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User's Manual

UTL8500+/UTL8500X+ Series DC Electronic Load

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Foreword

Dear Users,

Hello! Thank you for choosing this brand new UNI-T instrument. In order to use this instrument safely and correctly, please read this manual thoroughly, especially the Safety Requirements part.

After reading this manual, it is recommended to keep the manual at an easily accessible place, preferably close to the device, for future reference.

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1. Introduction






This manual includes safety requirements, installment and the operation of UTL8500+ and UTL8500X+ DC electronic load.

2. Safety Requirements

This section contains information and warnings that must be followed to keep the instrument operating under safety conditions. In addition, user should also follow the common safety procedures.

| Safety Precautions | |
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| Warning | Please follow the following guidelines to avoid possible electric shock and risk to personal safety. |
| | <p>Users must follow the following conventional safety precautions in operation, service and maintenance of this device. UNI-T will not be liable for any personal safety and property loss caused by the user's failure to follow the following safety precautions. This device is designed for professional users and responsible organizations for measurement purposes.</p> <p>Do not use this device in any way not specified by the manufacturer. This device is only for indoor use unless otherwise specified in the product manual.</p> |
| Safety Statement | |
| Warning | <p>"Warning" indicates the presence of a hazard. It reminds users to pay attention to a certain operation process, operation method or similar. Personal injury or death may occur if the rules in the "Warning" statement are not properly executed or observed. Do not proceed to the next step until you fully understand and meet the conditions stated in the "Warning" statement.</p> |
| Caution | <p>"Caution" indicates the presence of a hazard. It reminds users to pay attention to a certain operation process, operation method or similar. Product damage or loss of important data may occur if the rules in the "Caution" statement are not properly executed or observed.</p> <p>Do not proceed to the next step until you fully understand and meet the conditions stated in the "Caution" statement.</p> |
| Note | <p>"Note" indicates important information. It reminds users to pay attention to procedures, methods and conditions, etc. The contents of the "Note" should be highlighted if necessary.</p> |

| Safety Sign | | |
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|  | Danger | It indicates possible danger of electric shock, which may cause personal injury or death. |
|  | Warning | It indicates that you should be careful to avoid personal injury or product damage. |
|  | Caution | It indicates possible danger, which may cause damage to this device or other equipment if you fail to follow a certain procedure or condition. If the "Caution" sign is present, all conditions must be met before you proceed to operation. |
|  | Note | It indicates potential problems, which may cause failure of this device if you fail to follow a certain procedure or condition. If the "Note" sign is present, all conditions must be met before this device will function properly. |
|  | AC | Alternating current of device. Please check the region's voltage range. |
|  | DC | Direct current device. Please check the region's voltage range. |
|  | Grounding | Frame and chassis grounding terminal |
|  | Grounding | Protective grounding terminal |
|  | Grounding | Measurement grounding terminal |
|  | OFF | Main power off |
|  | ON | Main power on |
|  | Power Supply | Standby power supply: when the power switch is turned off, this device is not completely disconnected from the AC power supply. |
| CAT I | Secondary electrical circuit connected to wall sockets through transformers or similar equipment, such as electronic instruments and electronic equipment; electronic equipment with protective measures, and any high-voltage and low-voltage circuits, such as the copier in the office. | |
| CAT II | Primary electrical circuit of the electrical equipment connected to the indoor socket via the power cord, such as mobile tools, home appliances, etc. Household appliances, portable tools (e.g. electric drill), household sockets, sockets more than 10 meters away from CAT III circuit or sockets more than 20 meters away from CAT IV circuit. | |
| CAT III | Primary circuit of large equipment directly connected to the distribution board and circuit between the distribution board and the socket (three-phase distributor circuit includes a single commercial lighting circuit). Fixed equipment, such as multi-phase motor and multi-phase fuse box; lighting equipment and lines inside large buildings; machine tools and power distribution boards at industrial sites (workshops). | |

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| CAT IV | Three-phase public power unit and outdoor power supply line equipment. Equipment designed to "initial connection", such as power distribution system of power station, power instrument, front-end overload protection, and any outdoor transmission line. | |
|  | Certification | CE indicates a registered trade mark of EU. |
|  | Certification | UKCA indicates a registered trade mark of UK. |
|  | Certification | ETL indicates a registered trade mark of Intertek. It conform to UL STD 61010-1 and 61010-2-030, CSA STD C22.2 No.61010-1 and 61010-2-030. |
|  | Waste | This product complies with the marking requirements of WEEE Directive (2002/96/EC). This additional label indicates that this electrical / electronic product must not be discarded in household waste. |
|  | EFUP | This environment-friendly use period (EFUP) mark indicates that dangerous or toxic substances will not leak or cause damage within this indicated time period. The environment-friendly use period of this product is 40 years, during which it can be used safely. Upon expiration of this period, it should enter the recycling system. |
| Safety Requirements | | |
| Warning | | |
| Preparation before use | Please connect this device to AC power supply with the power cable provided. The AC input voltage of the line reaches the rated value of this device. See the product manual for specific rated value. The line voltage switch of this device matches the line voltage. The line voltage of the line fuse of this device is correct. | |
| Check all terminal rated values | Please check all rated values and marking instructions on the product to avoid fire and impact of excessive current. Please consult the product manual for detailed rated values before connection. | |
| Use the power cord properly | You can only use the special power cord for the instrument approved by the local and state standards. Please check whether the insulation layer of the cord is damaged or the cord is exposed, and test whether the cord is conductive. If the cord is damaged, please replace it before using the instrument. | |
| Instrument Grounding | To avoid electric shock, the grounding conductor must be connected to the ground. This product is grounded through the grounding conductor of the power supply. Please be sure to ground this product before it is powered on. | |
| AC power supply | Please use the AC power supply specified for this device. Please use the power cord approved by your country and confirm that the insulation layer is not damaged. | |

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| Electrostatic prevention | This device may be damaged by static electricity, so it should be tested in the anti-static area if possible. Before the power cable is connected to this device, the internal and external conductors should be grounded briefly to release static electricity. The protection scale of this device is 4 kV for contact discharge and 8 kV for air discharge. |
| Measurement accessories | Measurement accessories are of lower class, which are definitely not applicable to main power supply measurement, CAT II, CAT III or CAT IV circuit measurement. |
| Use the input / output port of this device properly | Please use the input / output ports provided by this device in a properly manner. Do not load any input signal at the output port of this device. Do not load any signal that does not reach the rated value at the input port of this device. The probe or other connection accessories should be effectively grounded to avoid product damage or abnormal function. Please refer to the product manual for the rated value of the input / output port of this device. |
| Power fuse | Please use power fuse of specified specification. If the fuse needs to be replaced, it must be replaced with the specified fuse by the maintenance personnel authorized by UNI-T. |
| Disassembly and cleaning | There are no components available to operators inside. Do not remove the protective cover. Maintenance must be carried out by qualified personnel. |
| Service environment | This device should be used indoors in a clean and dry environment with ambient temperature from 0 °C to 40 °C. Do not use this device in explosive, dusty or humid air. |
| Do not operate in humid environment | Do not use this device in a humid environment to avoid the risk of internal short circuit or electric shock. |
| Do not operate in flammable and explosive environment | Do not use this device in a flammable and explosive environment to avoid product damage or personal injury. |
| Caution | |
| Abnormality | If this device may be faulty, please contact the authorized maintenance personnel of UNI-T for testing. Any maintenance, adjustment or parts replacement must be done by the relevant personnel of UNI-T. |
| Cooling | Do not block the ventilation holes at the side and back of this device. Do not allow any external objects to enter this device via ventilation holes. Please ensure adequate ventilation, and leave a gap of at least 15 cm on both sides, front and back of this device. |
| Safe transportation | Please transport this device safely to prevent it from sliding, which may damage the buttons, knobs or interfaces on the instrument panel. |

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| Proper ventilation | Poor ventilation will cause the device temperature to rise, thus causing damage to this device. Please keep proper ventilation during use, and regularly check the vents and fans. |
| Keep clean and dry | Please take actions to avoid dust or moisture in the air affecting the performance of this device. Please keep the product surface clean and dry. |
| Note | |
| Calibration | The recommended calibration period is one year. Calibration should only be carried out by qualified personnel. |

3. Product Introduction

UTL8500+ and UTL8500X+ series DC electronic load are a new generation of intelligent, large-screen and cost-effective electronic loads. The synchronizing sampling is up to 500 kHz, with high-performance DSP processing, built-in self-adaptive voltage and current waveform display (UTL8500X+ series), convenient for transient testing and multi-faceted intelligent simulation and analysis. Fast, efficient, visualized LIST programmable automated test modes for most R&D and test needs.

3.1 Measurement Application

Automatic application: power, charger, driver, batter

Serial connection application: overcurrent test, programmable constant current, 5 1/2 digit ampere meter, current waveform detection

Other applications: LED simulation, battery simulation, intelligent and programmable automated test

3.2 Accuracy of Instrument

| Series | | UTL8500+ Series | | | |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|----------|-------------------|----------|
| Model | | UTL8511+ | | UTL8512+ | |
| Display Screen | | LCD | | LCD | |
| Rated value 0~40℃ | Input voltage | 0~15V | 0~150V | 0~15V | 0~150V |
| | Input current | 0~3A | 0~30A | 0~3A | 0~30A |
| | Input power | 150W | | 300W | |
| | Minimum of operating voltage | 1.4V±0.1V at 30A | | 1.4V±0.1V at 30A | |
| CV (Constant Voltage) mode | Range | 0.1~15V | 0.1~150V | 0.1~15V | 0.1~150V |
| | Resolution | 0.1mV | 1mV | 0.1mV | 1mV |
| | Accuracy | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | |
| CV (Constant | Range | 0~3A | 0~30A | 0~3A | 0~30A |

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| Current) mode | Resolution | 0.01mA | 0.1mA | 0.01mA | 0.1mA |
| | Accuracy | $\pm (0.03+0.05\%FS)$ | | $\pm (0.03\%+0.05\%FS)$ | |
| CR (Constant Resistance) mode | Range | 0.05Ω~10kΩ | | 0.05Ω~10kΩ | |
| | Resolution | 16bit | | 16bit | |
| | Accuracy | (0.1+0.01R)% | | (0.1+0.01R)% | |
| CP (Constant Power) mode | Range | 150W | | 300W | |
| | Resolution | 10mW | | 10mW | |
| | Accuracy | $\pm (0.1\%+0.1\%FS)$ | | $\pm (0.1\%+0.1\%FS)$ | |
| Dynamic mode | T1&T2 | 10μS~50S/Res:1μS | | 10μS~50S/Res:1μS | |
| | Accuracy | 1μS/1mS±100ppm | | 1μS/1mS±100ppm | |
| | Rising/falling slope | 0.0006A/μS-3A/μS | | 0.0006A/μS~3A/μS | |
| | Minimum of rising time | 10μs | | 10μs | |
| Readback voltage | Range | 0~15V | 0~150V | 0~15V | 0~150V |
| | Resolution | 0.01mV | 0.1mV | 0.01mV | 0.1mV |
| | Accuracy | $\pm (0.02\%+0.03\%FS)$ | | $\pm (0.02\%+0.3\%FS)$ | |
| Readback current | Range | 0~3A | 0~30A | 0~3A | 0~30A |
| | Resolution | 0.01mA | 0.1mA | 0.01mA | 0.1mA |
| | Accuracy | $\pm (0.03\%+0.05\%FS)$ | | $\pm (0.03\%+0.05\%FS)$ | |
| Readback power | Range | 150W | | 300W | |
| | Resolution | 10mW | | 10mW | |
| | Accuracy | $\pm (0.1\%+0.1\%FS)$ | | $\pm (0.1\%+0.1\%FS)$ | |
| Overpower protection | | Delay protection when ≥ 152 W, Immediately protection when ≥ 165 W | | Delay protection when ≥ 303 W, Immediately protection when ≥ 330 W | |
| Overcurrent protection | | Delay protection when ≥ 30.3 A, Immediately protection when ≥ 33 A | | Delay protection when ≥ 30.3 A, Immediately protection when ≥ 33 A | |
| Overvoltage protection | | Delay protection when ≥ 152 V, Immediately protection when ≥ 165 V | | Delay protection when ≥ 152 V, Immediately protection when ≥ 165 V | |
| Over-temperature protection | | $\geq 85^{\circ}\text{C}$ | | $\geq 85^{\circ}\text{C}$ | |
| Short Circuit | Current (CC) | $\leq 3\text{A}$ | $\leq 30\text{A}$ | $\leq 3\text{A}$ | $\leq 30\text{A}$ |
| | Voltage (CV) | 0V | 0V | 0V | 0V |
| | Resistance (CR) | 60mΩ | 60mΩ | 50mΩ | 50mΩ |
| Ripple display | | √ | | √ | |
| Waveform record | | / | | / | |

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| Test mode | 15 test modes: CC, CV, CR, CP, dynamic, OVP, time, OCP, CR-LED, battery, automatic list, short circuit, load effect, combination, list | 15 test modes: CC, CV, CR, CP, dynamic, OVP, time, OCP, CR-LED, battery, automatic list, short circuit, load effect, combination, list |
| Resistance of input terminal | 300KΩ | 300KΩ |
| Fuse specification | 0.5A(110V)/0.25A(220V) | 0.5A(110V)/0.25A(220V) |
| Communication interface | RS232 | RS232 |
| Protocol | SCPI | SCPI |
| Data acquisition software | √ | √ |
| Standard accessory | Power cord | Power cord |
| Power requirement | 110V/220V Frequency 50/60Hz | 110V/220V Frequency 50/60Hz |
| Size mm (Length*Width*Height) | 372*215*88 | 372*215*88 |
| Net Weight (kg) | 3.73 | 4.49 |

| Series | | UTL8500X+ Series | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|----------|-------------------|----------|-------------------|----------|-------------------|----------|
| Model | | UTL8511A+ | | UTL8511B+ | | UTL8512A+ | | UTL8512B+ | |
| Display Screen | | LCD | | LCD | | LCD | | LCD | |
| Rated value 0~40°C | Input voltage | 0~15V | 0~150V | 0~50V | 0~500V | 0~15V | 0~150V | 0~50V | 0~500V |
| | Input current | 0~3A | 0~30A | 0~1.5A | 0~15A | 0~3A | 0~30A | 0~3A | 0~30A |
| | Input power | 200W | | 200W | | 400W | | 400W | |
| | Minimum of operating voltage | 1.4±0.1V at 30A | | 2.8V±0.2V at 15A | | 1.4V±0.1V at 30A | | 2.8V±0.2V at 30A | |
| CV (Constant Voltage) mode | Range | 0.1~15V | 0.1~150V | 0.1~50V | 0.1~500V | 0.1~15V | 0.1~150V | 0.1~50V | 0.1~500V |
| | Resolution | 0.1mV | 1mV | 0.1mV | 1mV | 0.1mV | 1mV | 0.1mV | 1mV |
| | Accuracy | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | |
| CV (Constant Current) mode | Range | 0~3A | 0~30A | 0~1.5A | 0~15A | 0~3A | 0~30A | 0~3A | 0~30A |
| | Resolution | 0.01mA | 0.1mA | 0.01mA | 0.1mA | 0.01mA | 0.1mA | 0.01mA | 0.1mA |
| | Accuracy | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | |

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| CR (Constant Resistance) mode | Range | 0.05Ω~10kΩ | | 0.05Ω~10kΩ | | 0.05Ω~10kΩ | | 0.05Ω~10kΩ | |
| | Resolution | 16bit | | 16bit | | 16bit | | 16bit | |
| | Accuracy | (0.1+0.01R)% | | (0.1+0.01R)% | | (0.1+0.01R)% | | (0.1+0.01R)% | |
| CP (Constant Power) mode | Range | 200W | | 200W | | 400W | | 400W | |
| | Resolution | 10mW | | 10mW | | 10mW | | 10mW | |
| | Accuracy | ± (0.1%+0.1%FS) | | ± (0.1%+0.1%FS) | | ± (0.1%+0.1%FS) | | ± (0.1%+0.1%FS) | |
| Dynamic mode | T1&T2 | 10μs~50s/Res:1μs | | 10μs~50s/Res:1μs | | 10μs~50s/Res:1μs | | 10μs~50s/Res:1μs | |
| | Accuracy | 1μs/1ms±100ppm | | 1μs/1ms±100ppm | | 1μs/1ms±100ppm | | 1μs/1ms±100ppm | |
| | Rising/falling slope | 0.0006A/μs~3A/μs | | 0.0006A/μs~3A/μs | | 0.0006A/μs~3A/μs | | 0.0006A/μs~3A/μs | |
| | Minimum of rising time | 10μs | | 10μs | | 10μs | | 10μs | |
| Readback voltage | Range | 0~15V | 0~150V | 0~50V | 0~500V | 0~15V | 0~150V | 0~50V | 0~500V |
| | Resolution | 0.01mV | 0.1mV | 0.01mV | 0.1mV | 0.01mV | 0.1mV | 0.01mV | 0.1mV |
| | Accuracy | ± (0.02%+0.3%FS) | | ± (0.02%+0.03%FS) | | ± (0.02%+0.3%FS) | | ± (0.02%+0.03%FS) | |
| Readback current | Range | 0~3A | 0~30A | 0~1.5A | 0~15A | 0~3A | 0~30A | 0~3.0A | 0~30A |
| | Resolution | 0.01mA | 0.1mA | 0.01mA | 0.1mA | 0.01mA | 0.1mA | 0.01mA | 0.1mA |
| | Accuracy | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | |
| Readback power | Range | 200W | | 200W | | 400W | | 400W | |
| | Resolution | 10mW | | 10mW | | 10mW | | 10mW | |
| | Accuracy | ± (0.1%+0.1%FS) | | ± (0.1%+0.1%FS) | | ± (0.1%+0.1%FS) | | ± (0.1%+0.1%FS) | |
| Overpower protection | | Delay protection when ≥ 202W,Immediately protection when ≥ 220W | | Delay protection when ≥ 202W,Immediately protection when ≥ 220W | | Delay protection when ≥ 404W,Immediately protection when ≥ 440 W | | Delay protection when ≥ 404W,Immediately protection when ≥ 440 W | |
| Overcurrent protection | | Delay protection when ≥ 30.3A,Immediately protection when ≥ 33A | | Delay protection when ≥ 15.2A,Immediately protection when ≥ 16.5A | | Delay protection when ≥ 30.3A,Immediately protection when ≥ 33A | | Delay protection when ≥ 30.3A,Immediately protection when ≥ 33A | |
| Overvoltage protection | | Delay protection when ≥ 152V,Immediately protection when ≥ | | Delay protection when ≥ 505V,Immediately protection when ≥ | | Delay protection when ≥ 152V,Immediately protection when ≥ | | Delay protection when ≥ 505V,Immediately protection when ≥ | |

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|----------------------------------|-----------------|--|------|--|-------|--|------|--|-------|
| | | 165V | | 550V | | 165V | | 550V | |
| Over-temperature protection | | ≥85°C | | ≥85°C | | ≥85°C | | ≥85°C | |
| Short Circuit | Current(CC) | ≤3A | ≤30A | ≤1.5A | ≤15A | ≤3A | ≤30A | ≤3A | ≤30A |
| | Voltage(CV) | 0V | 0V | 0V | 0V | 0V | 0V | 0V | 0V |
| | Resistance (CR) | 60mΩ | 60mΩ | 200mΩ | 200mΩ | 50mΩ | 50mΩ | 120mΩ | 120mΩ |
| Ripple display | | ✓ | | ✓ | | ✓ | | ✓ | |
| Waveform record | | ✓ | | ✓ | | ✓ | | ✓ | |
| Test mode | | 15 test modes: CC, CV, CR, CP, dynamic, OVP, time, OCP, CR-LED, battery, automatic list, short circuit, load effect, combination, list | | 15 test modes: CC, CV, CR, CP, dynamic, OVP, time, OCP, CR-LED, battery, automatic list, short circuit, load effect, combination, list | | 15 test modes: CC, CV, CR, CP, dynamic, OVP, time, OCP, CR-LED, battery, automatic list, short circuit, load effect, combination, list | | 15 test modes: CC, CV, CR, CP, dynamic, OVP, time, OCP, CR-LED, battery, automatic list, short circuit, load effect, combination, list | |
| Resistance of input terminal | | 300KΩ | | 1MΩ | | 300KΩ | | 1MΩ | |
| Fuse specification | | 0.5A(110V)/0.25A(220V) | | 0.5A(110V)/0.25A(220V) | | 0.5A(110V)/0.25A(220V) | | 0.5A(110V)/0.25A(220V) | |
| Communication interface | | RS232 | | RS232 | | RS232 | | RS232 | |
| Protocol | | SCPI | | SCPI | | SCPI | | SCPI | |
| Data acquisition software | | ✓ | | ✓ | | ✓ | | ✓ | |
| Standard accessory | | Power cord | | Power cord | | Power cord | | Power cord | |
| Power requirement | | 110V/220V Frequency 50/60Hz | | 110V/220V Frequency 50/60Hz | | 110V/220V Frequency 50/60Hz | | 110V/220V Frequency 50/60Hz | |
| Size mm (Length*Width*Height) | | 372*215*88 | | 372*215*88 | | 372*215*88 | | 372*215*88 | |
| Net Weight (kg) | | 3.73 | | 3.73 | | 4.49 | | 4.49 | |

| Series | | UTL8500X+ Series | | | |
|----------------|---------------|------------------|--------|-----------|--------|
| Model | | UTL8513A+ | | UTL8513B+ | |
| Display Screen | | LCD | | LCD | |
| Rated value | Input voltage | 0~15V | 0~150V | 0~50V | 0~500V |

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| 0~40℃ | Input current | 0~12A | 0~120A | 0~6A | 0~60A |
| | Input power | 600W | | 600W | |
| | Minimum of operating voltage | 1.4V±0.1V at 120A | | 2.8V±0.2V at 60A | |
| CV (Constant Voltage) mode | Range | 0.1~15V | 0.1~150V | 0.1~50V | 0.1~500V |
| | Resolution | 1mV | 10mV | 1mV | 10mV |
| | Accuracy | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | |
| CV (Constant Current) mode | Range | 0~12A | 0~120A | 0~6A | 0~60A |
| | Resolution | 0.1mA | 1mA | 0.1mA | 1mA |
| | Accuracy | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | |
| CR (Constant Resistance) mode | Range | 0.05Ω~10kΩ | | 0.05Ω~10kΩ | |
| | Resolution | 16bit | | 16bit | |
| | Accuracy | (0.1+0.01R)% | | (0.1+0.01R)% | |
| CP (Constant Power) mode | Range | 600W | | 600W | |
| | Resolution | 10mW | | 10mW | |
| | Accuracy | ± (0.1%+0.1%FS) | | ± (0.1%+0.1%FS) | |
| Dynamic mode | T1&T2 | 10μs~50s/Res:1μs | | 10μs~50s/Res:1μs | |
| | Accuracy | 1μs/1ms±100ppm | | 1μs/1ms±100ppm | |
| | Rising/falling slope | 0.0024A/μs~12A/μs | | 0.0012A/μs~6A/μs | |
| | Minimum of rising time | 10μs | | 10μs | |
| Readback voltage | Range | 0~15V | 0~150V | 0~50V | 0~500V |
| | Resolution | 0.1mV | 1mV | 0.1mV | 1mV |
| | Accuracy | ± (0.02%+0.03%FS) | | ± (0.02%+0.03%FS) | |
| Readback current | Range | 0~12A | 0~120A | 0~6A | 0~60A |
| | Resolution | 0.1mA | 1mA | 0.1mA | 1mA |
| | Accuracy | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | | ± (0.03%+0.05%FS) | |
| Readback power | Range | 600W | | 600W | |
| | Resolution | 10mW | | 10mW | |
| | Accuracy | ± (0.1%+0.1%FS) | | ± (0.1%+0.1%FS) | |
| Overpower protection | | Delay protection when ≥ 606W, Immediately protection when ≥ 660W | | Delay protection when ≥ 606W, Immediately protection when ≥ 660W | |
| Overcurrent protection | | Delay protection when ≥ 121.2A, Immediately protection when ≥ 132A | | Delay protection when ≥ 60.6A, Immediately protection when ≥ 66 A | |

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|-------------------------------|-----------------|--|--------------------|--|-------------------|
| Overvoltage protection | | Delay protection when ≥ 152 V, Immediately protection when ≥ 165 V | | Delay protection when ≥ 505 V, Immediately protection when ≥ 550 V | |
| Over-temperature protection | | $\geq 85^{\circ}\text{C}$ | | $\geq 85^{\circ}\text{C}$ | |
| Short Circuit | Current (CC) | $\leq 12\text{A}$ | $\leq 120\text{A}$ | $\leq 6\text{A}$ | $\leq 60\text{A}$ |
| | Voltage (CV) | 0V | 0V | 0V | 0V |
| | Resistance (CR) | 35m Ω | 35m Ω | 105m Ω | 105m Ω |
| Ripple display | | √ | | √ | |
| Waveform record | | √ | | √ | |
| Test mode | | 15 test modes: CC, CV, CR, CP, dynamic, OVP, time, OCP, CR-LED, battery, automatic list, short circuit, load effect, combination, list | | 15 test modes: CC, CV, CR, CP, dynamic, OVP, time, OCP, CR-LED, battery, automatic list, short circuit, load effect, combination, list | |
| Resistance of input terminal | | 1M Ω | | 1M Ω | |
| Fuse specification | | 0.5A(110V)/0.25A(220V) | | 0.5A(110V)/0.25A(220V) | |
| Communication interface | | RS232 | | RS232 | |
| Protocol | | SCPI | | SCPI | |
| Data acquisition software | | √ | | √ | |
| Standard accessory | | Power cord | | Power cord | |
| Power requirement | | 110V/220V Frequency 50/60Hz | | 110V/220V Frequency 50/60Hz | |
| Size mm (Length*Width*Height) | | 475*215*88 | | 475*215*88 | |
| Net Weight (kg) | | 6.72 | | 6.72 | |

Accuracy temperature range: $25 \pm 5^{\circ}\text{C}$

Calibration period: 1 time/year

AC input: (the switch on the rear panel can select 110 V or 220 V, it should configure the matched fuse to use)

110 V: 110 V $\pm 10\%$ 50~60 Hz

220 V: 220 V $\pm 10\%$ 50~60 Hz

3.3 Main Features

- 4.3 inch LCD, all the test results can be observed directly
- Synchronous sampling of 500 kHz, 10Hz, 10uA, 0.1 mV stable resolution output
- Dynamic mode (DYNA) of 50 kHz pull load, the waveform of current and voltage peak can be observed directly (UTL8500X+ series), Vpp, Ipp measurement
- Realistic simulation of LED function
- Basic mode: CC, CV, CR and CP

- Supports OCP test and maximum power test
- Supports time measurement (TIME)
- Supports OVP test
- Supports intelligent and programmable automated list test (LIST)

4. Product Overview

4.1 Front Panel

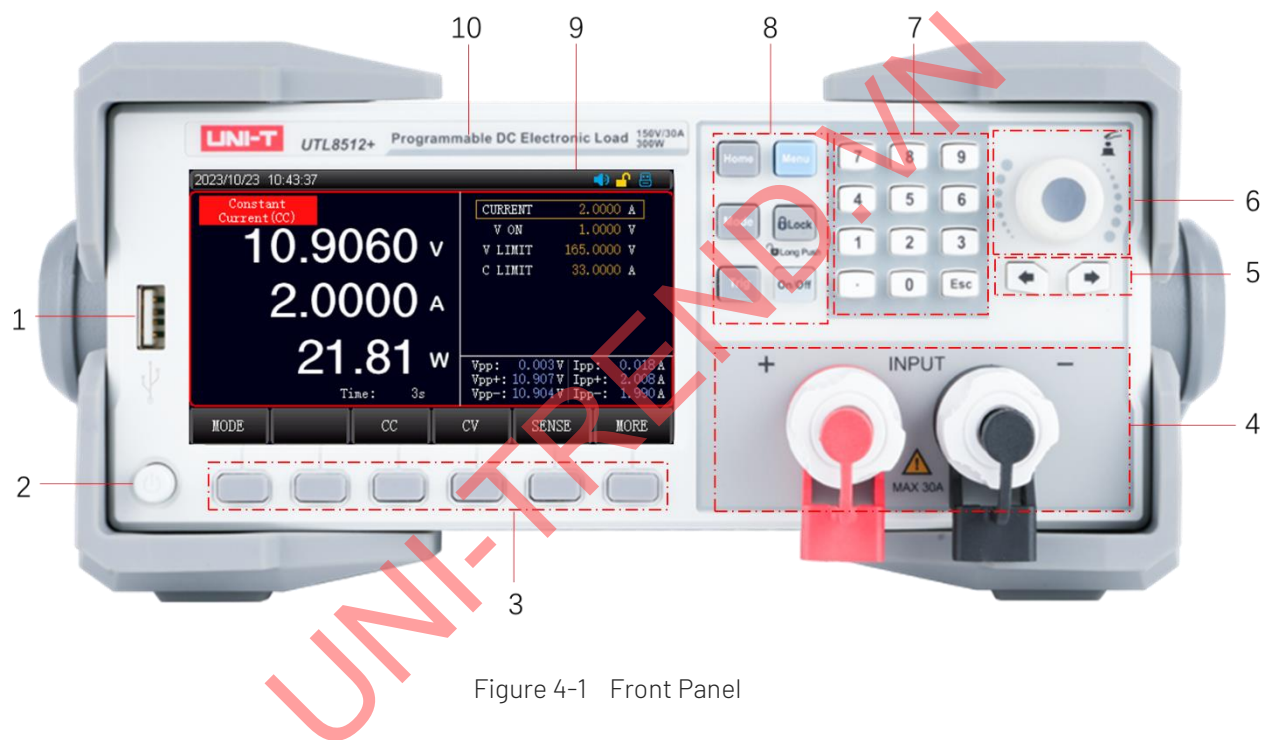


Figure 4-1 Front Panel

| No. | Name | Description |
|-----|-------------------------|--|
| 1 | USB HOST | Connect USB to save and load the file, screenshot and save measured data |
| 2 | Power switch | Turn on/off the electronic load |
| 3 | Screen function softkey | Six softkeys to select and control parameters, each with its own function |
| 4 | Test terminal | Connect on-load power To avoid damage to the device, do not connect in reverse. |
| 5 | Arrow key | Move the cursor |
| 6 | Rotary knob | Move the cursor or adjust the numeric value of selected parameter |
| 7 | Numerical keyboard | Enter number Esc: exit the current page |
| 8 | Quick function key | Home: back to home page |

| | | |
|----|-----------|--|
| | | Mode: select a test mode Lock: lock key (long press to unlock/short press to lock) Menu: enter the system setting Trig: trigger control /short-circuit test (SHORT) On/Off: control the input state of load ON/OFF |
| 9 | Screen | Display setting and measurement interface |
| 10 | Nameplate | Brand and model |

4.2 Rear Panel

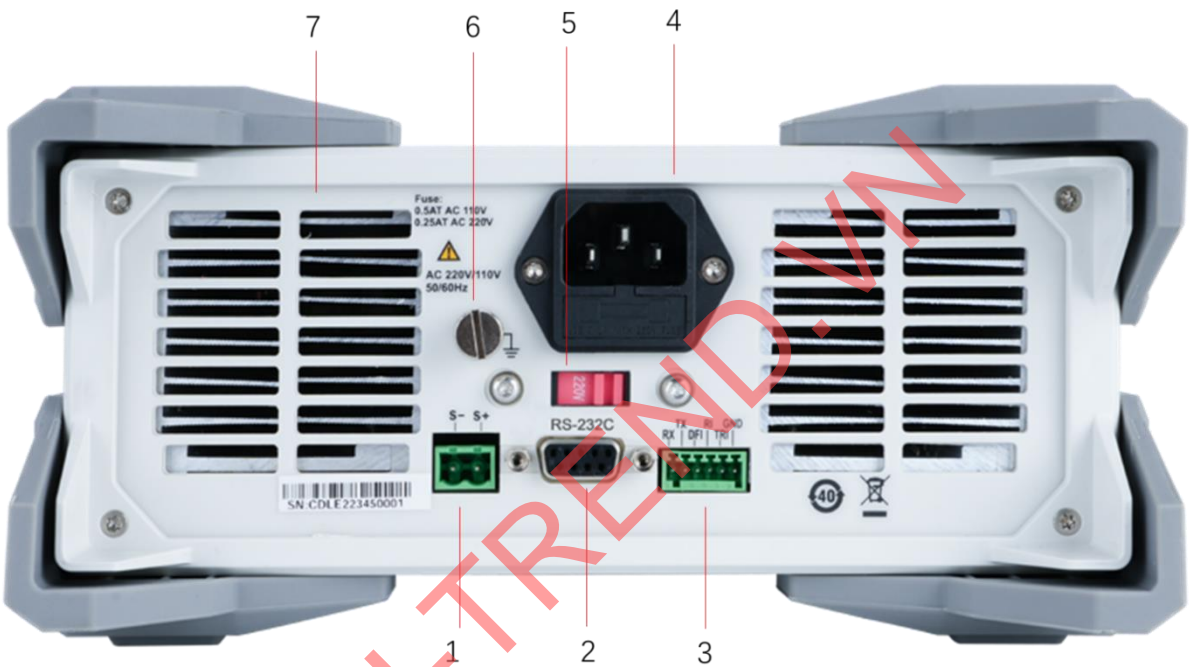


Figure 4-2 Rear Panel

| No. | Name | Description |
|-----|---------------------------|---|
| 1 | SENSE terminal | Sampling measure the accurate voltage at the output terminal of DUT |
| 2 | RS-232C interface | RS232 communication |
| 3 | HANDLER interface | External trigger |
| 4 | Power socket | AC power supply (built-in fuse) |
| 5 | AC 220/110 V power switch | Voltage switch of AC power supply |
| 6 | Ground terminal | Ground connection |
| 7 | Heat emission hole | Cooling |

5. Inspection and Installment

5.1 Packing List

Please inspect the instrument before using

1. Check whether the appearance is damaged, scratched or has other defects;
2. Check with packing list to confirm that accessories has no loss.

If the instrument is broken or the accessory is missing, please contact with UNI-T sale department or the distributor.

5.2 Power Requirements

This instrument is designed for use with Class II overvoltage. Do not use the instrument with class III and IV overvoltage.

Before switching on the power supply, check that the supply voltage and fuse match the voltage selected by the AC SELECTOR switch on the rear panel of the instrument.

| Parameter | Requirements |
|-------------------|---|
| Voltage | AC 220/110($\pm 10\%$)V |
| Frequency | 50/60 HZ |
| Power Consumption | 50 W |
| Fuse | AC 220 V input voltage: 250 V/0.25 A AC 110 V input voltage: 250 V/0.5 A |

- The factory supplies three-core power cord, please make sure that power ground of three phase socket is reliably connect to ground before use.
- The instrument with power conversion switch, please check and make sure that the conversion switch is move to the correct position before connecting the power supply.
- The fuse specification of this instrument 220 V is 250 V/0.25 A, 5 × 20mm. The fuse is installed and equipped with the spare fuse of 250 V/0.25 A in the fuse box.

- Please remove the external power cord before replace the fuse, open the fuse socket slot under the power supply interface, take out the old fuse and replace the new fuse, after that the instrument can be used normally.



Warning: Do not use the power cord with sings of any damage to avoid danger!
If use 110 V AC input, please change the fuse of 250 V/0.5 A.

5.3 Operating Environment

The operating environment requirements of UTL8500+ and UTL8500X+ series is as follows.

When the electronic load is loading, the speed rate of ventilation fans will automatically change with the temperature of cooling fin.

| Operating Environment | Environmental Requirements |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| Humidity | 20 %~80 % (non-condensation) |
| Temperature | 0 °C~40 °C |
| Storage Temperature | -10 °C~60 °C |
| Altitude | ≤ 2000 meters |
| Pollution Degree | 2 |

5.4 Cleaning

To prevent from the risk of electric shock, please pull out the power cord before cleaning.

Please use a clean and damp cloth to clean the cover and panel. No water shall enter the instrument.

Do not clean the inside of the instrument.



Warning: Do not use solvents (alcohol or gasoline) to clean the instrument.

5.5 Handle

Handle is adjustable and can adjust to four positions, hold two sides of the handle to pull or rotate as shown in the following figure.

Figure 5-1 Original Position

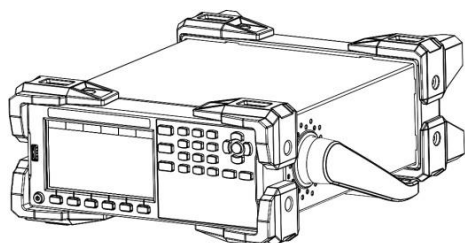


Figure 5-2 Test Position

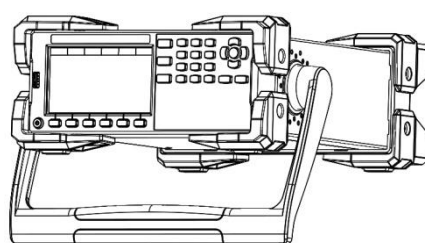


Figure 5-3 Remove Handle

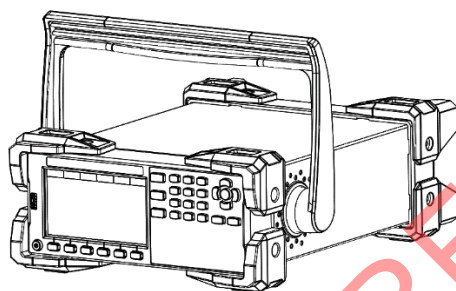


Figure 5-4 Lift Position



5.6 Routine Inspection

To avoid the accident, please checking the instrument before using.

1. The instrument's input power should conform to the specification and the power configuration should be correct.
2. The instrument should be securely connect to the ground.
3. DUT is sound, no crack, break and damage.

6. Measurement Display Page

6.1 Power Up

The correct self-inspection of electronic load is as follows.

1. Connect the power cord correctly and make sure that the 110 V/220 V power switch is selected correctly.
Press the power switch on the front panel to power up the electronic load. The screen shows the progress bar of the current self-inspection.
2. After the initialization, the screen displays the current measurement state. If the boot-up mode is set, the instrument will directly enter the preset measurement mode.

When the self-inspection is finished, it means that the instrument is meet the factory standard. The user can use the product normally.



Note: Before using the electronic load, the user should fully understand the safety requirements.

Warning: Please make sure that the power voltage is matched with the utility power.

Otherwise, the instrument will be damaged.

The main power plug should connect to the power socket with protective ground. Do not use a wire board without protective ground.

6.2 Install Connection Wire

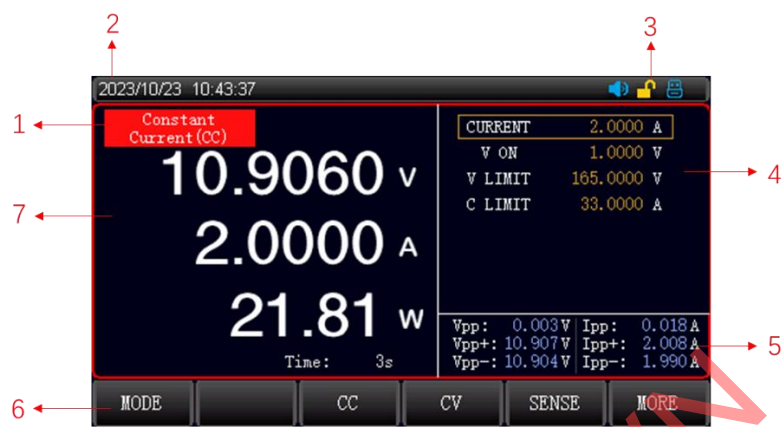
The electronic load connects the DUT via the "+" and "-" terminal panel. Before connecting, the user should note that the core of cable should be suitable and the polarity (positive/negative) should be correctly connected. The connection wire must be thick enough to reduce the voltage drop on the line. Due to the large voltage drop, it is suggested that use the **Sense** terminal of the electronic load for compensation to ensure the measurement accuracy.



Caution: Before connecting, please make sure that the polarity of input terminal is correctly connected, otherwise, the device may be damaged.

6.3 Screen Display

LCD will divided into several areas to display information when enter the measurement mode. Take CC mode of UTL8511+ as an example, as shown in the following figure.





6.3.1 Measurement Interface

| No. | Name | Description |
|-----|-----------------------------|--|
| 1 | State | Displays the current mode and state |
| 2 | Time | Displays the current system date and time |
| 3 | System | Displays USB, remote sense, short-circuit test, sound, key lock and remote control |
| 4 | Parameter | Displays the set parameter |
| 5 | Ripple data | Displays the ripple data of voltage/current |
| 6 | Function area | Quick function key |
| 7 | Parameter on primary screen | Displays the time, running procedure or result data in real time running |

6.3.2 State Information

| State | Display | Description |
|-------------|---------|--|
| Measurement | Mode | Displays the current measurement state or operation mode |
| Control | Comm | Local/Remote mode |

| | | |
|---------------|---|--|
| Remote sense | Sense | When it is illuminated, which means the remote sense is enabled. |
| USB |  | It indicates that USB is inserted |
| System time | 0000.00.00 00:00 | Displays the current system time: year/month/day/time/minute |
| Alarm |  | It indicates that the alarm sound is enabled. |
| Short-circuit | Short | The electronic load is under the short-circuit mode. |

6.3.3 Running Indicator

The ON/OFF key of UTL8500+ and UTL8500X+ series electronic load is equipped with a running indicator.

When the electronic load is working, the running indicator of ON/OFF key will be illuminated. The electronic load will stop working when the ON/OFF key is pressed again, and the running indicator of ON/OFF key will be extinguished.

6.4 Screenshot

The instrument has screenshot function. The screenshot function can be used when USB is inserted to the USB interface on the front panel. A USB icon will display on the screen, and long press the rotary knob on the panel, the current screen image will save to USB for later use.

It is recommended that the user use a branded USB (format FAT32, maximum capacity 128G).

6.5 Key Lock

The instrument has a key lock function to prevent the test condition from being changed inadvertently.

Short press the **[Lock]** key on the panel to lock the key.

Long press the **[Lock]** key on the panel for 1s to unlock the key.

When the keyboard is locked, only the **[On/Off]** key and the **[Lock]** key of the instrument can be used.

7. Measurement Setup Page

7.1 Mode and Measurement

The electronic load has four constant test mode, which are CC (constant current), CV (constant voltage), CR (constant resistance) and CP (constant power). In addition, it has 11 kinds of other modes, which are dynamic, OVP, time, OCP, CR-LED, battery, automatic list, short-circuit, load effect, combination and list.

Press the **[Mode]** key to select a mode.

Introduction of mode

| Mode Name | Description |
|-------------------------|---|
| CC | No matter how the input voltage changes, the electronic load always consumes the constant current. |
| CV | The electronic load maintains the input voltage as the set value by changing the current consumption. |
| CR | The electronic load is equal to a resistance, the input voltage will change with the voltage to maintain a constant resistance. |
| CP | The electronic load consumes the rated power, the current decreases as the voltage increases, to maintain the constant power. |
| 11 kinds of other modes | Select the mode by using the rotary knob or arrow keys, these mode can meet diversified test requirements. |

After enter the constant test mode, the set current, voltage, resistance and power will be displayed on the right side of the screen. These parameter can be changed by using the numerical keyboard or the rotary knob.

When the electronic load is working, time, Vpp (voltage peak-to-peak) and Ipp (current peak-to-peak) will be displayed at the bottom of the screen.

7.1.1 CC (Constant Current) Test

In the CC mode, no matter how the input voltage changes, the electronic load always consumes the constant current.

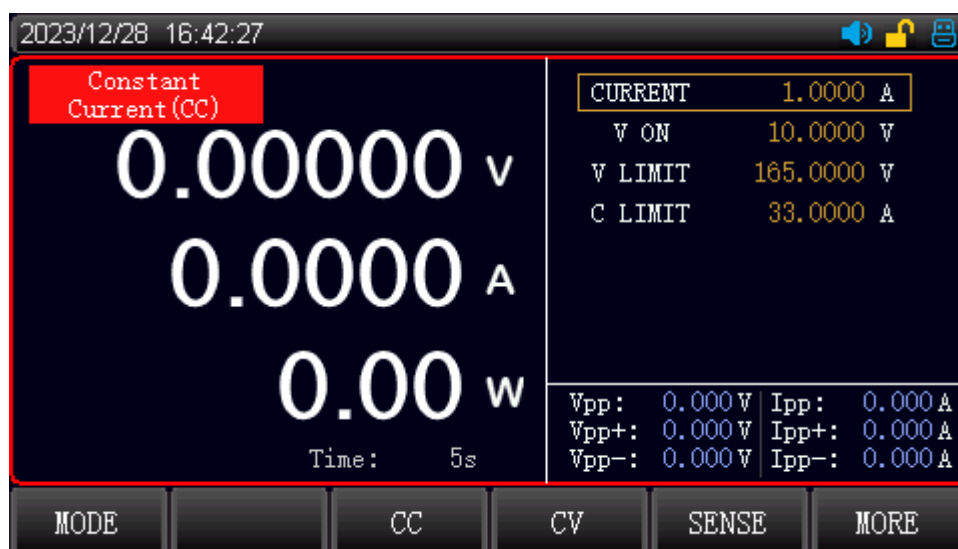


Figure 7-1-1 CC Mode

Operation Steps

1. Select the **[Mode]** key on the initial interface, and press the **[CC]** key to enter the <Constant Current> page.
2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the current field, and press the **[Enter]** key to change the current field from black to brown, at this point, the current value can be set. Use the keyboard or press the rotary knob to enter the current value and then press the **[Enter]** key to confirm. The current field will change from brown to black.
3. The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
4. The electronic load starts to work when the **ON/OFF** key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated. Press the **ON/OFF** key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.

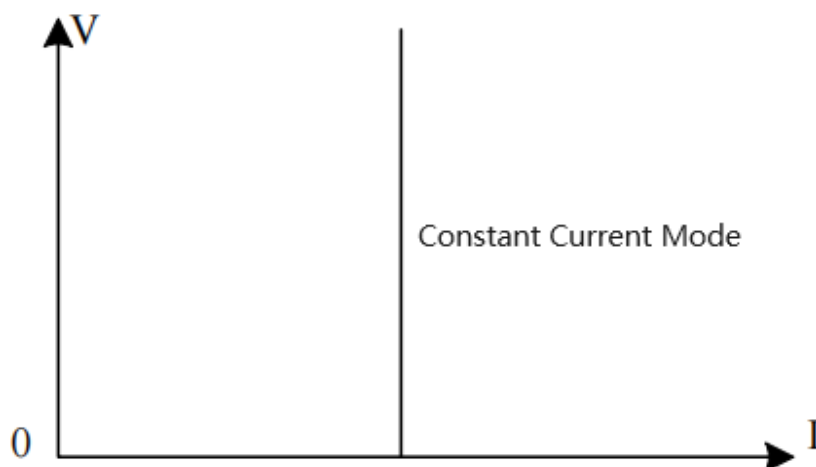


Figure 7-1-2 Voltage-Current Relation in CC Mode

7.1.2 CV(Constant Voltage) Test

In the CV mode, the electronic load maintains the input voltage as the set value by changing the current consumption.

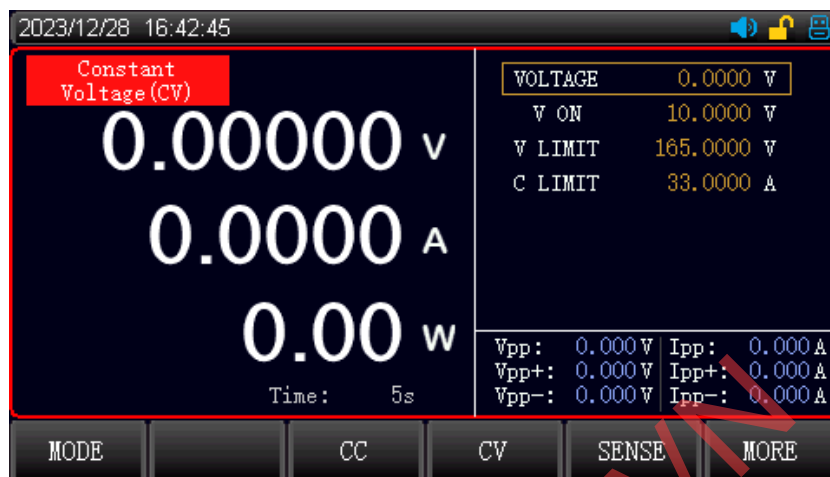


Figure 7-1-3 CV Mode

Operation Steps

1. Select the **[Mode]** key on the initial interface, and press the **[CV]** key to enter the <Constant Voltage> page.
2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the voltage field, and press the **[Enter]** key to change the voltage field from black to brown, at this point, the voltage value can be set. Use the keyboard or press the rotary knob to enter the voltage value and then press the **[Enter]** key to confirm. The voltage field will change from brown to black.
3. The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
4. The electronic load starts to work when the **ON/OFF** key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated. Press the **ON/OFF** key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.

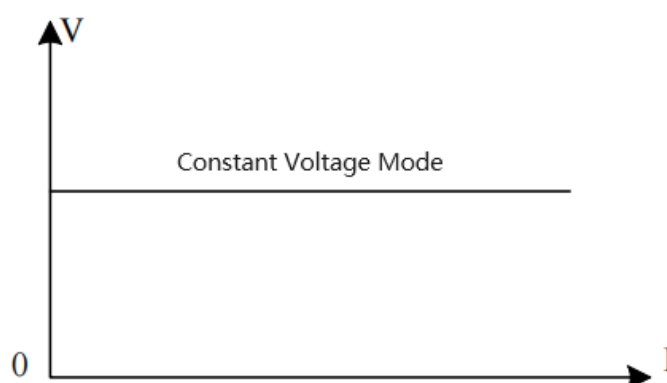


Figure 7-1-4 Voltage-Current Relation in CV Mode

7.1.3 CR (Constant Resistance) Test

In the CR mode, the electronic load is equal to a resistance, the input voltage will change with the voltage to maintain a constant resistance.

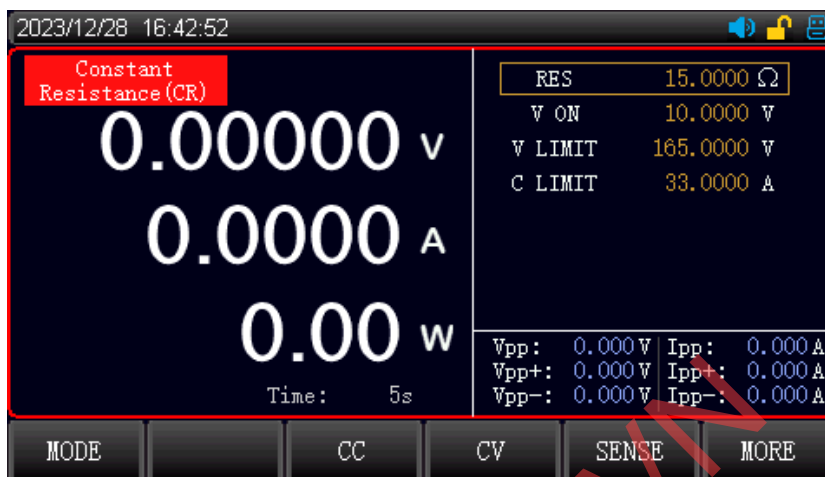


Figure 7-1-5 CR Mode

Operation Steps

1. Select the **[Mode]** key on the initial interface, and press the **[CR]** key to enter the <Constant Resistance> page.
2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the resistance field, and press the **[Enter]** key to change the resistance field from black to brown, at this point, the resistance value can be set. Use the keyboard or press the rotary knob to enter the resistance value and then press the **[Enter]** key to confirm. The resistance field will change from brown to black.
3. The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
4. The electronic load starts to work when the **ON/OFF** key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated. Press the **ON/OFF** key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.

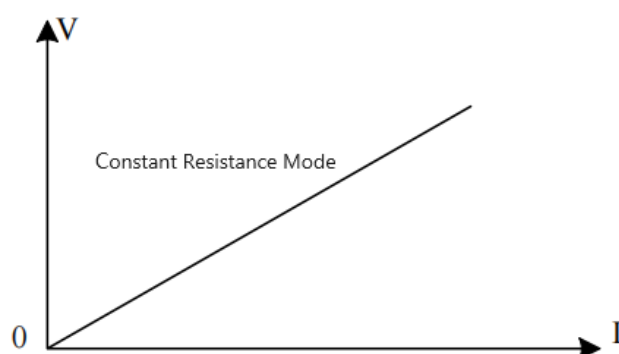


Figure 7-1-6 Voltage-Current Relation in CV Mode in CR Mode

7.1.4 CP (Constant Power) Test

In the CP mode, the electronic load consumes the rated power, the instrument will change the current according to the voltage, to maintain the set power.

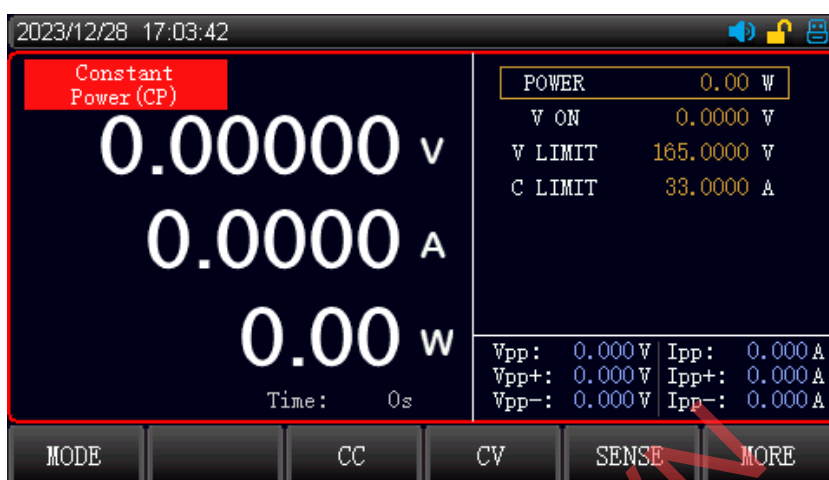


Figure 7-1-7 CP Mode

Operation Steps

1. Select the **[Mode]** key on the initial interface, and press the **[CP]** key to enter the <Constant Power (CP)> page.
2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the power field, and press the **[Enter]** key to change the power field from black to brown, at this point, the power value can be set. Use the keyboard or press the rotary knob to enter the power value and then press the **[Enter]** key to confirm. The power field will change from brown to black.
3. The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
4. The electronic load starts to work when the **ON/OFF** key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated. Press the **ON/OFF** key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.

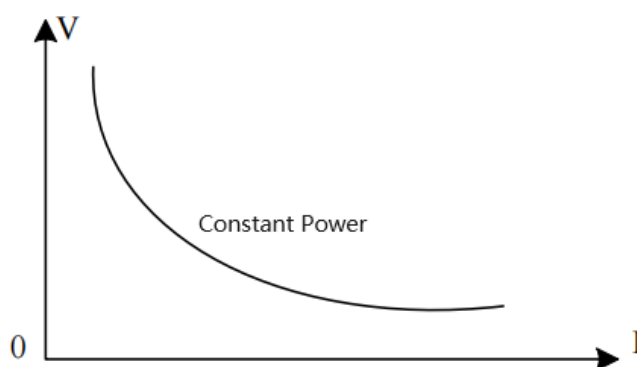


Figure 7-1-8 Voltage-Current Relation in CV Mode in CP Mode

7.2 Other Mode

To meet a variety of test needs, UTL8500+ and UTL8500X+ series electronic load provides multiple test modes, which are dynamic test, list test, time test, OCP test, CR-LED test, battery test, OVP test, short circuit test, load effect test and combination test, as shown in Table 4-2.

4-2 Introduction of Other Mode

| Other Mode | Description |
|----------------|--|
| Dynamic test | Set two different current/voltage values. This allows the electronic load to step through the two levels under test. |
| Auto list test | Up to 200 steps of load mode, customized step mode and judge the upper/lower limit, memory function for each test group. |
| Time test | Specifically for the start/fall time test of power switch. Set the start and end values for the load mode, when the voltage of the DUT is stable and then to detect the time from rise to stable. |
| OCP test | Set the value of overcurrent, overpower and overvoltage, to detect the protection function of the DUT is worked. During the test, the electronic load constantly increases the set load value to detect the protective value of the DUT. |
| CR-LED test | During the test, the electronic load constantly increases the set load value to detect the protective value of the DUT. CR-LED test for LED power supply, it simulates the operating parameter, set the voltage/current of operating point and LED coefficient, so that the performance of LED power can be detected. |
| Battery test | Three discharge modes: CC/CR/CP Use CC/CR/CP to discharge the DUT's power. The test stops automatically and displays the battery capacity and discharge curve when it reaches the cut-off point. |
| OVP test | Set the value of overcurrent, overpower and overvoltage, to detect the protection function of the DUT is worked. |

| | |
|-------------|---|
| | During the test, the electronic load constantly increases the set load value to detect the protective value of the DUT. |
| Short test | The electronic load can simulates a short-circuited circuit at the input terminal, it is used to detect whether the protection function of DUT is working when the output terminal of the DUT is short-circuited. |
| Load effect | Three different loads are loaded according to the set load value and calculate V and Reg (load regulation ratio). |
| Dual test | The combination test consists of two types of constant mode: CR+CC, CV+CR, CV+CC. It can meet the demands for more constant mode. |
| List test | List tests are used for simulation of real loads, or for editing complex load waveforms, where the loads are loaded sequentially in order according to the sequence edited in the file. |

7.2.1 Dynamic Test

Under the dynamic test, the user can set two constant parameter. The electronic load can switch between the two constant values by setting the operation mode.

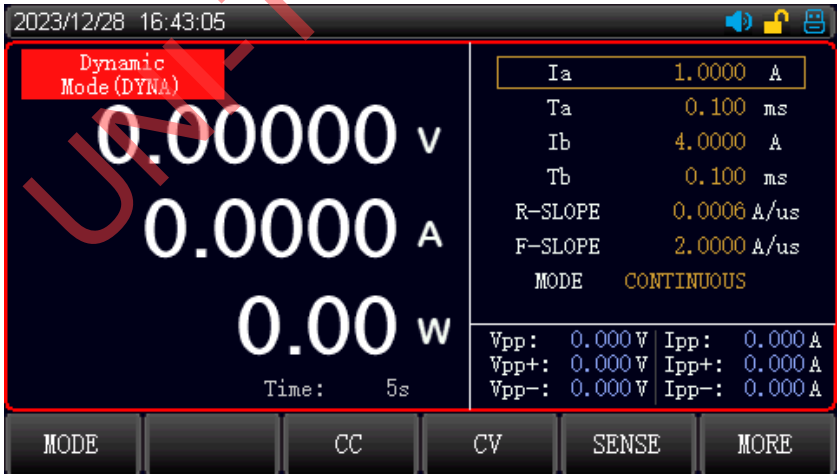


Figure 7-2-1 Dynamic Test Page

Parameter setting of dynamic mode

| Dynamic Test | Description |
|----------------|-------------------------|
| Operation mode | Continuous/pulse/toggle |
| Ia---Low value | Set the low value |

| | |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Ta---Time of low range | Set the load time for low range |
| Ib---High value | Set the high value |
| Tb---Time of high range | Set the load time for high range |
| R-Slope(Rising slope) | Set the rising slope |
| F-Slope(Falling slope) | Set the falling slope |

Operation Mode

1. Continuous mode: the electronic load will automatically switch continuously between the two set high and low values until the operation reaches the set repetition time and the test is finished. The continuous mode interface is shown in Figure 7-2-2.

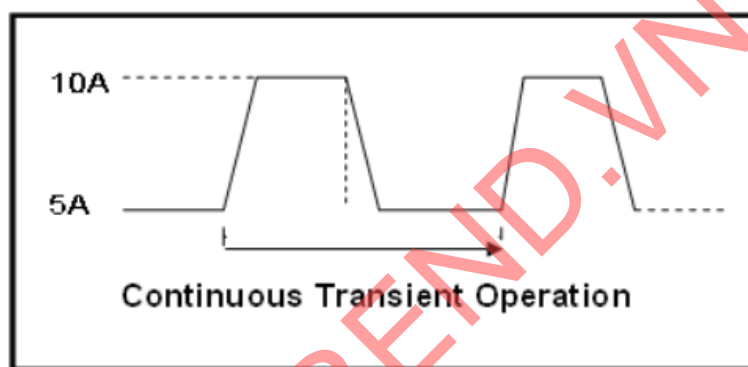


Figure 7-2-2 Continuous Transient Operation

2. Pulse mode: the electronic load uses the low value to load at first, and then the electronic load switches to the high value when it receives a trigger signal for each time. After maintaining the set time, the electronic load switches to the low value. The electronic load only toggles once when it receives a trigger signal for each time, so there's no need to set the time of the low range. The pulse mode interface is shown in Figure 7-2-3.

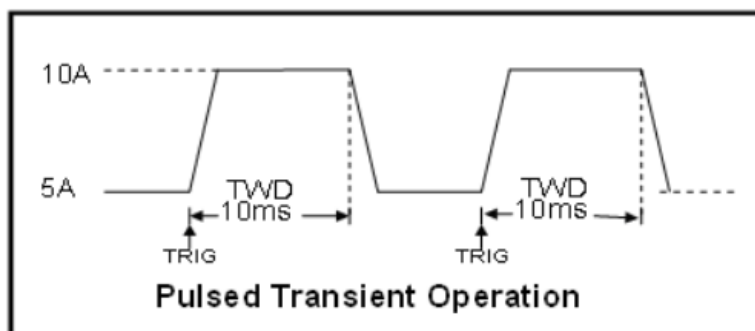


Figure 7-2-3 Pulsed Transient Operation

3. Toggle mode: the electronic load will toggle once between the high and low values for each trigger. At this time, there is no need to set the time for both high and low. And it will only toggle to the other state after each trigger is performed. Toggled transient operation is shown in Figure 7-2-4.

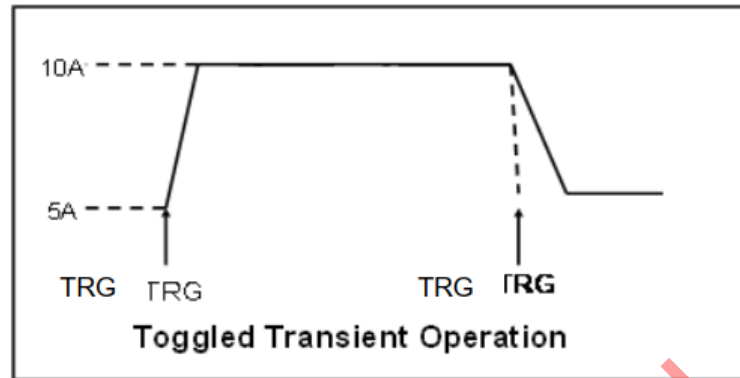


Figure 7-2-4 Toggled Transient Operation

Operation Steps

1. Select the **[Mode]** key on the initial interface, and press the **[MORE]** key to select the **[DYNAMIC]** key to enter the <Dynamic Test (DYNA)> page.
2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the field to be set, and press the **[Enter]** key to change the field area from black to brown, at this point, the field area can be set. Use the keyboard or press the rotary knob to enter the set value and then press the **[Enter]** key to confirm. The field area will change from brown to black.
3. The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
4. The electronic load starts to work when the **ON/OFF** key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated. Press the **ON/OFF** key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.



Note: If the voltage/current is set as low range, the alarm will be triggered when the electronic load detects the voltage/current value over the low range. A hint "The range is faulty" will be displayed. The user can adjust the voltage/current range according to the actual condition, the parameter setting can refer to 5.2 Power Requirement.

7.2.2 OVP Test

The OVP test can capture the peak of input voltage and the entire drop process after the protection is enabled. When the voltage drops to the set trigger voltage, the electronic load will record the time from the highest point to the trigger point, the time is the overvoltage protection time of the measured voltage.



Figure 7-2-5 OVP Mode Page

Parameter setting of OVP

| Parameter | Description |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| V TRIG(Trigger voltage) | Set the voltage of trigger point |

Select the [MORE] key and then select [OVP] to set the trigger voltage, press ON/OFF key to run the OVP test. The overvoltage protection function of the power supply is triggered by increasing the output voltage of the power supply. The load captures the peak value of the voltage and the falling edge and starts to record time, and starts triggering at the set trigger voltage, the electronic load records the voltage at the peak point and calculates the time from the peak to the trigger point. After the test is finished, the electronic load displays the measured OVP (voltage peak) and Tovp (protection time). The measurement accuracy of protection time is 1 ms.

Operation Steps

1. Select the [Mode] key on the initial interface, and press the [MORE] key to select the [OVP] key to enter the <Overvoltage Protection (OVP)> page.
2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the field to be set, and press the [Enter] key to change the field area from black to brown, at this point, the field area can be set. Use the keyboard or press the

- rotary knob to enter the set value and then press the **[Enter]** key to confirm. The field area will change from brown to black.
- The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
 - The electronic load starts to work when the **ON/OFF** key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated. Press the ON/OFF key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.

7.2.3 Time Test

In the preset condition, the time test is to detect the measured power from a voltage rises/falls to another voltage. After the test is finished, the electronic load displays the interval of two time points. The accuracy of time measurement is 1ms.

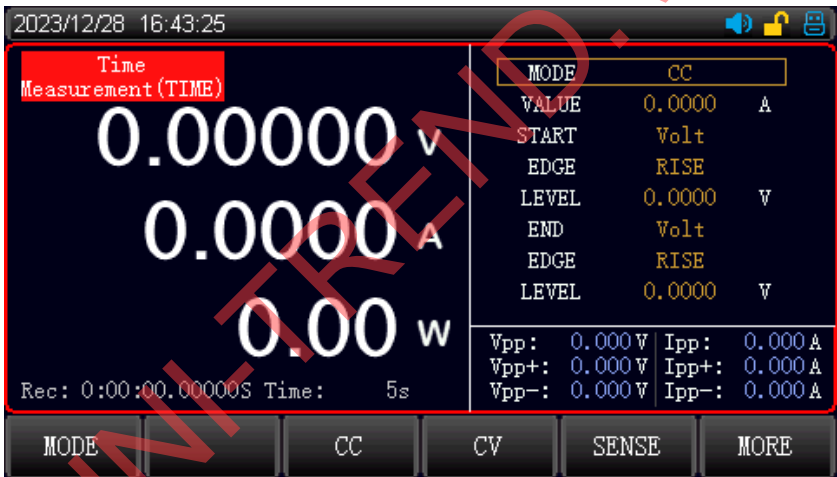


Figure 7-2-6 Time Test Page

Parameter setting of time test

| Parameter | Description |
|-----------------------------|--|
| Mode | Load mode (CC/CV/CR/CP/OFF) |
| Value (Load value) | Set the load value for the selected mode |
| Start (Start trigger) | Set the start condition (voltage/current/external) |
| Edge (Start edge) | Set the start trigger mode (rise/fall) |
| Level (Start trigger value) | Set the stop condition (voltage/current/external) |
| Stop (Stop trigger) | Set the stop condition (voltage/current/external) |
| Edge (Stop edge) | Set the stop trigger mode (rise/fall) |
| Level (Stop trigger value) | Set the stop trigger value |

Before the time test, the load mode, load value, start/stop condition, trigger mode and start/stop value of the electronic load should be preset. During the time test, the electronic load will be loaded according to the preset setting, the electronic load starts time record; when it runs to the stop trigger condition, the electronic load stops time record and display the measured time.

The time test mode simulates the oscilloscope's rising voltage rate test, which can be widely used in the time test of power switch start-up.

Operation Steps

1. Select the **[Mode]** key on the initial interface, and press the **[MORE]** key to select the **[TIME]** key to enter the <Time Measurement (TIME)> page.
2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the field to be set, and press the **[Enter]** key to change the field area from black to brown, at this point, the field area can be set. Use the keyboard or press the rotary knob to enter the set value and then press the **[Enter]** key to confirm. The field area will change from brown to black.
3. The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
4. The electronic load starts to work when the **ON/OFF** key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated. Press the **ON/OFF** key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.

7.2.4 OCP Test

The overcurrent protection test is used to detect whether the OCP function is worked. It can test the OCP of the DUT.

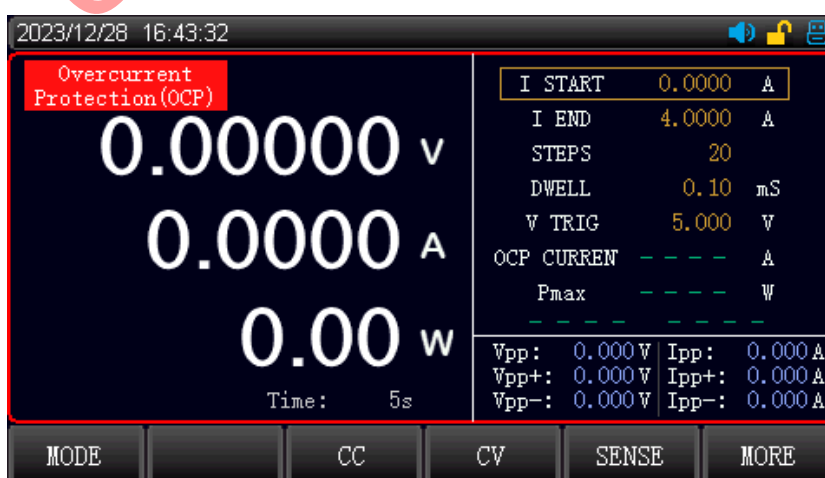


Figure 7-2-7 OCP Mode Page

Parameter setting of OCP

| Parameter | Description |
|--------------------------|--|
| I Start (Start current) | Set the start value for this test mode |
| I End (Cut-off current) | Set the maximum cut-off value for this test mode |
| Steps | Set the number of test for this test mode |
| Dwell (Step time) | Set the time interval for each step |
| V Trig (Trigger voltage) | Set the minimum voltage for cut-off point |

In the OCP mode, the user can set the start current, single-step time and test step to increase the load value.

The OCP test will stop when it reaches to the cut-off point or detects the protective point of the DUT.

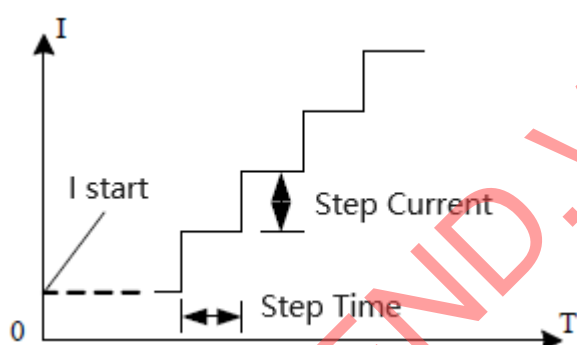


Figure 7-2-8 OCP Test Mode

Description of OCP test mode

As the overload test mode will constantly increase the output power of the DUT, please enter a proper load during the test to avoid damage to the power of the DUT.

After the test is completed, the electronic load displays the time of this test and the current/power of peak point.

Test result of OCP test

When the test result is lower than the cut-off value, it detects the OCP is qualified.

When the test result is greater than the cut-off value, it detects the OCP is unqualified.

Operation Steps

1. Select the **[Mode]** key on the initial interface, and press the **[MORE]** key to select the **[OCP]** key to enter the <Overcurrent Protection (OCP)> page.
2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the field to be set, and press the **[Enter]** key to change the field area from black to brown, at this point, the field area can be set. Use the keyboard or press the rotary knob

to enter the set value and then press the [Enter] key to confirm. The field area will change from brown to black.

3. The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
4. The electronic load starts to work when the ON/OFF key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated.
Press the ON/OFF key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.

7.2.5 CR-LED Test

CR-LED test is a test mode for LED power supply. The LED operating principle can be simulated by simulating the LED break-over voltage and operating current. This test ensures that the test voltage and current in a normal stable range, avoiding the constant resistance discharge causing oscillation and other unstable conditions, so as to better check the actual LED driver power supply with load conditions.

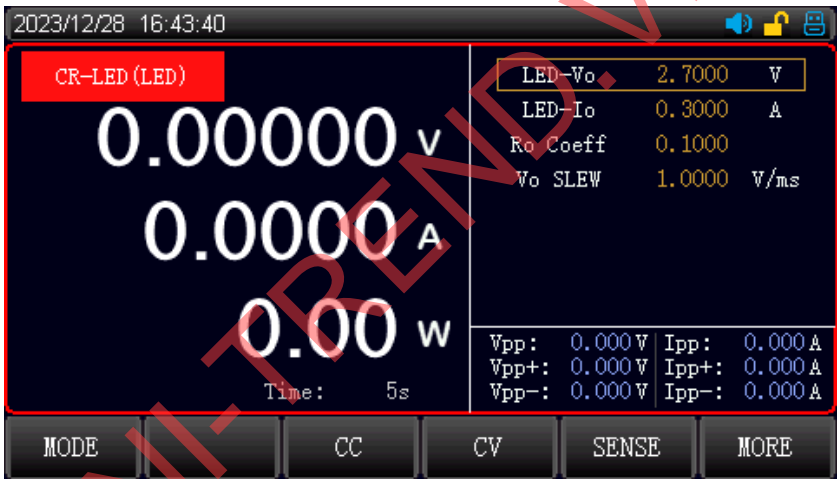


Figure 7-2-9 CR-LED Mode Interface

Parameter setting of CR-LED

| Parameter | Description |
|----------------------------|---|
| LED-Vo (Operating voltage) | The operating voltage under LED power rated current |
| LED-Io (Operating current) | LED power rated output current |
| Rd Coeff (LED coefficient) | Rd of LED (range: 0.1-0.4) |
| Vo Slew (Voltage rate) | Transform rate of voltage |

CR-LED test is mainly used to test LED power supply. By taking into account the diode conduction voltage factors, the operating principle of the diode is more accurately simulated, allowing the test voltage and current to reach a normal stable value.

Operation Steps

1. Select the **[Mode]** key on the initial interface, and press the **[MORE]** key to select the **[CR-LED]** key to enter the <CR-LED> page.
2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the field to be set, and press the **[Enter]** key to change the field area from black to brown, at this point, the field area can be set. Use the keyboard or press the rotary knob to enter the set value and then press the **[Enter]** key to confirm. The field area will change from brown to black.
3. The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
4. The electronic load starts to work when the **ON/OFF** key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated. Press the ON/OFF key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.

7.2.6 Battery Test

Battery test is used to detect the battery capacity. Battery capacity is an important index of battery, it reflects the using time and reliability of battery, so this test is necessary.

During the battery test, the voltage will decreasing with the increasing of discharge time, so it need to set the cut-off voltage, the test will stop when it reaches the cut-off voltage. When the battery is being charged, the voltage will constantly rise with the charge time, so the cut-off voltage for full charge must be set. The test will stop when it reaches the cut-off voltage (the charge test should use the SENSE terminal to collect the voltage).

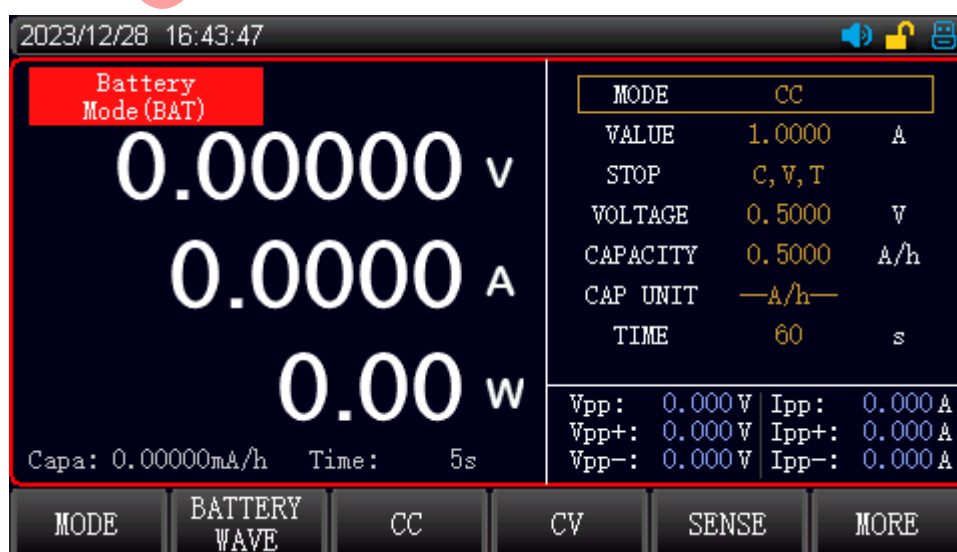


Figure 7-2-10 Battery Test Interface

Parameter Setting of Battery Test

| Parameter | Description |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Mode | Discharge mode: CC/CR/CP |
| Value (Load value) | Set the load value |
| Stop (Stop condition) | Set the stop condition for this test |
| Voltage (Cut-off voltage) | Set the lower limit of voltage (cut-off voltage) for stop discharge |
| Capacity (Cut-off capacity) | Set the accumulated capacity for stop discharge |
| Time (Cut-off time) | Set the stop time for this test |

In the battery test, select a discharge mode according to the needs and set the load and cut-off voltage. The electronic load will automatically stop load when the battery has discharged to the cut-off voltage.

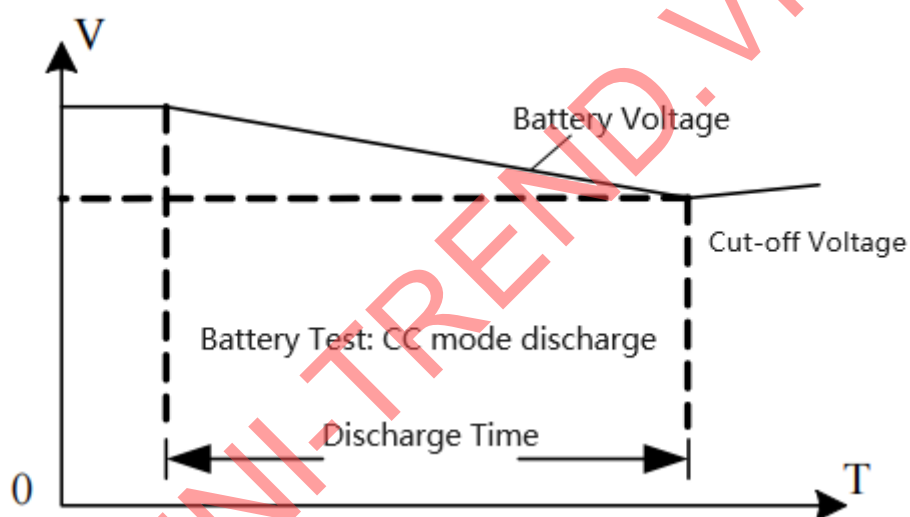


Figure 7-2-11 Battery Test Interface

Description of battery test mode

During the battery test, the battery voltage, discharge current and discharged capacity can be monitored at any time.



Figure 7-2-12 Charge and Discharge Curve

Note: The battery test curve can only be displayed after the test is finished!

Operation Steps

1. Select the **[Mode]** key on the initial interface, and press the **[MORE]** key to select the **[BATTERY]** key to enter the **<Battery Mode (BAT)>** page.
2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the field to be set, and press the **[Enter]** key to change the field area from black to brown, at this point, the field area can be set. Use the keyboard or press the rotary knob to enter the set value and then press the **[Enter]** key to confirm. The field area will change from brown to black.
3. The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
4. The electronic load starts to work when the **ON/OFF** key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated. Press the **ON/OFF** key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.

7.2.7 Automatic List Test

The automatic list test can switch between different modes by setting the parameter. For power product and charger device, through multi-parameter mixed test, the overall performance characteristic of the measured under the actual application field can be fully understood.



Figure 7-2-13 Automatic List Test Setting Interface

Parameter setting of automatic list test

| List Mode | Parameter | Description |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| List name | 24 characters | Set the English name of this list test file for later use |
| Mode | Continuous/Pulse /CONT+EX) /Pulse+EX | Set the switch mode and stop mode for each step |
| Step | 1~200 | Set the step for this group list test |
| Repeat | 1~10000000/LOOP(0) | Set the repeat time for the current list file |
| V on (Load voltage) | 0.01- Maximum load voltage | The test will automatically start when it reaches the load voltage |

List Filename

The internal Flash of the electronic load can save up to 200 groups of list files. When setting the list parameter, please set the list name at first to distinguish different files. EX in the operation mode indicates that the load will automatically stop load if an exception occurs or the check range is exceeded during the operation.

Press the [Enter] key to enter name editing and open the virtual keyboard, use the rotary knob to quickly select the enter character, and press the [Enter] key to enter the currently selected cursor character, and then press the menu key to save.

The delete key is used to quickly clear the name. The backspace key is used to clear a character. The return key is used to exit the current edit.

Editing List Parameter

The step setting is to quickly preset the test step. Press the list key to enter the list parameter page, use the rotary knob to edit the list parameter. Press the [Enter] key and then press the numerical keyboard to enter the set parameter, after the edit is completed, press the softkey "More>>" and save key to save the AutoLIST file.

Operation Mode

Four modes: Continuous/pulse/continuous+EX/pulse+EX

Continuous mode: the load electronic will perform one step and then continue to the next step until the end of the run.

Pulse mode: the load electronics will pause after executing a step. It waits for a trigger signal to execute the next step.

EX mode: the load electronic will automatically stop load if an exception occurs or the limit is exceeded during the operation.

Press [LIST PARAM] key to enter the parameter setting of list parameter.

Parameter setting of list parameter

| Item | Parameter | Description |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| No. | 1-16 | Set the step for this group list test |
| Mode | CC/CV/CR/CP/Open/Short | Select the current step |
| Value (Constant value) | Set the constant value for the mode | Set the constant value for the mode, the default constant value of Open/Short is 1 |
| Time | 100~9999999 mS | Set the load time for each step, which can be selected the from the range of 100~9999999 mS |
| Exami (Check) | OFF/current/voltage/power/IPP/VPP | Select the check item |
| Lower limit | The lower limit of check item | Set the lower limit of check item |
| Upper limit | The upper limit of check item | Set the upper limit of check item |

When the test is complete, the user can press the soft menu key to check the test result. If the test result within the user-defined upper and lower limit, then the test result will display Pass. If the test result does not meet the upper and lower limit, then the test result will display Fail. In addition, the test result of each item can be checked.

When using the check function of the automatic list mode, the range of the check item cannot be checked in single constant mode. For example, in CC mode, only the voltage and power value can be checked, the upper and lower limit of the current cannot be checked.

After the parameter is set, press the save key to save the list parameter to the current file.



Figure 7-2-14 Automatic List Test Interface

Operation Steps

1. Select the **[Mode]** key on the initial interface, or press the **[MORE]** key to select the **[AUTO LIST]** key to enter the **<Auto List (A LIST)>** page.
2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the field to be set, and press the **[Enter]** key to change the field area from black to brown, at this point, the field area can be set. Use the keyboard or press the rotary knob to enter the set value and then press the **[Enter]** key to confirm. The field area will change from brown to black.
3. The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
4. The electronic load starts to work when the **ON/OFF** key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated. Press the **ON/OFF** key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.



Note: The input data cannot exceed the upper and lower limit of the current parameter. If the input data exceeds the parameter limit, the data cannot be saved and the cursor will stay in the box. At this point, the input data should be cleared or re-enter the proper range. When the number in the list needs to be changed, click the delete key to clear the data in the list. Each time the parameter setting is completed, press the save key to save the parameter setting for later use.

7.2.8 Short Circuit Test

The electronic load can simulate a short-circuited circuit in the input terminal, it is used to detect whether the protection function of the DUT is working when the output terminal of the DUT is short-circuited.

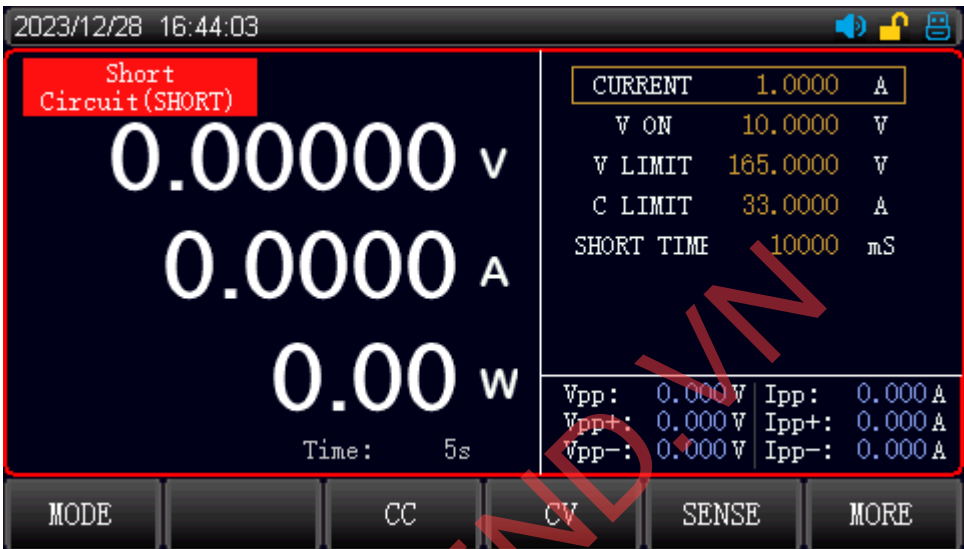


Figure 7-2-15 Short Circuit Test Interface

Parameter Setting of Short Circuit

| Parameter | Description |
|------------------------|---|
| Current (Load current) | The load current that is not in the short circuit state |
| V ON (Load voltage) | Set the starting voltage for enabling load |
| V Limit (OVP) | Set the protection value for OVP |
| C Limit (OCP) | Set the protection value for OCP |
| Short Time | Set the short test time |

In the short-circuit test, when the short-circuit test is enabled by pressing the TRIG key and the set short-circuit time is reached, the electronic load returns to its original operating state.

The actual current drawn by the electronic load in short-circuit mode, it depends on the current operating mode and current range of the electronic load. During the short-circuit test, the electronic load is loaded with the full range, and if one of the current/power reaches the upper limit first, the load is loaded with the full range of this upper limit.



Note: The short circuit mode can only be valid in CC, CV, CR and CP mode.

When the nominal power of the power supply is greater than the maximum power 1.5 times of the electronic load, the function should be tested with an appropriate voltage setting before use.

Appropriate voltage < maximum nominal power of the electronic load / maximum nominal current of power supply

Operation Steps

1. Select the **[Mode]** key on the initial interface, and press the **[MORE]** key to select the **[SHORT]** to enter the **<Short Circuit (SHORT)>** page.
2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the field to be set, and press the **[Enter]** key to change the field area from black to brown, at this point, the field area can be set. Use the keyboard or press the rotary knob to enter the set value and then press the **[Enter]** key to confirm. The field area will change from brown to black.
3. The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
4. The electronic load starts to work when the **ON/OFF** key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated. Press the **ON/OFF** key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.
5. Press the function key **TRIG** at the bottom of screen to enter the short circuit test mode, the state bar will display "Short" character when this mode is enabled.
6. Note: the step 4 and step 5 can be exchanged, if the step 4 is executed before the step 5, press the **ON/OFF** key to enable the electronic load, the electronic load will load with the set current and then enter the short-circuit state. If the step 5 is executed before the step 4, press the **ON/OFF** key to enter the short-circuit state directly.

7.2.9 Load Effect Test

The load effect test can be performed under three different load conditions (10%, 50%, 100%), each for a preset time (5 s), and then record the voltage values under different loads, and finally calculate the load regulation rate, ΔV and R_s .

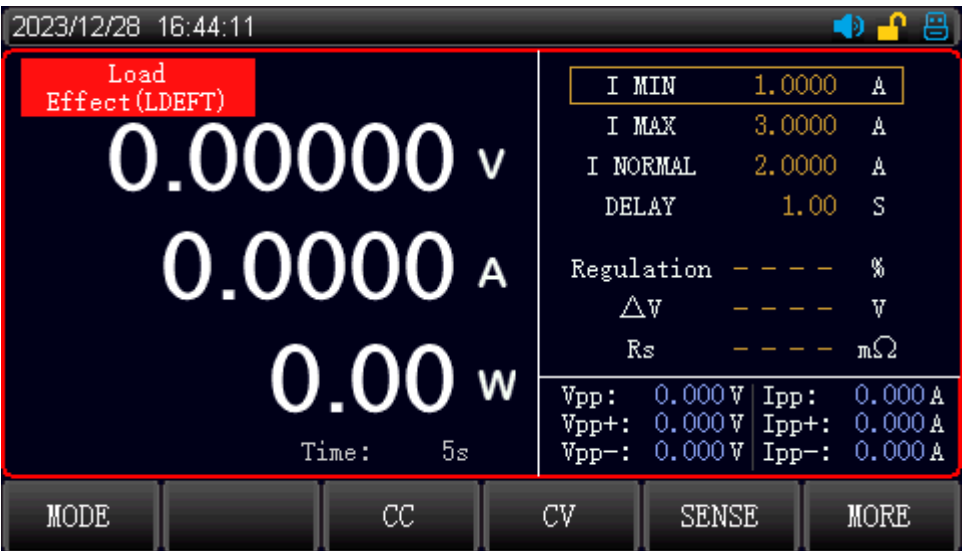


Figure 7-2-16 Load Effect Test Interface

Parameter Setting of Load Effect

| Parameter | Description |
|-----------|---|
| I Min | Set load current that stimulates low current working load |
| I Max | Set load current that stimulates high current working load |
| I Normal | Set load current stimulates normal current working load |
| Delay | Set the transfer residence time e of the load under each simulated load |

During the load effect test, the electronic load calculates ΔV and Regulation (load regulation ratio) according to the three different loads.

$V_{max}=V_{dc}@I_{min}$

$V_{min}=V_{dc}@I_{max}$

$\Delta V=V_{max}-V_{min}$

$R_s= \Delta V / (V_{max}-V_{min})$

$Regulation=\Delta V/V_{normal}$

Before the load effect test, the rated voltage and rated current should be entered firstly, and then press the ON/OFF key to enter the test, the electronic load will be loaded with three different load in turn and detect the value of ΔV , regulation and R_s . During the test, the ON/OFF key can be used to control the load switch.

Operation Steps

1. Select the [Mode] key on the initial interface, and press the [MORE] key to select the [LOAD EFFECT] to enter the <Load Effect (LDEFT)> page.

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2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the field to be set, and press the [Enter] key to change the field area from black to brown, at this point, the field area can be set. Use the keyboard or press the rotary knob to enter the set value and then press the [Enter] key to confirm. The field area will change from brown to black.
3. The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
4. The electronic load starts to work when the ON/OFF key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated. Press the ON/OFF key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.

7.2.10 Dual Mode (Dual)

In order to meet more test requirements, the electronic load provides three combination modes, CR+CC, CV+CR, CV+CC. The user can choose the appropriate mode according to the actual situation. CR+CC can be used for power-on test of power supply. CV+CR can be used for Von point setting application. CV+CC can be applied to the battery discharge test.

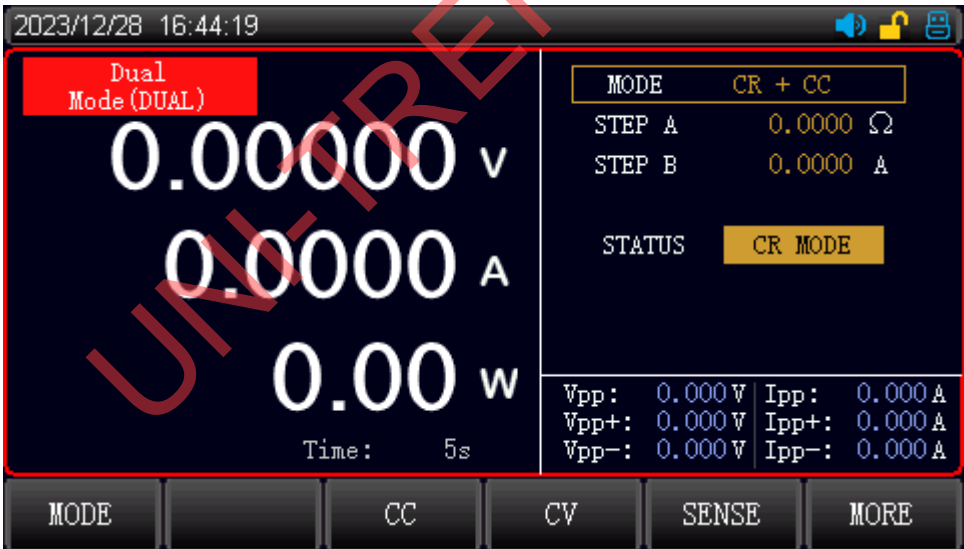


Figure 7-2-17 Combination Test Interface

Parameter Setting of Battery Test

| Parameter | Description |
|--------------------------|---|
| Dual Mode | CR+CC/CV+CR/CV+CC |
| Step A (Starting value) | Set the load value of starting mode under the combination mode |
| Step B (Switching value) | Set the load value of switching mode under the combination mode |

Before using the combination test, select the combination mode and set the constant value for the two mode. When the electronic load starts to load, it will be loaded with the constant value of the first mode, and when the external input changes the parameter to the set switching value, the electronic load switches to the second load mode.

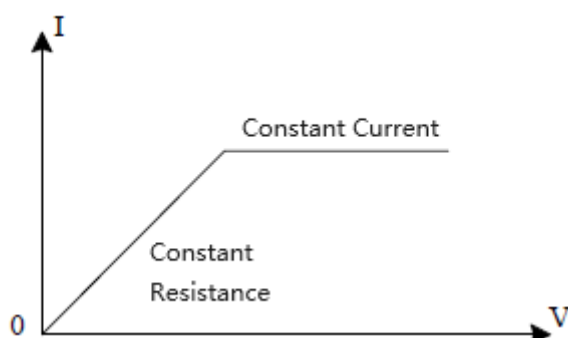


Figure 7-2-18 Combination Test Mode

Description of combination test

When using the combination test, it is necessary to set appropriate starting and switching parameters to ensure that the effective switching can be performed during the test process.

Operation Steps

1. Select the **[Mode]** key on the initial interface, and press the **[MORE]** key to select the **[DUAL]** to enter the **<Dual Mode(DUAL)>** page.
2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the field to be set, and press the **[Enter]** key to change the field area from black to brown, at this point, the field area can be set. Use the keyboard or press the rotary knob to enter the set value and then press the **[Enter]** key to confirm. The field area will change from brown to black.
3. The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
4. The electronic load starts to work when the **ON/OFF** key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated. Press the **ON/OFF** key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.

7.2.11 List Test

The list test is used to simulate the actual load condition or to edit the complicated load waveform. The electronic load is loaded according to the sequence in the file and loaded in sequence.

The electronic load supports up to 21 files. Each file supports up to 200 steps. The current change rate can be set for each step.



Figure 7-2-19 List Test Interface

Parameter setting of list test

| | | |
|-------------|-----------------------|---|
| List Mode | Parameter | Description |
| Enable file | 0~20 | Set the name of test file for later use |
| Step | 0~200 | Set the test step for this group list test |
| Repeat | 1~10000000/LLOOP | Set the repeat time for the current list file |
| Mode | Continuous/count/step | Set the switch and stop mode for each step |

Enable File

The internal Flash of the electronic load can save up to 21 groups of list files. When setting the list parameter, please set the list name at first to distinguish different files.

Press the [Enter] key to enter name editing and open the virtual keyboard, use the rotary knob to quickly select the enter character, and press the [Enter] key to enter the currently entered parameter, and then press the menu key to save.

The backspace key is used to clear a character. The return key is used to exit the current edit.

Editing List Parameter

The step setting is to quickly preset the test step. Press the list key to enter the list parameter page, use the rotary knob to edit the list parameter (the blue checkbox is the quick selection box of LIST Step, and the green checkbox is the edit box of LIST Subdivision Entry). Press the [Enter] key and then press the

numerical keyboard to enter the set parameter, after the edit is completed, press the softkey “More>>” and save key to save the LIST file.

Operation Mode

Operation mode: continuous/count/step

Continuous: the electronic load is continuously loaded in sequence.

Count (Step by step): Each time a trigger signal is received, the electronic load will load in sequence and repeat the period of 1~10000000. The electronic load will stop load when the test is finished.

Step: Each time a trigger signal is received, the electronic load will set the load according to the next step in the file.

Parameter setting of list test mode

| Item | Parameter | Description |
|--------------------------|------------------|---|
| No. | 1~200 | Set the test step for this group list test |
| Current | 0~30A | Load current |
| Slew Rate | 0.0006A/us~3A/us | The current change rate |
| Dwell (Single step time) | 0.00001s~100000s | Set the load time for each step, which can be selected from the range of 0.00001s~100000s |

After the parameter is set, press the save key to save the list parameter to the current file.



Figure 7-2-20 List Test Mode Interface

Operation Steps

1. Select the [Mode] key on the initial interface, and press the [MORE] key to select the [LIST] to enter the <List Mode (LIST)> page.

2. Use the rotary knob to move the cursor to the field to be set, and press the **[Enter]** key to change the field area from black to brown, at this point, the field area can be set. Use the keyboard or press the rotary knob to enter the set value and then press the **[Enter]** key to confirm. The field area will change from brown to black.
3. The operation step of other parameters are the same as above.
4. The electronic load starts to work when the **ON/OFF** key is pressed, and the indicator will be illuminated. Press the ON/OFF key again, the electronic load will stop working, and the indicator will be extinguished.



Note: The input data cannot exceed the upper and lower limit of the current parameter. If the input data exceeds the parameter limit, the data cannot be saved and the cursor will stay in the box. At this point, the input data should be cleared or re-enter the proper range. When the number in the list needs to be changed, click the delete key to clear the data in the list. Each time the parameter setting is completed, press the save key to save the parameter setting for later use.

7.3 Parameter Input and Load Measurement

The electronic load has two parameter input methods. The entered parameter can be changed by using the arrow key or the rotary knob. The electronic load can be controlled by pressing the ON/OFF key on the front panel. The detailed is described in the following sections.

7.3.1 Keyboard Input

Entering the parameter setting interface, select the parameter to be set and use the numerical keyboard to enter the parameter directly, and then press the **[Enter]** key after the setting is completed.

If the set parameter is within the valid range, then the parameter will be available and displayed on the screen. If the user set parameter exceeds the upper/lower limit, the set number will not appear and the cursor will jump to the first number, at this point, re-enter a number that within the valid range and then press the **[Enter]** key to complete the setting.

7.3.2 Rotary Knob Input

Before entering the parameter, the cursor has a default value, it can be adjusted by using the rotary knob and moving the arrow key to move the cursor until the number is set, and then press the [Enter] key to complete the setting.

Note: When the parameter reaches the upper/lower limit set by the rotary knob, the number cannot be changed.

7.3.3 Ripple Measurement

UTL8500+ and UTL8500X+ series supports the measurement and simultaneous display of voltage ripple (V_{pp}) and current ripple (I_{pp}). The measurement method is different from that of a traditional oscilloscope. The ripple measurement has good flatness and accuracy in a given measurement range and bandwidth. Meanwhile, the ripple contains two different frequency bands of ripple, industrial frequency ripple and switching ripple. The ripple test result of the electronic load is the effect of the superposition of two ripples.

7.3.4 Input Control

When the electronic load is turned on but the load is not working, press the ON/OFF key on the front panel to control the input switch. If the ON/OFF indicator is lighted, which indicates the input is enabled and the real-time voltage, current and power in the current loop will be displayed on the screen. If the ON/OFF indicator is off, which indicates the input is disabled and the voltage at the both ends will be displayed on the screen.

7.4 Trigger Mode



When using the dynamic mode, list test and time test, it may use the external trigger function, the user can enable the external trigger input function by turning on the external trigger switch.

The trigger level can select high level trigger or low level trigger.

Operation Steps

1. Press the [Menu] key to enter the system setting, and press the [DYNAMIC SETTING] key at the bottom to select the dynamic setting. If the external trigger is OFF, which indicates internal trigger by default. If the external trigger is ON, which indicates the external trigger is enabled.
2. When the external trigger is enabled, the input signal can be imported via the trigger terminal on the rear panel. The input signal can control each step of the electronic load, so the active level can be changed by the trigger level.
3. Trig key on the front panel can also be used as trigger control during the test.

7.5 Sense Function

When the electronic load consumes a large current, it will generate a large voltage drop between the electronic load and the DUT's connecting wire. To ensure an accurate measurement, the electronic load provides a Sense terminal in the rear panel, the terminal can measure the accurate voltage of the DUT's output terminal.

Operation Steps

1. On each test page, press the function key [SENSE] at the bottom of the screen, an icon of [Sense] will appear on the top of the screen, indicating that the remote compensation function is enabled. At this point, the voltage detected by the sense terminal as the actual voltage.
2. Press the function key [SENSE] again to turn off the remote compensation function. At this point, the voltage of the main terminal connected to the front panel as the actual voltage.



Note: The DUT must be correctly connected to the positive and negative terminals.
During the test, Sense cannot be switched.

7.6 Screenshot

When USB connects to the front panel, the electronic load will automatically recognize a USB device and an icon



will display in the right corner of the screen, indicating that USB is connected.

The screenshot function can be used by long pressing the rotary knob, and then the current screenshot will save to USB. During the save process, a loading bar will display at the bottom of the screen, it will automatically disappear when the storage is complete, indicating that the current screenshot has been successfully saved to USB.

Because the screenshot takes up a lot of space, it can only be saved to USB. The screenshot in USB can be checked by the computer.

The screenshot path is USB:\UTL8500+\SCREENSHOT

7.7 Save/Load List Configuration

A new file folder "UTL8500+" will appear in the root directory when the electronic load detects a USB connection.

This directory is used to save the screenshot and the list configuration file. File manager can be used by selecting [MORE] on the list parameter interface, and pressing the [FILE] key at the bottom of the screen, and then performing the operation of delete file, save file to USB or load file, etc.

The screenshot name consists of 4 numbers in sequence and is in BMP format. The list file name is the current file name and in .csv format. These files can be opened and edited by using EXCEL software and then load to the device.

UTL8500+ and UTL8500X+ series can save frequently-used test file to USB or internal Flash, Flash can save up to 200 groups of test files.



Note: USB format must be FAT32 and the allocation size cannot greater than 4096 bytes. The maximum capacity is 32G.

Before using USB, please formatting USB in advance, otherwise it may fail to save the file.

It is recommended to use a branded USB.

7.8 Real-time Waveform

UTL8500X+ series has real-time waveform display function, press the function key [WAVE] at the bottom of the screen to check the voltage and current waveform as shown in Figure 7-7-1.



Figure 7-7-1 Current and Voltage Waveform under CC Mode

Ripple value: the ripple value of voltage and current is displayed on the right side, orange is the voltage wave data, the blue is current wave data.

Period: 40us is period for each grid

Note: voltage and current waveform is self-adopting display

8. System Setting

In non-operation state, press the [Menu] key on the front panel to enter the system configuration page. The system configuration page is divide into <System Configuration>, <Parameter Setting>, <Dynamic Setting>, <CV Setting> and <Device Information>. Press the function key at the bottom of the screen to select the corresponding setting page.

8.1 <System Configuration> Page

Press the [System] key to enter the <SYSTEM CONFIG> page as shown in Figure 8-1.

Language, time and communication and other setting can be set in this page, refer to Table 8-1 for more details.



Figure 8-1 <System Configuration> Page

Table 8-1 <System Configuration>

| System parameter | Setting | Description |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| Language | Simplified Chinese/English | Set the system language |
| Date | Year/month/day | Set the system date |
| Time | Hour/minute/second/ | Set the system time |
| Key Beep | OFF/ON | Set whether the key sound is turned on |
| Warning Beep | OFF/ON | Set whether the alarm sound is turned on |
| Real Recording (Power-off record) | OFF/ON | Set whether the power-off record is recorded |
| Knob Active (Effective immediately) | OFF/ON | Set whether the effective immediately function is turned on |

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|-----------------|--|---|
| Measure Rate | High/fast/medium/slow | The test speed has four ranges |
| Com Bus | RS232/RS485 | Set the communication port (RS485 can connect converter) |
| Com Mode | SCPI/MODBUS | Select the communication protocol (MODBUS keeps extension) |
| Brightness | 5/20/40/50/60/80/100% | Set the brightness of the screen |
| Address | 1~255 | Multi-machine communication for 485 bus |
| BPS (Baud rate) | 4800/9600/19200/ 38400/57600/115200 | Set the baud rate for the communication port |
| Factory set | Reset | The instrument will clear the current settings and restore to the factory settings |

8.2 <Parameter Setting> Page

Press the [Menu] key to enter the system configuration page, select the [PARAMETER SETTING] at the bottom of the screen to enter the parameter setting page as shown in Figure 8-2. The parameter setting is used to set the operating parameter and protection parameter.

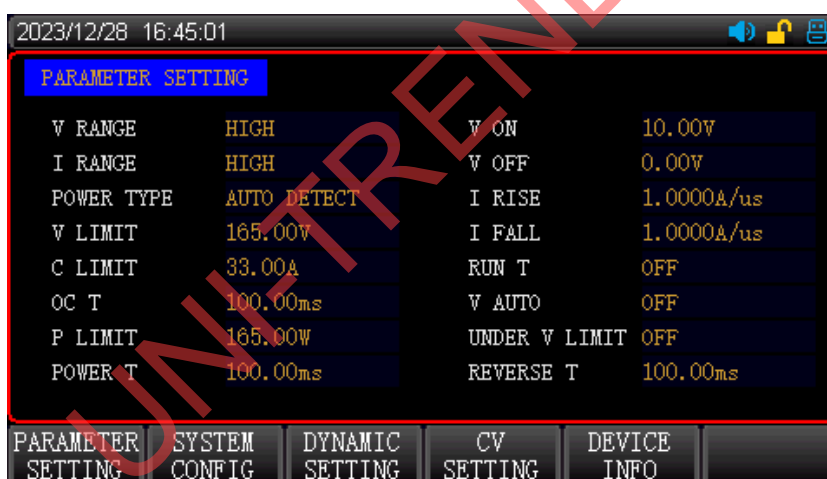


Figure 8-2 Parameter Setting Page

| Parameter | Range | Description |
|------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| V range | High/low | 0~150 V/0~15 V |
| I range | High/low | 0~30 A/0~3 A |
| Power type | CC Source/CV Source/Auto detect | Set the measured power type |
| V Limit (OVP) | 0~150 V*110 % | Set the protection value for OVP |
| C Limit (OCP) | 0~30 A*110 % | Set the protection value for OCP |
| OC T(Overcurrent time) | 0-9999.99 mS | Set the overrun hold time for OCP |
| P Limit | 0~400 W*110 % | Set the protection value for OPP |
| Power T | 0-9999.99 mS | Set the overrun hold time for OPP |

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| V ON (Load voltage) | 0~150 V | Set the load voltage for the start of each run |
| V OFF (un-load voltage) | 0~150 V | Set the low voltage for automatic end of load |
| I-rise | 0.0006~3 A/uS | Set the current rising slope under loading |
| I-fall | 0.0006~3 A/uS | Set the current falling slope under loading |
| Run T | 0 (OFF)~9999.99S | The pull load is held until the discharge time is reached and then automatically unloaded. |
| V-auto (Auto-start voltage) | 0 (OFF)~150 V | The auto-start is enabled when detecting the self-start voltage is greater than the set value. |
| Under V Limit (Runt-voltage protection) | 0 (OFF)~150 V | When the power is pull loading, it will alarm if the voltage is lower than the set voltage. |
| Reverse T (Reversed connection time) | 0~9999.99 mS | Protection hold time for power reversed connection |

8.3 <Dynamic Setting> Page

Press the [Menu] key to enter the <SYSTEM CONFIG> page, and then select the function key [DYNAMIC SETTING] at bottom of the screen to enter the [DYNAMIC SETTING] page. The setting is used to set the relevant setting of dynamic. The external trigger and trigger condition are suitable for each trigger setting.

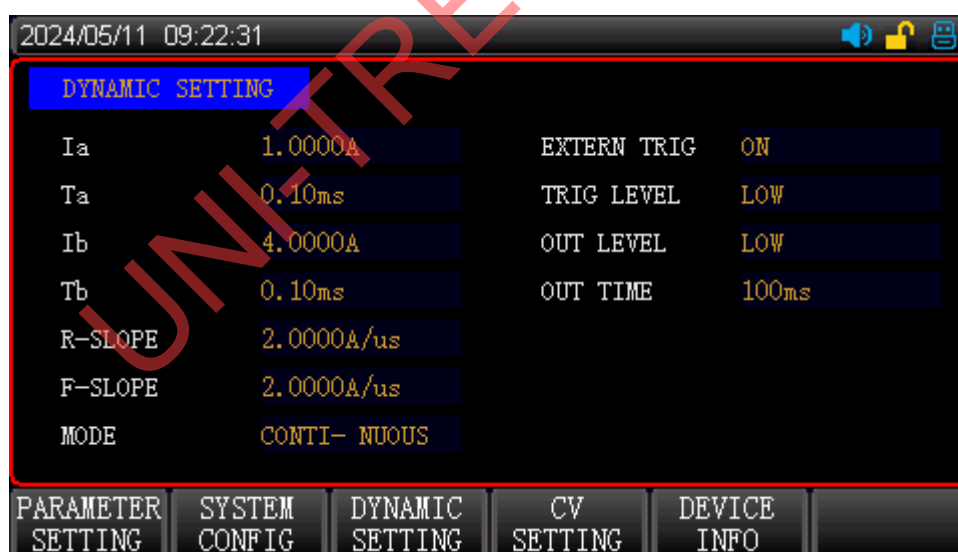


Figure 8-3 Dynamic Setting Page

| Parameter | Range | Description |
|-----------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| Ia | 0~30A | Current of A point |
| Ta | 0.01~1000000 mS | Current hold time of A point |
| Ib | 0~30A | Current of B point |
| Tb | 0.01~1000000 mS | Current hold time of B point |

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|---------------|-------------------------|---|
| R-slope | 0.0006~3A/uS | Set the current rising rate for the dynamic test |
| F-slope | 0.0006~3A/uS | Set the current falling rate for the dynamic test |
| Mode | Continuous/pulse/toggle | Set the operation mode for the dynamic test |
| External trig | OFF/ON | Set the input switch for the external trigger signal |
| Trig level | Low/High | Set the input level signal for the external trigger signal |
| Out Level | Low/High | Level output of the PASS/FAIL signal used to complete the automatic list function test |
| Out Time | HOLD/xx ms | Level output hold time of PASS/FAIL signal used for automatic list function test completion. (xx ms/HOLD until next test triggers signal) |

8.4 <CV Setting> Page

Press the [Menu] key to enter the <SYSTEM CONFIG> page, and then select the function key [CV SETTING] at bottom of the screen to enter the [CV SETTING] page. CV setting includes voltage rate and loop circuit rate.

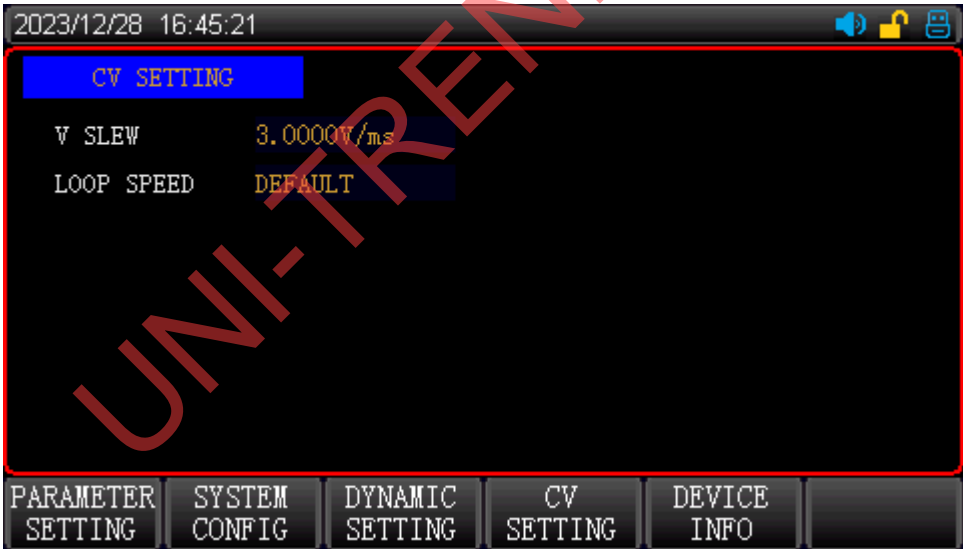


Figure 5-4 CV Setting Page

| Parameter | Range | Description |
|-------------------|--------------------|---|
| Voltage rate | 0.001~3 V/ mS | Set the voltage rising and falling rate |
| Loop circuit rate | Default /1~8 range | Set the loop circuit response rate under the CV mode, select an appropriate speed range for more power test |

8.5 Device Information

This page displays the device information of model, serial number, software version and hardware version.



9. Communication

9.1 RS232

UTL8500+ and UTL8500X+ series is equipped with RS232, so the user can choose the communication wire for remote control.

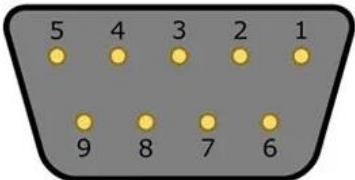
There is a DB9 female connector at the end of the electronic load which can be connected to the COM port of the computer using a standard RS-232 cable.

When purchasing a USB communication cable, please note that USB to serial RS232 cable is preferred.

Caution: In practice, the electronic load uses only three pins of 2.3.5 to communicate with the device. It is recommended to switch off the instrument when connecting to the connector to avoid electric shock.

Definition of RS232 pin

| Pin No. | Symbol | Description |
|---------|--------|---------------------|
| 1 | DCD | Data Carrier Detect |
| 2 | TXD | Transmit Data |
| 3 | RXD | Receive Data |
| 4 | DTR | Data Terminal Ready |
| 5 | GND | Ground |



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|---|-----|-----------------|--|
| 6 | DSR | Data Set Ready | |
| 7 | RTS | Request to Send | |
| 8 | CTS | Clear to Sent | |
| 9 | RI | Ring Indicator | |

9.2 Communication Setting

Communication setting is used to set the communication parameter between the electronic load and the upper computer. The electronic load communicates with the upper computer through RS232, and users can purchase the required connection cable to realize the remote control with the electronic load.

Before connecting to the upper computer, please make sure you have purchased the specified connection cable and set the correct communication parameters in the system settings.

Setting steps

1. Press the [System] key on the panel to enter the <SYSTEM CONFIG> page.
2. Select [COMS BUS] and [BPS] on the <SYSTEM CONFIG> page, set the parameter is same as that of the upper computer.

9.3 Sense Terminal

When the electronic load consumes a large current, it will generate a large voltage drop between the electronic load and the DUT's connecting wire. To ensure an accurate measurement, the electronic load provides a Sense terminal in the rear panel, the terminal can measure the accurate voltage of the DUT's output terminal.

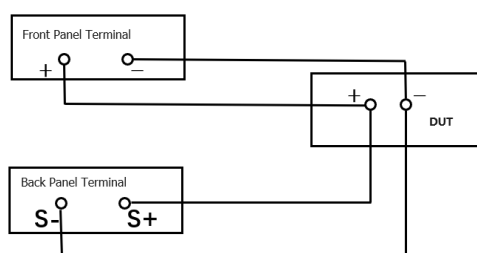


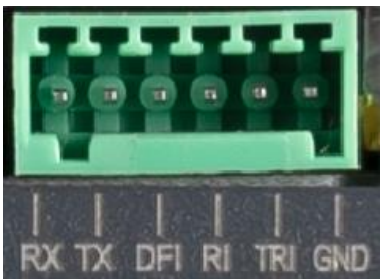
Figure 9-1 Wiring of Sense Terminal

S+ and S- are the remote input terminal. To avoid voltage drops caused by long load input lines, the remote test allows the input terminal source to be measured directly to improve measurement accuracy.

9.4 Handler Interface

Connection terminal

| Terminal | Description |
|----------|--------------------------------|
| RX | Keep/remote control pull load |
| TX | External trigger signal output |
| DFI | Device failure output |
| RI | Forbid remote input signal |
| TRI | Trigger signal input (TRIG) |
| GND | Ground (GND) |



A trigger is activated when the TRIG port is pulled low.

9.5 Factory Setting

After the reset is completed, the instrument setting will restore to the preset parameter.

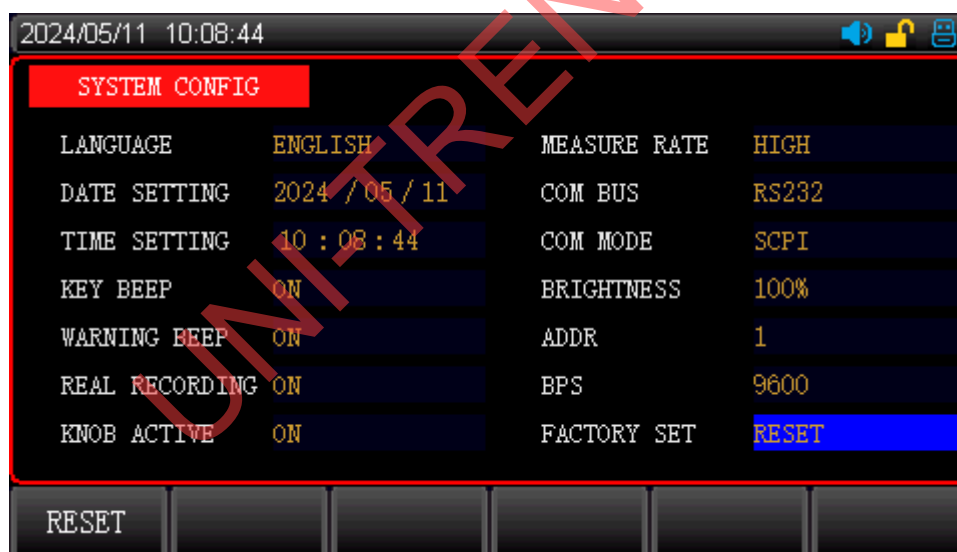


Figure 9-2 Factory Setting Page

Operation steps of factory setting

1. Press the [System] key on the panel to enter the <SYSTEM CONFIG> page.
2. Select [FACTORY SET] on the <SYSTEM CONFIG> page, and then press the confirm key to restore the instrument setting to the preset parameter.
3. After the reset is completed, do not operate. The instrument will automatically reboot after 2 seconds.

10. Appendix

10.1 Appendix A Maintenance and Cleaning

(1) General maintenance

Keep the instrument away from the direct sunlight.

Caution

Keep sprays, liquids and solvents away from the instrument or probe to avoid damaging the instrument or probe.

(2) Cleaning

Check the instrument frequently according to the operating condition. Follow these steps to clean the external surface of the instrument:

- a. Please use a soft cloth to wipe the dust outside the instrument.
- b. When cleaning the LCD screen, please pay attention and protect the transparent LCD screen.
- c. When cleaning the dust screen, use a screwdriver to remove the screws of the dust cover and then remove the dust screen. After cleaning, install the dust screen in sequence.
- d. Please disconnect the power supply, then wipe the instrument with a damp but not dripping soft cloth. Do not use any abrasive chemical cleaning agent on the instrument or probes.

Warning

Please confirm that the instrument is completely dry before use, to avoid electrical shorts or even personal injury caused by moisture.

10.2 Appendix B Warranty Overview

UNI-T (UNI-TREND TECHNOLOGY (CHINA) CO., LTD.) ensures the production and sale of products, from authorized dealer's delivery date of three years, without any defects in materials and workmanship. If the product is proven to be defective within this period, UNI-T will repair or replace the product in accordance with the detailed provisions of the warranty.

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10.3 Appendix C Contact Us

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