

# SERIES 7320 AC CURRENT SHUNTS

A COST EFFECTIVE PRECISION AC CURRENT CALIBRATION STANDARD



uildline 7320 series of four terminal AC Current Shunts feature low uncertainty (high accuracy), low temperature coefficients, and excellent stability. The shunts are designed to be purely resistive with extremely small values of reactance. The shunts may be used over a wide frequency range from DC to 100 kHz.

The shunts will operate at power levels up to 10 watts, or as limited by a maximum of 25 amperes, or 300 volts. They are specified for use with natural convection cooling, but the performance can be improved by using forced air cooling.

Originally made to verify the performance of the Guildline 7620 Transconductance Amplifier, the AC Current Shunts can be used for a variety of other applications.

They are useful for the calibration of ac current ranges of multifunction calibrators and high accuracy DVM's.

### 7320 FEATURES

- > Accuracy to ± 100 ppm
- > Four terminal design
- > Non-inductive
- > Wide bandwidth, DC-100 kHz
- > 1 Year stability < 200 ppm
- > Temp. Coeff. <10 ppm/°C
- > Range: decades 10m  $\Omega$ to 10k  $\Omega$

## The 7320 Series AC Current Shunts may be used over a wide frequency range from DC to 100 kHz.

The accurate measurement of ac current up to 25 amperes and at frequencies up to 100 kHz is possible using the 7320 shunts and an accurate ac voltmeter. The lower value shunts (below 10  $\Omega$ ), may also be used as burdens for current transformers, making the measurement of high currents possible. The shunts can be placed in ac current circuits where the phase relationships between currents or voltages is desired.

These shunts are also valuable when making ac power and energy measurements using wattmeters or watthour meters. The very small phase shift due to the shunts makes accurate high-frequency power measurements possible. As a result of the very small phase shift across the shunts, the output voltage of the shunts faithfully reproduces the current waveform even under badly distorted or pulsed current conditions. This makes the shunts useful when examining complex and distorted current waveforms. Additionally, the shunts are effective in many other classical measurement, standards, or calibration laboratory applications.

There are two UHF Type connectors. The connector on the back face of the shunt is for connection to the current source to be measured. The connector on the front face is for connection to the potential measuring device.

#### 7320 SERIES SPECIFICATIONS

#### **AC-DC Accuracy (Relative to Calibration Standards)**

Model	Nominal Value	Accuracy 24 hr 23 °C ± 1 °C (Note 1, 2)			Accuracy 6 mos 23 °C ± 1 °C (Note 1, 2)			Accuracy 1 yr 23 °C ± 1 °C (Note 1, 2)		
	(Ohms)	1kHz	10kHz	100kHz	1kHz	10kHz	100kHz	1kHz	10kHz	100kHz
		(ppm)	(ppm)	(ppm)	(ppm)	(ppm)	(ppm)	(ppm)	(ppm)	(ppm)
7320/0.01	0.01 Ω	± 100	± 100	-	± 150	± 150	-	± 200	± 200	-
7320/0.1	0.1 Ω	± 100	± 120	± 300	± 150	± 170	± 350	± 200	± 220	± 400
7320/1	1Ω	± 100	± 150	± 200	± 150	± 200	± 250	± 200	± 250	± 300
7320/10	10 Ω	± 100	± 200	± 400	± 150	± 250	± 450	± 200	± 300	± 500
7320/100	100 Ω	± 100	± 300		± 150	± 350		± 200	± 400	
7320/1K	1ΚΩ	± 150	± 1250		± 200	± 1400		± 250	± 1500	
7320/10K	10K Ω	± 400			± 450			± 500		

**Note 1:** Calibrated in air at 23 °C ± 1 °C referred to the unit of resistance as maintained by the National Research Council of Canada or the National Institute of Standards and Technology.

Note 2: A report of calibration is provided with each shunt with values at DC, 1 kHz, 10 kHz, and 100 kHz.

#### **DC Performance (Total Uncertainty)**

Model	Nominal	Temp.	DC A	ccuracy 23 °C	±1°C	Power	Maximum	
	Value (Ohms)	Coefficient ppm/°C	24 hr (ppm)	6 mos (ppm)	1 yr (ppm)	Coefficient (ppm/W)	Current Amps	
7320/0.01	0.01 Ω	< 30	± 100	± 150	± 200	< 50	25	
7320/0.1	0.1 Ω	< 10	± 100	± 150	± 200	< 30	10	
7320/1	1Ω	< 10	± 100	± 150	± 200	< 30	3.16	
7320/10	10 Ω	< 10	± 100	± 150	± 200	< 30	1.0	
7320/100	100 Ω	< 10	± 100	± 150	± 200	< 30	0.316	
7320/1K	1ΚΩ	< 10	± 100	± 150	± 200	< 30	0.1	
7320/10K	10K Ω	< 20	± 200	± 250	± 300	< 60	0.03	

Calibration at other points available on request at time of order.

AC performance is expressed as an AC-DC Difference with an uncertainty of measurement expressed as a total uncertainty with a coverage factor of k=2.

The AC Current Shunt design is based on work performed by the National Institute of Standards and Technology. Custom values available upon request.

#### 7320 ORDERING INFORMATION

7320/Ohmic Value AC Current Shunt

TM7320 Technical Manual (included)
Certificate of Calibration (included)

Report of Calibration (included)

**ACCESSORIES:** 

**73201** Cable/Adapter Kit

#### GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

**Environment** Operating: 18 °C to 28 °C

< 50% RH non-condensing

Storage: Storage -20 °C to 60 °C

15% to 80% RH

**Exterior Dimensions:** H 148 mm (5.83 in)

W 148 mm (5.83 in) D 62 mm (2.44 in)

**Weight:** 0.5 kg (1.1 lbs)

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