

DIGITAL MULTIMETERS

Bench, General Purpose and Wide Bandwidth

HP Model 3466A and HP Model 3400A



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HP 3466A

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Description

The HP 3466A is a 4½ digit Multimeter with autoranging volts and ohms. Functional capability includes ACV, DCV, (ac + dc) V, ACI, DCI, (ac + dc) I, Ω , and diode test. AC measurements are true rms with selectable ac or dc coupling. Available with rechargeable batteries or ac power only, it has 1 μ V dc and 1 m Ω sensitivity with zero adjustment on lowest ranges to compensate for external offsets.

Specifications

DC Voltmeter

Voltage Range	Maximum Display	Accuracy: (1 yr., 18 to 28°C) ±(% of reading + # of counts)
20 mV	± 19.999 mV	(.05+3)
200 mV	\pm 199.99 mV	(.04 + 2)
2 V	± 1.9999 V	(.03 + 1)
20 V	± 19.999 V	(.03 + 1)
200 V	± 199.99 V	(.035 + 1), < 700 V input
1200 V	± 1199.9 V	(.055 + 1), >700 V input

AC Voltmeter

AC converter: true-rms responding, true-rms calibrated

Maximum input: (ac + dc): ± 1200 V dc; ±1700 V (dc + peak ac), ac: ±600 V dc; 1700 V (peak ac + dc), 10⁷ V • Hz.

Crest factor: 4:1 at full scale.

Accuracy (with display of ≥10% of range): 1 yr., 18 to 28°C sinusoid waveform.

AC TRMS: (20 Hz to 100 kHz)

Frequency Range	±(% of reading + # of counts)
20 Hz to 30 Hz	(2 + 50)
30 Hz to 50 Hz	(1 + 30)
50 Hz to 10 kHz	(0.3 + 20)
10 kHz to 20 kHz	(1 + 40)
20 kHz to 100 kHz	(2+150)

DC + AC TRMS: dc + (20 Hz to 100 kHz).

Ohmmeter

Ohms Range	Maximum Display	Current Through Unknown	Accuracy: 1 yr., 18 to 28°C ±(% of reading +# of counts)
20 Ω	19.999Ω	5 mA	.08 + 2
200 Ω	199.99 Ω	5 mA	.08 + 2
$2 k\Omega$	1.9999 kΩ	1 mA	.03 + 1
20 kΩ	19.999 kΩ	100 μA	.03 + 1
200 kΩ	199.99 kΩ	$10 \mu A$.03 + 1
2000 kΩ	1999.9 kΩ	$1 \mu A$.04 + 1
20 ΜΩ	19.999 M Ω	100 nA	$.15 \pm 1$

Input protection: 250 V rms or 350 V (dc + peak ac).

DC Current and True RMS AC Current

	DC Current
Current	± (% reading +
Range	# of counts)
200 μA, 2mA, 20 MA	(.07 + 2)
200 mA	(0.15 + 2)
2000 mA	(0.5 + 2)

AC Current Accuracy:

Range	Frequency	±(% of reading + # of counts)
200 μA-200 mA	20 Hz-30 Hz	2 + 50
	30 Hz-10 kHz	0.9 + 35
2000 mA	20 Hz-30 Hz	2 + 50
	30 Hz-10 kHz	1.2 + 20

Ordering Information	Price
HP 3466A Digital Multimeter. Standard configuration in a streamlined portable case with handle, ac line power, batteries and charger, and test leads.	\$1200 🖀
HP 3466A Opt. 001, streamlined portable case, ac line power only.	less \$75
HP 3466A Opt. 002, rack and stack case, ac line power only. (Rack mount kit not included.)	less \$10

Description

The Hewlett-Packard Model 3400A is a true root-mean-square (rms) voltmeter, providing a meter indication proportional to the dc heating power of the input waveform.

Six-decade frequency coverage makes the HP 3400A extremely flexible for all audio and most RF measurements and permits the measurement of broadband noise and fast-rise pulses.

Pulses or other non-sinusoids with crest factors (ratio of peak to rms) up to 10:1 can be measured full scale. Crest factor is inversely proportional to meter deflection, permitting up to 100: 1 crest factor at 10% of full scale.

Permanent plots of measured data and higher resolution measurements can be obtained by connecting an X-Y plotter, strip chart recorder or digital voltmeter to the convenient rear-panel dc output. The dc output provides a linear 0 to 1 volt drive proportional to meter deflection.

Specifications

Voltage range: 1 mV to 300 V full scale, 12 ranges. dB range: -72 to +52 dBm (0 dBm = 1 mW into 600 Ω).

Frequency range: 10 Hz to 10 MHz.

Response: responds to rms value (heating value) of the input signal for all waveforms.

Meter accuracy: % of full scale (20°C to 30°C)*

10Hz	50Hz	1MHz	2MHz	3	3MHz	10MHz
	±5%	±1%	±2%	±3%	±5%	

AC-to-DC converter accuracy: % of full scale (20°C to 30°C)*

10Hz	50Hz	z 1MHz	2M	lHz	3MHz	10MHz
Γ	±5%	±0.75%	±2%	±3%	±5%	
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^{*} TC: ±0.1% from 0°C to 20°C and 30°C to 55 °C.

Crest factor: (ratio of peak to rms amplitude of input signal): 10 to 1 at full scale (except where limited by maximum input) inversely proportional to meter deflection (e.g., 20 to 1 at half-scale, 100 to 1 at tenth scale).

Input impedance: from 0.001 V to 0.3 V range: 10 M Ω shunted by <50 pF. From 1.0 V to 300 V range: 10 M Ω shunted by <20 pF. ac coupled input.

Output: negative 1 V dc into open circuit at full-scale deflection, proportional to meter deflection from 10–100% of full scale. 1 mA maximum; nominal source impedance is 1000Ω. Output noise <1 mV rms. Accessories furnished: 10110A Adapter, BNC to dual banana jack.

Ordering Information

HP 3400A Opt 001 spreads out the dB scale by making it the top scale of the meter.

Rear terminals in parallel with front panel terminals and linear log scale uppermost on the meter face are available on special order.

HP 3400A RMS Voltmeter

\$1750

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