

## MIT INSULATION TESTERS REFRESHED



### Improvements at a glance

- CATIV 600V Safety
- Improved Standard Test Leads
- Power DB Lite software (not MIT510/2)
- Improved Battery Life Management
- Operational Temperature Range

### Target Customers

- MV & HV Electrical contractors
- Service companies, motor re-winders
- Power Generation, Transmission and distribution
- OEM's- Transformers, Switch gear, Motors
- Project houses, systems integrators
- Factory maintenance

### Sales Message

- Enhanced product safety with compromising performance
- Reinforces Megger technical leadership in insulation testing
- Products to give you quick, accurate, and reliable testing
- Tough, easy to use products

## PRODUCT FAMILY

MIT Family				
Model	5kV Max output	10kV Max output	Diagnostic tests	Test result storage
MIT510/2	✓			
MIT520/2	✓		✓	✓
MIT1020/2		✓	✓	✓

The product family actually remains unchanged. The only difference in appearance is that the model names have all had "/2" added to them to designate the 2<sup>nd</sup> version or Mk 2. The operation of the instruments also remains unchanged.

Where do the names come from?

## MIT instruments

MIT	5	10	/2
Megger Insulation Tester	5kV	none diagnostic base version	2 <sup>nd</sup> Version

MIT	5	20	/2
Megger Insulation Tester	5kV	Diagnostic testing full version	2 <sup>nd</sup> Version

MIT	10	20	/2
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## THESE PRODUCTS ARE USED FOR AND WHY?

These products are used to test insulation in the following applications:

- Check insulation of newly manufactured equipment
  - Prior to first power up
  - Detect manufacturing faults
- Check insulation of newly installed equipment before turning on the power.
  - Check for transportation damage
  - Check for correct wiring
  - Safe to switch power on
- Detection of faults periodically during working life
  - Fault diagnosis using diagnostic tests and guard terminal
  - Trending of insulation test results
    - Looking for developing faults in insulation
    - Using diagnostic tests to determine corrective action required preventing an expensive future failure.
  - Drives maintenance activity, insulation failure is a major cause of equipment failure
- Check insulation when putting back into service following maintenance work
  - Detect incorrect rewiring
  - Damage caused inadvertently during maintenance work
- Check insulation after prolonged shut down period
  - Effects of moisture etc.

Insulation testing is important because failure undetected can:

- Increase in the possibility of electrical shock and/or death for personnel.
- Increase the possibility of electrically induced fires.
- Cause a reduction in the useful life of the equipment.
- Cause unscheduled (and expensive) downtime.

Typical equipment that may be tested:

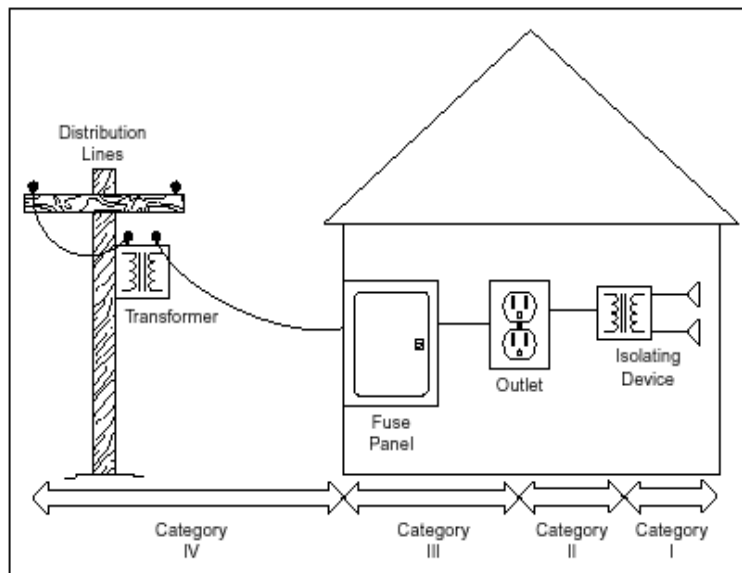
- Transformers (terminals to ground)
- Motors (terminals to ground)
- Switchgear and circuit breakers
- Switchboards and motor control centres
- Disconnect switches
- Insulators and bushings
- Cables

## **THESE PRODUCTS ARE USED BY?**

- Power Utilities
  - Maintenance and commissioning departments
- Cable Manufacturers
- Electrical Contractors
  - Contracted to Power Utilities
  - Maintaining high voltage systems
- Testing Companies
  - Contracted to Power Utilities
  - Maintaining high voltage systems
- Electrical Maintenance Companies
  - Contracted to Power Utilities
  - Maintaining high voltage systems
- Industrial/Manufacturing Plants
  - Using and maintaining high voltage systems and rotating machinery
- Process Control Plants
  - Industrial manufacturing plant
- University / Colleges
  - Research applications
- Large infrastructures
  - Airports
  - Transport
- Electricians
- Defence / Government

## WHAT'S THE IMPROVEMENTS?

- Safety rating increased from CAT III 300V to CATIV 600V



- CATIV effectively means the instrument is protected for use on outside applications.
- 600V means the instrument is protected against connection to a system with up to 600V phase to earth / ground.
- Protection against impulses doubled from 4kV (CATIII 300V) to 8kV (CATIV 600V).
- CAT rating requirements come from IEC1010-1: 2001
- The increase in safety rating has been achieved without compromising the performance of the guard terminal. Megger is the only manufacturer to specify the performance. See note below:

### **Note: Guard Terminal performance**

The guard terminal performance of any of the MIT or S1 range is specified as

**“2% error guarding 500k Ohm leakage with a 100M Ohm load”.**

The guard terminal is an important function of the instrument providing what is, in it self, a diagnostic test to detect surface leakage across insulation. Use of the guard terminal may show that an insulation surface may require simply cleaning.

- **Test leads**

- All instruments now come supplied with test leads with insulated test clips
- 5kV instruments supplied with:
  - 6220-820 (Medium insulated clips)
- 10kV instruments supplied with:
  - 6220-820 (Medium insulated clips)
  - 6220-811 (Large insulated clips)

- **Operates down to –20 degrees C**
  - Was –10 degrees C
- **Battery life management improvements**
  - Battery life indicator improved
  - Improved switched off battery life
- **Supplied with Power DB Lite software**
  - Supplied with all versions with the exception of MIT510/2
  - Provides professional report forms test results and asset management details.
  - Downloads results straight into test forms

## FEATURES, ADVANTAGES AND BENEFITS

### Common Features across the range

Key Feature: **CATIV 600V Safety**

- A: Increased immunity to high voltage impulses in arduous testing environments
- B: Combined with the Megger reputation for reliability this gives the customer un-equalled confidence in operator safety

Key Feature: **High Resistance measurement range**

- A: Takes readings at high insulation values instead of infinity reading
- B: Can trend readings for effective insulation evaluation, indicating potential failures earlier. Cannot trend infinity readings.

Key feature: **High accuracy readings**

- A: Readings are reliable and repeatable, allows accurate trending of results over time
- B: Accurate diagnosis of insulation ensures correct action taken to avoid breakdown of equipment.

Key Feature: **High Output test current.**

- A: Less time to charge capacitance, and applies higher voltage to lower insulation levels
- B: Saves testing time, and shows true condition of lower value insulation.

Key Feature: **High performance Guard terminal**

- A: Allows large amount of surface leakage current to be ignored from the main insulation measurement and still give accurate readings
- B: User can accurately determine quality of insulation with the presence of surface leakage.

- Feature: **Real time test voltage measurement during test.**  
 A: You always know exactly what test voltage is being applied.  
 B: Confidence in instrument operation, continuous verification.
- Feature: **Battery or mains powered.**  
 A: Can perform testing powered from the mains supply when battery is flat.  
 B: Saves time waiting for battery to charge.
- Feature: **Rugged case**  
 A: Less likely to damage in harsh environments  
 B: Increases reliability and time lost due to unexpected repairs
- Feature: **Lid mounted test lead bag**  
 A: Leads kept and protected with instrument at all times.  
 B: Less likely to loose test leads keeping the instrument ready to test.
- Feature: **EMC compliance to heavy industrial level**  
 A: The instrument is immune to higher levels of RF interference, fast transients, static electricity etc.  
 B: Allows accurate reading to be made in tough electrical environments
- Feature: **High noise immunity – 2mA**  
 A: The instrument is immune to high levels noise voltage present on the test piece and test leads.  
 B: Allows accurate reading to be made in tough electrical environments

#### **10kV Version, MIT1020/2**

- Key Feature: **10kV insulation test voltage**  
 A: Higher test voltage produces higher current through insulation  
 B: The ability to make higher insulation reading (35T0hm), meets IEEE requirements.

## PRODUCT SELECTION CHART

Tick Chart				
Feature	Sub-feature	MIT510/2	MIT520/2	MIT1020/2
Display	Analogue	✓	✓	✓
	Digital	✓	✓	✓
Power Supply	Line Power	✓	✓	✓
	Rechargeable Batteries	✓	✓	✓
Test Voltage	10kV			✓
	5kV	✓	✓	✓
	2.5kV	✓	✓	✓
	1kV	✓	✓	✓
	500V	✓	✓	✓
	250V	✓	✓	✓
	User selectable		✓	✓
Measurements	Maximum Reading	15TΩ	15TΩ	35TΩ
	Voltage	✓	✓	✓
	Capacitance	✓	✓	✓
	Leakage Current	✓	✓	✓
Automatic Test Types	Insulation Resistance	✓	✓	✓
	Polarisation Index		✓	✓
	Step Voltage		✓	✓
	Dielectric Discharge		✓	✓
	Dielectric Absorption Ratio		✓	✓
Other Features	Timer Control		✓	✓
	Timer Display	✓	✓	✓
	5mA Test Current			
	3mA Test Current	✓	✓	✓
	2mA rms at 200V and above interference rejection	✓	✓	✓
	4mA rms at 200V and above interference rejection			
	2% error guarding 500kΩ leakage with 100mΩ load	✓	✓	✓
	Data Storage		✓	✓
	USB Output		✓	✓
	RS232 Output		✓	✓
	Free Calibration Cert	✓	✓	✓
	IP65 rating	✓	✓	✓
	Alarm Limit Mode		✓	✓
	CATIV 600V safety	✓	✓	✓
Supplied std.	Test leads medium size clip	✓	✓	✓
	Test leads large size clip			✓
	Power DB Lite software	✓	✓	✓
	Lid mounted lead pouch	✓	✓	✓
Order Codes	EN (UK version)	1000-370	1000-374	1000-378
	EU (European version)	1000-371	1000-375	1000-379
	US version	1000-372	1000-376	1000-380
	AU (Australian version)	1000-373	1000-377	1000-381