

Component measuring instruments



# Check Li-ion battery reliability in just 10 seconds

# Shorten battery cell inspection time

By measuring low frequencies of 1 Hz and below, the BT4560 Battery Impedance Meter drastically shortens the time required for battery cell internal resistance inspections on Li-ion battery production lines.

# **Inspection Time**

Battery cell internal resistance inspection time comparison.

**DC-IR** measurement (traditional method)

Requires several tens of minutes to around one hour.

### **AC-IR** measurement (using **BT4560**)



\*When measuring at frequency of 1 Hz

# Why it's fast

#### No precharging required

Measurement of battery cell internal resistance has traditionally been carried out by precharging the battery, then passing large current and measuring its voltage drop (DC-IR). Precharging the battery usually takes several minutes to several tens of minutes. The **BT4560** uses frequencies of 1 Hz and lower to measure (AC-IR) internal impedance, thereby eliminating the need for precharging.

#### Simultaneous measurement of impedance and voltage

Internal impedance and voltage that have been measured separately can now be measured simultaneously with the **BT4560**, enabling drastic reduction of battery cell inspection time.

Measurement of voltage with a high-accuracy of  $\pm 0.0035\%$  rdg., and stable measurement of impedance can be achieved simultaneously with the BT4560.

# Correlation between DC-IR and AC-IR

#### **DC-IR** measurement

Method whereby a DC load is put through the battery, and the resistance is calculated from the voltage variation that occurs. Because a large current is passed, a large load is imposed on the battery. **AC-IR measurement** Method whereby an AC signal is applied to the battery to measure its impedance. Because it uses a relatively small current, it does not damage the battery.



When the correlation between DC-IR and AC-IR measurement values is investigated using multiple Li-ion batteries ...



A strong correlation between DC-IR and lowfrequency AC-IR measurement values is found.

## **BT4560 Brief specifications**

#### Impedance measurement

Measurement parameters	Ζ, θ, R, Χ
Measurement frequency	0.1 Hz to 1050 Hz
Minimum resolution	0.1 μΩ
Measurement ranges and accuracy	$\begin{array}{l} 3.0000 \ m\Omega \ / \ \pm 0.5 \ \% \ rdg. \ \pm 10 \ dgt. \\ 10.0000 \ m\Omega \ / \ \pm 0.5 \ \% \ rdg. \ \pm 30 \ dgt. \\ 100.000 \ m\Omega \ / \ \pm 0.5 \ \% \ rdg. \ \pm 30 \ dgt. \end{array}$

#### Battery voltage measurement

Voltage measurement ranges	5.00000 V(Single range, resolution:10 $\mu$ V)
Voltage measurement accuracy	±0.0035 % rdg. ±5 dgt.

#### Temperature measurement

Measurement range	-10.0 °C to 60.0 °C
Resolution	0.1 °C
Accuracy	±0.5 °C(10.0 °C to 40.0 °C) ±1.0 °C(-10.0 °C to 9.9 °C, 40.1 °C to 60.0 °C)

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# **Measurement overview**



For laminated type batteries

For line-embedded applications and other various types of batteries

#### **Basic specifications**

Functions	Contact check, Comparator, Panel save/load (Up to 126 condition sets)
Inputtable voltage	Max. 5 V
Operating temperature range	0 °C to 40 °C
Power supply	AC100 V to 240 V, 50/60 Hz
Interfaces	EXT I/O (Switchable between PNP and NPN output) USB, RS-232C
Dimensions and mass	330 W $\times$ 80 H $\times$ 293 D mm, 3.7 kg
Accessories	Power cord, Instruction manual, USB cable, CD-ROM (Bundled software, USB driver), Zero adjustment board

#### Battery Impedance Meter BT4560

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Options : CLIP TYPE PROBE L2002, PIN TYPE PROBE L2003, Temperature Sensor, RS-232C Cable

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