



# TC621 / TC622A

Handheld temperature calibrator for thermocouples or resistive probes with memory





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# Description

Easy-to-use and equipped with a large graphical display, TC temperature calibrators are the perfect field tools for easy and quick maintenance and commissioning of temperature transmitters and probes.

TC621 temperature calibrator measures or generates thermocouple temperatures (16 different types) and voltage at an accuracy of 0.02%.

TC622A temperature calibrator measures or generates RTD temperatures (12 different types) and resistance at an accuracy of 0.02%.

With a very low temperature coefficient (10 ppm/°C in thermocouples and 7ppm/°C in resistance), IP54 protection and robust design, TC calibrators are suitable for onsite use even in demanding environmental conditions. They are widely used in the energy field, engineering sector, metal industry and automotive field.

TC calibrators use a graphical interface making programming and reading easier, under graphical or test format. Due to memory feature (10,000 values) and extended functionalities (square root, steps, synthesizer, statistical functions...), TC calibrators are well adapted to different process job procedures and ensure full data traceability as well as advanced data exploitation. Use them together with DATACAL calibration software to display, manage data and issue your own customized calibration certificates.

TC calibrators are delivered with 4 alkaline AA batteries in standard. The optional battery charger used a rechargeable battery.

## Key features:

- High accuracy: 0.02% reading with an adjustable resolution of 1  $\mu V$  (TC621) and 1  $m\Omega$  (TC622)
- Values displayed in °C, °F, mV and Ω
- Low temperature coefficient: 10 ppm /°C for thermocouples and 7 ppm/°C for resistance
- Measurements with HOLD function
- Simulation of ramps, preprogrammed steps and synthetizer values
- Correction of calibrated sensors
- Display of minimum, maximum and average value
- Backlight
- 10,000 values stored and displayed graphically



# **Specifications**

# Specifications and performances of TC621 @23°C ±5°C

# DC voltage

| Function | Range  | Resolution | Accuracy / 1<br>year | Measuring range |
|----------|--------|------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| IN       | 100 mV | 1 μV       | 0.020% RDG + 3<br>μV | -10 mV / 100 mV |
| OUT      | 80 mV  | 1 μV       | 0.020% RDG + 3<br>μV | -9.5 mV / 80 mV |

Temperature coefficient < 15 ppm/°C beyond reference domain

Thermocouples: Measurement

| Sensor    | Scope of measurement | Resolution | Precision / 1 year |
|-----------|----------------------|------------|--------------------|
|           | - 250 to - 200°C     | 0.1°       | 0.90°C             |
| K         | - 200 to - 120°C     | 0.1°       | 0.3°C              |
| ^         | - 120 to - 50°C      | 0.05°      | 0.02 % R + 0.12°C  |
|           | - 50 to + 1372°C     | 0.05°      | 0.02 % R +0.11°C   |
|           | - 250 to - 200°C     | 0.1°       | 0.80°C             |
| Т         | - 200 to - 50°C      | 0.05°      | 0.25°C             |
|           | - 50 to + 400°C      | 0.05°      | 0.02 % R +0.09°C   |
|           | - 210 to - 200°C     | 0.05°      | 0.30°C             |
| J         | - 200 to - 120°C     | 0.05°      | 0.25°C             |
| 3         | - 120 to + 60°C      | 0.05°      | 0.020 % R + 0.11°C |
|           | + 60 to + 1200°C     | 0.05°      | 0.020 % R + 0.09°C |
|           | - 250 to - 200°C     | 0.1°       | 0.55°C             |
| E         | - 200 to - 100°C     | 0.05°      | 0.20°C             |
| _         | - 100 to + 450°C     | 0.05°      | 0.020 % R + 0.07°C |
|           | + 450 to + 1000°C    | 0.05°      | 0.020 % R + 0.05°C |
|           | - 50 to + 150°C      | 0.1°       | 0.95°C             |
| R         | + 150 to + 550°C     | 0.1°       | 0.40°C             |
|           | + 550 to + 1768°C    | 0.1°       | 0.020 % R + 0.30°C |
| S         | - 50 to + 150°C      | 0.1°       | 0.85°C             |
|           | + 150 to + 550°C     | 0.1°       | 0.020 % R + 0.4°C  |
|           | + 550 to + 1768°C    | 0.1°       | 0.020 % R + 0.3°C  |
| В         | + 400 to + 900°C     | 0.1°       | 0.95°C             |
|           | + 900 to + 1820°C    | 0.1°       | 0.50°C             |
| U         | - 200 to - 100°C     | 0.05°      | 0.35°C             |
|           | - 100 to + 600°C     | 0.05°      | 0.20°C             |
| L         | - 200 to - 100°C     | 0.05°      | 0.30°C             |
|           | - 100 to + 900°C     | 0.05°      | 0.20°C             |
| С         | - 20 to + 900°C      | 0.1°       | 0.30°C             |
|           | + 900 to + 2310°C    | 0.1°       | 0.020 % R+ 0.15°C  |
| N         | - 240 to - 190°C     | 0.1°       | 0.60°C             |
|           | - 190 to - 110°C     | 0.1°       | 0.25°C             |
|           | - 110 to – 0°C       | 0.05°      | 0.15°C             |
|           | + 0 to + 1300°C      | 0.05°      | 0.020 % R + 0.07°C |
| Platinum  | - 100 to + 1400°C    | 0.05°      | 0.3°C              |
| Мо        | 0 to + 1375°C        | 0.05°      | 0.020 %L + 0.10°C  |
| NiMo/NiCo | - 50 to + 1410°C     | 0.05°      | 0.020 %L + 0.35°C  |



### Thermocouples: Simulation

| Sensor    | Scope of measurement | Resolution | Precision / 1 year |
|-----------|----------------------|------------|--------------------|
|           | - 240 to - 50°C      | 0.1°       | 0.80°C             |
| K         | - 50 to + 120°C      | 0.1°       | 0.30°C             |
|           | +120 to + 1372°C     | 0.05°      | 0.020 % R + 0.11°C |
|           | - 240 to - 100°C     | 0.1°       | 0.50°C             |
| Т         | - 100 to - 40°C      | 0.05°      | 0.25°C             |
|           | - 40 to + 400°C      | 0.05°      | 0.020 % R + 0.10°C |
|           | - 210 to +50°C       | 0.05°      | 0.35°C             |
| J         | + 50 to + 500°C      | 0.05°      | 0.020 % R + 0.11°C |
|           | + 500 to + 1200°C    | 0.05°      | 0.020 % R + 0.09°C |
|           | - 240 to - 100°C     | 0.1°       | 0.55°C             |
| E         | - 100 to + 40°C      | 0.1°       | 0.20°C             |
|           | + 40 to + 1000°C     | 0.05°      | 0.020 % R + 0.06°C |
|           | - 50 to + 350°C      | 0.1°       | 0.95°C             |
| R         | + 350 to + 900°C     | 0.1°       | 0.5°C              |
|           | + 900 to + 1768°C    | 0.1°       | 0.020 % R + 0.30°C |
|           | - 50 to + 350°C      | 0.1°       | 0.90°C             |
| S         | + 350 to + 900°C     | 0.1°       | 0.020 % R + 0.40°C |
|           | + 900 to + 1768°C    | 0.1°       | 0.020 % R + 0.30°C |
| В         | + 400 to + 850°C     | 0.1°       | 0.95°C             |
| В         | + 850 to + 1820°C    | 0.1°       | 0.50°C             |
| U         | - 200 to - 70°C      | 0.05°      | 0.35°C             |
| U         | - 70 to + 600°C      | 0.05°      | 0.20°C             |
| L         | - 200 to - 70°C      | 0.05°      | 0.30°C             |
| _ L       | - 70 to + 900°       | 0.05°      | 0.25°C             |
| С         | - 20 to + 900°C      | 0.1°       | 0.35°C             |
| C         | + 900 to + 2310°C    | 0.1°       | 0.020 % R+ 0.15°C  |
|           | - 240 to + 10°C      | 0.1°       | 0.90C              |
| N         | + 10 to + 250°C      | 0.1°       | 0.20°C             |
|           | + 250 to + 1300°C    | 0.05°      | 0.020 % R + 0.09°C |
| Platinum  | - 100 to + 1400°C    | 0.05°      | 0.35°C             |
| Мо        | + 0 to + 1375°C      | 0.05°      | 0.25°C             |
| NiMo/NiCo | - 50 to + 1 410°C    | 0.05°      | 0.020 % L + 0.35°C |

Thermocouples G, D: For specifications, refer to the instruction manual (Available on request) Accuracy is given for reference @ 0°C.

When using the internal reference junction (except couple B) add an additional uncertainty of  $0.3^{\circ}\text{C}$  at  $0^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

It is possible (thermocouple B excepted) to choose by programming the cold junction localization: External at  $0^{\circ}$ C, internal (temperature compensation of instrument's terminals) or manually entered.

Temperature coefficient: <10% of accuracy /°C



# Specifications and performances of TC622A @23°C ±5°C

## Resistance

| Function | Range               | Resolution | Accuracy / 1<br>year   | Notes                                |
|----------|---------------------|------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| IN       | 400 Ω               | 10 mΩ      | 0.012% RDG + 10<br>mΩ  | Automatic detection: 2, 3 or 4 wires |
|          | 3600 Ω              | 100 mΩ     | 0.012% RDG +<br>100 mΩ | Automatic detection: 2, 3 or 4 wires |
| OUT      | 400 Ω (DC current)  | 1 mΩ       | 0.012% RDG + 30<br>mΩ  | Acceptable current: 0.1 to 1 mA      |
|          | 3550 Ω (DC current) | 10 mΩ      | 0.012% RDG +<br>300 mΩ | Acceptable current: 0.1 to 1 mA      |

Connection in resistance and RTDs through banana plugs or 4-pin round connector

Temperature coefficient: < 7 ppm/°C beyond reference domain

Rising time in simulation: < 1 ms

R internal:  $< 1 \Omega$ 

Noise VLF < 1 mV (@ F< 100 Hz)

### Resistive probes: Measurement and simulation

| Sensor                    | Range (Input<br>and Output) | Resolution | Accuracy / 1 year (Measurement) | Accuracy / 1<br>year<br>(Simulation) |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Pt50 ( $\alpha = 3851$ )  | -220°C to +850°C            | 0.01°      | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.06°C          | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.18°C               |
| Pt100 ( $\alpha = 3851$ ) | -220°C to +850°C            | 0.01°      | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.05°C          | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.12°C               |
| Pt100 (α = 3916)          | -200°C to +510°C            | 0.01°      | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.05°C          | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.12°C               |
| Pt100 (α = 3926)          | -210°C to +850°C            | 0.01°      | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.05°C          | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.12°C               |
| Pt200 (α = 3851)          | -220°C to +120°C            | 0.01°      | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.12°C          | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.33°C               |
| Pt500 (α = 3851)          | -220°C to<br>+1200°C        | 0.01°      | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.07°C          | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.18°C               |
| Pt1000 (α = 3851)         | -220°C to +760°C            | 0.01°      | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.05°C          | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.08°C               |



| Ni100 ( $\alpha = 618$ )  | -60°C to 180°C  | 0.01° | 0.012% RDG + 0.03°C    | 0.012% RDG + 0.08°C    |
|---------------------------|-----------------|-------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Ni120 ( $\alpha = 672$ )  | -40°C to +205°C | 0.01° | 0.012% RDG + 0.03°C    | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.08°C |
| Ni1000 ( $\alpha = 618$ ) | -60°C to +180°C | 0.01° | 0.012% RDG + 0.03°C    | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.08°C |
| Cu10 ( $\alpha = 427$ )   | -50°C to 150°C  | 0.01° | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.18°C | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.1°C  |
| Cu50 ( $\alpha = 428$ )   | -50°C to +150°C | 0.01° | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.06°C | 0.012% RDG +<br>0.15°C |

Resistive probes measurements in 2, 3 or 4 wires: automatic recognition of number of connected wires, with indication on screen

Accuracies are given for 4-wire mounted probes

Take into account particular error of temperature sensor used and implementation conditions

Measuring current: 0.65 mA

Simulation current: 0.1 mA to 1mA Minimal current pulse duration: < 1 ms

Temperature coefficient: < 10% of accuracy /°C

#### **Further features**

| Scaling in measurement and simulation modes | This function allows sensors to be corrected after a calibration. Scaling is performed using up to 10 segments, in order to fit with the real calibrated value.  |
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| Calibrated sensors                          | A database can be created to design curves for sensor s after calibration according to the corrections mentioned on a calibration report.  |
| Data recording                              | Data are recorded either manually on event or<br>automatically with programmable frequency. Data<br>is stored with date and time and can be displayed<br>as list or curve.                                     |
| Statistical functions                       | Continuous display of average, minimum and maximum value of the signal under monitoring, as well as number of measurements.  |
| Simple and cyclical ramp generation         | Ramps can be generated by setting low and high dwell, rising and falling times, stabilization and delay times (1 to 3,600 s). Delay time enables a single user to launch the ramp and go to the control panel. |
| Steps simulation                            | This mode allows predefined values to be sent with programmable amplitude and frequency.   |
| Synthesizer                                 | This mode allows predefined values to be sent with programmable frequency.   |



### **General specifications**

| Size                | 6.18 x 3.34 x 1.77 in (157 x 85 x 45 mm)   |
|---------------------|--|
| Weight              | 10.8 ounces (306 g)  |
| Display             | 160 x 160 pixel liquid crystal graphical display with backlite Display of result as table of values or trend curve |
| Power supply        | 4 AA batteries 1.5 V or rechargeable Ni-Mh batteries with internal charger in option                               |
| Communication ports | USB  |
| Storage capacity    | 10,000 data with date and time into one or several acquisition bursts  |

## **Environmental specifications**

| Reference range            | 23°C ±5°C (RH: 45 to 75% w/o condensing)                    |
|----------------------------|---|
| Operating reference range  | -10 to 50°C (RH: 20 to 80% w/o condensing)                  |
| Limit operating range      | -15°C to +55°C (RH: 10 to 80% w/o condensing) (70% at 55°C) |
| Storage temperature limits | -30°C to +60°C  |
| Maximum height             | 0 to 2,200 m  |
| IP protection              | IP54 according to EN60529                                   |

## Safety specifications

• Electronic protection up to 250 V for

'voltage' wires

Fuse protection for 'current' wiresProtection against 'current' circuit

breaking during inductive resistance

measurements

Class In accordance with EN 61010-1

Category II, pollution 2

Rated voltage 60 V

Shock and Vibration EN 61010-1

EMC conformity



# Models and accessories

#### Instrument:

TC621 Handheld calibrator for thermocouples with memory

Delivered as standard with:

- User manual (available online)
- 4 AA batteries
- Protection sheath or boot
- Carrying Case and Wrist strap
- Certificate of Conformance TC621 includes 1 set of 2 test leads

TC622A Handheld calibrator for resistive probes with memory

Delivered as standard with:

- User manual (available online)
- 4 AA batteries
- · Protection sheath or boot
- Carrying Case and Wrist strap
   Certificate of Conformance
- TC622A includes 2 sets of 2 test leads

#### Accessories:

Call Customer Service for a complete list of Accessories

#### Probes for TC621 / TC622A:

Call Customer Service for a complete list of Probes

#### Software:

DATACAL TCTM Calibration software for TC / TM series Supplied with USB cable mini B

#### Certification:

Certificate of Conformance With all relevant data points where the device has been tested





