

FT3432

Instruction Manual

SOUND LEVEL METER



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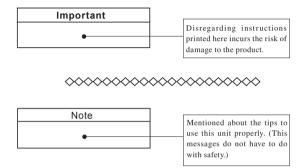
 When you receive the instrument, inspect it carefully to ensure that no damage occurred during shipping. If damage is evident, or if it fails to operate according to the specifications, contact your dealer or Hioki representative.

Confirm that these contents are provided.

•	FT3432 Sound Level Meter	(1)	
•	WS-14 Windscreen	(1)	
•	NL-27-089 Silicon cover	(1)	
•	VM-63-017 Hand strap	(1)	
•	NL-27-014 Windscreen fall out		
	prevention rubber	(1)	
•	9757 Carrying case	(1)	
•	Size AAA alkaline batteries (IEC I	LR03)	(2)
•	Instruction Manual (This documen	t)	(1)

FOR SAFETY

In this manual, important safety instructions are specially marked as shown below. To prevent the risk of death or injury to persons and severe damage to the unit or peripheral equipment, make sure that all instructions are fully understood and observed.





Indicates that the product conforms to regulations set out by the EU Directive.



This product can be used in any areas including residential areas.



To conform to the EU requirement of the Directive on Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment, the symbol mark on the right is shown on the instrument.



Chinese RoHS:

The mark for the Directive on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment (only for China)

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Precautions

- Operate the unit only as described in this manual.
- Do not touch any parts of the unit other than necessary for operation.
- Do not drop the unit. Protect it from shocks and vibration.
- The permissible environmental temperature range for operation of the unit is -10 to +50°C. Relative humidity must be between 10% and 90%RH.
- Do not use or store the unit in locations which may be subject to water, direct sunlight, high temperatures or humidity. Also protect the unit from air with high salt or sulphur content, gases or the influence of chemicals.
- Do not forget to turn the unit off after use. Remove the batteries
 if the unit is not to be used for some time.
- When disconnecting cables, always hold the plug and do not pull the cable.
- To clean the unit, use only a dry cloth or a cloth lightly moistened with water. Do not use chemical cleaning cloths, solvents or alcohol-based cleaners to prevent the possibility of deformation and discoloring.
- Do not insert any objects such as pins, metal scraps, conducting plastic etc. into any opening on the unit.
- Do not disassemble the unit or attempt internal alterations.
- In case of malfunction, do not attempt any repairs. Note the condition of the unit clearly and contact the supplier.
- When disposing of the unit or the batteries, follow national and local regulations regarding waste disposal.

Outline

This unit is a sound level meter that complies with the Japan measurement law, JIS, and IEC. The microphone is a 1/2-inch electret condenser (UC-52). It has a wide 107-dB linearity range, measuring sound levels between 30 and 137 dB, with no need to select the range. The unit has an LCD panel, operation keys, an AC monitor output connector and a DC out connector. It is able to measure the following items.

It is powered by two size AAA(IEC R03, LR03) batteries. The main unit and preamplifier are a single unit so it is not possible to extend the microphone.

This unit has the following two level ranges.

Wide range: This measures the range between 30 and 137 dB and allows simultaneous measurement of L_p , L_{eq} ,

 $L_{\rm max}$, and $L_{\rm E}$.

Peak range: Along with the processing results for wide range,

this range also measures L_{Cpeak} , but the lower limit

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for measurement becomes 65 dB.

Resume function

This function maintains the settings that have been configured before power-off.

The following items are maintained:

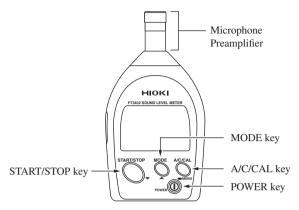
- Measurement time
- · Time weighting characteristics
- · Level range
- · Address indication

The following items have predefined settings upon startup.

Frequency weighting characteristic

• Display processing value type L_p

Controls and Functions Front Panel



Microphone/preamplifier

Microphone and preamplifier are integrated in a single enclosure. An extension cable cannot be used.

START/STOP key

Press to start or stop processing. Also used to change setting values in the calibration screen, menu screen, and recall screen.

MODE key

Changes the processing result display in the measurement screen and processing screen. Also used to change setting values in the calibration screen, menu screen, and recall screen.

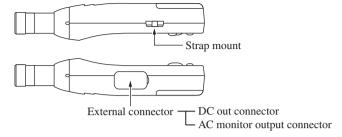
A/C/CAL key

This key selects the frequency weighting characteristics, calibration screen and recall screen. Pressing and holding this key in the measurement screen changes it to the menu screen.

POWER key

Turns the unit on and off.

Side View



External connector

This connector is composed of a DC out connector and an AC monitor output connector. (The connector can only be used for one purpose at a time.)

DC out connector

A DC signal corresponding to the sound level can be output from here. The signal after frequency weighting, time weighting, and logarithmic compression is output here (constant output when a DC output cable is connected). Connect the unit with the optional DC output cable to external equipment.

AC monitor output connector

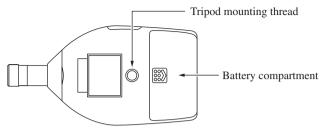
An AC signal weighted with frequency weighting characteristic Z is output here (constant output when an AC monitor output cable is connected). Connect the unit with the optional AC monitor output cable to external equipment.

When 110 dB is displayed, output is 1 Vrms - 400 mVrms (The upper limit of the output voltage is 1.8 Vrms)

Strap mount

Attach the hand strap here (see page 8). Pass your wrist through this strap when holding the unit for measuring.

Rear View



Tripod mounting thread

Mount the unit on a camera tripod with this thread.

Battery compartment

Insert two size AAA (IEC R03, LR03) batteries here.

Batteries

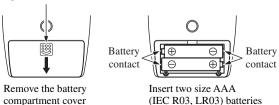
Inserting the Batteries

Important		
Make sure the unit is turn off before inserting the batteries.		

- Remove the battery compartment cover on the rear of the unit. 1.
- 2. Insert two size AAA (IEC R03, LR03) batteries into the battery compartment. Insert correctly as indicated in the compartment.
- Replace the battery compartment cover.

Press and pull in the arrow direction

compartment cover



Important

Take care not to reverse the (+) and (-) polarity when inserting the batteries. If batteries are inserted with wrong polarity, the unit willnot operate.

Always use two identical batteries, and replace batteries only as a set. Mixing battery types or old and new batteries can lead to damage.

Remove the batteries from the unit when it is not used.

Do not subject the battery spring contacts to excessive stress. Doing so may weaken the elasticity of the battery spring contacts, resulting in electrical contact failure between the contacts and the batteries.

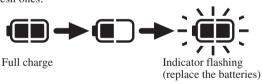
Battery life (at 23°C, using wide range) Manganese batteries: approx. 3 hours

Alkaline batteries: approx. 9 hours

Battery life will be reduced by 20% when a DC output cable is connected

Battery indication

Indicates battery charge. When the indicator starts to flash, correct measurement is no longer possible. Replace the batteries with fresh ones



Important

If the indicator starts flashing during processing, processing will end at that point.

You cannot start processing with the START/STOP key when the battery indication is flashing.

Attachments

Windscreen

We recommend attaching the windscreen to reduce wind noise.

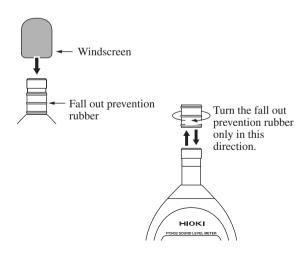
Windscreen fall out prevention rubber (hereafter called "fall out prevention rubber")

Prevents the windscreen from dropping off the microphone. This is attached to the unit at the time of shipment.

Important

The windscreen can easily drop off the unit, so we recommend attaching the fall out prevention rubber.

Be sure to follow the instructions in the following diagram when attaching or detaching the fall out prevention rubber. Turning it in the opposite direction may loosen the microphone and cause it to fall off.



Silicon cover

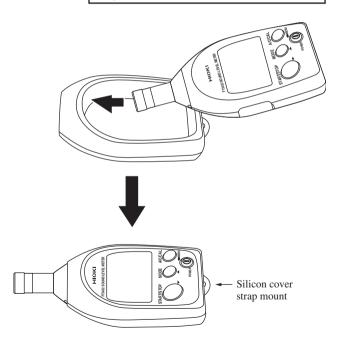
The silicon cover protects the unit from shocks and also makes it easier to grip when held.

Fit it to the unit with the windscreen removed, as shown in the following diagram.

Note

You cannot use external connector when the silicon cover is fitted.

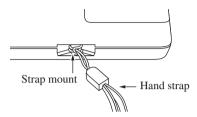
You can attach the hand strap to the silicon cover strap mount.



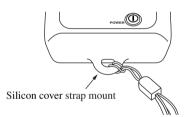
Hand strap

To help prevent dropping of the unit, pass your wrist through this strap when holding the unit for measuring.

Attach the hand strap as shown below.



When you have not fitted the silicon cover



When you have fitted the silicon cover

Note

Attach the hand strap to the silicon cover if you have fitted the unit with the silicon cover.

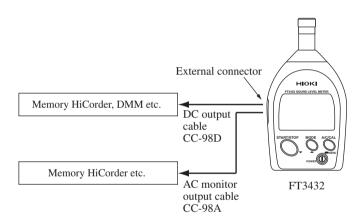
Connecting external equipment

You can connect external equipment, such as a HIOKI Memory HiCorder to the external connector.

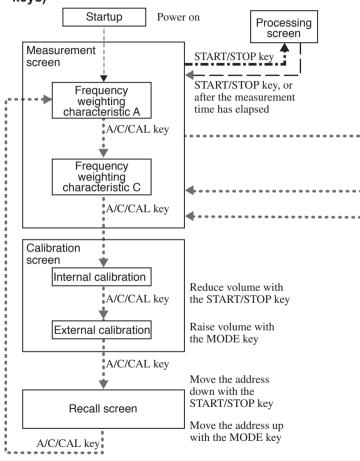
Connect as shown in the following diagram.

Note

The connector has the ability to act as a DC out connector and an AC monitor output connector, but it can perform only one of these functions at a time.

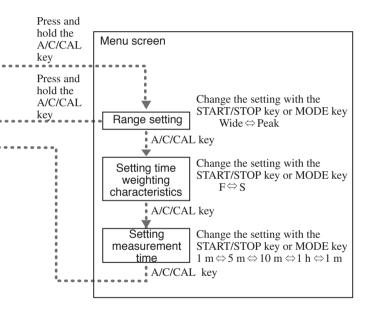


State transition diagram (functions and operation keys)

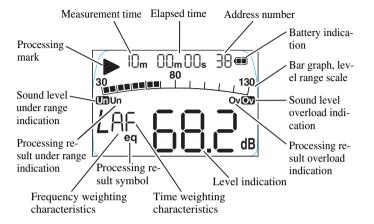


Pressing the MODE key in the measurement screen or processing screen changes the display in the following order.

 $L_p \Rightarrow L_{\text{eq}} \Rightarrow L_{\text{max}} \Rightarrow L_{\text{E}} (\Rightarrow L_{\text{Cpeak}}) \Rightarrow L_p$ L_{Cpeak} only appears when peak range is selected.



Measurement screen and processing screen



Measurement time

The measurement time set in the menu screen (see state transition diagram, page 11).

Elapsed time

The amount of time elapsed since processing started.

Address number

The address where the processing result (the next process result in the measurement screen) is stored.

Battery indication

Indicates battery charge. (see page 5)

Bar graph, level range scale

Shows the sound level in a bar graph.

Sound level overload indication

Shows that the sound level has exceeded the measurement range.

Processing result overload indication

Appears during processing when the sound level exceeds the measurement range, and remains until the next process starts (when a processing result is shown).

Level indication

Shows the sound level (L_p) and each processing result $(L_{\rm eq}, L_{\rm max}, L_{\rm E}, {\rm and}\, L_{\rm Cpeak})$ as digits. Switch the display with the MODE key. $L_{\rm Cpeak}$ is processed and shown only when peak range (see page 16) is selected.

Time weighting characteristics

Shows the time weighting characteristics selected in the menu screen.

Processing result symbol

Shows the relevant symbol for the displayed processing result $(L_{\rm eq}, L_{\rm max}, L_{\rm E}, {\rm or}\ L_{\rm Cpeak})$.

Frequency weighting characteristics

Change with the A/C/CAL key. See the state transition diagram (page 10).

Processing result under range indication

If the sound level falls below the measurable limit (-0.6 dB) during processing, this appears until the next process starts (when a processing result is shown).

Sound level under range indication

Appears when the sound level falls below the measurable limit (-0.6 dB).

Processing mark

Flashes during processing.

Power on and off

Press the POWER key for 0.5 seconds or more to turn the power on or off.

Measurement

Selecting frequency weighting characteristics

In the measurement screen, press the A/C/CAL key to select either frequency weighting characteristic A or C. (See the state transition diagram on page 10)

Processing (measurement)

Press the START/STOP key to start the processing.

The processing mark flashes during processing. Additionally, pressing the MODE key switches the display to show processing results (L_p , $L_{\rm eq}$, $L_{\rm max}$, $L_{\rm E}$, or $L_{\rm Cpeak}$) made up to that point. Processing stops when the measurement time elapses or you

press the START/STOP key.

Storing processing data

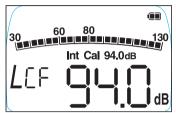
When processing stops, the $L_{\rm eq}$, $L_{\rm max}$, $L_{\rm E}$, or $L_{\rm Cpeak}$ processing results are automatically stored, and the address number increases by one.

Calibration

Internal calibration (calibration with an electronic signal)

Calibration with the built-in oscillator (1 kHz, sinusoidal wave). In the measurement screen, press the A/C/CAL key to switch to the internal calibration screen.

(See the state transition diagram on page 10)



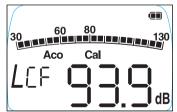
Internal calibration screen "Int", "Cal", and "94.0dB" appear on the display.

The frequency weighting characteristic is fixed to C and the time weighting characteristic is fixed to F.

Press the START/STOP key (Down) or MODE key (Up) to adjust the volume to 94.0 dB.

Sound calibration (calibration with a sound calibrator)

Use optional sound calibrator NC-75/C-74 or NC-72A. In the internal calibration screen, press the A/C/CAL key to switch to the sound calibration screen.



Sound calibration screen "Aco" and "Cal" appear on the display.

The frequency weighting characteristic is fixed to C and the time weighting characteristic is fixed to F.

Attach the microphone to NC-75/C-74 or NC-72A and turn NC-75/C-74 or NC-72A on. Wait at least 30 seconds, then press the START/STOP key (Down) or MODE key (Up) to adjust the volume to the following values.

NC-75/C-74: 93.9 dB, NC-72A:114.0 dB.

Menu settings

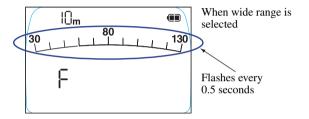
In the measurement screen, press and hold the A/C/CAL key to switch to the menu screen (not available during processing).

Range setting

Press the START/STOP key or the MODE key to select the following range settings.

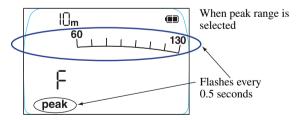
Wide: Measurement range: 30 to 137 dB, L_{Cpeak} cannot

be processed



Peak: Measurement range: 65 to 137 dB, L_{Cpeak} can be processed

Even if the frequency weighting characteristic is A, L_{Cpeak} is processed as C.



Press the A/C/CAL key to switch to the time weighting characteristic settings.

Press and hold the A/C/CAL key to return to the measurement screen.

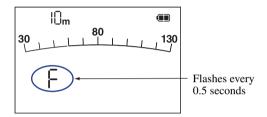
Setting time weighting characteristics

Press the START/STOP key or the MODE key to select the following settings.

F (fast), S (slow)

Press the A/C/CAL key to switch to the measurement time settings.

Press and hold the A/C/CAL key to return to the measurement screen.

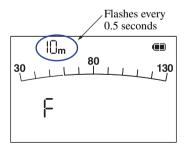


Setting measurement time

Press the START/STOP key or the MODE key to select the following settings.

1 m (1 minute), 5 m (5 minutes), 10 m (10 minutes), 1 h (1 hour)

Press the A/C/CAL key to return to the measurement screen.



Sleep mode

With the measurement screen being shown and no key is pressed for 10 minutes, the unit enters sleep mode and the sleep mode screen appears. Power consumption is 30% of normal in sleep mode.



Situations where the unit will not enter sleep mode

The unit will not enter sleep mode in the following situations, even if no key is pressed for 10 minutes.

If the processing screen, calibration screen, recall screen, or menu screen is displayed.

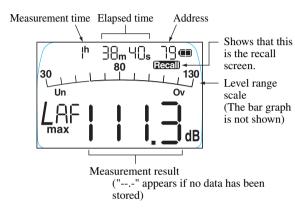
If a cable is connected to the external connector.

Waking the unit from sleep mode

Press any key in sleep mode to return to the measurement screen.

Recalling stored data

In the measurement screen (frequency weighting characteristic C), press the A/C/CAL key three times to show the recall screen (see the state transition diagram on page 10). The most recent processing result is shown.



Press the START/STOP key or the MODE key to change the displayed data as follows ($L_{\rm Cpeak}$ appears only when peak range is selected).

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Address n-l} & L_{\text{eq}} \Leftrightarrow L_{\text{max}} \Leftrightarrow L_{\text{E}} \Leftrightarrow (L_{\text{Cpeak}}) \Leftrightarrow \neg \\ \text{Address n} & L_{\text{eq}} \Leftrightarrow L_{\text{max}} \Leftrightarrow L_{\text{E}} \Leftrightarrow (L_{\text{Cpeak}}) \Leftrightarrow \neg \\ \text{Address n+l} & L_{\text{eq}} \Leftrightarrow L_{\text{max}} \Leftrightarrow L_{\text{E}} \Leftrightarrow (L_{\text{Cpeak}}) \Leftrightarrow \neg \\ \end{array}$$

Press and hold the START/STOP or the MODE key to move through the addresses faster.

To return to the measurement screen

Press the A/C/CAL key

Clearing stored data

Press the A/C/CAL key for 3 or more seconds while the recall screen is shown and a screen asking you to confirm clearing of the data appears.



ALL and CLr flash alternately on the screen every 0.5 seconds.

Data clear confirmation screen

Press the START/STOP key and all stored data is cleared, then the recall screen appears again.

Press the A/C/CAL key to cancel the operation and return to the recall screen.

Initializing

Power the unit on while pressing the START/STOP key and the settings in the unit are initialized.

Initial setting values

Measurement time 10 m (10 minutes) Time weighting characteristics F (Fast)

Level range Wide
Address 1

Error

When an error is displayed on the LCD screen, repair is necessary. Please contact your dealer or Hioki representative.

Specifications

Applicable legislation The Japan measurement law - Sound

level meter

JIS C 1509-1:2017 class 2 IEC 61672-1:2013 class 2

JIS C 1516:2014 CE Marking WEEE Directive

Chinese RoHS (units shipped to China

only)

Measurement functions

Processing type Sound level L_p

Equivalent continuous sound level L_{eq}

Sound exposure level $L_{\rm E}$ Maximum Sound level $L_{\rm max}$

C weighting peak sound level L_{Cpeak} (measurement possible only when peak

range is selected)

Measurement times 1 minute, 5 minutes, 10 minutes, or 1

hour

Microphone 1/2-inch electret condenser microphone

Model: UC-52

Sensitivity: -33 dB±3 dB (re.1 V/Pa)

Measurement level range Wide range

A weighting: 30 dB to 137 dB C weighting: 36 dB to 137 dB

Peak range

A weighting: 65 dB to 137 dB C weighting: 65 dB to 137 dB

Total range 30 dB to 137 dB (A weighting, 1 kHz)

Level linearity deviation ±1.1 dB

±0.5 dB for variation within a range of

10 dB in either direction

Peak sound level measurement range

65 dB to 140 dB

Inherent noise level Wide range

> A weighting: 24 dB or less C weighting: 30 dB or less

Peak range

A weighting: 59 dB or less C weighting: 59 dB or less

Measurement frequency range

20 Hz to 8 kHz

Reference frequency Reference sound pressure level Frequency weighting characteristics

1 kHz 94 dB

A and C

Time weighting characteristics Level range

F (fast) and S (slow)

Wide range 30 to 130 dB Peak range* 60 to 130 dB

* Peak range is used when measuring

peak sound level. Digital processing

RMS detecting circuit Processing

Digital

Sampling interval: 30.3 µs

Calibration

 $(L_p, L_{eq}, L_{max}, L_{E}, L_{Cpeak})$ Internal Calibration:

Electronic calibration using an internal electronic signal (1 kHz, 94 dB)

Acoustic Calibration:

Using NC-75/C-74 (1 kHz, 93.9 dB) Using NC-72A (250 Hz, 114.0 dB)

Windscreen

Conforms to JIS C 1509-1 class 2 and JIS C 1516 class 2.

IEC 61672-1 class 2 even when the

windscreen is attached

Display Numeric readout TN positive display, reflective type 0.1 dB resolution

Bar graph

Scale range 100 dB, resolution 5 dB

(display update cycle 0.1 s)

Warning indications

Over (overload): appears at 137.4 dB (at

1 kHz)

Under (underload): appears at measurement lower limit, -0.6 dB

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Battery indication Storing processing results Battery charge is indicated in 3 stages Processing results stored in the internal memory when processing ends.

Storing capacity: 199 pieces of data Stored data can be viewed in the recall

screen.

DC out connector DC output: 3 V (full scale), 25 mV/dB

Output impedance: 50Ω

Load impedance: $10 \text{ k}\Omega$ or more

AC monitor output connector AC output:

1 Vrms $^{+600 \text{ mVrms}}_{-400 \text{ mVrms}}$ (at 110 dB)

(Upper limit: 1.8 Vrms)

Overload: +2 dB Output impedance: 600Ω

Load impedance: $10 \text{ k}\Omega$ or more Frequency weighting characteristics: Z weighting

Z weigh

Power requirements

2 size AAA (IEC R03, LR03) batteries Power consumption:

Approx. 80 mA (when operating at 3 V) (Approx. 30% in sleep mode)

Battery life (at normal temperature):

Wide range

Approx. 9 hours (using alkaline batteries)

Approx. 3 hours (using manga-

nese batteries)

Peak range

Approx. 7 hours (using alkaline batteries)

Approx. 2 hours (using manganese batteries)

Battery life will be reduced by 20% when a DC output cable is connected.

Power consumption increases by approximately 20% during calibration.

Environmental conditions for operation

-10°C to 50°C (14°F to 122°F)

10% to 90% RH (No condensation)

Environmental conditions for storage

-10°C to 50°C (14°F to 122°F)

10% to 90% RH (No condensation)

Dimensions Approx. 120 mm(H)×63 mm(W)

×23.5 mm(D)

(4.72"(H)×2.48"(W)×0.93"(D))

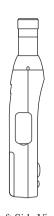
Weight Approx. 105 g (3.7oz.) (including batteries)

Supplied accessories

Windscreen	WS-14	1
Hand strap	VM-63-017	1
Windscreen fall ou	t prevention rubber	
	NL-27-014	1
Silicon cover	NL-27-089	1
Carrying Case	9757	1
Size AAA(IEC LR	03) alkaline batteries	2
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Optional equipments

AC monitor output cable	CC-98A
DC output cable	CC-98D
Tripod	ST-80
Extention Rod	ST-80-100



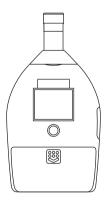




Left Side View

Front View

Right Side View



Rear View

Dimensional Drawings

Unit: mm

Description for IEC 61672-1

Standard paragraph	Description	See also	Remark	
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5.1.7	Mounting of microphone	9.2.1 b)	→ Attachments	
5.1.8	Identification of computer software		N/A	
5.1.10	Description of frequency weightings that are provided	9.2.2 c)	A, C	
5.1.12	Description of level ranges (@ A-weighted SPL @ 1 kHz) Instruction manual of the level range controls and function. Recommendation for selecting the optimum level range.		30 dB to 137 dB → Menu settings → Menu settings	

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5.1.13	Reference SPL	9.2.5 a),	94.0 dB
l	reference level range,		Wide range
l	Reference orientation, reference	c)	Fig. 1 Reference
l	position of microphone.		incidence direction
l			and reference point
			position
5.1.14	Operating of the hold facility and		→ Measurement:
l	the means for clearing a display		Maximum time-
l	that is held.		weighted sound
l			level L_{max} , C
l			weighted peak
			sound level
5.1.15	Dummy microphone: Design	9.3 g)	Capacitance of
l	goal and tolerance		dummy microphone:
l			19 pF
			Tolerance: ±3 pF
5.1.16	Highest SPL and Peak-Peak	9.3 i)	150 dB
l	input voltage without causing		28 Vp-p
	damage.		
5.1.17	Characteristics of each indepen-		N/A
	dent channel to be described		
5.1.18	Initial time interval after switch-	9.2.5 e)	Less than 30 sec-
l	ing on power		onds.
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5.2.1	Model of sound calibrator(s)	9.2.4 a)	NC-75/NC-74
			NC-72A
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	justment with sound calibrator		Acoustic cali-
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I			Sound Cali-
l			brator 93.9 dB
I			(NC-75/NC-74),
I			114.0 dB (NC-
			72A)
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5.2.4	Data for correction - with and		Fig. 2 Frequency	
5.2.5	without windscreen - for :	9.2.5 b)	response of the	
	- Deviation of average frequency		microphone UC-52	
	response to uniform frequency		(including the case	
	response.		reflection)	
	- Case reflection and microphone diffraction		Fig. 4 Influence of	
	difficultion		WS-14 on acoustic	
	Including values for expanded uncertainties.		performance of FT3432	
	In 1/3 octave frequencies for 63		113432	
	Hz to 1 kHz and 1/12 octave fre-			
	quencies for 1 kHz to 16 kHz			
5.2.7	Adjustment data for sound cali-		Tab. 2 Adjustment	
	brator or electrostatic actuator		data for sound cali-	
	(for A-weighted sound levels)		brator	
5.4	Frequency weightings			
5.4.12	Frequency response & toler-	9.2.2 c)	N/A	
	ances of optional frequency			
	responses			
5.5	Level linearity			
5.5.9	A, C and Z weighted levels for	9.3 e)	Tab. 3 The lower	
	the lower and upper limit of the		and upper limits of	
	linear operating range.		the linear operating	
			range	
5.5.10	Starting point for the level lin-	9.3 f)	Tab. 3 The lower	
	earity error		and upper limits of	
			the linear operating	
			range	
5.5.11	How to test level linearity if dis-	9.3 k)	N/A	
	play range < linearity range			
5.6	Self generated noise			
5.6.1	C-16 ' '-'	9.2.5.0	Maximum value	
5.0.1	Self-noise at the more sensitive	/		
5.0.1	ranges (including microphone)	/	A: <24 dB C: <30 dB	

5.6.3	Self-noise at the more sensitive ranges with dummy microphone	9.3 h)	Dummy microphone (19 pF) Maximum value Equal to 5.6.1 Typical value A: 19 dB C: 24 dB	
5.7	Time weighting F and S			
5.7.1	Description of time weightings that are provided	9.2.2 d)	F, S	
5.10 - 5.11	Overload and Under-range	indicati	on	
5.10.1	Operation & interpretation of overload indicators	9.2.5 k)	→ Measurement screen and pro- cessing screen	
5.11.1	Operation & interpretation of under-range indicators		→ Measurement screen and pro- cessing screen	
5.12	Peak C sound level			
5.12.1	Nominal range of LCpeak at for each level range	9.2.2 i)	→ Specifications	
5.14	Thresholds			
5.14	Operation of user-selectable thresholds	9.2.5 1)	N/A	
5.15	Display			
5.15.2	Description of the indication of displayed quantities	9.2.2 g)	→ Measurement screen and pro- cessing screen	
5.15.3	Description of the display	9.2.2 g)	→ Measurement screen and pro- cessing screen	
5.15.4	Description of the displayed quantities	9.2.2 a)	N/A	
5.15.5	Statement of the display update rate	9.2.2 g)	1 second	
5.15.6	Time interval for completion of the integration	9.2.5 f)	N/A	
5.15.7	Description of method for trans- ferring data to PC	9.2.5 m)	N/A	

5.16	Analogue and digital outputs			
5.16.1	Electric output connector (AC output) Electric output connector (DC output)		Frequency weighting: Z $1 \text{ Vrms} ^{+600 \text{ mVrms}}_{-400 \text{ mVrms}}$ (at 110 dB) Output range: 1.8 Vrms or less Output impedance: 600Ω Load impedance: $>10 \text{ k}\Omega$ Frequency weighting: A, C Output voltage: 3.0 V (at 130 dB), 25 mV/dB Output range: 0.5 to 3.2 V Output impedance: 50Ω Load impedance: $>10 \text{ k}\Omega$	
5.17	Timing facilities			
5.17.1	Procedure to preset the integration time & time of the day	9.2.5 g)	N/A	
5.17.2	Statement of the minimum & maximum integration time	9.2.5 h)	N/A	
5.18	RF emissions and power s	upply dis	sturbance	
5.18.1	Length & type of interface cable and characteristics of connected devices	9.2.5 n)	AC monitor output cable CC-98A (2 m) DC output cable CC-98D (2 m) All cables shielded	
5.18.2	Operating mode or highest radio frequency emissions	9.3 n)	Operation mode: normal operation Connection pattern: Option cable	

5.20	Power supply		
5.20.2	Maximum and minimum power supply voltage	9.3 ј	Maximum: 3.6 V Minimum: 1.8 V
5.20.3	Battery types & battery life	9.2.3 a)	Batteries
5.20.4	Operation from an external power supply	9.2.3 c)	N/A
5.20.5	Public power supply voltage	9.2.3 d)	N/A
6	Environmental, electrosta criteria	atic and	radio frequency
6.1.2	Time interval for needed to stabilize after environmental changes		Temperature change: < 1 hour Humidity change: < 1 hour Static pressure change: < 5 minutes
6.2.2 (Note)	Measurement when static pressure is < 85 kPa		Calibration and measurement per- formed in this en- vironment using Sound Calibrator NC-75/NC-74 or NC-72A
6.5.2	Degradation of functions by electrostatic discharge	9.2.7 b)	Measurement value affected temporar- ily by electrostatic discharge
6.6.1	Operating mode with least immunity to AC power frequency fields and RF fields		Fig. 5 Operation mode: normal operation Connection pattern: Option cable
6.6.4 (Note)	Field strength for conforming (in case > 10 V/m)	9.3 m)	N/A
7	Provisions for use with au	xiliary d	evices
7.1	Correction for use of microphone cable	9.2.6 b)	N/A

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7.2	Effect of optional accessories (windscreen)		Fig. 4 Influence of WS-14 on acoustic performance of FT3432
7.3	Statement of conformance with optional accessories (wind-screen)		Compliant with IEC 61672-1 (JIS C 1509- 1), with Windscreen WS-14 mounted
7.4	Operation of 1/1 - 1/3 octave band filters	9.2.6 c)	N/A
7.5	Details about connection & effects of auxiliary devices	9.2.6 d)	→ Attachments
9	Instruction manual		
9.2.1	General		
9.2.1 a)	Description of type, classification (X, Y, Z) and class		Group X, class 2
9.2.1 b)	Overall configuration, Normal operation configuration (including windscreen)	5.1.4 5.1.7	Refer to 5.1.4 Refer to 5.1.7
9.2.1 c)	Models of microphones	5.1.6	Refer to 5.1.6
9.2.1 d)	Required microphone cable to conform		N/A
9.2.1 e)	Characteristics & operation each channel		N/A
9.2.2	Design features		
9.2.2 a)	Description of quantities which can be measured	5.15.4	time-weighted sound level, equiv- alent continuous sound level, maxi- mum value of time- weighted sound lev- el, sound exposure level, peak sound level
9.2.2 b)	Relative free-field response as function of incidence angle and frequency (detailed tabular de- scription)		Directional Characteristics with Horizontal Direction (Fig. 6), Vertical Direction (Fig. 7)

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9.2.2 c)	Description of the frequency		Refer to 5.1.10
	weightings	5.4.12	Refer to 5.4.12
9.2.2 d)	Description of the time weightings	5.7.1	Refer to 5.7.1
9.2.2 e)	Identification of the level ranges (A-weighted @ 1 kHz)	5.1.12	Refer to 5.1.12
9.2.2 f)	Operation of the level range control	5.1.12	Refer to 5.1.12
9.2.2 g)	Description of the display and update rates	5.15.2-3- 4-5	Refer to 5.15.2-3-4-5
9.2.2 h)	Total range of A- weighted SPL (@ 1 kHz)	5.1.12	Refer to 5.1.12
9.2.2 i)	Nominal range of L_{Cpeak} at for each level range		Refer to 5.12.1
9.2.2 j)	Computer software to operate the SLM	5.1.8	Refer to 5.1.8
9.2.2 k)	Design goals and tolerances for quantities which are not in the standard (T-weight 10 ms, L_{Aleq})		N/A
9.2.3	Power supply		
9.2.3 a)	Battery types & battery life	5.20.3	Refer to 5.20.3
9.2.3 b)	Description of the function of battery check		→ Batteries: Display
9.2.3 c)	Operation from an external power supply	5.20.4	Refer to 5.20.4
9.2.3 d)	Public power supply voltage	5.20.5	Refer to 5.20.5
9.2.4	Adjustment to indicated le	vels	
9.2.4 a)	Model of sound calibrator(s)	5.2.1	Refer to 5.2.1
9.2.4 b)	Calibration check frequency		1 kHz (NC-75/ NC-74) 250 Hz (NC-72A)
9.2.4 c)	Procedure for calibration & adjustment with sound calibrator	5.2.3	Refer to 5.2.3

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9.2.4 d)	Data for correction - with and		Refer to 5.2.4 -
	without windscreen - for :	5.2.5	5.2.5
	- Deviation of average frequency		
	response to uniform frequency		
	response.		
	- Case reflection and microphone		
	diffraction		
	Including values for expanded		
	uncertainties.		
l	In 1/3 octave frequencies for 63 Hz to 1 kHz and 1/12 octave fre-		
	quencies for 1 kHz to 16 kHz		
9.2.5	Operating the sound level		
9.2.5 a)	Reference direction	5.1.13	Refer to 5.1.13
9.2.5 b)	Procedure to measure sound,	5.1.6	Refer to 5.1.6
	Influence of the instrument case		Refer to 5.2.4
	and operator.	5.2.5	Refer to 5.2.5
9.2.5 c)	Recommendation for selecting	5.1.12	Refer to 5.1.12
	optimum level range		
9.2.5 e)	Initial time interval after switch-	5.1.18	Refer to 5.1.18
	ing on power		
9.2.5 f)	Time interval for completion of	5.15.6	Refer to 5.15.6
	the integration		
9.2.5 g)	Procedure to preset the integra-	5.17.1	Refer to 5.17.1
	tion time & time of the day		
9.2.5 h)	Statement of the minimum &	5.17.2	Refer to 5.17.2
<u> </u>	maximum integration time		
9.2.5 i)	Operation of the "Hold" func-		→ Measurement:
	tion		Measurement of
			maximum time-
			weighted sound
			level

9.2.5 j)	Operation of the reset function or $L_{\rm eq}, L_{\rm E}, L_{\rm peak}$ and overload		Measurement results (measurement val- ues, overload indi- cation, under-range indication) are reset when a new mea- surement is started. Time required for measurement initial- ization: < 1 second
9.2.5.k)	Operation & interpretation of overload indicators	5.10.1	Refer to 5.10.1
9.2.5 1)	Operation of user-selectable thresholds	5.14	Refer to 5.14
9.2.5 m)	Description of method for transferring data to PC	5.15.7	Refer to 5.15.7
9.2.5 n)	Length & type of interface cable and characteristics of connected devices	5.18.1	Refer to 5.18.1
9.2.5 o)	Self-noise at the more sensitive ranges (including microphone). Averaging time ≥ 30 s.	5.6.1	Refer to 5.6.1
9.2.5 p)	Characteristics of AC and DC output	5.16.1	Refer to 5.16.1
9.2.6	Accessories		
9.2.6 a)	Effect of windscreen (directional response and frequency weighting)	7.2	Refer to 7.2
9.2.6 b)	Corrections for microphone cable	7.1	Refer to 7.1
9.2.6 c)	Use of bandpass filters	7.4	Refer to 7.4
9.2.6 d)	Connection of auxiliary devices	7.5	Refer to 7.5
9.2.7	Influence of environmenta	l conditi	ons
9.2.7 a)	Components intended for operation in controlled environment		None
9.2.7 b)	Degradation of functions by electrostatic discharge	6.5.2	Refer to 6.5.2
9.2.7 c)	Statement for conformance to AC power frequency fields and RF fields		Statement of conforming to the basic statement (Tab. 1)

9.3	Information for testing		1
9.3 a)	Reference sound pressure level	5.1.13	Refer to 5.1.13
9.3 b)	Reference level range	5.1.13	Refer to 5.1.13
9.3 c)	Microphone reference point	5.1.13	Refer to 5.1.13
9.3 d)	For A-weighted sound levels: Adjustment data for multi-fre- quency sound calibrator and/or electrostatic actuator		Refer to 5.2.7
9.3 e)	Nominal A-weighted sound levels at the upper and lower limits of the linear operating range on each level range For frequencies 31.5 Hz, 1, 4, 8 and 12.5 kHz		Refer to 5.5.9
9.3 f)	Starting point for the level linearity error - For frequencies 31.5 Hz, 1, 4, 8 and 12.5 kHz - At the reference level range		Refer to 5.5.10
9.3 g)	Dummy microphone: Design goal and tolerance	5.1.15	Refer to 5.1.15
9.3 h)	Self-noise at the more sensitive ranges with microphone and with dummy microphone		Refer to 5.6.1 / 5.6.3
9.3 i)	Highest SPL and Peak-Peak input voltage to accommodate	5.1.16	Refer to 5.1.16
9.3 j)	Maximum and minimum power supply voltage	5.20.2	Refer to 5.20.2
9.3 k)	How to test level linearity if dis- play range < linearity range	5.5.11	Refer to 5.5.11
9.3 1)	Time interval for needed to stabilize after environmental changes	6.1.2	Refer to 6.1.2
9.3 m)	Field strength for conforming (in case > 10 V/m)	6.6.4	Refer to 6.6.4
9.3 n)	Operating mode or highest radio frequency emissions	5.18.2	Refer to 5.18.2
9.3 o)	Operating mode with least immunity to AC power frequency fields and RF fields		Refer to 6.6.1

IEC61672-1 (JIS C 1509-1) Frequency Response

"Nominal frequency	"Exact frequency	"UC-52 Frequency	"FT3432 Frequency	"FT3432 Electrical	"Total Response	"Wind screen	"Total Response	"Total expanded
(Hz)"	(Hz)"	Response (dB)"	Response (dB) case reflec- tion"	Response (dB)"	(dB)"	effect (dB)"	(WS-14 combined) (dB)"	uncertainty"
63	63.10	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	0.3
80	79.43	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	0.3
100	100.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	0.3
125	125.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3
160	158.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3
200	199.5	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.3
250	251.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2
315	316.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2
400	398.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2
500	501.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
630	631.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
800	794.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
1000	1000.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.2
1060	1059.3	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.2
1120	1122.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	-0.1	0.2	0.3
1180	1188.5	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.3
1250	1258.9	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	-0.1	0.3	0.3
1320	1333.5	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.3
1400	1412.5	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.3
1500	1496.2	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.4	0.3
1600	1584.9	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.3
1700	1678.8	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.3	-0.1	0.2	0.3
1800	1778.3	0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.3
1900	1883.6	0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.3
2000	1995.3	0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3
2120	2113.5	0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3
2240	2238.7	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3
2360	2371.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.3
2500	2511.9	0.3	-0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3
2650	2660.7	0.3	-0.3	-0.1	-0.1	0.2	0.1	0.3
2800	2818.4	0.3	-0.6	-0.1	-0.4	0.2	-0.2	0.3
3000	2985.4	0.4	-0.8	-0.1	-0.5	0.2	-0.3	0.3
3150	3162.3	0.4	-0.8	-0.1	-0.5	0.2	-0.3	0.3
3350	3349.7	0.4	-0.6	-0.1	-0.3	0.3	0.0	0.4
3550	3548.1	0.4	-0.4	-0.1	-0.1	0.4	0.3	0.4

"Nominal frequency (Hz)"	"Exact frequency (Hz)"	"UC-52 Frequency Response (dB)"	"FT3432 Frequency Response (dB) case reflec- tion"	"FT3432 Electrical Response (dB)"	"Total Response (dB)"	"Wind screen effect (dB)"	"Total Response (WS-14 combined) (dB)"	"Total expanded uncertainty"
3750	3758.4	0.4	-0.4	-0.1	-0.1	0.3	0.2	0.4
4000	3981.1	0.4	-0.5	-0.1	-0.2	0.4	0.2	0.4
4250	4217.0	0.4	-0.6	-0.1	-0.3	0.4	0.1	0.4
4500	4466.8	0.4	-0.3	0.0	0.1	0.5	0.6	0.4
4750	4731.5	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.4
5000	5011.9	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.8	0.4	1.2	0.4
5300	5308.8	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.4
5600	5623.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.4
6000	5956.6	0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.4
6300	6309.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.4
6700	6683.4	-0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.4
7100	7079.5	-0.2	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.4
7500	7498.9	-0.4	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.4
8000	7943.3	-0.5	0.1	0.1	-0.3	0.2	-0.1	0.4

Reference incidence direction and reference point position

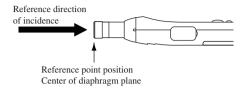


Fig. 1 Reference incidence direction and reference point position

Frequency Response

The frequency response of a sound field microphone is expressed as the frequency response in the reference direction of incidence (0°).

The diagram below shows an example for the frequency response of the microphone UC-52.

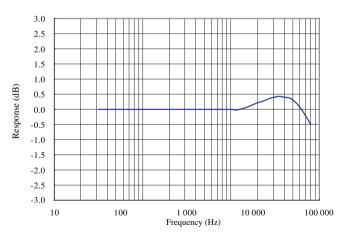
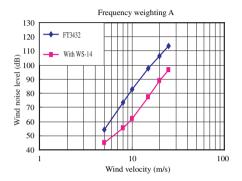


Fig. 2 Frequency response of the microphone UC-52

Effect of Windscreen WS-14

The windscreen WS-14 reduces measurement errors due to wind noise.

The WS-14 characteristics are shown below.



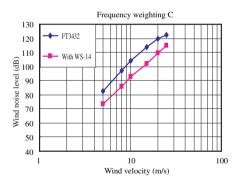


Fig. 3 Wind noise reduction effect

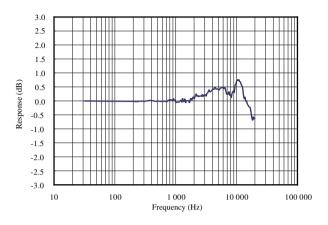


Fig. 4 Influence of WS-14 on acoustic performance of FT3432 (Referenced to FT3432 characteristics)

The greatest susceptibility configuration for radio frequency fields

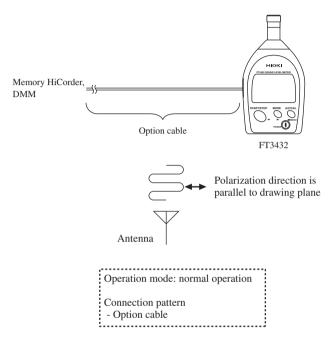


Fig. 5 The greatest susceptibility configuration for radio frequency fields

Statement of conforming to the basic statement

Tab. 1 Statement of conforming to the basic statement

	The specification of IEC 61672-1 class 2 is satisfied
Immunity to RF fields	The specification of IEC 61672-1 class 2 is satisfied
Emissions	The specification of IEC 61672-1 class 2 is satisfied

Adjustment data for sound calibrator

Tab. 2 Adjustment data for sound calibrator

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Frequency (Hz)	Correction (dB)
31.5	0.0
63	0.0
125	0.0
250	0.0
500	0.0
1000	0.1
2000	0.3
4000	1.3
8000	3.2
12500	6.5
16000	6.7

The lower and upper limits of the linear operating range

Tab. 3 The lower and upper limits of the linear operating range

A-weighting

	Sound level (dB)					
Frequency (Hz)	31.5	1 k	4 k	8 k		
Upper	97.0	137.0	136.0	133.0		
Start	54.0	94.0	94.0	94.0		
Lower	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0		

C-weighting

	Sound level (dB)				
Frequency (Hz)	31.5	1 k	4 k	8 k	
Upper	134.0	137.0	136.0	133.0	
Start	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	
Lower	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	

Directional Characteristics

The directional characteristics of FT3432 is a measure of its differing sensitivity for sound waves arriving from various angles. Since the electret condenser microphone used in the FT3432 is a pressure-sensitive type, it should be equally sensitive in all directions. However, refraction and cavity effects cause a certain microphone directional response at high frequencies.

Fig. 6 Directional Characteristics with Horizontal Direction

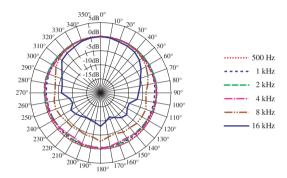
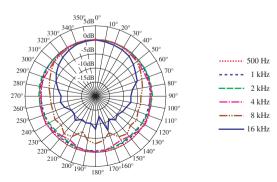


Fig. 7 Directional Characteristics with Vertical Direction



Tab. 4 Tab. 5
Directional Characteristics with Horizontal Direction rection rection

Direction re								11					
An-		F	icy [H			An-	Frequency [Hz]						
gle	501	1000	1995	3981	7499	15849	gle	501	1000	1995	3981	7499	15849
0°	0	0	0	0	0	0	0°	0	0	0	0	0	0
10°	-0.07	-0.01	-0.08	-0.03	-0.05	-0.23	10°	-0.02	0.00	-0.05	0.06	0.10	-0.40
20°	-0.07	-0.06	-0.07	-0.06	-0.15	-0.78	20°	-0.01	-0.03	-0.04	0.01	0.06	-0.74
30°	-0.02	-0.07	-0.04	-0.13	-0.19	-0.87	30°	-0.02	-0.09	-0.08	-0.06	-0.21	-1.03
40°	-0.04	-0.17	-0.04	-0.32	-0.46	-1.15	40°	-0.04	-0.11	-0.05	-0.27	-0.66	-1.46
50°	-0.10	-0.28	-0.08	-0.57	-0.81	-1.98	50°	-0.08	-0.12	-0.07	-0.59	-0.86	-2.44
60°	-0.09	-0.33	-0.01		-1.38	-3.46	60°	-0.13	-0.22	0.00	-0.89	-1.63	-3.57
70°	-0.18				-2.14	-4.94	70°	-0.12	-0.31	0.12	-0.76	-2.52	-4.25
80°	-0.19	-0.58	0.06	-0.26	-2.98	-5.75	80°	-0.18	-0.47	0.06	-0.16	-3.09	-6.70
90°	-0.22	-0.81	-0.01	-0.12	-3.94	-6.52	90°	-0.14	-0.57	0.27	-0.57	-3.85	-7.44
100°	-0.17	-0.80	-0.10	-0.32	-3.65	-6.83	100°	-0.25	-0.73	-0.33	-0.65	-3.75	-7.25
110°	-0.19	-0.87	-0.38	-0.61	-2.87	-9.21	110°	-0.21	-0.83	-0.57	0.11	-4.02	-8.42
120°	-0.21	-0.86	-0.82	-0.55	-3.07	-9.07	120°	-0.18	-0.86	-0.86	0.20	-3.07	-8.93
130°	-0.19	-0.84	-1.04	-0.51	-3.22	-7.88	130°	-0.18	-0.85	-1.28	-0.35	-3.81	-9.82
140°	-0.18	-0.75	-1.20	-1.09	-3.84	-8.54	140°	-0.16	-0.81	-1.28	-1.36	-2.55	-8.96
150°	-0.16	-0.70	-1.03	-1.49	-3.89	-9.86	150°	-0.13	-0.78	-1.06	-1.98	-3.38	-10.66
160°	-0.18	-0.64	-0.85	-1.37	-4.61	-10.87	160°	-0.13	-0.70	-0.79	-1.42	-6.17	-7.11
170°	-0.16	-0.57	-0.59	-0.75	-4.15	-9.62	170°	-0.14	-0.62	-0.52	-0.40	-3.96	-12.72
180°	-0.14	-0.56			-2.77	-8.17	180°	-0.11	-0.57	-0.34	-0.28	-3.15	-8.29
190°	-0.17	-0.57	-0.53	-0.70	-4.09	-9.28	190°	-0.12	-0.54	-0.55	-0.32	-4.02	-10.20
200°	-0.19		-0.61	-0.71	-4.21	-9.72	200°	-0.12	-0.59			-6.61	-9.93
210°	-0.14	-0.66	-0.73	-1.56	-4.68	-9.87	210°	-0.16	-0.70	-1.11	-1.98	-3.50	-10.46
220°	-0.19	-0.77	-1.04	-1.42	-4.22	-9.25	220°	-0.18	-0.76	-1.31	-1.60	-2.62	-8.78
230°	-0.17	-0.80	-0.97	-0.90	-4.28	-8.43	230°	-0.20	-0.80	-1.33	-0.53	-4.17	-10.20
240°	-0.19	-0.87	-0.93	-0.56	-3.63	-7.85	240°	-0.18	-0.78	-0.95	0.13	-3.46	-10.12
250°	-0.18	-0.85	-0.64	-0.59	-3.14	-9.51	250°	-0.22	-0.81	-0.53	-0.07	-4.02	-8.36
260°	-0.16	-0.88	-0.25	-0.76	-3.27	-8.79	260°	-0.22	-0.77	-0.11	-0.45	-4.01	-7.42
270°	-0.19	-0.71	0.01	-0.26	-3.82	-6.08	270°	-0.22	-0.62	0.06	-0.77	-3.93	-7.81
280°	-0.14	-0.63	0.14	-0.09	-3.67	-6.17	280°	-0.16	-0.47	0.18	-0.52	-3.29	-6.59
290°	-0.11	-0.51	0.16	-0.40	-3.02	-5.49	290°	-0.10	-0.35	0.22	-0.65	-2.72	-5.15
300°	-0.11	-0.34	0.04	-0.67	-1.75	-4.15	300°	-0.16	-0.21	-0.08	-1.06	-1.87	-3.95
310°	-0.08	-0.20	-0.10	-0.58	-0.88	-2.09	310°	-0.14	-0.14	-0.17	-0.82	-0.95	-2.87
320°	-0.08	-0.11	-0.15	-0.37	-0.60	-1.57	320°	-0.03	-0.15	-0.05	-0.35	-0.84	-1.96
330°	-0.06	-0.08	-0.17	-0.24	-0.33	-1.29	330°	-0.04	-0.09	-0.12	-0.09	-0.45	-1.15
340°	-0.03	-0.03	-0.08	-0.06	0.00	-0.54	340°	-0.01	-0.04	-0.07	0.03	-0.01	-0.49
350°	-0.03	0.00	-0.10	-0.07	-0.03	-0.20	350°	-0.02	0.00	-0.10	0.06	0.10	-0.22

Random incidence response

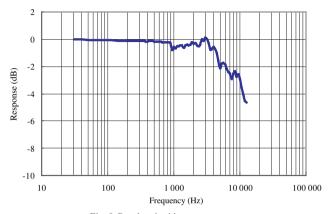


Fig. 8 Random incidence response

Warranty Certificate



Model	Serial number	Warranty period Three (3) years from date of purchase (/)
Customer name: Customer address:	,	

Important

- Please retain this warranty certificate. Duplicates cannot be reissued.
 - Complete the certificate with the model number, serial number, and date of purchase, along with your name and address. The personal information you provide on this form will only be used to provide repair service and information about Hioki products and services.

This document certifies that the product has been inspected and verified to conform to Hioki's standards. Please contact the place of purchase in the event of a malfunction and provide this document, in which case Hioki will repair or replace the product subject to the warranty terms described below.

Warranty terms

- 1. The product is guaranteed to operate property during the warranty period (three [3] years from the date of purchase). If the date of purchase is unknown, the warranty period is defined as three (3) years from the date (month and year) of manufacture (as indicated by the first four digits of the serial number in YYMM format).
- 2. If the product came with an AC adapter, the adapter is warrantied for one (1) year from the date of purchase.
- The accuracy of measured values and other data generated by the product is guaranteed as described in the product specifications.
- 4. In the event that the product or AC adapter malfunctions during its respective warranty period due to a defect of workmanship or materials. Highly will repair or replace the product or AC adapter free of charge.
- The following malfunctions and issues are not covered by the warranty and as such are not subject to free repair or replacement:
 - -1. Malfunctions or damage of consumables, parts with a defined service life, etc.
 - -2. Malfunctions or damage of connectors, cables, etc.
 - -3. Malfunctions or damage caused by shipment, dropping, relocation, etc., after purchase of the product
 - -4. Malfunctions or damage caused by inappropriate handling that violates information found in the instruction manual or on precautionary labeling on the product itself
 - -5. Malfunctions or damage caused by a failure to perform maintenance or inspections as required by law or recommended in the instruction manual
 - -6. Malfunctions or damage caused by fire, storms or flooding, earthquakes, lightning, power anomalies
 - (involving voltage, frequency, etc.), war or unrest, contamination with radiation, or other acts of God

 -7. Damage that is limited to the product's appearance (cosmetic blemishes, deformation of enclosure shape,
 - -/. Damage that is limited to the product's appearance (cosmetic blemishes, deformation of enclosure shape fading of color, etc.)
 - -8. Other malfunctions or damage for which Hioki is not responsible
- 6. The warranty will be considered invalidated in the following circumstances, in which case Hioki will be unable to perform service such as repair or calibration:
 - -1. If the product has been repaired or modified by a company, entity, or individual other than Hioki
 - -2. If the product has been embedded in another piece of equipment for use in a special application (aerospace, nuclear power, medical use, vehicle control, etc.) without Hioki's having received prior notice
- 7. If you experience a loss caused by use of the product and Hioki determines that it is responsible for the underlying issue, Hioki will provide compensation in an amount not to exceed the purchase price, with the following exceptions:
 - -1. Secondary damage arising from damage to a measured device or component that was caused by use of the product
 - -2. Damage arising from measurement results provided by the product
 - -2. Damage ansing from measurement results provided by the product
 - -3. Damage to a device other than the product that was sustained when connecting the device to the product (including via network connections)
- 8. Hioki reserves the right to decline to perform repair, calibration, or other service for products for which a certain amount of time has passed since their manufacture, products whose parts have been discontinued, and products that cannot be repaired due to unforeseen circumstances.