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34420/SPRT and 34420/PRT

NanoVolt/Micro-Ohm Meter

Instruction Sheet

Introduction

The HP 34420/SPRT and HP 34420/PRT are standard Hewlett-Packard 34420A NanoVolt/Micro-Ohm Meters that have been configured with the calibration constants for either a Rosemount 162CE SPRT (Standard Platinum Resistance Thermometer) or a Hart 5628 Precision PRT. These special service products from Fluke are offered as calibration tools for your temperature calibration and measurement needs.

The following constants associated with your probe were entered into your HP 34420A during system assembly at Fluke Corporation.

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- A4, B4
- A7, B7, C7

These constants are retained in the HP 34420A's memory until changed from the front panel temperature menu.

Cautions

The calibration values entered in your HP 34420A may be inadvertently changed by a user unfamiliar with the meter. Therefore, you should verify the calibration values before each use.

The precision temperature probes that accompany the HP 34420/SPRT and HP34420/PRT are fragile. These probes are sensitive to mechanical shock and vibration, which can cause calibration errors. Take care in daily use and when transporting these probes.

For complete instructions on using the HP 34420A meter and the Rosemount or Hart probe, refer to the *HP* 34420A *Users Manual* and the Rosemount or Hart probe documentation.

Contacting Fluke

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Or, visit Fluke's Web site at www.fluke.com.

Standard Equipment

The 34420/SPRT comes with the following:

- 1 HP 34420A NanoVolt/Micro-Ohm Meter
- 1 Rosemount 162CE SPRT
- 34420/SPRT and 34420/PRT NanoVolt/Micro-Ohm Meter Instruction Sheet

The 34420/PRT comes with the following:

- 1 HP 34420A NanoVolt/Micro-Ohm Meter
- 1 Hart Scientific 5628 Precision PRT
- 34420/SPRT and 34420/PRT NanoVolt/Micro-Ohm Meter Instruction Sheet

For specific information on the equipment included with the meter or probe, refer to the documentation included with each product.

Setting Up to Measure Temperature

To set the meter up to measure temperature, proceed as follows:

- 1. Connect the SPRT or PRT to the front panel Lemo connector on the HP 34420A.
- 2. Turn on the HP 34420A.
- 3. On the front panel, press the **SHIFT** button; then the **TEMP** button. The unit will display temperatures in °C.

Changing the Calibration Constants

Refer to the *HP 34420A Users Manual* under "SPRT measurements and ITS-90 Conversions". The constant values for your specific probe can be found with your probe calibration certificate.

Maintenance

For maintenance procedures for the HP 34420A meter, the Rosemount 162CE SPRT, or the Hart 5628 Precision PRT, refer to the documentation accompanying each product.

Getting Service or Replacement Parts

For information on getting service or replacement parts for the HP 34420A meter or the Rosemount or Hart temperature probes, contact Fluke.

Specifications

For additional specifications on the meter or the temperature probe, refer to the documentation accompanying those instruments.

System Specifications ¹	HP 34420A/SPRT	HP 34420A/PRT
Temperature Range	-200 °C to +661 °C	-200 °C to +660 °C
	(74 K to 935 K)	(74 K to 934 K)
Probe Type	Rosemount 162CE	Hart Scientific 5628
	Diameter: 0.219 in (5.56 mm)	Diameter: 0.25 in (6.34 mm)
	Length: 18 in (457 mm)	Length: 12 in (304 mm)
	Pt 25.5 Ω	Pt 25.5 Ω
System uncertainty ^{2, 3}		
4 hr, 24 hr	0.003 K⁴, 0.006 K,	0.005 K⁴, 0.007 K,
90 day, 1 yr	0.013 K, 0.020 K	0.024 K, 0.053 K
Stability / Drift Rate	<0.01 K/yr	< 0.05 K/yr
Lead Length	8 ft (2.4 m)	7 ft (2.1 m)
Sheath material	Inconel	Inconel
System Resolution	0.001 K	0.001 K

^{1.} Probe and HP 34420A using programmed probe constants.

^{2.} Probe at 0 °C, HP 34420A at 23 °C.

^{3.} Typical specification. Absolute drift is highly dependent upon probe handling and usage.

^{4.} When the probe is used within 4 hours of Rtpw (resistance at the triple point of water) calibration.

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