



T+ and T+ PRO

**Electrical Tester** 

Calibration Information

# Introduction

This document provides the following information for the T+ and T+ PRO Electrical Testers (hereafter referred to as the "Tester" or UUT):

- Safety information
- Symbols
- Contacting Fluke
- Specifications
- Maintenance
- Performance tests
- Parts and accessories list
- Product Warranty Statement

For complete operating instructions, refer to the *T*+ and *T*+ *PRO Instruction Sheet*.

# **Safety Information**

## **∧ ∧** Warning

To avoid possible electric shock or personal injury, follow these guidelines:

- Use the Tester only as specified in this document, otherwise the protection provided by the Tester may be impaired.
- The Tester is to be used only by qualified personnel.
- Do not use the Tester if it is damaged. Inspect the case before use. Look for cracks or missing plastic. Pay particular attention to the insulation surrounding the connectors.
- Inspect the test leads for damaged insulation or exposed metal. Check the test leads for continuity. Replace damaged test leads before using the Tester.
- Do not use the Tester if it operates abnormally. Protection provided by the Tester may be impaired. When in doubt, have the Tester serviced.

- Do not operate the Tester around explosive gas, vapor, or dust.
- Do not apply more than the rated voltage, as marked on the Tester, between terminals or between any terminal and earth ground.
- When measuring hazardous voltage, verify the Tester's operation by measuring a known voltage.
- Only the test probes and batteries are serviceable. When servicing, use only specified replacement parts.
- To determine the LEDs and beeper are working correctly, short the test leads together. The beeper sounds (if enabled) and all LEDs and display segments (T+ PRO) switch on briefly indicating correct operation.
- Comply with local and national safety requirements when working in hazardous locations.
- Use proper protective equipment, as required by local or national authorities when working in hazardous areas.
- Use caution when working above 30 V ac rms, 42 V peak, or 60 V dc. Such voltages pose a shock hazard.
- When using probes, keep fingers away from the probe tips.
- Connect the common test lead before connecting the live test lead. When disconnecting the test leads, disconnect the live test lead first.
- Do not operate the Tester with the battery door or portions of the cover removed or loosened.
- When the batteries are depleted, self test will not function.
- When the beeper is disabled, it will not sound until the beeper is reactivated.
- For voltages above 240 V, you must only connect to a voltage source for a MAXIMUM of 30 seconds and then disconnect for a MINIMUM of 300 seconds.
- Perform a self test before any measurements are taken for voltage, continuity, resistance, or rotary field. See "Self Test."
- Exercise caution when performing measurements on PLC inputs. When measuring relay control voltages on PLCs, be aware that this may open or close the relay/switch.

## **▲**Caution

Although the Tester may be used with depleted batteries, replace depleted batteries immediately to avoid Tester damage from battery acid leakage.

# **Symbols**

Table 1 describes the symbols that appear on the Tester or in this document.

Symbol	Explanation	Symbol	Explanation	
⚠	Important information		Hazardous Voltage	
	Double insulated	CE	Conforms to European Union Directives	
Ţ	Earth ground	((ני	Continuity beeper	
c∰ ⊛ us	Canadian Standards Association		Underwriters Laboratories Certification	
<u>a</u>	Do not dispose of this product as unsorted municipal waste. Visit Fluke's Web site for recycling information.	<b>C</b> N10140	Conforms to relevant Australian standards	
CAT III	CAT III equipment is designed to protect against transients in equipment in fixed- equipment installations, such as distribution panels, feeders and short branch circuits, and lighting systems in large buildings.		CAT IV equipment is designed to protect against transients from the primary supply level, such as an electricity meter or an overhead or underground utility service.	

#### Table 1. Symbols

# **Contacting Fluke**

To order parts, or for warranty service, contact Fluke as follows:

USA: 1-888-99-FLUKE (1-888-993-5853) Canada: 1-800-36-FLUKE (1-800-363-5853) Europe: +31 402-675-200 Japan: +81-3-3434-0181 Singapore: +65-738-5655 Anywhere in the world: +1-425-446-5500

Or, visit Fluke's Web site at www.fluke.com. To register your product, go to register.fluke.com.

# **Specifications**

Temperature Performance	
Operating	–10 °C to 55 °C (14 °F to 131 °F)
Storage	–30 °C to 60 °C (–22 °F to 140 °F)
Relative Humidity	
90 %	0 °C to 30 °C (32 °F to 86 °F)
75 %	
45 %	
Altitude	
Operating	
Storage	10,000 m
Battery Type/Life	AAA (2); 40 hours
Shock, Vibration	Sinusoidal vibration per MIL-PRF-28800F for a Class 2 instrument
Safety	ANSI/ISA S82.02.01, CSA C22.2-1010.1, IEC 61010-1 to 1000 V CAT III/600 V CAT IV
AC Bandwidth	45 Hz to 66 Hz

Earth Ground	MAXIMUM working voltage 1000 V ac or dc MAXIMUM measurable voltage 600 V ac or dc This will be displayed on the LED and LCD (T+ PRO)
Duty Cycle	
Voltage Hazard LED	LEDs turn on @ voltages > 30 V ac/dc $\pm$ 35 %
LEDs	LEDs turn on @ between 70 % and 100 % of the indicated voltage on the LED, except for the 12 V LED that turns on @ between 50 % and 100 %.
Accuracy	
AC voltage	± (3 % rdg + 2 digits)
DC voltage	± (2 % rdg + 2 digits)
Resistance	± (5 % rdg + 3 digits)
LCD Resolution	0.1 V for voltages < 50 V, 1 V for voltages $\geq$ 50 V, 0.01 k $\Omega$ at resistance measurement
GFCI Test Current	100 V to 150 V @ 6 mA to 9 mA ac 150 V to 240 V < 12 mA
Standard Input Test Current	< 5 mA
Size (HxWxL)	1.3 x 2.15 x 7.6 in.
Weight	9.9 oz

# Maintenance

Basic maintenance for the Tester includes cleaning, checking the battery charge, and replacing depleted batteries.

## **Cleaning the Tester**

# **∧ ∧** Warning

# To avoid electrical shock or damage to the Tester, never allow water inside the case. To avoid damaging the Tester case, never use solvents on the Tester.

If the Tester requires cleaning, wipe it down with a cloth that is lightly dampened with water or a mild detergent. Do not use aromatic hydrocarbons, chlorinated solvents, or methanol-based fluids when wiping down the tester. These cleaning agents will damage the Tester case.

## **Testing the Batteries**

Perform a self test, described later in this document, to determine the charge state of the batteries on the Tester. The self test will not work with depleted batteries. On T+ PRO Testers, the low battery icon (+-) on the LCD indicates that the batteries need to be replaced.

#### **Replacing the Batteries**

# **∧ ∧** Warning

To avoid possible electric shock or personal injury:

- Disconnect test leads from any electrical source before opening the battery compartment.
- Do not operate the Tester with the battery door or portions of the cover removed or loosened.

To replace the batteries, do the following:

1. Remove the battery door by using a flat blade screwdriver to turn the battery door fastener one-quarter turn counterclockwise.

- 2. Observing proper polarity, replace the batteries with two new AAA alkaline batteries.
- 3. Replace the battery door and secure it by turning the battery door fastener one-quarter turn clockwise.

# **Calibration Adjustment**

The T+ and T+ Pro have no field calibration. If the UUT fails any performance test, contact Fluke Service for repair. See "*Contacting Fluke*."

# **Performance Tests**

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#### To avoid possible electric shock, do not perform the performance test procedures unless the Tester is fully assembled and you are qualified to do so.

The following performance tests verify the complete operation of the Tester and check the accuracy of each Tester function against its specifications. The recommended calibration interval is 12 months. In the performance tests, the Tester is referred to as the unit under test (UUT). If the UUT fails any performance test, contact Fluke Service for repair. See "*Contacting Fluke*."

## **Required Equipment**

Table 2 lists equipment that is required to complete the performance tests:

Equipment	Minimum Required Characteristics	Recommended Model
Calibrator	ac / dc voltage range: 10 V to 600 V Accuracy: $\pm$ 5 % Frequency 50/60 Hz Resistance range: 100 $\Omega$ to 9 k $\Omega$ Accuracy: $\pm$ 1.25 %)	Fluke 5520A High Performance Multi-Product Calibrator or 5500A Multi-Product Calibrator
3-phase power supply	120 V, 3-phase output	Elgar 5250A or equivalent
Digital multimeter	ac current range: 0 to 20 mA $\pm$ 7	Fluke 189 Digital Multimeter

#### Table 2. Equipment Requirements

## Self Test

# **∧ ∧** Warning

To avoid possible electric shock or personal injury:

- Perform a self test before any measurements are taken for voltage, continuity, resistance, or rotary field.
- When the batteries are depleted, self test will not function. Replace the batteries.

## **▲**Caution

#### Although the Tester may be used with depleted batteries, replace depleted batteries immediately to avoid Tester damage from battery acid leakage.

To perform the self test, short the two probes. The self test lights all LEDs, and all LCD segments (T+ PRO). The beeper sounds (unless disabled) and the Tester switches to continuity mode. To

complete the self test, measure a known voltage before use. If the Tester fails self test, it must not be used and requires service. See "*Contacting Fluke*."

## Testing the LCD Display (T+ PRO)

Use the following procedure to test the LCD display:

Note

The Tester must remain inactive for approximately 30 seconds before performing the following test. This will force a processor reset that will display all LCD segments for approximately 1 second at power up.

1. Observe the LCD and short the test probes together. All LCD segments shown in Figure 1 should light.



Figure 1. LCD Display

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#### Testing the LEDs

Use the following procedure to test the LEDs:

Note

The Tester must remain inactive for approximately 30 seconds before performing the following test. This will force a processor reset that will display all LCD segments for approximately 1 second at power up.

- 1. Short the test probes together.
- 2. Observe that all LEDs light (voltage range, hazard, volts ac and dc, and continuity).

## Testing the Backlight (T+ PRO)

Use the following procedure to test the backlight:

- 1. Insert the test probes into a voltage source of > 10 V ac or dc.
- 2. Observe that the backlight lights.

#### Testing the Audible Signal

Use the following procedure to test the audible signal:

- 1. Short the UUT test probes together. The beeper should sound.
- 2. If inactivated, press and hold  $\checkmark$  until you hear three beeps.

#### Testing the Flashlight

Use the following procedure to test the flashlight:

- 1. Press the UUT headlight button.
- 2. Observe that the flashlight turns on for approximately five seconds.

## Accuracy Tests

Perform the accuracy and verification tests in Table 3.

Step	Function	Range	Input Value	UUT Response (LED)	LCD Display (T+ PRO) Measurement Limits
1	Pos Off	12 V	+20 V	12 V LED On	
2	Neg Off	12 V	–20 V	12 V LED On	
3	Pos On	24 V	+40 V	+ LED On 12 V, 24 V LED On Hazard On	
4	Neg On	24 V	-40 V	– LED On 12 V, 24 V LED On Hazard On	
5			+10.5 V	12 V LED On	10.1 to 10.9
6			–10.5 V	12 V LED On	-10.1 to -10.9
7	- Digital Display Voltage Measurement	dc V 0 – 50 V	+48 V	+ LED On 12 – 48 V LED On Hazard On Beeper & Vibration On	46.8 to 49.2
8			-48 V	– LED On 12 – 48 V LED On Hazard On Beeper & Vibration On	-46.8 to -49.2
9		e	+55 V	+ LED On 12 – 48 V LED On Hazard On Beeper & Vibration On	52 to 58
10			–55 V	– LED On 12 – 48 V LED On Hazard On Beeper & Vibration On	–52 to –58
11			+590 V	+ LED On 12 – 600 V LED On Hazard On Beeper & Vibration On	576 to 604
12			–590 V	– LED On 12 – 600 V LED On Hazard On Beeper & Vibration On	-576 to -604
13		ac V 0 – 600 V	55 V, 60 Hz	ac LED On 12 – 48 V LED On Hazard On Beeper & Vibration On	51 to 59

Table 3. T+ and T+ PRO Accuracy Tests

Step	Function	Range	Input Value	UUT Response (LED)	LCD Display (T+ PRO) Measurement Limits
14	Voltage LEDs	24 V	24 V	24 V LED On	
15		120 V	120 V	120 V LED On	
16		208 V	208 V	208 V LED On	
17		240 V	240 V	240 V LED On	
18		277 V	277 V	277 V LED On	
19		347 V (Canada)	347 V	347 V LED On	
20		480 V	480 V	480 V LED On	
21	Continuity	0 – 20 kΩ	Short	Continuity LED On	Continuity Sign
22	Resistance	0.00 – 9.99 kΩ	Short	None	0.00 to 0.03
23			100 Ω	None	0.06 to 0.14
24			9 Ω	None	8.52 to 9.48

Table 3. T+ and T+ PRO Accuracy Tests (cont.)

#### Load Current Test

To test the load current, set up the UUT with equipment as shown in Figure 2 and complete the following procedure:

- 1. Set the DMM to the mA dc function.
- 2. Apply 600 V dc from the Source. The DMM reading should be < 5 mA.
- 3. Apply -600 V dc from the Source. The DMM reading should be < 5 mA.

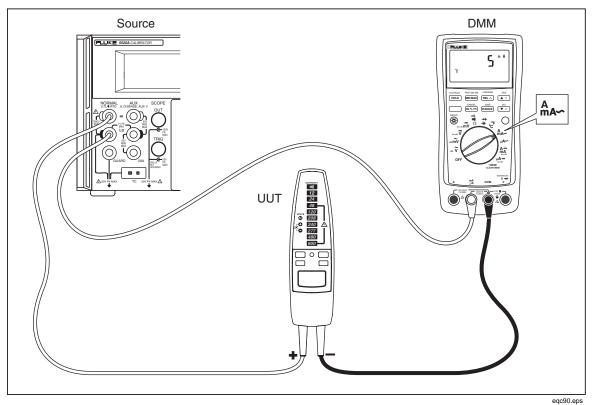


Figure 2. Load Current/GFCI Current Test

## **GFCI Trip Test**

To test the GFCI Trip current accuracy, set up the UUT and equipment as shown in Figure 2, and complete the following procedure:

#### Note

When you press the GFCI pushbutton, the resulting test will last for up to seven seconds.

- 1. Set the DMM to the mA ac function.
- 2. Apply 100 V, 60 Hz from the Source. The DMM reading should light the 12 48 V LEDs and Hazard symbol.
- 3. Press the UUT GFCI pushbutton for one second. The UUT DC + and DC LEDs should alternately switch on and off while the beeper sounds. The DMM reading should be between 6 and 9 mA ac during the test.

## Rotary Field Test (T+ PRO)

To test the rotary field direction indicator, complete the following procedure:

- 1. Connect the UUT to a 60 Hz, three-phase source of > 120 V, with the UUT red lead to A-phase and the UUT COM lead to B-phase. The UUT's rotary field direction indicator arrow should point to the right.
- 2. Move the UUT COM lead to C-phase. The rotary field direction indicator arrow should point to the left.

# **Parts and Accessories List**

Table 4 lists the replacement parts and accessories that are available from Fluke for the T+ and T+ PRO.

Description	Fluke Part Number	
Calibration Information	2823862	
Battery Access Door	2558967	
Test Lead Set	2559535	
TP2 Replaceable Test Probe (black)	2637501	
TP2 Replaceable Test Probe (red)	2637512	

#### Table 4. Replacement Parts and Accessories

# Limited Warranty and Limitation of Liability

Each Fluke product is warranted to be free from defects in material and workmanship under normal use and service. The warranty period is two years and begins on the date of shipment. Parts, product repairs, and services are warranted for 90 days. This warranty extends only to the original buyer or end-user customer of a Fluke authorized reseller, and does not apply to fuses, disposable batteries, or to any product which, in Fluke's opinion, has been misused, altered, neglected, contaminated, or damaged by accident or abnormal conditions of operation or handling. Fluke warrants that software will operate substantially in accordance with its functional specifications for 90 days and that it has been properly recorded on non-defective media. Fluke does not warrant that software will be error free or operate without interruption.

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