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3M CORPORATE METROLOGY SERVICES

St. Paul, MN

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Presented this 10th day of February 2009.

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President
For the Accreditation Council
Certificate Number: 2218.01
Valid to: February 28, 2011



For the calibrations to which this accreditation applies, please refer to the laboratory's Calibration Scope of Accreditation.

SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2005

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CALIBRATION

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In recognition of the successful completion of the A2LA evaluation process, accreditation is granted to this laboratory to perform the following calibrations¹:

I. Dimensional

Parameter/Equipment	Range	Best Uncertainty ² (±)	Comments
Gage Blocks	(0 to 1) in 2 in 3 in 4 in (0 to 25) mm (25 to 50) mm (50 to 75) mm (75 to 100) mm	3 µin 2.8 µin 4.2 µin 4.9 µin 0.065 µm 0.068 µm 0.081 µm 0.095 µm	Gage block comparator
Plain Pin/Plug Gages	(0 to 1) in (1 to 2) in (2 to 3) in (3 to 4) in (4 to 5) in	9.3 µin 9.4 µin 9.5 µin 10 µin 11 µin	Universal measuring machine (SIP)

Parameter/Equipment	Range	Best Uncertainty ² (±)	Comments
Plain Ring Gages	(0.393 to 1) in (1 to 2) in (2 to 3) in (3 to 4) in (4 to 5) in	11 μin 11 μin 11 μin 12 μin 12 μin	Universal measuring machine (SIP)
Feeler Gages	(0.001 to 0.200) in	23 μin	Universal measuring machine (SIP)
Steel Rulers	(0 to 4) ft (4 to 8) ft	0.001 in 0.002 in	Laser interferometer
Height Gage	(0 to 12) in (12 to 25) in	23 μin 32 μin	Gage blocks
Standard End Measuring Rods	(0 to 4) in (4 to 8) in (8 to 12) in	24 μin 28 μin 29 μin	Universal measuring machine (SIP)
Digital Caliper ³	Up to 6 in Up to 12 in	540 μin 620 μin	Gage blocks
Dial Indicator ³	Up to 1 in	130 μin	Brown & Sharpe electronic micrometer head and readout
Pin Gages ³	Up to 1 in	34 μin	Pratt & Whitney universal supermicrometer
Micrometer ³	Up to 1 in Up to 4 in	53 μin 86 μin	Gage blocks

II. Electrical – DC/Low Frequency

Parameter/Equipment	Range	Best Uncertainty ^{2, 4, 5} (\pm)	Comments
DC Voltage – Generate	(10 to 220) mV 220 mV to 2.2 V (2.2 to 11) V (11 to 22) V (22 to 220) V (220 to 1100) V	8 μ V/V + 0.5 μ V 4.5 μ V/V + 0.8 μ V 3.5 μ V/V + 3 μ V 3.5 μ V/V + 5 μ V 5 μ V/V + 50 μ V 7 μ V/V + 500 μ V	Fluke 5700A/EP
DC Current – Generate	(10 to 220) μ A 220 μ A to 2.2 mA (2.2 to 22) mA (22 to 220) mA 220 mA to 2.2 A (2.2 to 11) A	45 μ A/A + 7 nA 37 μ A/A + 8 nA 37 μ A/A + 50 nA 47 μ A/A + 0.8 μ A 80 μ A/A + 15 μ A 0.035 % + 480 μ A	Fluke 5700A/EP Fluke 5700A/EP and 5725A
Resistance – Generate, Fixed Points	0 Ω (1, 1.9) Ω (10, 19) Ω (100, 190) Ω (1, 1.9, 10, 19) k Ω (100, 190) k Ω 1 M Ω 1.9 M Ω 10 M Ω 19 M Ω 100 M Ω	50 $\mu\Omega/\Omega$ 0.01 % 27 $\mu\Omega/\Omega$ 13 $\mu\Omega/\Omega$ 11 $\mu\Omega/\Omega$ 13 $\mu\Omega/\Omega$ 21 $\mu\Omega/\Omega$ 22 $\mu\Omega/\Omega$ 40 $\mu\Omega/\Omega$ 50 $\mu\Omega/\Omega$ 0.012 %	Fluke 5700A/EP
Capacitance – Generate	(0.33 to 10.999) nF (11 to 109.99) nF (110 to 329.99) nF (0.33 to 1.0999) μ F (1.1 to 3.2999) μ F (3.3 to 10.999) μ F (11 to 32.999) μ F (33 to 109.99) μ F (110 to 329.99) μ F (0.330 to 1.1) mF	0.6 % + 0.1 nF 0.4 % + 0.1 nF 0.4 % + 0.3 nF 0.4 % + 1 nF 0.48 % + 3 nF 0.48 % + 10 nF 0.52 % + 30 nF 0.6 % + 100 nF 0.77 % + 300 nF 2.6 % + 300 nF	Fluke 5500A

Parameter/Equipment	Range	Best Uncertainty ² (±)	Comments
Electrical Calibration of Thermocouple Indicators ³ –			
Type E	-260 °C to 1000 °C	0.058 °C	Fluke 5720A
Type J	-210 °C to 1200 °C	0.42 °C	
Type K	-270 °C to 1372 °C	0.18 °C	
Type T	-270 °C to 400 °C	0.017 °C	

Parameter/Range	Frequency	Best Uncertainty ^{2, 4, 5} (±)	Comments
AC Voltage – Generate			
(1 to 2.2) mV	(10 to 20) Hz (20 to 40) Hz 40 Hz to 20 kHz (20 to 50) kHz (50 to 100) kHz (100 to 300) kHz (300 to 500) kHz 500 kHz to 1 MHz	0.2 % 0.19 % 0.19 % 0.2 % 0.2 % 0.55 % 2.6 % 1.2 %	Fluke 5700A/EP
(2.2 to 22) mV	(10 to 20) Hz (20 to 40) Hz 40 Hz to 20 kHz (20 to 50) kHz (50 to 100) kHz (100 to 300) kHz (300 to 500) kHz 500 kHz to 1 MHz	17 μV 8.9 μV 8.7 μV 11 μV 27 μV 38 μV 54 μV 100 μV	
(22 to 220) mV	(10 to 20) Hz (20 to 40) Hz 40 Hz to 20 kHz (20 to 50) kHz (50 to 100) kHz (100 to 300) kHz (300 to 500) kHz 500 kHz to 1 MHz	91 μV 17 μV 17 μV 26 μV 54 μV 170 μV 410 μV 660 μV	

Parameter/Range	Frequency	Best Uncertainty ^{2,4,5} (±)	Comments
AC Voltage – Generate (cont)			
220 mV to 2.2 V	(10 to 20) Hz (20 to 40) Hz 40 Hz to 20 kHz (20 to 50) kHz (50 to 100) kHz (100 to 300) kHz (300 to 500) kHz 500 kHz to 1 MHz	0.016 % 0.0065 % 0.0065 % 0.012 % 0.055 % 0.055 % 0.18 % 0.29 %	Fluke 5700A/EP
(2.2 to 22) V	(10 to 20) Hz (20 to 40) Hz 40 Hz to 20 kHz (20 to 50) kHz (50 to 100) kHz (100 to 300) kHz (300 to 500) kHz 500 kHz to 1 MHz	0.0016 % 0.0078 % 0.0078 % 0.013 % 0.026 % 0.61 % 0.61 % 1.2 %	
(22 to 220) V	(10 to 20) Hz (20 to 40) Hz 40 Hz to 20 kHz (20 to 50) kHz (50 to 100) kHz	0.036 % 0.036 % 0.017 % 0.049 % 0.18 %	
(220 to 1100) V	15 Hz to 1 kHz	0.0089 %	
(220 to 750) V	30 kHz to 50 kHz 50 kHz to 100kHz	0.046 % 0.17 %	
(220 to 1100) V	40 Hz to 1 kHz 1 kHz to 20 kHz 20 kHz to 100 kHz	0.0089 % 0.0091 % 0.045 %	Fluke 5700A/EP and 5725A
AC Current – Generate			
(10 to 220) μA	(10 to 20) Hz (20 to 40) Hz 40 Hz to 1 kHz (1 to 5) kHz (5 to 10) kHz	0.029 % + 20 nA 0.019 % + 12 nA 0.014 % + 10 nA 0.034 % + 15 nA 0.12 % + 80 nA	Fluke 5700A/EP

Parameter/Range	Frequency	Best Uncertainty ^{2,4} (\pm)	Comments
AC Current – Generate (cont)			
220 μ A to 2.2 mA	(10 to 20) Hz (20 to 40) Hz 40 Hz to 1 kHz (1 to 5) kHz (5 to 10) kHz	0.029 % + 50 nA 0.019 % + 40 nA 0.014 % + 40 nA 0.023 % + 130 nA 0.12 % + 800 nA	Fluke 5700A/EP
(2.2 to 22) mA	(10 to 20) Hz (20 to 40) Hz 40 Hz to 1 kHz (1 to 5) kHz (5 to 10) kHz	0.029 % + 500 nA 0.019 % + 400 nA 0.014 % + 400 nA 0.023 % + 700 nA 0.12 % + 6 μ A	
(22 to 220) mA	(10 to 20) Hz (20 to 40) Hz 40 Hz to 1 kHz (1 to 5) kHz (5 to 10) kHz	0.029 % + 5 μ A 0.019 % + 4 μ A 0.013 % + 3 μ A 0.023 % + 4 μ A 0.12 % + 12 μ A	
220 mA to 2.2 A	20 Hz to 1 kHz (1 to 5) kHz (5 to 10) kHz	0.031 % + 40 μ A 0.048 % + 100 μ A 0.75 % + 200 μ A	
(2.2 to 11) A	(45 to 65) Hz (65 to 500) Hz 500 Hz to 1 kHz	0.044 % + 170 μ A 0.09 % + 380 μ A 0.35 % + 750 μ A	

III. Fluid Quantities

Parameter/Equipment	Range	Best Uncertainty ^{2,5} (\pm)	Comments
Gas Flow	(0 to 50) SCCM (0 to 500) SCCM (0 to 5) SLPM (0 to 30) SLPM (0 to 100) SLPM (0 to 200) SPLM	0.34 % 0.22 % 0.24 % 0.48 % 0.62 % 0.42 %	DHI Moblocs

IV. Mechanical

Parameter/Equipment	Range	Best Uncertainty ²	Comments
Force	(0 to 200) lbf	0.014 % of value	Deadweight
	(0 to 2000) lbf	0.0094 % of value	Morehouse deadweight calibrator
	(2000 to 10 000) lbf	2.8 lbf	Proving rings
Mass	1 mg	0.53 µg	1 kg standard with NIST designs
	2 mg	0.51 µg	
	3 mg	0.52 µg	
	5 mg	0.59 µg	
	10 mg	0.53 µg	
	20 mg	0.5 µg	ASTM 617 Class 1, 2, 3, 4, 5
	30 mg	0.52 µg	
	50 mg	0.6 µg	
	100 mg	0.58 µg	
	200 mg	0.69 µg	
	300 mg	0.89 µg	OIML F1, F2
	500 mg	1.3 µg	
	1 g	2.5 µg	
	2 g	2.3 µg	
	3 g	2.6 µg	
	5 g	3.1 µg	
	10 g	4.2 µg	
	20 g	5.2 µg	
	30 g	6.8 µg	
	50 g	10 µg	
	100 g	21 µg	
	200 g	21 µg	
	300 g	25 µg	
	500 g	33 µg	
	1 kg	0.059 mg	
	2 kg	0.38 mg	
	3 kg	0.53 mg	
5 kg	0.86 mg		
10 kg	1.7 mg		
20 kg	13 mg		
25 kg	14 mg		

Parameter/Equipment	Range	Best Uncertainty ² (±)	Comments	
Mass (cont)	1 mg	0.003 mg	NBS Class F	
	2 mg	0.003 mg		
	3 mg	0.003 mg		
	5 mg	0.004 mg		
	10 mg	0.005 mg		
	20 mg	0.007 mg		
	30 mg	0.004 mg		
	50 mg	0.005 mg		
	100 mg	0.009 mg		
	200 mg	0.018 mg		
	300 mg	0.027 mg		
	500 mg	0.045 mg		
	1 g	0.048 mg		ASTM Class 6
	2 g	0.049 mg		
	3 g	0.05 mg		
	5 g	0.052 mg		
	10 g	0.06 mg		
	20 g	0.087 mg		
	30 g	0.12 mg		
	50 g	0.18 mg		
	100 g	0.36 mg		
	200 g	0.73 mg		
	300 g	2.6 mg		
	500 g	1.8 mg		
	1 kg	3.6 mg	Double substitution	
	2 kg	7.3 mg		
	3 kg	11 mg		
	5 kg	18 mg		
	10 kg	36 mg		
	20 kg	93 mg		
	0.5 lb	1.7 mg (3.8×10^{-6} lb)		
	1 lb	1.7 mg (3.8×10^{-6} lb)		
	2 lb	1.9 mg (4.2×10^{-6} lb)		
	5 lb	2.7 mg (6×10^{-6} lb)		
	10 lb	4.5 mg (9.9×10^{-6} lb)		
	20 lb	61 mg (1.4×10^{-5} lb)		
25 lb	61 mg (1.4×10^{-5} lb)			
50 lb	64 mg (1.5×10^{-5} lb)			

Parameter/Equipment	Range	Best Uncertainty ^{2, 5} (\pm)	Comments
Torque	(0 to 50) in·lb (51 to 100) in·lb (101 to 200) in·lb (201 to 300) in·lb (300 to 600) in·lb 100 ft·lb 200 ft·lb 300 ft·lb 400 ft·lb 500 ft·lb	2.6 % 1.4 % 0.85 % 0.7 % 0.59 % 0.88 % 0.66 % 0.62 % 0.06 % 0.059 %	Torque calibrator
Torque Transducers	(0 to 100) in·lb (0 to 1000) in·lb (0 to 500) ft·lb	0.11 % 0.11 % 0.11 %	Deadweights and moment arms (4 in, 10 in and 24 in)
Durometers – Types A & D	(0 to 100) units	0.6 units	Shore durocalibrator
Pressure ³ –			
Pneumatic	(-15 to -4.5) psig negative gage (-4.5 to 0) psig negative gage (0 to 1000) psig (0 to 1000) psig (0 to 500) psig (0 to 300) psig	0.01 % 0.00045 psi 0.01 % 0.0028 % 0.0028 % + 0.02 psi 0.0056 % + 0.09 psi	7250 SYS Deadweight gage Ruska 7010 SI PC6 PRO
Low pressure	(-10 to 10) inH ₂ O (-30 to 30) inH ₂ O (0 to 5) inH ₂ O (0 to 10) inH ₂ O	0.0017 inH ₂ O 0.004 inH ₂ O 0.032 % + 0.0024 inH ₂ O 0.032 % + 0.0035 inH ₂ O	Ruska 7250LP Druck DP615 Druck DP610
Hydraulic	(0 to 10 000) psig	0.029 %	Deadweight tester

Parameter/Equipment	Range	Best Uncertainty ² (±)	Comments
Balances ³	1 mg 2 mg 3 mg 5 mg 10 mg 20 mg 30 mg 50 mg 100 mg 200 mg 300 mg 500 mg 1 g 2 g 3 g 5 g 10 g 20 g 30 g 50 g 100 g 200 g 300 g 500 g 1 kg 2 kg 3 kg 5 kg 10 kg 20 kg 60 kg	0.53 µg 0.51 µg 0.52 µg 0.59 µg 0.53 µg 0.5 µg 0.52 µg 0.6 µg 0.58 µg 0.69 µg 0.89 µg 1.3 µg 2.5 µg 2.3 µg 2.6 µg 3.1 µg 4.2 µg 5.2 µg 6.8 µg 10 µg 21 µg 21 µg 25 µg 33 µg 0.059 mg 0.38 mg 0.53 mg 0.86 mg 1.7 mg 20 mg 27 mg	Class 1 weights
Scales ³	1 g 2 g 3 g 5 g 10 g 20 g 30 g 50 g 100 g 200 g 300 g 500 g	0.9 mg 1.2 mg 1.3 mg 1.5 mg 2 mg 4 mg 6 mg 10 mg 20 mg 40 mg 60 mg 70 mg	NBS Handbook 105-1 Class F Weights

Parameter/Equipment	Range	Best Uncertainty ² (±)	Comments
Scales ³ (cont)	1 kg 2 kg 3 kg 5 kg 10 kg 20 kg 50 kg 0.5 lb 1 lb 2 lb 5 lb 10 lb 20 lb 25 lb 50 lb 100 lb	100 mg 200 mg 300 mg 500 mg 1000 mg 2000 mg 5000 mg 0.000099 lb 0.00015 lb 0.00020 lb 0.00050 lb 0.00099 lb 0.0020 lb 0.0024 lb 0.0051 lb 0.102 lb	NBS Handbook 105-1 Class F Weights

V. Thermodynamics

Parameter/Equipment	Range	Best Uncertainty ² (±)	Comments
Infrared Thermometers	50 °C to 100 °C 200 °C to 1050 °C	1 °C 3.6 °C	Blackbody simulator
Temperature Measuring Equipment ³ –			
Liquid-in-glass thermometers	-70 °C to -40 °C -40 °C to 75 °C 75 °C to 180 °C 180 °C to 500 °C	0.046 °C 0.022 °C 0.025 °C 0.022 °C	Comparison to SPRT in bath
RTDs & Thermistors	-70 °C to -40 °C -40 °C to 75 °C 75 °C to 180 °C 180 °C to 500 °C	0.042 °C 0.012 °C 0.018 °C 0.013 °C	

Parameter/Equipment	Range	Best Uncertainty ² (±)	Comments
Temperature ³ – Measure	-5 °C to 125 °C -200 °C to 0 °C 0 °C to 200 °C 200 °C to 400 °C 400 °C to 661 °C	0.25 °C 0.043 °C 0.018 °C 0.024 °C 0.031 °C	Hart Scientific 7102 Hart Scientific 1502A/1529 w/ 5628
Thermocouple ³ – Measure			
Type J	-210 °C to -100 °C -100 °C to 800 °C 800 °C to 1200 °C	0.66 °C 0.34 °C 0.55 °C	Fluke 743B/744
Type K	-210 °C to 1200 °C -200 °C to -100 °C -100 °C to 400 °C 400 °C to 1200 °C 1200 °C to 1372 °C	1.2 °C 0.77 °C 0.4 °C 0.64 °C 0.81 °C	w/ Type J thermocouple
Type T	-200 °C to 1372 °C -200 °C to 400 °C -250 °C to -200 °C -200 °C to 0 °C 0 °C to 400 °C	1.4 °C 1 °C 1.8 °C 0.87 °C 0.34 °C	w/ Type T thermocouple
Thermocouple Measuring Equipment ³ –			
Type J	-210 °C to -100 °C -100 °C to 800 °C 800 °C to 1200 °C	0.4 °C 0.26 °C 0.3 °C	Fluke 743B/744
Type K	-200 °C to -100 °C -100 °C to 400 °C 400 °C to 1200 °C 1200 °C to 1372 °C	0.52 °C 0.4 °C 0.5 °C 0.5 °C	
Type T	-250 °C to -200 °C -200 °C to 0 °C 0 °C to 400 °C	1.1 °C 0.75 °C 0.34 °C	

Parameter/Equipment	Range	Best Uncertainty ² (±)	Comments
Relative Humidity Measuring Equipment ³	(10 to 20) % RH (20 to 30) % RH (30 to 40) % RH (40 to 50) % RH (50 to 80) % RH (80 to 90) % RH (90 to 95) % RH	0.77 % RH 0.67 % RH 0.68 % RH 0.6 % RH 0.6 % RH 0.62 % RH 0.66 % RH	Thunder Scientific model 2500
Relative Humidity ³ – Measure	(10 to 20) % RH (20 to 30) % RH (30 to 40) % RH (40 to 50) % RH (50 to 80) % RH (80 to 90) % RH (90 to 95) % RH	1.6 % RH 1.6 % RH 1.6 % RH 1.5 % RH 1.7 % RH 1.7 % RH 2.6 % RH	Vaisala MI70/HMP77B

VI. Time and Frequency

Parameter/Range	Frequency	Best Uncertainty ² (±)	Comments
Frequency Measuring Equipment – Fixed Point	10 MHz Reference	0.4 nHz/Hz	Fluke PM6681R and TrueTime XL-DC GPS

¹ This laboratory does not offer commercial calibration service, but does offer field calibration service to internal customers.

² “Best Uncertainty” is the smallest uncertainty of measurement that a laboratory can achieve within its scope of accreditation when performing more or less routine calibrations of nearly ideal measurement standards of nearly ideal measuring equipment. Best uncertainties represent expanded uncertainties expressed at approximately the 95 % level of confidence, usually using a coverage factor of $k = 2$. The best uncertainty of a specific calibration performed by the laboratory may be greater than the best uncertainty due to the behavior of the customer’s device and to influences from the circumstances of the specific calibration.

- ³ Field calibration service is available for this calibration and this laboratory meets A2LA R104 – *General Requirements: Accreditation of Field Testing and Field Calibration Laboratories* for these calibrations. Please note the uncertainties achievable on a customer's site can normally be expected to be larger than the Best Measurement Capabilities (BMC) that the accredited laboratory has been assigned as Best Uncertainty on the A2LA Scope. Allowance must be made for aspects such as the environment at the place of calibration and for other possible adverse effects such as those caused by transportation of the calibration equipment. The usual allowance for the uncertainty introduced by the item being calibrated, (e.g. resolution) must also be considered and this, on its own, could result in the calibration uncertainty being larger than the BMC.
- ⁴ The measurands stated are generated with the Fluke 5700A and 5500A series of instruments. This capability is suitable for the calibration of the devices intended to measure the stated measurand in the ranges indicated. Best measurement uncertainties are expressed as either a specific value that covers the full range or as a fraction of the reading plus a fixed floor specification.
- ⁵ In the statement of best uncertainty, percentages represent the percent of reading (rdg) unless otherwise noted.