

Technical data

Series 7750i Ruska Laboratory Air Data Test Set



For more than thirty years, we have provided high precision Air Data Test Sets (ADTS) to the aerospace industry, airframe and component manufacturers for testing avionics instrumentation used on a variety of aircraft from fixed-wing to rotary to the space shuttle. The Model 7750i Air Data Test Set represents the latest generation ADTS incorporating a unique quartz sensor having unequalled precision and long term stability with the latest pressure control technology. The Model 7750i ADTS provides high performance measurement and control of all air data parameters.

The Model 7750i is a laboratory ADTS for calibrating a wide variety of avionics instrumentation such as altimeters, airspeed indicators, rate of climb meters, Mach meters, air data computers and engine-based control systems that rely on accurate control and measurement of pressure. The 7750i can be used to calibrate devices that are required to meet the Reduced Vertical Separation Minimal (RVSM) requirements, controlling altitude to within three feet (better than 0.0011 inHg) at sea level. Additionally, the 7750i provides precision rate control for both altitude and airspeed.

The Model 7750i is ideal for use in Automatic Test Equipment (ATE) systems. The seven-inch height (4U) allows easy integration into comprehensive test systems. Additionally, an IEEE-488 interface is provided for PC-based control. The 7750i can be set to emulate previous generation ADTS (Model 6610), eliminating the need to alter existing software.

Features

- High accuracy, RVSM compliant
- Accuracy to ± 3 feet 0.04 knots
- True differential sensor for airspeed (Qc)
- One year calibration interval
- Automatic zeroing
- Variety of Ps and Qc ranges available

Automatic go to ground

Upon selecting the go to ground command, the 7750i safely controls the pressure to the current, local barometric pressure. The user can then disconnect the device under test (DUT) without exposing sensitive instruments to a potential pressure transient or shock.

Leak test mode

A separate mode is provided for performing leak checks prior to beginning an actual calibration.

Protecting the device under test

In order to protect the DUT, the operator can program high and low limit settings for:

- Altitude
- Airspeed
- Rate of climb
- Mach
- Negative Qc
- ARINC 565 envelope

Automatic volume characterization

The 7750i automatically tunes the controller into external volumes ranging from 80 to 1000 cubic centimeters (5 to 60 cubic inches). This allows a large degree of flexibility for the configuration of the test system and the type of aircraft and components to be tested. For component manufacturers, a large number of devices can be tested simultaneously on a single manifold.

Automatic zeroing

As with any instrument, regular zeroing is suggested to achieve maximum performance. This task is now automated and can be performed at the push of a button, or over the PC interfaces. The 7750i incorporates the vacuum sensor onboard; no separate or external vacuum gauges or sensors are required. In addition, only one vacuum pump is required to operate and zero the 7750i ADTS. Zeroing is performed in 30 to 45 minutes using the specified vacuum pump.

Avionics and pressure units

The Model 7750i displays the common avionics units including feet and meters for altitude, calibrated airspeed in knots, km/hr, and Mach with corresponding rate displays for each unit per minute. It can also display pressure units.

High performance for fixed-wing or rotary aircraft

Although the standard configuration offered is a Ps range of 32 in Hg and a Qc range of 68 in Hg, we also offer custom ranges. For example, for exclusive testing of rotary aircraft, a Qc range of 32 in Hg can be provided, increasing performance in the lower airspeed ranges. For other custom ranges please consult factory.

Specifications

Mode	Absolute		Differential	
Precision ^A	$\pm(0.005\% \text{ of reading})$ from 40 % to 100 % FS. $\pm(0.005\% \text{ of } 40\%)$ from 0 % to 40 % FS.			
Stability: Over 3 months	0.0019 % RDG/3 months		0.0019 % RDG/3 months	
Over 1 year	0.0075 % RDG/year		0.0075 % RDG/year	
Zeroing vacuum sensor	± 10 mtorr at 100 mtorr, $\pm 10\%$ RDG at 100 mtorr		N/A	
Control stability	0.001 % FS		0.001 % FS	
Control low limit ^B	0.3 in Hg abs. (10 mbar a)		0 in Hg in - Qc mode/0.3 inHg abs. in Pt mode	
Zero drift	<0.004 % FS/24 hr.		<0.004 % FS/24 hr.	
Rate of climb	0 to 1829m/min (0 to 6000 ft/min)		N/A	
Rate of climb tolerance	1 % of commanded rate for altitudes up to 15,240 m (50,000 ft) 5 % of commanded rate for altitudes from 15,240 m (50,000 ft) to 21,336 m (70,000 ft)		N/A	
Standard load volume	80 cm ³ to 1000 cm ³ (5 in ³ to 60 in ³)		80 cm ³ to 1000 cm ³ (5 in ³ to 60 in ³)	
Mach	N/A		0 to 10.000 ^D	
Total uncertainty ^C (aeronautical units)	32 in Hg a Sea level ± 0.9 m (3 ft)	40 in Hg a Sea level ± 0.9 m (3 ft)	32 in Hg D 50 ± 0.18 knots 100 ± 0.09 knots 250 ± 0.04 knots	68 in Hg D 50 ± 0.39 knots 250 ± 0.07 knots 500 ± 0.03 knots 1000 ± 0.04 knots
	9144 m (30,000 ft) ± 0.9 m (3 ft) 18,288 m (60,000 ft) ± 3.4 m (11 ft)	9144 m (30,000 ft) ± 1.2 m (4 ft) 18,288 m (60,000 ft) ± 3.7 m (12 ft)		
Total uncertainty ^D (engineering units)	32 in Hg a 32 ± 0.0030 inHg 30 ± 0.0028 inHg 15 ± 0.0016 inHg 5 ± 0.0011 inHg	40 in Hg a 40 ± 0.0038 inHg 30 ± 0.0029 inHg 15 ± 0.0017 inHg 5 ± 0.0013 inHg	32 in Hg D 0.5 ± 0.0009 inHg 16 ± 0.0016 inHg 32 ± 0.0030 inHg	68 in Hg D 0.5 ± 0.0019 inHg 16 ± 0.0023 inHg 32 ± 0.0032 inHg 68 ± 0.0063 inHg

^A Precision is defined as the combined effect of linearity, repeatability and hysteresis throughout the operating temperature range. Some manufacturers use the word "Accuracy" in place of Precision," however the meaning is identical.

^B Requires vacuum pump to control 0 psig, or the vent mode can be used to obtain 0 psig.

^C Total uncertainty is defined as the two sigma combined uncertainty of linearity, hysteresis, repeatability, thermal effects one year drift stability and the uncertainty in the Ruska primary standard, which includes the uncertainty from NIST.

^D Limits can be set to prevent excessive mach.

General	
Electrical power	90/260 V ac, 50/400 Hz, 150 W max.
Temperature	Operating: 18 °C to 36 °C (64 °F to 97 °F) Storage: -20 °C to 70 °C (-4 °F to 158 °F)
Humidity	Operating: 20 % to 75 % RH, non-condensing Storage: 5 % to 95 % RH, non-condensing
Weight	20 kg (45 lb)
Dimensions (H x W x D)	17.8 cm x 41.9 cm x 48.3 cm (7 in x 16.5 in x 19 in)
Pressure medium	High purity nitrogen or dry, clean air
Warm up time	24 hours
Digital interface	IEEE-488.2 RS-232 Model 6610 emulation mode SCPI syntax

Pneumatic connections	1/4 in FNPT on all ports. Adapters provided for AN6 and AN4	
Supply pressure	60 psi ± 5 psi (4 bar ± 0.5 bar)	
Supply vacuum	Minimum 50 liters per minute with auto-vent valve. Ultimate vacuum less than 1 mtorr	
Display		
	TFT active matrix color, 6.4 inch Display resolution: 1 ft, 0.1 m, 0.1 kn/hr, 0.00001 Mach	
Units		
Altitude	ft, meters	
Airspeed	knots, km/hr, Mach	
Pressure	Engineering units: inHg at 0 °C and 60 °F, kPa, bar, psi, inH ₂ O at 4 °C, and 25 °C, kg/cm ² , mmHg at 0 °C, cmHg at 0 °C, and cmH ₂ O at 4 °C and four user defined linear units of measure. Aeronautical units: feet, meters, knots, km/h, Mach	
Ranges	Ps	Qc
7750i-802	32	68
7750i-803	40	68
7750i-804	32	32
7750i-805	40	32
Control		
Rate control indication RoC: Rate of climb in all above units RtAS: Rate of airspeed in Knots or km/hr Total uncertainty expression: 2 Sigma Ps/32 inHg FS: RSS of 0.0091 % of Reading and 0.0008 inHg Ps/40 inHg FS: RSS of 0.0091 % of Reading and 0.0009 inHg Qc/32 inHg FS: RSS of 0.0091 % of Reading and 0.0007 inHg Qc/68 inHg FS: RSS of 0.0091 % of Reading and 0.0012 inHg		
Calibration		
One year interval is recommended. Use of primary standard such as the Model 2468 Pitot Static Gas Piston Gauge is recommended.		
Options		
Lines and fittings kit (supply and test lines) part number 7750-104 Vacuum pump_85 liter/minute capacity with auto-vent valve Filter and muffler National Instruments LabVIEW™ driver ISO 17025 accredited calibration certificate		

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