform fast linearity tests with 25% and 100% steps
- NIST traceable calibration

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Field Temperature Sources

Portable and flexible temperature-controlled dry-wells suitable for high-speed calibrations or certifications of thermocouples, RTDs, PRTs and other temperature sensors.



9100S Handheld Dry-Well

World's smallest, lightest and most portable dry-well.

- Smallest dry-wells in the world
- Ranges from 35°C to 375°C
- Accuracy to $\pm 0.25^\circ\text{C}$, stability of $\pm 0.07^\circ\text{C}$ at 50°C
- NIST traceable calibration

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9102S Handheld Dry-Well

High-performance, convenient and easy-to-use handheld dry-well.

- Smallest dry-wells in the world
- Ranges from -10°C to 122°C
- Accuracy to $\pm 0.25^\circ\text{C}$, stability of $\pm 0.05^\circ\text{C}$ (full range)
- NIST traceable calibration

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9009 Dual-Well Dry-Well

Two-in-one dry-well increases portability and productivity.

- Temperatures from -15°C to 350°C in one unit
- Display accuracy: hot block: $\pm 0.6^\circ\text{C}$; cold block: $\pm 0.2^\circ\text{C}$
- Rugged, lightweight, water resistant enclosure
- NIST traceable calibration

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Multifunction Field Temperature Sources

Fast, lightweight and portable with precision temperature control traceable to National Standards. Suitable for calibration of thermocouples, RTDs, PRTs and other temperature sensors.



914X Series Field Metrology Wells

The 914X series field metrology wells extend high performance to the industrial process environment by maximising portability, speed and functionality with little compromise to metrology performance.

Field metrology wells are lightweight, small and quick to reach temperature set points yet also stable, uniform and precise. This industrial product line is perfect for transmitter loop, comparison calibration, or a simple check of a thermocouple sensor. There is no need to carry additional tools into the field as the “process” option offers a built-in readout for resistance, voltage and mA measurement, 24V loop power and on-board documentation.

9142 Field Metrology Well

Maximising portability, speed, and functionality for the industrial process environment.

- -25°C to 150°C temperature range
- Display accuracy of $\pm 0.2^\circ\text{C}$ over full range
- Built-in two-channel readout for PRT, RTD, thermocouple, 4-20 mA current
- Optional built-in reference thermometer readout
- Accredited calibration

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9143 Field Metrology Well

Extend high performance to the industrial process environment with little compromise to metrology performance.

- 33°C to 350°C temperature range
- Display accuracy of $\pm 0.2^\circ\text{C}$ over full range
- Built-in two-channel readout for PRT, RTD, thermocouple, 4-20 mA current
- Optional built-in reference thermometer readout
- Accredited calibration

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9144 Field Metrology Well

Precision calibration with fast temperature ramp-up rates for the industrial process environment.

- 50°C to 660°C temperature range
- Heat to 660°C in 15 minutes
- Display accuracy from $\pm 0.35^\circ\text{C}$ at 420°C to $\pm 0.5^\circ\text{C}$ at $\pm 660^\circ\text{C}$
- Optional built-in reference thermometer readout
- Accredited calibration

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9103 Field Dry-Well

Great performance in a portable instrument.

- -25 °C to 140 °C
- Accuracy to $\pm 0.25^\circ\text{C}$
- Stable to $\pm 0.02^\circ\text{C}$ at -25 °C and $\pm 0.04^\circ\text{C}$ at 140 °C
- NIST traceable calibration

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9140 Field Dry-Well

Lightweight and portable field dry-well small enough to easily carry in one hand.

- 35 °C to 350 °C
- Accuracy to $\pm 0.5^\circ\text{C}$
- Stability to $\pm 0.03^\circ\text{C}$ at 50 °C and $\pm 0.05^\circ\text{C}$ at 350 °C
- NIST traceable calibration

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9150 Thermocouple Furnace

Convenient, portable thermocouple furnace.

- 150 °C to 1200 °C
- Stability of $\pm 0.5^\circ\text{C}$ over full range
- RS-232 port standard
- NIST traceable calibration

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Multifunction Field Temperature Sources

Fast, lightweight and portable with precision temperature control traceable to National Standards. Suitable for calibration of thermocouples, RTDs, PRTs and other temperature sensors.



9190A Ultra-Cool Field Metrology Well

Very low temperatures, with no fluids and best-in-class stability

- Wide temperature range from -95°C to 140°C
- Best-in-class stability: $\pm 0.015^{\circ}\text{C}$ full range
- Accuracy using built-in reference thermometer readout: $\pm 0.05^{\circ}\text{C}$ full range
- Display accuracy: $\pm 0.2^{\circ}\text{C}$ full range
- Optional built-in two-channel readout for PRT, RTC, TC, 4-20 mA and reference thermometer
- Accredited calibration

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6102/7102/7103 Micro-Baths

Calibrate a variety of probe diameters—no sleeves required.

- Three models covering temperatures from -30°C to 200°C
- World's smallest portable calibration baths
- Stability to $\pm 0.015^{\circ}\text{C}$
- NIST traceable calibration

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6109A/7109A Portable Calibration Baths

Calibrate up to four tri-clamp sanitary sensors, or a batch of sanitary RTDs and temperature transmitters, at the same time.

- Wide temperature range covers most clean process applications:
 - 6109A: 35°C to 250°C
 - 7109A: -25°C to 140°C
- Excellent display accuracy of $\pm 0.1^{\circ}\text{C}$ provides 4:1 test uncertainty ratio (TUR) for critical applications
- Easy to transport up stairs and across catwalks
- Stainless steel casing withstands harsh sterilising chemicals and is rust proof perfect for clean room use
- Easy to use and maintain

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Infrared Temperature Sources

Bench and field precision infrared calibrators for accurate and reliable calibrations of infrared thermometers.



4180/4181 Precision Infrared Calibrators

Accredited performance for point and shoot calibrations.

- Calibrated radiometrically for meaningful, consistent results
- Accurate, reliable performance from -15°C to 500°C
- Large 152mm diameter target
- Accredited calibration

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9132/9133 Field Infrared Calibrators

Precision when you need it for infrared temperature calibration.

- Verify IR pyrometers from -30°C to 500°C
- RTD reference well for contact temperature measurement
- Small compact design
- NIST traceable contact calibration

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Ambient Conditions Monitor

For precise measurement and recording of ambient temperature and humidity conditions wherever calibrations take place.



1529 Four-Channel Thermometer Readout

Lab-quality accuracy on four channels for PRTs, thermistors and thermocouples.

- Accuracy of $\pm 0.0025^{\circ}\text{C}$ (meter only)
- Displays eight user-selected data fields from any channel
- Logs up to 8,000 readings with date and time stamps
- Accredited calibration

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1620A Precision Thermo-Hygrometer

The most accurate temperature and humidity graphical data logger on the market.

- Superior accuracy
- Network enabled
- Powerful logging and analysis tools
- Measures temperature to $\pm 0.125^{\circ}\text{C}$ and humidity to $\pm 1.5\%$ on two channels
- NIST-traceable NVLAP accredited temperature and humidity calibration

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Thermometer Standards

Delivering exceptional accuracy, wide measurement range and designed to go where you work.



1551A Ex/1552A Ex "Stik" Thermometer

The best substitute for precision mercury-filled glass thermometers.

- Accuracy of $\pm 0.05^{\circ}\text{C}$ over full range
- Intrinsically safe (ATEX and IECEx compliant)
- Two models to choose from (-50°C to 160°C or -80°C to 300°C)
- NVLAP-accredited, NIST-traceable calibration

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1523/1524 Handheld Thermometer Readout

Measure, graph and record three sensor types with one tool.

- High accuracy:
PRTs: $\pm 0.011^{\circ}\text{C}$;
Thermocouples: $\pm 0.24^{\circ}\text{C}$;
Thermistors: $\pm 0.002^{\circ}\text{C}$
- A simple user interface to see trends quickly
- Smart connectors to load probe information automatically
- NVLAP-accredited, NIST-traceable calibration

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1502A/1504 Thermometer Readouts

Best performance thermometers in their price range.

- Single-channel reference thermometers, accurate to $\pm 0.006^{\circ}\text{C}$ (meter only)
- Two models to choose from –reading PRTs or thermistors
- Best price/performance package
- Accredited calibration

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Temperature Calibration by Comparison

As the name implies, during a comparison calibration, a thermometer under test is compared to a more accurately calibrated temperature standard, while both are maintained at the same constant temperature in the temperature source. Typically the standard is four times more accurate than the thermometer under test. Any thermometer can be calibrated by comparison and comparison calibrations can take place either in a laboratory or on-site.

For contact thermometer comparison calibrations, you will need:

- A temperature source to heat or cool the thermometer(s) under test
- A temperature standard to provide the accurate known temperature that is compared with the thermometer under test
- Measuring devices to read the temperature standard and/or thermometer(s) under test

When doing comparison calibrations of other types of thermometers, your choice of equipment may hinge largely on where you have to go to calibrate them. If it's in the laboratory, you'll probably use baths and SPRTs with thermometer readouts and if you're calibrating on-site you'll be using a calibrator like a Field Metrology Well or Micro-Bath.



Precision PRTs and Thermistors

High accuracy reference temperature measurements in temperature sources on the bench or in the field. Thermistors provide accurate and rugged temperature measurements from 0°C to 100°C.



5627A Precision Industrial PRT

- Vibration and shock resistant
- Calibration accuracy of $\pm 0.046^\circ\text{C}$ at 0°C
- Available with a 90° bend
- NVLAP accredited calibration included, lab code 200706-0

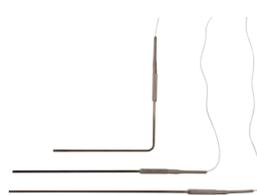
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5615 Secondary Reference Temperature Standards

- -200°C to 420°C
- Calibrated accuracy $\pm 0.010^\circ\text{C}$ at 0°C
- NVLAP accredited calibration included, lab code 200706-0

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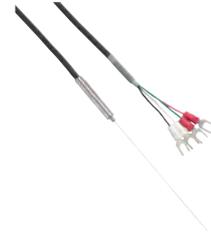


5608/5609/5609-BND Secondary Reference PRTs

Drift rate of $\pm 0.01^\circ\text{C}$ at 0°C after 100 hours at max temperature.

- 5608: -200°C to 500°C (80mm minimum immersion)
- 5609: -200°C to 670°C (100mm minimum immersion)
- Comes with certificate of compliance - optional NVLAP accredited calibration

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5622 Fast Response PRTs

- Time constants as fast as 0.4 seconds
- Small probe diameters ranging from 0.5mm to 3.2mm (four models available)
- Available as DIN/IEC Class A PRTs or with optional NVLAP accredited calibration, lab code 200348-0

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5626/5628 Secondary SPRT, PRT, Temperature Sensors

- Range to 661°C
- Meets all ITS-90 requirements for resistance ratios
- Rtp drift $< 20\text{ mK}$ after 500 hours at 661°C
- Calibrated accuracy of $\pm 0.006^\circ\text{C}$ at 0°C
- NVLAP accredited fixed point calibration

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5618B Small Diameter Industrial RTD

Fast response for time-dependent measurements.

- Small diameter sheath, 3.2mm (0.125 in)
- Excellent stability
- Includes ITS-90 coefficients
- NVLAP accredited calibration, lab code 200706-0

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5606 Full Immersion PRT

Fully immerse PRT transition junction inside freezers or furnaces.

- Transition junction designed to withstand full temperature range of probe
- -200°C to 160°C
- Calibration accuracy of $\pm 0.05^\circ\text{C}$ (full range)
- Optional NVLAP accredited calibration

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5610/5611/5611T Secondary Reference Thermistor Probes

Economical lab-grade thermistor probes with low drift susceptibility

- Short-term accuracy to $\pm 0.01^\circ\text{C}$; one-year drift $< \pm 0.01^\circ\text{C}$
- 5610: 3.2mm diameter stainless steel sheathed thermistor
- 5611: 1.5mm diameter (tip) silicone coated thermistor
- 5611T: 3mm diameter (tip) PTPE encapsulated thermistor

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Data Acquisition



Data Acquisition System

All Fluke data acquisition products feature unique, built-in universal signal conditioning and a plug-in Universal Input Module to enable you to measure virtually any type of signal without having to purchase additional equipment.



2638A Hydra Series III Data Acquisition System/Digital Multimeter

Price-performance breakthrough in a stand-alone data acquisition system

The Fluke Hydra Series III continues the Hydra Series legacy of precision, multi-channel data acquisition. The new Series III improves on Hydra's industry-leading thermocouple accuracy and adds a new dimension to how you collect and view data in a portable system.

- DC accuracy of 0.0024%
- Thermocouple accuracy of 0.5°C
- Up to 66 universal differential isolated inputs
- On-screen colour trend graphing and analysis
- Easy-to-use menu system for setup and data management
- Input types: AC V, DC V, AC I, DC I, thermocouple, PRT (2, 3, 4 w), thermistor, resistance (2-4 w), frequency
- 6.5-digit bench DMM function for front-panel inputs
- Monitor function for real-time viewing and charting between scans
- 20 on-board math channels
- 45 channels/second basic dc scan rate
- Internal 57,000 scan/setup file memory
- USB flash drive support
- 300 V CAT II input safety rated
- Optional accredited calibration

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1586A Super-DAQ Precision Temperature Scanner

The Fluke 1586A Super-DAQ is the most accurate and flexible temperature data acquisition system on the market. It scans and records temperature, DC voltage, DC current and resistance for up to 40 input channels and scan speeds as fast as 10 channels per second.

The Super-DAQ can be configured for use as a multichannel data logger in the factory or as a precision reference thermometer for benchtop sensor calibration in the laboratory.

- Measure thermocouples, PRTs, thermistors, DC voltage, DC current and resistance
- Best-in-class temperature measurement accuracy:
 - PRTs: $\pm 0.005^{\circ}\text{C}$ (using external DAQ-STAQ Multiplexer)
 - Thermocouples: $\pm 0.5^{\circ}\text{C}$ (using High-Capacity Module and internal CJC)
 - Thermistors: $\pm 0.002^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Input Channels: Up to 40 isolated universal inputs
- Flexible configuration: Internal High-Capacity Module and/or DAQ-STAQ Multiplexer
- Selectable scan speed: Up to 10 channels per second
- Four modes of operation: Scan, Monitor, Measure, Digital Multimeter (DMM)

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2638A-100 Extra Universal Input Module for 2638A

The 2638A incorporates the Fluke patented Universal Input Connector to bring more accuracy to thermocouple measurements than most other instruments in its class. The Universal Input Connector supports 14 common thermocouple types.

- Dedicated low burden AC/DC current channels
- 20 universal channels and two dedicated low burden current channels (AC/DC) per module

Software



Software

Designed by measurement experts, Fluke software collects and analyses data maximising the automation of your calibration and testing processes.

Process Calibration Software

750 SW DPC/TRACK2 Software™

Fluke DPC/TRACK2™ software is a specialised calibration management database that makes it easy to manage your instrumentation, create and schedule tests, print a variety of standard reports and manage calibration data.

With DPC/TRACK2 and a 754 DPC you can:

- Manage your inventory of tags and instruments, schedule for calibration
- Create tag specific procedures with instructions and comment
- Load those procedures to your DPC and later upload the results to your PC
- Select and execute automated as found/as left procedures in the field, automatically capturing results
- Examine the calibration histories of your tags and instruments and print reports
- Import and export instrument data and procedures as ASCII text
- Import legacy DPC/TRACK data

700G/TRACK Logging Software

The 700G/TRACK easy-to-use software manages your 700G gauge and displays or upload measurements logged remotely for export for reports.

- Enables data download and logging configurations to the 700G Series gauges for a remote logging event
- Configure logging event reading rate, duration and measurement units
- Upload measurements logged remotely and display or export measurements



Temperature Calibration Software

LogWare

Turn a Fluke Calibration single-channel handheld or 1502A/1504 readout into a real-time data logger.

- Collects realtime data
- Calculates statistics and displays customisable graphs
- Allows user-selected start times, stop times and sample intervals

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LogWare II

Turn any Fluke Calibration multi-channel thermometer readout into a real-time data logger.

- Collects real-time data using Fluke Calibration multi-channel readouts
- Calculates statistics and displays customisable graphs
- Allows user-selected start times, stop times and sample intervals

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LogWare III

Remotely monitor and log a virtually unlimited number of concurrent log sessions into a central data repository.

- Up to two temperature and two humidity inputs for each DewK
- Customise your graph trace colour, alarms, and statistics as you go

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9938 MET/TEMP II Temperature Calibration Software v5.0

New version of the proven solution for automated temperature calibration

- Compatible with Windows 7 and 8 operating systems
- Adds support for 9190A Field Metrology Well and 9118A Thermocouple Furnace
- Fully automated calibration of RTDs, TCs, thermistors and many heat sources
- Calibrates up to 100 sensors at up to 40 temperature points

TQSoft and TQAero Thermal Validation Software

For FDA 21 CFR Part 11 and AMS 2750 Compliant Data Collection.

- Support for Fluke 2638A and 1586A, for enhanced data collection and reporting in regulated industries
- Easy menu system and toolbar
- Test equipment preparation and sensor calibration
- Data security, audit trail, and compliance reports

Pressure Applications



INTRODUCTION

Process pressure devices provide critical process measurement information to process plant's control systems. The performance of process pressure instruments are often critical to optimising operation of the plant or proper functioning of the plant's safety systems.

Process pressure instruments are often installed in harsh operating environments causing their performance to shift or change over time. To keep these devices operating within expected limits requires periodic verification, maintenance and calibration.

There is no one size fits all pressure test tool that meets the requirements of all users performing pressure instrument maintenance.

APPLICATION SELECTION GUIDE



Model number	754	729	721/ 721Ex	719 Pro	719	718	717	700G	3130	2700G	Deadweight Testers
Application											
Calibrating pressure transmitters (field)	■	Ideal	■	■	■	■	■		■		
Calibrating pressure transmitters (bench)	■	Ideal	■	■	■	■	■		■		■
Calibrating HART Smart transmitters	■	Ideal									
Documenting pressure transmitter calibrations	■	Ideal									
Testing pressure switches in the field	■	Ideal	■	■	■	■	■		■		
Testing pressure switches on the bench	■	Ideal	■	■	■	■	■		■		
Documenting pressure switch tests	■	Ideal									
Testing pressure switches with live (voltage) contacts	■										
Gas custody transfer computer tests	■	■	Ideal	■							
Verifying process pressure gauges (field)	■	Ideal	■	■	■	■	■	■			
Verifying process pressure gauges (bench)	■	Ideal	■	■	■	■	■		■	■	■
Logging pressure measurements	■							■		■	
Testing pressure devices using a reference gauge										■	
Hydrostatic vessel testing								■			
Leak testing (pressure measurement logging)	■	Ideal						■			

Products noted as "Ideal" are those best suited to a specific task.

Model 754 requires the correct range 750P pressure module for pressure testing.

Model 753 can be used for the same applications as model 754 except for HART device calibration.

Model 725 and 726 can be used for the same applications as model 753 except for documenting and live contact testing of switches.

Calibrating a HART smart pressure transmitter



Pressure transmitter manufacturers have improved the accuracy and technology designed into these smart pressure measurement devices. Many conventional calibration tools have become inadequate or simply unable to test and calibrate these high accuracy pressure transmitters. Better test solutions are required verifying and documenting the performance and adjusting a HART smart pressure transmitter can require a bucket full of tools. Performing this task with a HART enabled calibrator like the Fluke 754 simplifies the task and reduces what you need to carry.

Before going to the field: install the pressure module adapter to the hand pump with thread seal. Once the adapter is properly installed on the pump, changing modules to different pressure ranges is a snap, no tools required.

To get the accuracy needed: to test these new high accuracy transmitters match the pressure measurement standard range closely to the device tested. For example, use a 100 psi pressure module to calibrate and test a transmitter ranged at 100 psi. Industry standards suggest the measurement standard should be 4-10 times more accurate than the device being tested so best-in-class accuracy is required.

The Fluke 754 utilises the 750P Series Pressure Modules and has built-in HART functionality to enable smart trims on transmitters. It can also document transmitter performance before and after adjustment and calculate pass/fail errors.

Suggested test tools



Fluke 754
Documenting Process
Calibrator-HART
See pg 7



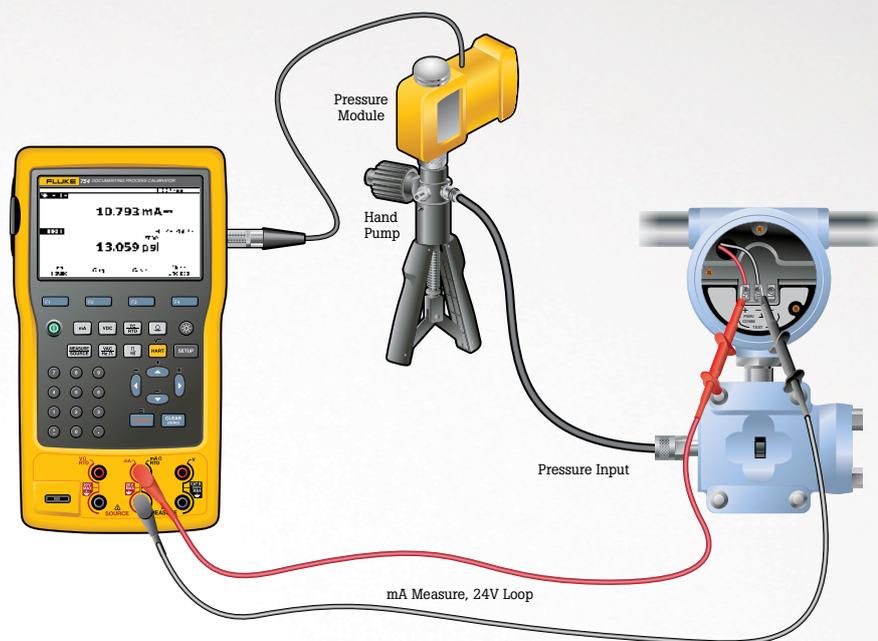
Fluke 700G
Precision Pressure
Gauge Calibrator
See pg 15



Fluke 750P Series
Pressure Modules
See pg 14



Fluke 700PTP-1
Pneumatic Test Pump
See pg 14



TECH TIPS

Sometimes it is necessary to trim the input sensor of the transmitter more than once. It is critical that the pressure module be zeroed before test and adjustment. For best adjustment success:

- After pressing Fetch for the pressure measurement, select the trim button quickly before the pressure measurement changes.
- Give the measured mA and pressure time to settle for best measurement results.
- Always de-bug the pressure test setup for leaks in the shop before going to the field, including installing the pressure module connection adapter to the hand pump.
- If the full scale value of the transmitter is less than 25 % of the full scale of the pressure module, select a lower range pressure module for best results.
- If performing higher pressure calibrations with a hydraulic pump, use the correct fluid such as mineral oil or de-ionised water. Standard tap water will leave deposits in the pump and cause erratic operation, leaks or difficulty priming.
- If the pass/fail accuracy is set at the limits for the transmitter, adjust the transmitter if the errors are greater than 25 % of limits.
- If the errors are less than 25 % of limits, it might be best to not adjust the transmitter as adjusting might make it less accurate.

To perform the test:

- STEP 1** Isolate the transmitter from the process being measured and its loop wiring. If measuring the mA signal across the transmitter test diode leave the wires intact, but note this method does not give the best mA measurement accuracy.
- STEP 2** Connect the mA measurement jacks of the 754 to the transmitter.
- STEP 3** Connect the pressure module cable to the 754 and connect the transmitter test hose from the hand pump to the transmitter.
- STEP 4** Press the HART button on the calibrator to see the configuration of the transmitter.
- STEP 5** Press HART again and the calibrator will offer the correct measure/source combination for the test. If documenting the calibration press As-Found, input the test tolerance and follow the prompts. If the measured mA signal at the test points is found within tolerance the test is complete. If not, adjustment is required.
- STEP 6** Select adjust and trim the transmitter's pressure zero, mA output signal and input sensor.
- STEP 7** After adjustment select As-Left, document the condition of the transmitter after adjustment and if the test passes, it is complete.

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



See the smart pressure calibration video at: www.fluke.com/pressurevideo



HART Smart Transmitter calibration application note at: www.fluke.com/smarttranappnote

Pressure Transmitter Calibration – at the bench



Technicians calibrate at the bench to ensure calibrations are effective and don't result in degradation of performance. They ensure that all components are in good working order prior to installation, and can evaluate them when component failure is suspected. The bench provides a stable ambient environment for calibration, an opportunity to use the most accurate equipment, and protection from factory conditions during the commissioning, testing, and calibration of pressure transmitters.

Suggested test tools



Fluke Calibration
3130 Portable
Pressure Calibrator
See pg 15



Fluke 754
Documenting
Process
Calibrator-HART
See pg 7



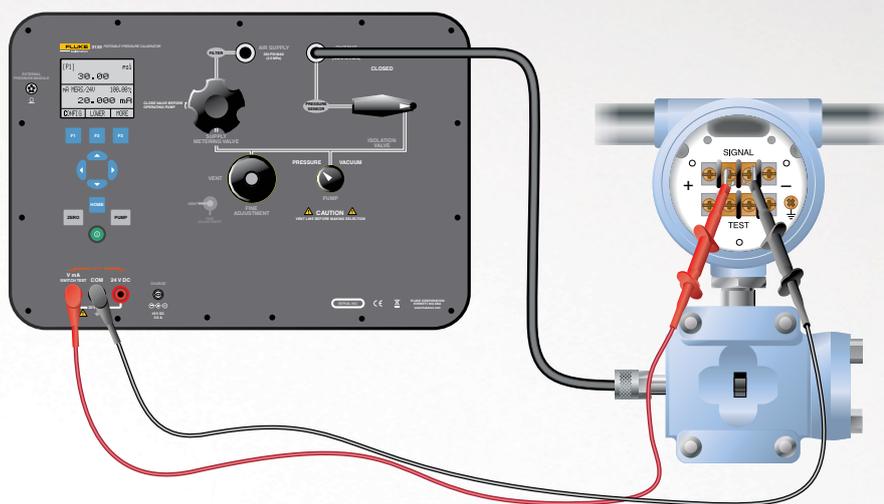
Fluke 719Pro
Electric Pressure
Calibrator
See pg 13



P3000 Hydraulic
Deadweight Testers
See pg 18



Fluke 700PTP-1
Pneumatic
Test Pump
See pg 14



TECH TIPS

- Inaccurate calibration equipment will only degrade the performance of the transmitter.
- Manufacturers recommend using precise calibration equipment under stable, ambient conditions for best results.
- Commission transmitters at the bench so security settings and protection for failure modes can be set before exposing transmitter electronics to factory conditions.

To perform the test:

- STEP 1** Connect the transmitter test hose from the calibrator to the transmitter
- STEP 2** Connect the mA measurement jacks of the calibrator to the transmitter
- STEP 3** Set the pressure/vacuum selection knob to the necessary function
- STEP 4** Close the vent knob and supply metering valve
- STEP 5** Apply pressure or vacuum from the pump by holding down the pump button and release when the necessary pressure is reached
- STEP 6** Correct the pressure with the fine pressure adjustment
- STEP 7** Read the reference pressure and the current output of the transmitter from the display
- STEP 8** Repeat for all test points. If the measured mA signal at the test points is found within tolerance the test is complete. If not, then adjustment is required

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



How to use a deadweight tester
Fluke 719 electric pressure calibrator demonstration



Transmitter Calibration with the Fluke 750 Series DPC
HART transmitter calibration

Pressure Switch Testing— manual approach



Accurate calibration of pressure switches is a critical step in ensuring process quality and the safe operation of equipment. The setup is similar to pressure gauge calibration except now a voltage or continuity across a set of switch contacts needs to be read either by a (Digital Multimeter) DMM or the calibrator. The purpose of the calibration is to detect and correct errors in the set point and deadband of the pressure switch. Calibrators can save you time by reducing steps and reducing the amount of equipment you have to bring to the job. With the right calibrator the entire process can be automated.

Suggested test tools



Fluke 754
Documenting
Process
Calibrator-HART
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Fluke 719Pro
Electric Pressure
Calibrator
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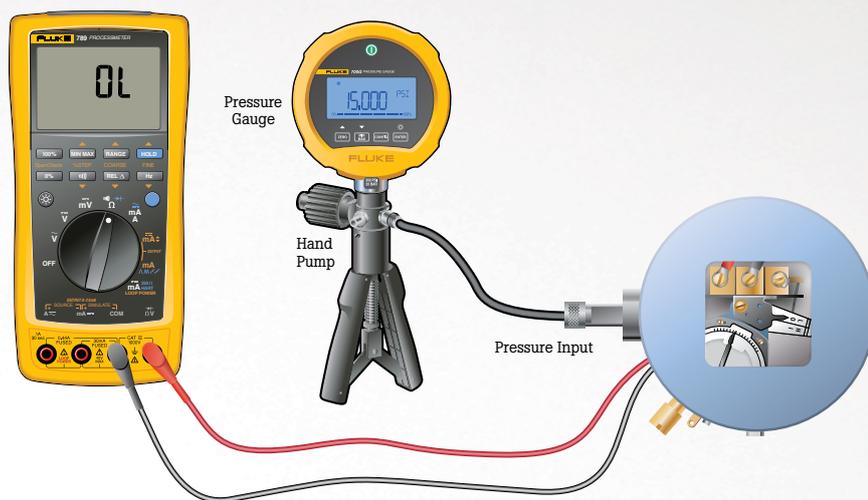
Fluke Calibration
3130-G2M
Portable Pressure
Calibrator
See pg 15



Fluke 750P Series
Pressure Modules
See pg 14



Fluke 700PTP-1
Pneumatic
Test Pump
See pg 14



TECH TIPS

When you use a Fluke 754 or Fluke Calibration 3130 to automate the pressure switch calibration, vary the applied pressure slowly, back and forth across the setpoint and reset points. The display will make it apparent that the set/reset has changed and the actuals will be logged.

To perform the test:

Setup

- STEP 1** Safely disconnect the device from the process it controls.
- STEP 2** Connect the calibrator or DMM to the common and NO (normally open) output terminals of the switch. The DMM or calibrator will measure an “open circuit”. If measuring continuity. If measuring V AC be sure the tool is properly rated for the voltage being measured.
- STEP 3** Connect the pressure switch to a pressure source such as a hand pump connected to a gauge.

Rising pressure

- STEP 4** Increase the source pressure to the setpoint of the switch until the switch changes state from open to close. Manually record the pressure value when the DMM indicates a “short circuit” or if using a calibrator it will record the value for you.

Falling pressure

- STEP 5** Continue to increase the pressure until the maximum rated pressure. Slowly reduce the pressure until the switch changes state again, and resets from closed to open, then record the pressure.

Calculation

- STEP 6** The setpoint pressure was recorded when the pressure was rising. The deadband value is the difference between the rising setpoint pressure and the falling pressure reset point.

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



See the pressure switch test video at: www.fluke.com/pressureswitch



Calibrating pressure switches with a DPC

Pressure Switch Testing—documented



Classic methods for pressure switch testing have been superseded with the introduction of new pressure test tools. Today most pressure switches are tested with a pressure gauge mounted to a pump to supply and measure pressure, and a DMM set to continuity to verify the opening and closing of the switch. The technician or electrician making the test is required to interpret the pressure applied to the switch

when the continuity beeper sounds indicating contact closure of the switch. A workable solution but new tools can make this task easier. Modern calibrators can automatically record the pressure applied when a pressure switch changes from open to closed and from closed to open. In doing so the switch set point and reset point and deadband are much easier to determine.

Suggested test tools



Fluke 754
Documenting
Process
Calibrator-HART
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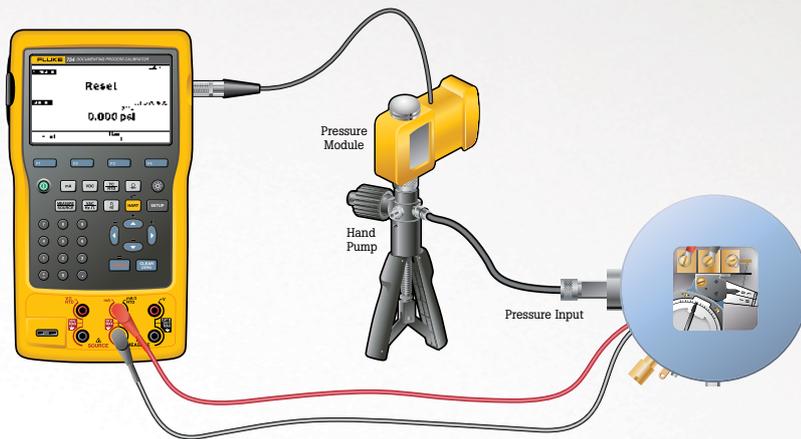
Fluke 750P Series
Pressure Modules
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Fluke 700PTP-1
Pneumatic
Test Pump
See pg 14



Fluke 71X Hose Kit
Accessory
See pg 16



To perform the test:

With a modern documenting calibrator you can test for dry contacts opening and closing on the switch or if you are using the Fluke 753 or 754 you can leave the switch connected to the live voltage and the calibrator will measure the changing AC voltage and interpret it as opening and closing of the switch.

One cautionary note: it is always safer to test a de-energised circuit, but this is not always possible. Also, do not measure AC voltages above 300 V AC as that is the maximum rating of the Fluke 75x family. 480 V AC 3-phase voltages must be de-energised and disconnected from the switch if testing with the 75x family.

STEP 1

To get started testing the switch, connect as shown above. In this example we will test dry contacts and continuity. To measure continuity for the test select resistance measurement. Then toggle to the source screen mode and select pressure to display the pressure generated by the hand pump and measured by the pressure module. Advance the calibrator mode to the split screen test mode.

STEP 2

The next step is to describe the switch and whether it is normally open or closed at ambient pressure. The relaxed state of the switch is the reset state. The set state is the condition of the switch it changes to with applied pressure or vacuum. In this example the switch is normally open and is expected to close when the pressure applied exceeds 10 psi. Next the allowable pressure variance of the switch set state and deadband size needs to be defined. In this example the ideal switch set value is 10 psi and is allowed +/- 1 psi of deviation. The allowable reset pressure is described in the deadband tolerance. In this instance the reset state must be more than 1 psi less than the found set pressure but not greater than 3 psi less than the found set pressure.

STEP 3

Once the test tolerances are fully defined start the test. Increase the pressure until the calibrator captures the set state pressure value. Then decrease the pressure until the reset pressure is found. Repeat increasing and decreasing the pressure across the switch looking for repeatability in your set and reset pressure measurements. Once satisfied with the result press done to get the pass/fail evaluation of the switch. If the switch fails the test adjustment or replacement of the switch may be required. If the switch is adjusted repeat the test to document the As-Left condition of the switch before putting back into service. The test result is now documented and ready for upload to calibration management software.

TECH TIPS



- The key to a good switch test is repeatability. Repeatability is best achieved by applying a slow change in pressure to the switch as it approaches its set or reset pressure.
- When performing the test find out where the switch sets and make sure the vernier/fine adjustment of your test pump has enough adjustment to vary the pressure up to the set point. In this way the pressure can be changed slowly capturing an accurate switch set point pressure. Repeat this procedure for the reset point.
- With practice you can get the vernier of the pump within range of the set and reset point pressure and get excellent repeatability of your tests (within the limitations of the switch being tested).

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



Pressure switch video



Pressure switch application note
Pressure calibration application note

Gas Custody Transfer Flow Computer Calibration



Gas custody transfer flow computers that calculate flow in pipelines by measuring the differential pressure across a flow restriction, such as an orifice plate or other differential pressure flow device, require special calibration to perform at optimum accuracy. Gas flow computers make three primary measurements to calculate flow: volumetric flow (difference in pressure across the orifice plate), static pressure in a pipeline and gas temperature. A calculation is performed using this data to determine the actual mass and volume of the gas flowing through the pipeline. These calibrations can be made with three separate calibrators, a low pressure, high pressure and a temperature calibrator or use a multifunction calibration tool designed for this specific task. An example of a calibrator purposed for this task is the Fluke 721 or 721Ex. It has two built-in pressure ranges and the ability to measure temperature. The most popular configuration is 16 psi/1 bar on the low pressure (P1) sensor side and 1500/100 bar or 3000 psi/200 bar on the high pressure (P2) sensor side. It measures temperature using a precision RTD accessory and can display all three measurements at once if desired.

Suggested test tools



Fluke 721
Precision Dual
Range Pressure
Calibrator
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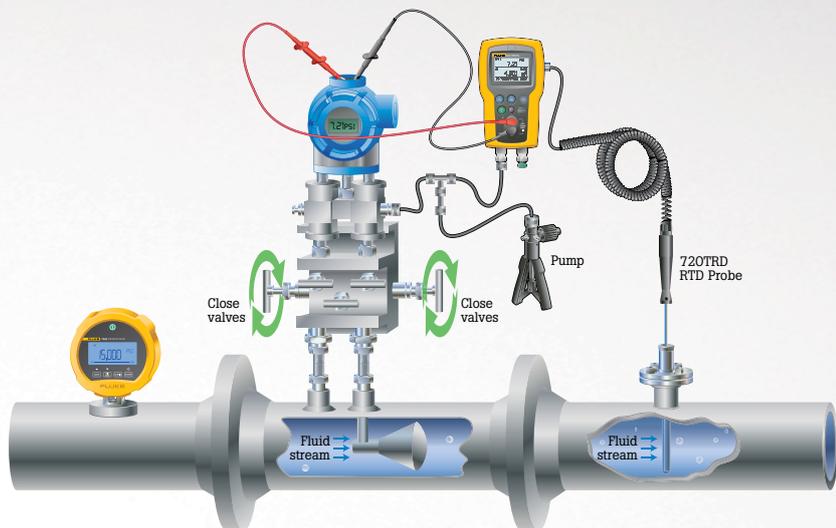
Fluke 700G
Precision Pressure
Gauge Calibrator
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Fluke 754
Documenting
Process
Calibrator-HART
See pg 7



Fluke 750P Series
Pressure Modules
See pg 14



To perform the test:

To get started, isolate the flow computer from the pipeline. It is normally installed with a 5 valve manifold. If so, closing the valves on the pipeline side of the manifold should isolate it. Be sure to follow local policy and safety procedures when performing this isolation step. Set the P1 sensor of the 721 to measure inH2O and the P2 sensor to measure PSI and the temperature sensor to measure degrees Celsius as needed.

STEP 1

Low pressure differential pressure calibration is performed using atmospheric pressure as a low side reference. Vent the low connection of the flow computer or pressure transmitter and connect the high pressure connection of the flow computer or transmitter to the low pressure port (P1) on the calibrator.

Connect the computer (PC) to the flow computer serial or USB port. The PC will instruct the user to apply one or more test pressures to the flow computer or transmitter. For example, 0, 100 and 200 in H2O. Squeeze the pump to get close to the test pressure and use the vernier or fine pressure adjust to dial in.

STEP 2

Static pressure calibration will normally be applied to either the same high pressure port of the flow computer or both the high and low pressure ports. Refer to the manufacturer's instructions for details. Connect the high pressure sensor input (P2) to the appropriate port on the flow computer or transmitter and to the high pressure test source. The PC will instruct the pressures for the user to apply from the pressure source.

STEP 3

Temperature calibration of the temperature measurement on the flow computer is done with a single temperature point at the pipeline operating temperature. Insert the RTD probe into the test thermowell and allow time for the measurement to stabilise. The PC will prompt the user to enter the temperature measured by the calibrator. Remove the RTD from the test thermowell and the calibration is complete.

STEP 4

Flow Computers with 4 to 20 mA inputs: Many flow computers utilise a low pressure, static and temperature transmitter to convert the measured parameters into 4 to 20 mA signals. In this instance these transmitters may need individual calibration if the test results are not satisfactory (see HART Transmitter Calibration application note or video for more details). Another source for errors in this configuration is the input A/D cards of the flow computer. These can be independently tested using a mA signal source from a loop calibrator.

TECH TIPS

- Always centre the vernier of your hand pump before starting any pressure calibration. This will allow you to increase or decrease the pressure when making fine adjustments.
- Store the temperature probe in a protective case such as the built in slot of the 721 soft case. Exposing the RTD probe to mechanical stress can reduce the measurement accuracy of the probe.
- **Be careful to not connect the P1 low pressure side of the calibrator when doing high pressure calibrations or measurement or the sensor will be damaged and possibly rupture creating a dangerous condition.**
- Inserting the RTD probe prior to the pressure calibrations typically allows sufficient time to reach a stable temperature measurement.

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



HART pressure and HART smart RTD transmitter
754 videos



Custody Transfer calibration application note
HART transmitter calibration

Verifying Process Gauges, Analog and Digital



Both analog and digital process gauges need to be verified to detect errors related to drift, environment, electrical supply, addition of components to the output loop, and other process changes. Pressure gauges may be verified in the field or at the bench. Field calibration may save time, and allows for troubleshooting in the process environment. Multifunction calibrators make it easier to do this with one tool, and documenting calibrators make it easier to follow procedures, capture data and document results. Bench calibration provides an environment where the gauge can be cleaned, inspected, tested, and recertified under reference conditions for the best possible accuracy.

Suggested test tools



Fluke Calibration
Traditional
and Electronic
Deadweight
Testers
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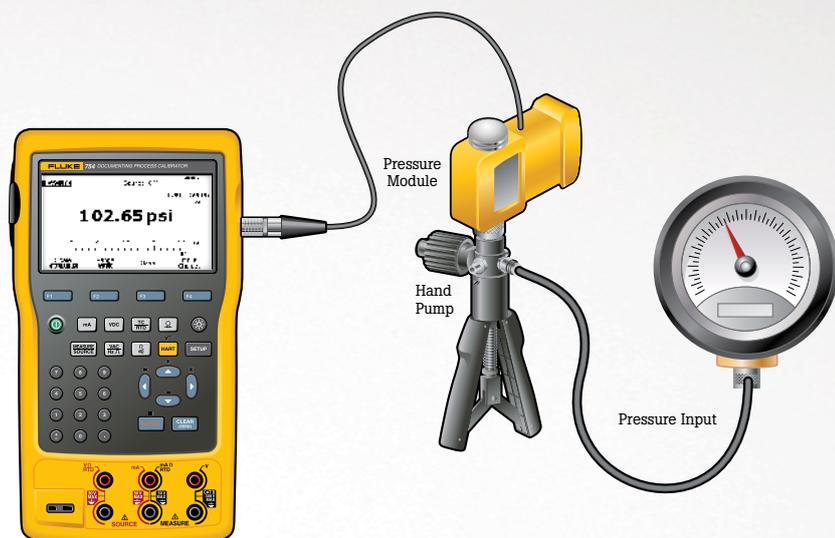
Fluke Calibration
P5514, or P5515
Hydraulic Pressure
Comparators
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Fluke Calibration
2700G Series
Reference Pressure
Gauges
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Fluke Calibration
3130
Portable Pressure
Calibrator
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TECH TIPS

- Safety First! Check all fittings, adapters and connecting tubing ratings for pressures used.
- Remember to tap analog gauges at each point due to friction in mechanical parts.
- Gas is preferred for cleanliness requirements but use caution when generating pressures above 2,000 psi.
- Industry standards usually desire calibration equipment to be 4-10 times more accurate than the device under test.
- When in the field, connect pressure gauges through a manifold or “tee” connector.
- Use adapter fittings when workloads require calibrating a wide variety of gauges.
- Consider first, the in-use orientation of a device and use an angle adapter at the bench to achieve similar orientation.
- Use a liquid-to-liquid separator to prevent contamination in hydraulic applications.

To perform the test:

STEP 1

Isolate the pressure gauge from the process using valves, or by removing the gauge from the process.

STEP 2

Connect the gauge to the calibrator or reference gauge. For hydraulic pressure gauges it's important to remove any gas that might be trapped in the fluid in the gauge, calibrator, and connections by priming the system. When generating pressure allow a few moments for stability. Compare the reading of the gauge under test with the master gauge or calibrator.

STEP 3

For hydraulic pressure gauges it's important to prime the system. This will remove any gas that might be trapped in the fluid in the gauge, calibrator or connections.

STEP 4

When generating pressure allow a few moments for the measurement to stabilise. When using a hydraulic hand pump as a source it can take several minutes for the pressure to stabilise due to the thermodynamic effect of fluids.

STEP 5

Compare the reading of the gauge under test with the master gauge or calibrator.

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



How to use a deadweight tester
Fluke 719 Electric Pressure Calibrator demonstration



Transmitter Calibration with the Fluke 750 Series DPC
HART transmitter calibration

Calibrating at the bench with a Deadweight Tester



A deadweight tester is a proven method of pressure calibration that is usually chosen for bench applications when accuracy and reliability are the top requirements. Calibrations are performed at the bench for convenience and to maintain reference conditions. The bench is a convenient location to clean, inspect, calibrate and repair with all the necessary equipment available. Reference conditions are necessary to achieve the reference accuracy of the device under test and the calibration standards. Reference accuracy may be required to maintain the necessary test uncertainty ratios (TUR).

Suggested test tools

Using liquid:



Fluke Calibration
P3100, P3200,
or P3800 Series
Hydraulic Dead-
weight Tester

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Fluke Calibration
6531, 6532 Electronic
Deadweight Tester

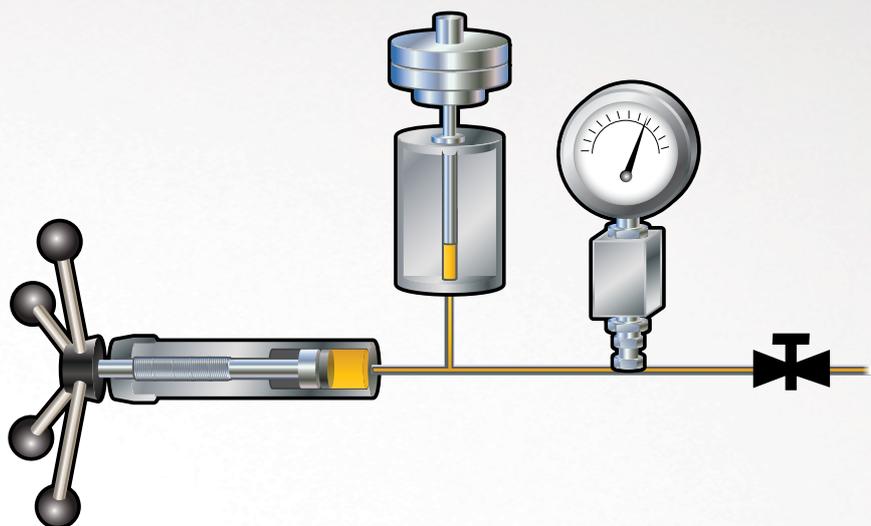
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Using gas:



Fluke Calibration
P3000 Series Pneumatic
Deadweight Tester

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To perform the test:

- STEP 1** The pressure gauge should be mounted in the same orientation (vertical or horizontal) as in the process.
- STEP 2** Measurement points should be distributed uniformly over the calibration range.
- STEP 3** Calibrated weights are placed on the instrument corresponding to the measurement points.
- STEP 4** Pressure is added with an internal pump or screw press until the piston holding the weights begins to float.
- STEP 5** The piston and weight are spun by hand to minimise friction.
- STEP 6** While the piston is floating the reading on the device under test is compared to the pressure corresponding to the sum of the selected weights.

TECH TIPS

- Deadweight tester weights are calibrated to match a wide range of pressure units.
- Local gravity often is the largest factor affecting accuracy. Use Fluke PRESSCAL software to achieve accuracy of $\pm 0.008\%$.
- To increase the number of available set points, use incremental weight sets.
- Forgo wrenches or PTFE tape by using adapters to fit multiple sizes and types of devices with leak tight seals to 20,000 psi.
- Safety First! Choose fittings, tubing and seals with pressure ratings above the full scale of the instrument.
- Hydraulic systems are preferable to gas systems for pressures above 2000 psi due to safety and ease of use.
- Consider achieving cleanliness using distilled water as a media or use a liquid separator from Fluke instead of gas.
- Lubrication can improve performance by using oil when it is allowed.

Calibrating at the bench with a pressure comparator



A pressure comparator is a convenient instrument for bench pressure calibration. Bench calibrations are performed to maintain reference conditions and to obtain the lowest possible uncertainties. The bench is also a convenient place to inspect, adjust, and repair the devices under test.

Suggested test tools

Using liquid:



Fluke Calibration
P5514, or P5515
Hydraulic Pressure
Comparator
See pg 17

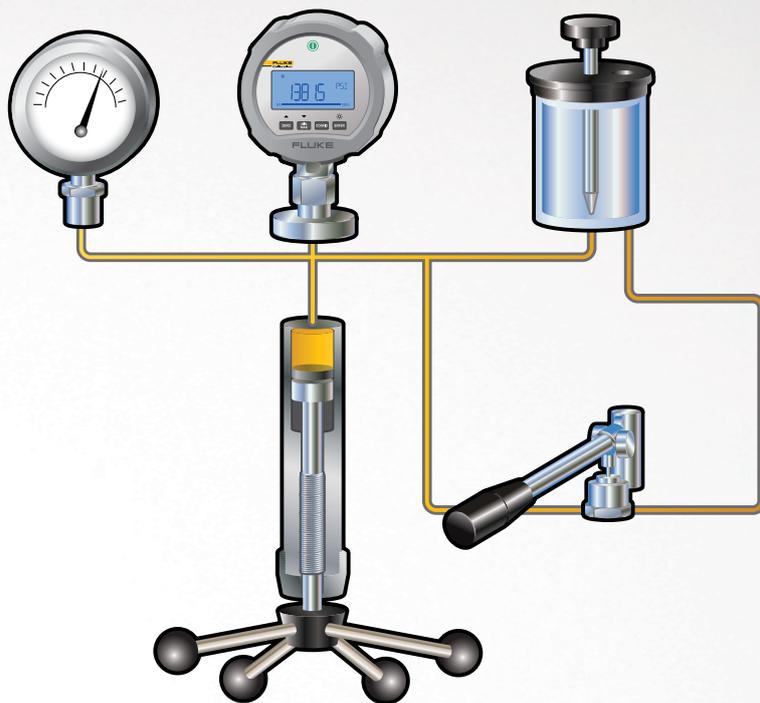
Using gas:



Fluke Calibration
P5510, or P5513
Gas Pressure Comparators
See pg 17



Fluke Calibration
2700G Series
Reference Pressure Gauges
See pg 15



TECH TIPS



- Use a reference gauge with better accuracy to meet test uncertainty ratios over a wider range of pressures.
- Forgo wrenches or PTFE tape by using adapters to fit multiple sizes and types of devices with leak tight seals to 20,000 psi.
- Safety first! Always use fittings, tubing, and seals with pressure ratings above full scale of the instrument.
- If possible use oil for better lubrication.
- Use gas to improve cleanliness or a liquid-to-liquid separator available from Fluke.
- Hydraulic systems are preferable to gas systems for pressures above 2000 psi due to safety and ease of use.

To perform the test:

STEP 1

The pressure gauge should be mounted in the same orientation (vertical or horizontal) as in the process. An angle adapter such as the P5543 may be used.

STEP 2

The reference pressure gauge (2700G) should be mounted such that the display is easily seen.

STEP 3

For hydraulic comparators prime the fluid with the priming pump, to remove any bubbles.

STEP 4

Measurement points should be distributed uniformly over the calibration range. Conveniently source pressure with a manual pump up to 300 psi, after that use an external pressure supply.

STEP 5

For gas comparators use the fine needle valve or fine adjustment screw press to precisely meter the pressure.

STEP 6

With hydraulic models use the screw press to source and fine adjust the pressure.

STEP 7

The source pressure can be adjusted until the device under test is reading a nominal pressure or until the reference gauge reads the nominal pressure.

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



Check out the 2700G videos.



2700G Data Sheet.

Interpreting Specifications for Process Calibrators, Application Note

Use a selection of hand pumps and pressure test gauges for field pressure testing



It's important to select the proper pump and gauge to match the testing application at hand—a good guideline is the testing device should be 4-10 times more accurate than the device being tested. To achieve this, match the measurement to be made as closely to the full scale value of the test gauge. This delivers the best accuracy from the gauge.

Suggested test tools



Fluke 700G
Precision Pressure
Gauge

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Fluke 700PTPK2
Pneumatic Test
Pressure Kit

See pg 14



Fluke 700HTPK2
Hydraulic Test
Pressure Kit

See pg 14



Fluke 700TTH 10K
Transmitter Test Hose

See pg 16

To perform the test:

STEP 1

The pressure gauge should be mounted in the same orientation (vertical or horizontal) as in the process.

STEP 2

The reference pressure gauge should be mounted vertically.

STEP 3

For hydraulic comparators prime the fluid with the priming pump, to remove any bubbles.

STEP 4

Measurement points should be distributed uniformly over the calibration range. Conveniently source pressure with a manual pump up to 300 psi, after that use an external pressure supply.

STEP 5

For gas comparators use the fine needle valve or fine adjustment screw press to precisely meter the pressure.

STEP 6

With hydraulic models use the screw press to source and fine adjust the pressure.

STEP 7

The source pressure can be adjusted until the device under test is reading a nominal pressure or until the reference gauge reads the nominal pressure.

TECH TIPS



- The key to a good experience in using a hand pump, either pneumatic or hydraulic, is to test and debug your test setup in the shop before going to the field. Minimising the number of pressure connections minimises the probability for leaks. Mount the test gauge carefully to the test pump in the shop.
- Be sure to consider the hoses that connect from the hand pump to the device to be tested. There are a variety of specialty “no tools required” connectors to connect to the test hose to make this easy. If these connectors are not available be sure to have a variety of adapters, wrenches and PTFE sealing tape to be able to connect from the test hose to the input port of the device for testing. If using “push fit” hoses it is likely they will eventually leak. Each time – a push fit hose is connected, it leaves a mark on the test hose and eventually does not seal well. To eliminate the leak cut off the affected portion of the test hose so there is a clean surface to connect to. This process will need to be repeated with use.
- When using hydraulic hand pumps remember the thermodynamic effect. Once any fluid is compressed, the temperature increases and the fluid expands. This becomes obvious when pumping to a target pressure with a hydraulic pump. Once the target pressure is met the fluid has expanded. As the fluid cools and contracts the pressure quickly bleeds down until it reaches temperature equilibrium, this can take 5 minutes or more. Once the temperature stops changing, dial the desired pressure back in with the vernier adjuster.

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



Check out the 700G videos.



700G Data Sheet.
Interpreting Specifications for Process Calibrators, Application Note

Temperature Applications



INTRODUCTION

Temperature devices in process manufacturing environments provide measurements to the process plants' control systems. The performance of these temperature instruments is often critical to optimised operation of the process manufacturing plant or proper functioning of the plant's safety systems.

Process temperature instruments are often installed in harsh operating environments, causing their performance and the performance of their sensors to shift or change over time. Keeping these devices measuring temperature within expected limits requires periodic verification, maintenance and adjustments.

APPLICATION SELECTION GUIDE



Model number	75X	72X	712B/ 714B	1551A/ 1552A	1523/ 1524	914X	7526A	418X	1586A
Application									
Calibrate and test RTD sensors	■*	■*	*712B	*	*	Ideal	■*		■*
Calibrate and test thermocouple sensors	■*		*714B	*	*	Ideal	*		■*
Simulate RTDs		■	712B				■		
Simulate thermocouples		■	714B				■		
Generate precision temperatures						■			
Documenting temperature transmitter calibrations	Ideal								
Temperature transmitter calibration with sensor	■*					■			
Calibrating HART smart temperature transmitters	Ideal								
Temperature switch/controller testing and calibration	Ideal	726				■	■		
Temperature switch/controller testing live contacts	Ideal								
Infrared thermometer test and calibration								Ideal	
Verifying process temperature gauges				■	■	■			■
Logging temperature measurements	■			1552A	Ideal				■
Precision temperature measurement				■	Ideal				
Automated batch testing of temperature sensors**						Ideal			Ideal

* Requires a dry-well such as 914X or 910X

** Requires both a dry-well and a 1586A

Calibrating and testing RTD sensors

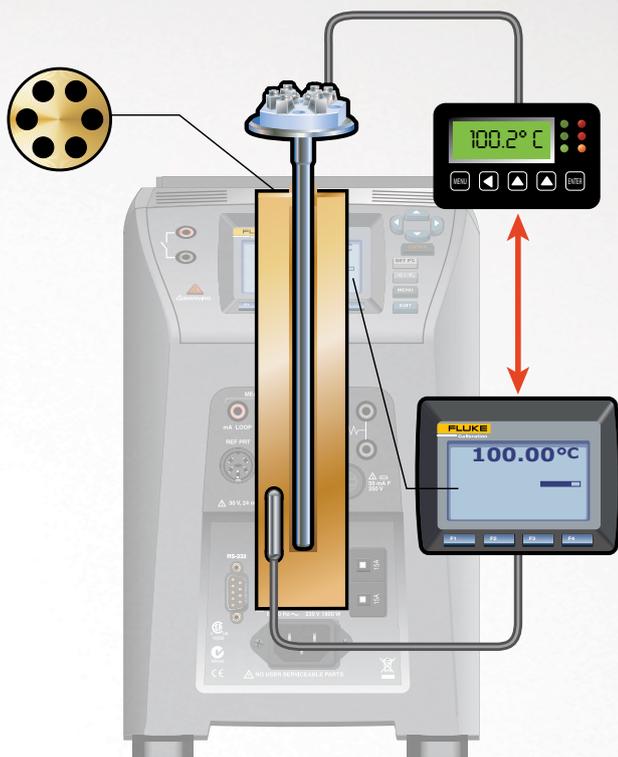


Typically RTDs are checked while calibrating the connected device, such as a panel meter or temperature transmitter. However, if a problem is suspected with a temperature sensor, sensor calibrations can be performed separately from the calibration of process electronics.

Field checks of temperature sensors can be easily performed with a dry-block or Micro-Bath. For best results, a full calibration of a temperature sensor is performed at the bench.

Suggested test tools

					
Fluke Calibration 9144 Field Metrology Well and 5615 Secondary Reference Temperature Standard See pg 23 and pg 27	Fluke Calibration 9102S Handheld Dry-Well See pg 22	Fluke Calibration 9100S Handheld Dry-Well See pg 22	Fluke Calibration 9009 Industrial Dual-Block Thermometer Calibrator See pg 22	Fluke Calibration 726 Precision Multifunction Process Calibrator See pg 7	Fluke Calibration 6102 Micro-Bath Thermometer Calibrator and 1523-P1 Reference Thermometer See pg 24 and 26



To perform the test:

- STEP 1** Isolate the sensor from the process.
- STEP 2** Fully immerse the sensor into a precision temperature source, such as a dry-well or bath capable of covering the required temperature range.
- STEP 3** For best accuracy, also fully immerse a temperature standard into the dry-well or bath for comparison (the process version of Field Metrology Wells have a built-in precision readout for the temperature standard).
- STEP 4** To check the calibration of the RTD separately from the control system temperature indicator, disconnect the RTD from the electronics.
- STEP 5** Connect the RTD to a precision instrument capable of measuring resistance. (The process version of Field Metrology Wells have the required electronics built in).
- STEP 6** Adjust the temperature of the bath or dry-well to each of the test points (With Field Metrology Wells these test points can be preprogrammed and automated).
- STEP 7** At each test point record the readings of the temperature standard and RTD.
- STEP 8** If measuring the RTD separate from its measurement electronics, compare the measured resistances to the expected resistance from the applicable temperature table. Otherwise, compare the reading on the instrument display to the reading of the temperature standard (which may be the dry-well).

TECH TIPS

- Dry-wells have inserts that are interchangeable and have a variety of hole patterns to accommodate various probe sizes.
- To achieve published performance levels, the insert's hole size should be no more than a few hundredths of an inch larger than the probe being calibrated.
- Avoid placing fluids in a dry-well. If fluids are required, use a Micro-Bath instead.
- If climbing a ladder is required, dry-wells are safer than baths, and handheld dry-wells may be the most convenient.

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



How to Calibrate an RTD Using a Dryblock Calibrator webinar

914X Field Metrology Wells Video Series



Industrial Temperature Calibrators Workload Matrix

Calibrating and testing thermocouple sensors



Thermocouples are common in industry because they are inexpensive and cover a wide temperature range.

They should be tested during commissioning and again when removed from a process to verify that tolerances were met. Additionally, thermocouples may be tested at regular calibration intervals and when suspected of failing to meet their performance specifications.

Often thermocouples need to be calibrated prior to use for mapping a temperature controlled enclosure, or they have to be calibrated for use as a temperature standard.

Due to the unique characteristics of thermocouples, they are best calibrated in situ (in place) by comparison to a temperature standard. However, in situations where that is not practical, it is necessary to remove the thermocouple and place it in a precision temperature source such as a dry-well.

Suggested test tools



Fluke Calibration
9144 Field
Metrology Well
See pg 23



Fluke Calibration
9100S Handheld
Dry-Well
See pg 22



Fluke Calibration
9150
Thermocouple
Furnace
See pg 23



Fluke Calibration
6102 Micro-Bath
Thermometer
Calibrator
See pg 24



TECH TIPS

- Depending on the thermocouple, incorrectly setting reference junction compensation may result in a temperature error of around 23 °C. Also, the reference junction compensation accuracy of the meter may be the largest contributor to the error.
- Thermocouple wire generates a voltage whenever two adjacent points along the wire are at different temperatures.
- The whole length of the wire (not just the probe tip) generates the voltage. This means the whole wire needs to be treated carefully and considered during the calibration.

To perform the test:

- STEP 1** Isolate the sensor from the process.
- STEP 2** Fully immerse the sensor into a precision temperature source such as a dry-well or bath capable of covering the required temperature range.
- STEP 3** To check the calibration of the thermocouple separately from control system temperature indicator, disconnect the thermocouple from the electronics.
- STEP 4** Connect the thermocouple to a precision instrument capable of measuring millivolts. (The process version of Field Metrology Wells have the required electronics built in).
- STEP 5** If the thermocouple has a reference junction (most do not), then ensure that the reference junction is also immersed at the required reference temperature. Usually, this is 0 °C.
- STEP 6** Typically, the thermocouple will not have a reference junction. In that case, ensure that the precision voltage measurement device has reference junction compensation (may be identified as RJC or CJC) turned on.
- STEP 7** Adjust the temperature of the bath or dry-well to each of the test points. (With Field Metrology Wells these test points can be preprogrammed and automated).
- STEP 8** At each test point record the readings of the temperature standard and thermocouple.
- STEP 9** If measuring the thermocouple separate from its measurement electronics, compare the measured voltage to the expected voltage from the applicable temperature table. Otherwise, compare the reading on the instrument display to the reading of the temperature standard (which may be the dry-well).

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



Thermocouple Fundamentals application note

Simulating thermocouples and RTDs for calibration and testing



Thermocouples and RTDs are the most common sensors used in process temperature measurements.

Simulating a process sensor signal into a process instrument or control system input enables a technician to verify whether the device responds correctly to the temperature measured by the instrument. There are many different ways to simulate these sensors for testing purposes.

You can use a mV DC source and a mV versus temperature look up table (below on the left), for simulating thermocouples or a resistance decade box and resistance vs temperature look up table (below on the right), for simulating RTDs. This method, however, has become outdated with modern temperature calibrators that do the conversion for the user. With modern calibrators, simply select the sensor type to simulate, input the temperature to source and connect to the devices under test.

Thermocouple Table – Temperature vs mV

°C	0	1	2	3
0	0.000	0.039	0.079	0.119
10	0.397	0.437	0.477	0.517
20	0.796	0.838	0.879	0.919
30	1.203	1.244	1.285	1.326
40	1.612	1.653	1.694	1.735
50	2.023	2.064	2.106	2.147
60	2.436	2.478	2.519	2.561
70	2.851	2.893	2.934	2.976
80	3.267	3.308	3.350	3.391
90	3.682	3.723	3.765	3.806
100	4.096	4.136	4.179	4.220

RTD Table – Temperature vs Resistance

°C	Ohm	Diff.	°C	Ohm	Diff.	°C	Ohm	Diff.
0	100.00	0.39	10	103.90	0.39	20	107.79	0.39
1	100.39	0.39	11	104.29	0.39	21	108.18	0.39
2	100.78	0.39	12	104.68	0.39	22	108.57	0.39
3	101.17	0.39	13	105.07	0.39	23	108.96	0.39
4	101.56	0.39	14	105.46	0.39	24	109.35	0.39
5	101.95	0.39	15	105.85	0.39	25	109.73	0.39
6	102.34	0.39	16	106.24	0.39	26	110.12	0.39
7	102.73	0.39	17	106.63	0.39	27	110.51	0.39
8	103.12	0.39	18	107.02	0.39	28	110.90	0.39
9	103.51	0.39	19	107.40	0.38	29	111.28	0.38

Suggested test tools



Fluke 712B RTD Temperature Calibrator
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Fluke 714B Thermocouple Temperature Calibrator
See pg 22



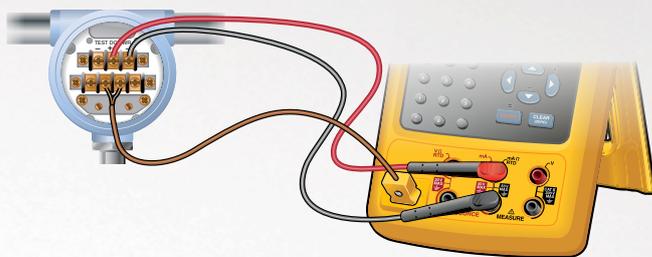
Fluke Calibration 7526A Precision Process Calibrator
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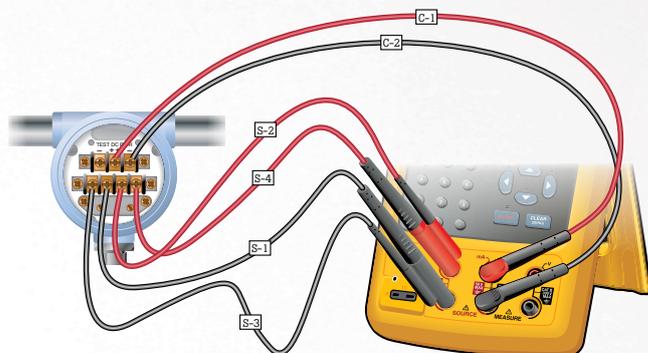
Fluke 726 Precision Multifunction Process Calibrator
See pg 7



Fluke 754 Documenting Process Calibrator - HART®
See pg 7



TC transmitter calibration connection



RTD transmitter calibration connection

To perform the test:

To use a thermocouple simulator to test a device with a thermocouple input:

- STEP 1** Disconnect the process measurement sensor and connect the test connection wires in its place (Figure A).
- STEP 2** Connect the mini-connector from the test wires to the TC source connection of the calibrator.
- STEP 3** Connect a DMM or other measurement tool to the tested device's mA output.
- STEP 4** Verify the device's range or span. Apply the 0% value with the simulator and verify with the DMM that the output mA value or voltage is as expected.
- STEP 5** Repeat the test, applying the 50% and 100% temperature signals.
- STEP 6** If the measured output of the device is within limits, the test is complete. If not, adjust the device at zero (offset, 0%) and span (gain, 100%).
- STEP 7** Repeat steps 4 and 5 and verify for a correct response.

To use an RTD simulator to test a device with an RTD input:

- STEP 1** Connect the calibrator to the device input as shown in figure B.
- STEP 2** Connect the calibrator output with the right combination to match the device configuration (2, 3 or 4-wire).
- STEP 3** Use the test procedure at left for thermocouple testing, starting at step 3.

TECH TIPS

- When simulating a thermocouple signal from a simulator, always use the correct thermocouple wire for the test, either the exact same TC wire type or a compatible extension wire type.
- When simulating temperature using a calibrator with active reference junction compensation, remember the calibrator actively compensates for temperature changes. Changes in ambient temperature should be compensated for automatically.
- When testing 3-wire RTD circuits make sure to connect all three wires from the sourcing RTD simulator to the device being tested. Shorting out the compensation wire at the transmitter defeats the lead compensation circuit and introduces measurement errors.

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



Testing, troubleshooting, calibrating process temperature devices webinar



Temperature calibration application note

Fluke temperature calibrators deliver high accuracy, speed, and convenience

Using a precision thermometer for single point process temperature verification



It's not always possible or practical to remove instruments from a process for calibration. In situ verification at a single point may be the only way to know whether an instrument is performing as expected. A single point verification is most effective over a narrow temperature range and when combined with other trends and information related to the process and equipment. It also requires the process not to be in a dynamic state of change.

In a single point process temperature verification, a temperature standard such as a reference PRT connected to a readout such as a 1523A is placed in thermal equilibrium with the sensor of the instrument to be verified without removing it from the process. Usually this is accomplished with a test well that is installed in a location adjacent to the sensor to be tested.

The reading from the temperature standard is compared to the reading on the panel meter, controller, or transmitter to determine the error and prove the tolerance condition of the loop.

Suggested test tools



Fluke Calibration
1523-P1
Reference
Thermometer
See pg 26



Fluke Calibration
1524-P1
Reference
Thermometer
See pg 26



Fluke 1551A Ex
"Stik" Thermometer
Readout
See pg 26



Fluke 1552A Ex
"Stik" Thermometer
Readout
See pg 26



TECH TIPS

- For this type of application a battery powered digital thermometer is usually preferred.
- A graphing display helps the technician visualise trends such as stability quickly and easily.
- Ensure that both the probe and the readout of your temperature standard have traceable calibration certificates from a competent laboratory.
- If the probe and readout separate from each other, smart connectors, which include probe calibration constants, provide a best practice method of ensuring that the readout is using the correct probe calibration in its temperature readings.

To perform the test:

STEP 1

The test well (thermowell) should be within a few inches of the temperature transmitter and sensor assembly to be tested.

STEP 2

Make sure that the probe of the temperature standard is long enough to reach the bottom of the test well and that air gaps between the probe and well are minimised.

STEP 3

Wait for the temperature standard to reach the temperature of the test well. This will take a few minutes.

STEP 4

Check for temperature stability. A graphing digital thermometer such as the 1524 makes stability easier to recognise.

STEP 5

Record the reading from the measurement system and the temperature standard to determine whether the measurement system's readings are suspect.

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



Temperature measurement and calibration: What every instrument technician should know
Industrial temperature readout and probe selection guide
Process Calibration Tools: Temperature Applications

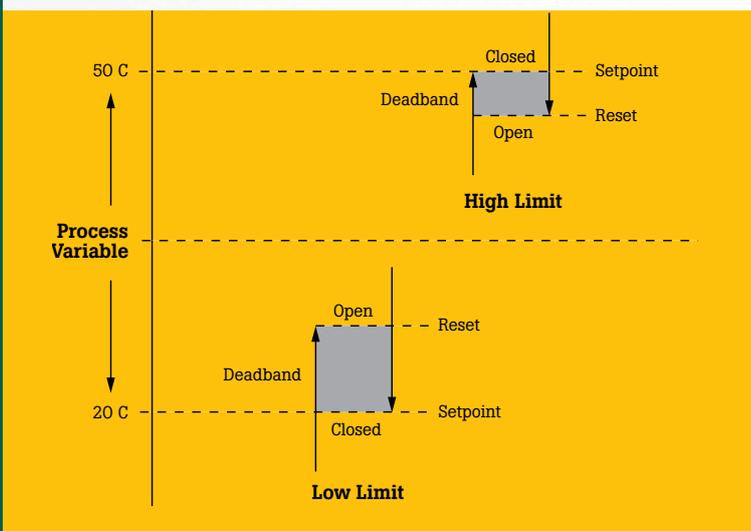
Temperature switch and controller testing in the field



Temperature switches and controllers are commonly used in small processes and in control loops where a programmable logic controller (PLC) or larger distributed control system (DCS) are not warranted.

Temperature controllers provide both switching capability based on rising and dropping temperatures, as well as a local indication of the measured temperature.

Most temperature controllers have some form of tuning, using damping and PID (Proportional, Integral and Derivative values) for smoothing out the measured process temperature, reducing variability.



The terminology around switches can be confusing. The set state of the switch is the action the switch takes when an input stimulus above or below a specified value is applied. This stimulus can prompt an action such as closing a switch, which in turn starts or stops a motor, or opens and closes a valve. The reset point is considered the relaxed state of the switch, which is typically referred to as “Normally Open” or “Normally Closed.” This describes the default condition of the switch. Lastly, deadband is the band of temperature equal to the difference between the temperatures where a switch sets, and resets. See illustration at left.

Suggested test tools



Fluke 712B RTD Temperature Calibrator
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Fluke 714B Thermocouple Temperature Calibrator
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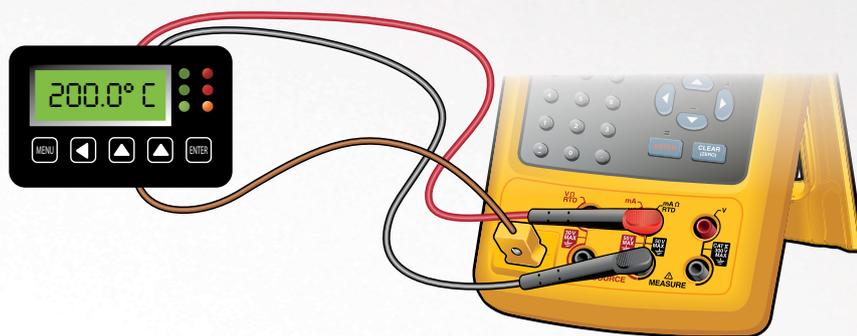
Fluke Calibration 7526A Precision Process Calibrator
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Fluke 726 Precision Multifunction Process Calibrator
See pg 7



Fluke 754 Documenting Process Calibrator - HART®
See pg 7



To perform the test:

To use a thermocouple simulator to test a switch with a thermocouple input:

- STEP 1** Disconnect the process measurement sensor.
- STEP 2** Connect the mini-connector from the test wires to the TC source connection of the calibrator (figure above).
- STEP 3** Connect the calibrator resistance measurement terminals to the switch contacts to measure continuity.
- STEP 4** Set the calibrator to source/simulate the correct thermocouple type and to measure resistance.
- STEP 5** Configure the calibrator for the switch test describing the expected setpoint temperature, allowable deviation and expected deadband values.
- STEP 6** Run the test and evaluate the test results.
- STEP 7** Adjust the switch as needed and repeat the test, confirming that the adjustment was successful and the switch is performing as expected.

TECH TIPS

- When testing the temperature switch, the applied temperature should agree with the temperature displayed on the controller or switch's display. If it does not agree, the device's input A/D may need adjustment per manufacturer's procedure.
- When testing a switch with damping (delay of output change for a change on the input) set, it might be necessary to test the switch manually by slowly changing the temperature in small tests.
- When testing a mechanical temperature switch (no external sensor), use a field temperature bath calibrator for best results.
- To test live switch contacts switching 24 V DC or 120–240 V AC, select a calibrator that can measure these live voltages, such as the Fluke 75X family of Documenting Process Calibrators. Most other temperature calibrators can only measure continuity changes when testing switches.

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



Testing, troubleshooting, calibrating process temperature devices webinar

Testing a temperature switch with the Fluke 754

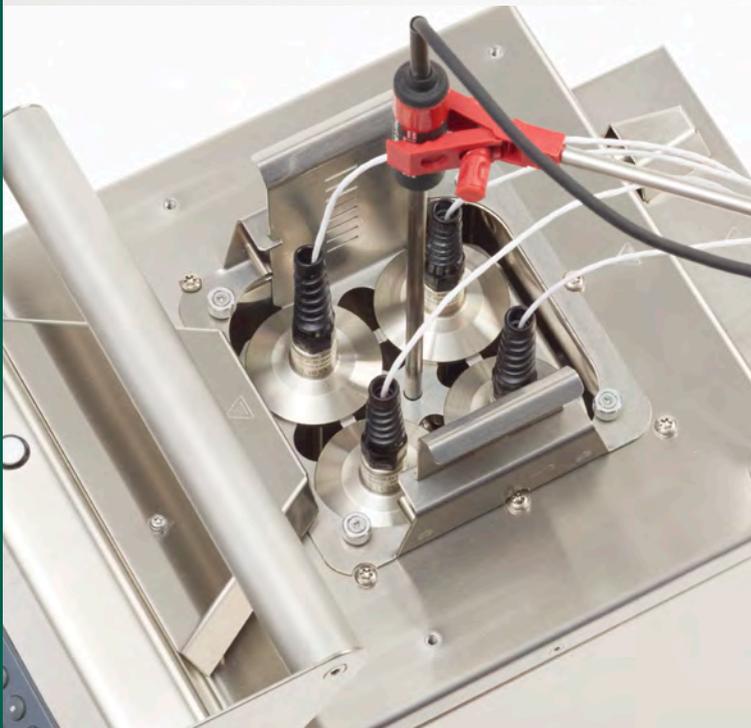


Process and temperature switch applications with documenting process calibrators

Temperature calibration application note

Fluke temperature calibrators deliver high accuracy, speed, and convenience

Temperature switch and controller testing at the bench



A temperature switch is a device that protects a thermal system by sensing temperature and closing or opening a switch to shut down a process or equipment if the temperature is outside the safe range.

Temperature switches are often calibrated or tested for safety reasons to determine how accurate and repeatable the device is. The temperature at which a switch activates is called the set point and is an important value that needs to be verified during testing.

Another critical safety related value is called the deadband. Below the low end of the deadband, the heating system turns on. Above the high end of the deadband, the heating system turns off.

Switch tests may be operated manually or automatically. If the electronics are not built into the dry-well for a switch test, then a DMM will be needed to determine the open/close condition. Metrology Wells and most Field Metrology Wells have built-in routines to automate switch testing.

Suggested test tools



Fluke Calibration 9142, 9143, 9144
Field Metrology Wells
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Fluke Calibration 6102 Micro-Bath
Thermometer
Calibrator
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Fluke Calibration 7103 Micro-Bath
Thermometer
Calibrator
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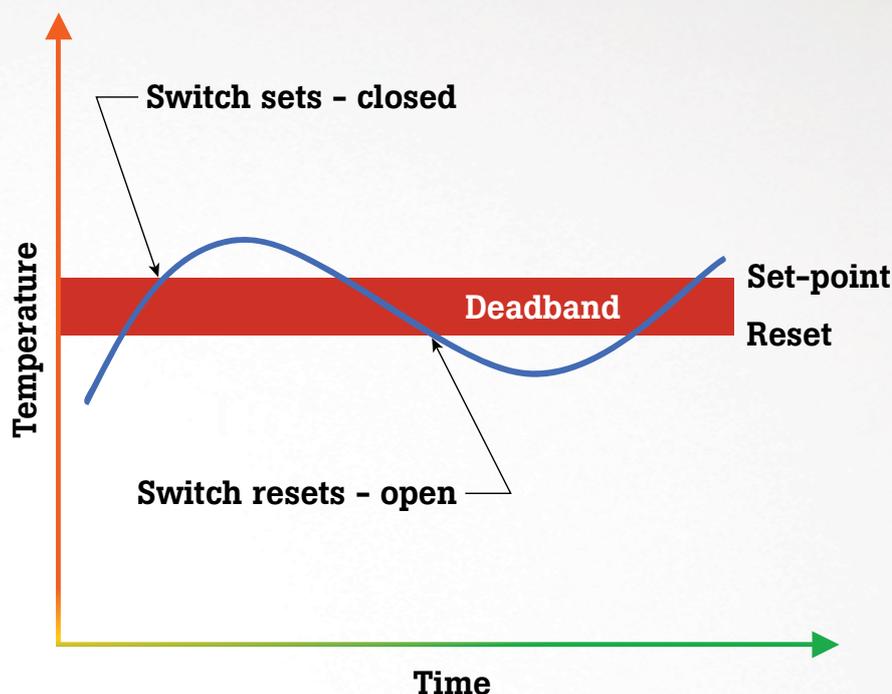


Fluke Calibration 6109A/7109A
Micro-Bath
See pg 24

TECH TIPS



- Set the scan rate to a low value, i.e. 1.0 °C per minute, for better accuracy.
- If the scan rate is too low, the duration of the test may be longer than necessary.



To perform the test:

STEP 1

Isolate the switch from the process.

STEP 2

Fully immerse the switch into a precision temperature source such as a dry-well or bath capable of covering the required temperature range.

STEP 3

Connect the leads of the switch to a digital multimeter or to the switch test inputs of the dry-well.

STEP 4

If using a Metrology Well or Field Metrology Well, increase the temperature to the set point. Continue raising the temperature until the switch changes state and record that temperature.

STEP 5

Decrease the temperature until the switch resets (changes state again) and record the temperature.

STEP 6

Repeat the process as many times as needed, but reduce the ramp rate and target the last measured set point and reset points to verify accuracy and repeatability.

STEP 7

Record the deadband (difference between the set point and the reset point).

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



914X Field Metrology Wells Video Series



*Best practices in temperature calibration
Testing Temperature Switches Using Metrology Wells*

Calibrating with a micro-bath



Instrument technicians need to calibrate a wide variety of temperature sensors including liquid-in-glass thermometers, dial gauges, and sensors that come in odd shapes and sizes.

Problems of fit and immersion that may occur with short, square, or odd-shaped sensors are practically eliminated in a Micro-Bath because the probes are immersed in a fluid that is magnetically stirred for optimal stability.

Micro-Baths combine the portability of a dry-well with the stability and versatility of a calibration bath. They are lighter and smaller than most dry-wells and come with a spill-proof lid.

Suggested test tools



Fluke Calibration
6109A/7109A
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Fluke Calibration
7103 Micro-Bath
Thermometer
Calibrator
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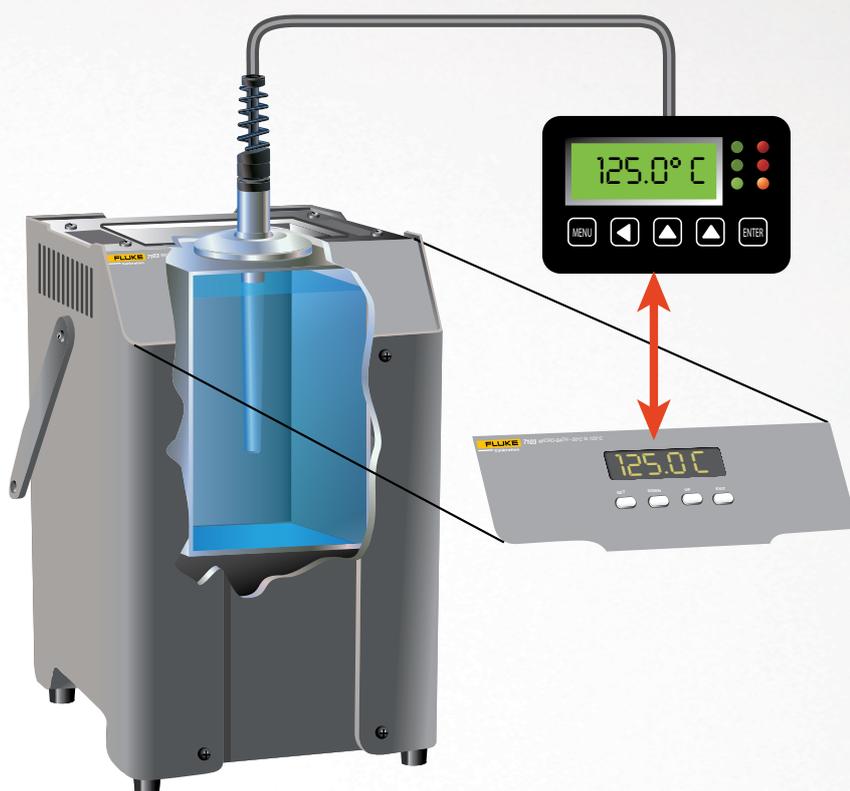
Fluke Calibration
7102 Micro-Bath
Thermometer
Calibrator
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Fluke Calibration
6102 Micro-Bath
Thermometer
Calibrator
See pg 24



Fluke Calibration
1523-P1
Reference
Thermometer
See pg 26



TECH TIPS

- **Caution:** the fluid level rises with higher temperatures and with the number and size of the probes placed into the fluid.
- Best results are obtained with the probe inserted to the full depth of the well.
- The stabilisation time of the Micro-Bath depends on the conditions and temperatures involved. Typically stability is achieved within ten minutes.

To perform the test:

- STEP 1** Place the calibrator on a flat surface with at least 15 cm of free space around the instrument.
- STEP 2** Carefully insert the probe basket into the well and fill with the appropriate fluid.
- STEP 3** For optimal performance allow the manufacturer-recommended warm-up period.
- STEP 4** Insert the test probe to be calibrated into the well of the bath. For best performance, also insert a temperature standard for comparison.
- STEP 5** Once the probe is inserted to the full depth of the bath, allow adequate stabilisation time for the test probe temperature to settle.
- STEP 6** Once the probes have settled to the temperature of the bath, their indication may be compared to the calibrator display temperature (or to a temperature standard such as a 1551A).

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



Industrial Temperature Calibrators Workload Matrix
Process Calibration Tools: Temperature Applications

Infrared Thermometer Test and Calibration



Infrared thermometer calibrations can be accurate with the proper setup and planning. It's important to choose a calibrator with a radiometrically calibrated target that is large enough to accommodate the recommended calibration distance of common infrared thermometers, along with their various fields of view.

Common errors include pressing the infrared calibrator too close to the hot surface of the calibrator or simply moving the infrared thermometer back and forth until the desired reading is achieved.

The manufacturer will have calibrated the infrared thermometer at a specific distance with a source that meets certain size requirements and has a specific emissivity (often but not always 0.95). To have a meaningful calibration that determines whether the instrument continues to operate within its design specifications, those conditions need to be reproduced as closely as possible.

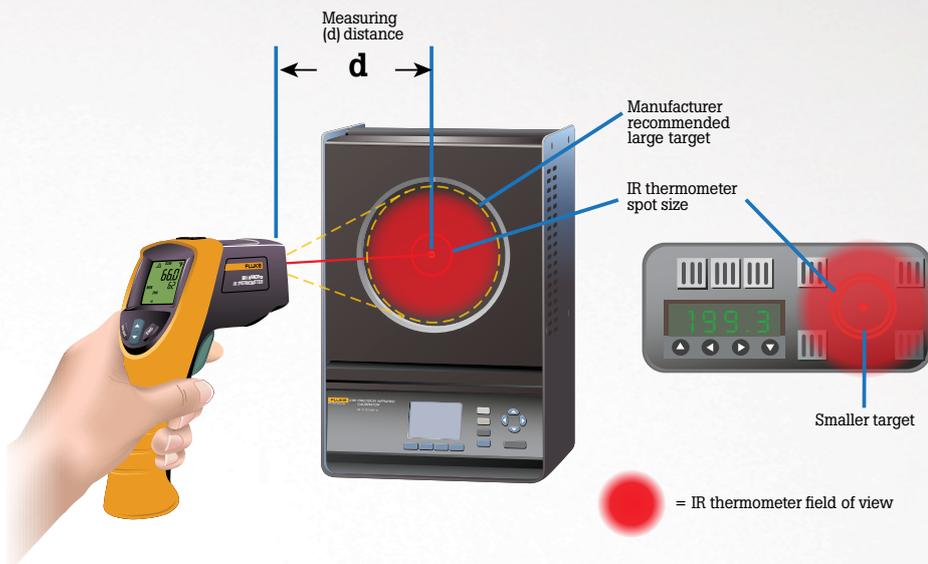
Suggested test tools



Fluke Calibration
4181 Precision
Infrared Calibrator
See pg 25



Fluke Calibration
4180 Precision
Infrared Calibrator
See pg 25



TECH TIPS

- Emissivity makes a big difference in infrared temperature measurement.
- The temperature and emissivity of the 4180 and 4181 are calibrated radiometrically for the most reliable and traceable results.
- The Fluke 4180 and 4181 can be set to match the emissivity setting of fixed emissivity thermometers.
- The large area of the 4180 and 4181 target allows infrared thermometers to be calibrated at the recommended distance without including unwanted surfaces in the field of view.
- Use a mounting device such as a tripod to maintain the calibration distance.
- Measure the calibration distance from the flat plate surface to the surface of the front housing of the infrared thermometer.

To perform the test:

- STEP 1** Allow at least 15 minutes for the IR thermometer to reach the temperature of the shop or laboratory.
- STEP 2** Set the radiation source to the desired calibration temperature. Depending on the temperature range a low, high, and midpoint temperature may be chosen.
- STEP 3** If the infrared thermometer has an emissivity setting, it should be set to match the calibrated emissivity of the source.
- STEP 4** Position the infrared thermometer at the manufacturer's recommended calibration distance.
- STEP 5** Center the infrared thermometer on the calibrator surface. Do this by adjusting the aim slightly side to side and up and down to maximise the signal.
- STEP 6** The measurement time should be ten times longer than the infrared thermometer's response time. This is typically five seconds for Fluke Infrared Thermometers.
- STEP 7** Record the calibrator indicated reading and the indicated reading of the thermometer under test to determine the error and tolerance status of the thermometer at each set point.
- STEP 8** Repeat for the other set point temperatures.

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



Emissivity makes a difference
How to Calibrate an IR Thermometer webinar



Infrared Temperature Calibration 101 application note
Infrared Thermometer Calibration – A Complete Guide

Loop calibration with a temperature transmitter at the bench



In industrial process industries, temperature measurement equipment usually has two components: a sensing device such as an RTD or thermocouple and a transmitter to read and relay the signal to the control system.

All sensors, including RTDs, drift with time. Thus, testing the transmitter and not the sensor could result in misjudgment regarding a system's performance. To avoid this potential problem, process instrument manufacturers recommend including the temperature sensor in loop calibration to prove the effectiveness of the entire system.

Suggested test tools



Fluke Calibration 9142, 9143, 9144 Field Metrology Wells

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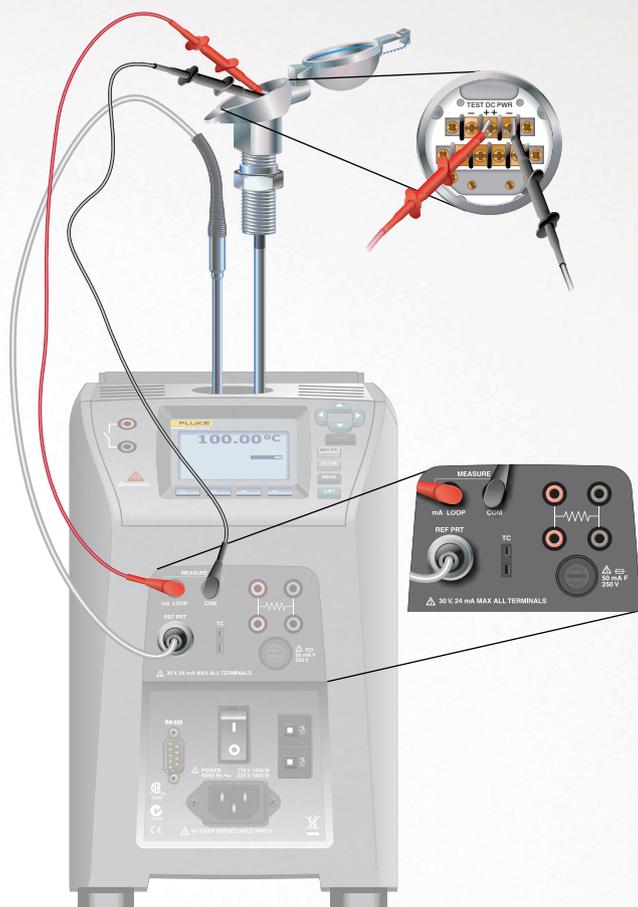
Fluke Calibration 7526A Precision Process Calibrator with temperature source

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Fluke 754 Documenting Process Calibrator with temperature source

See pg 7 and 23



TECH TIPS



- Streamline the process with automation and provide documentation using a Fluke 754.
- Seventy-five percent of the errors in a temperature measurement system comes from the sensor.
- At minimum, you need a calibrator, and a device to measure 4-20 mA and power the loop.
- Choose a temperature standard with a 90 degree angle bend to ensure both the temperature standard and the transmitter fit in the dry-well at the same time.

To perform the test:

STEP 1

Isolate the sensor from the process.

STEP 2

Fully immerse the sensor into a precision temperature source such as a dry-well or bath capable of covering the required temperature range.

STEP 3

Connect the temperature standard and 4-20 mA output of the transmitter to a suitable meter or calibrator (for example, the process electronics on a Fluke Field Metrology Well or the inputs of a Fluke 754).

STEP 4

Power the loop. (The Fluke 754 and the process electronics in a Field Metrology Well have this capability).

STEP 5

Adjust the temperature of the bath or dry-well to each of the test points. (With Field Metrology Wells, these test points can be preprogrammed and automated).

STEP 6

At each test point, monitor and record the readings of the temperature standard and the local or remote readings connected to the transmitter output.

STEP 7

Also, record the 4-20 mA output of the transmitter to determine which device needs adjustment if an adjustment is required.

Additional resources

For more in depth information about this application check out these videos and application notes from Fluke.



Eliminating Sensor Errors in Loop Calibrations
Multifunction calibration using the 7526A Precision Process Calibrator
Improving loop calibration temperature accuracy

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