

1507/1503 Insulation Testers

Technical Data



The Fluke 1507 and 1503 Insulation Testers are compact, rugged, reliable, and easy to use. With their multiple test voltages, they are ideal for many troubleshooting, commissioning, and preventative maintenance applications. Additional features, like the remote probe on these tools save both time and money when performing tests.

Features and benefits:

- Insulation test range:
 - 1507: 0.01 MΩ to 10 GΩ
 - 1503: 0.1 MΩ to 2000 MΩ
- Insulation test voltages:
 - 1507: 50 V, 100 V, 250 V, 500 V, 1000 V
 - 1503: 500 V, 1000 V
- Save both time and money with Automatic calculation of Polarization Index and Dielectric Absorption Ratio
- Make repetitive tests simple and easy with the 1507's Compare (Pass/Fail) function (only available on the 1507)
- Repetitive or hard-to-reach testing is easy with the remote test probe
- Live circuit detection prevents insulation test if voltage > 30 V is detected for added user protection
- Auto-discharge of capacitive voltage for added user protection
- AC/DC voltage: 0.1 V to 600 V
- 200 mA Continuity
- Resistance: 0.01 Ω to 20.00 KΩ
- Save battery power with auto power off
- Read measurements easily with large, backlit display
- CAT IV 600 V overvoltage category rating for added user protection
- Remote probe, test leads, probes and alligator clips included with each tester
- Accepts optional Fluke TPAK magnetic hanging system to free your hands for other work
- Four AA alkaline batteries (NEDA 15 A or IEC LR6) for at least 1000 insulation tests
- One-year warranty

1507/1503 Specifications

AC/DC voltage measurement

Accuracy

Range	Resolution	50 Hz to 400 Hz ± (% of Rdg + Digits)
600.0 V	0.1 V	± (2 % + 3)

Input impedance: 3 MΩ (nominal), < 100 pF

Common mode rejection ratio (1 kΩ unbalanced): > 60 dB at dc, 50 or 60 Hz

Overload protection: 600 V rms or dc

Earth bond resistance measurement

Range	Resolution	Accuracy ¹ + (% of Rdg + Digits)
20.00 Ω	0.01 Ω	± (1.5 % + 3)
200.0 Ω	0.1 Ω	
2000 Ω	1 Ω	
20.00 kΩ	0.01 kΩ	

¹Accuracies apply from 0 to 100 % of range.

Overload protection: 2 V rms or dc

Open circuit test voltage: > 4.0 V, < 8 V

Short circuit current: > 200.0 mA

Insulation specifications

Measurement range: 0.01 MΩ to 10 GΩ model 1507, 0.01 MΩ to 2000 MΩ model 1503

Test voltages: 50 V, 100 V, 250 V, 500 V, 1000 V

Test voltage accuracy: + 20 %, - 0 %

Short-circuit test current: 1 mA nominal

Auto discharge: Discharge time < 0.5 second for C = 1 μF or less

Live circuit detection: Inhibit test if terminal voltage > 30 V prior to initialization of test

Maximum capacitive load: Operable with up to 1 μF load

Accuracy (Model 1507)

Output Voltage	Display Range	Resolution	Test Current	Accuracy ± (% of Rdg + Digits)
50 V (0 % to + 20 %)	0.01 MΩ to 20.00 MΩ	0.01 MΩ	1 mA @ 50 kΩ	± (3 % + 5)
	20.0 MΩ to 50.0 MΩ	0.1 MΩ		
100 V (0 % to + 20 %)	0.01 MΩ to 20.00 MΩ	0.01 MΩ	1 mA @ 100 kΩ	± (3 % + 5)
	20.0 MΩ to 100.0 MΩ	0.1 MΩ		
250 V (0 % to + 20 %)	0.01 MΩ to 20.00 MΩ	0.01 MΩ	1 mA @ 250 kΩ	± (1.5 % + 5)
	20.0 MΩ to 200.0 MΩ	0.1 MΩ		
500 V (0 % to + 20 %)	0.01 MΩ to 20.00 MΩ	0.01 MΩ	1 mA @ 500 kΩ	± (1.5 % + 5)
	20.0 MΩ to 200.0 MΩ	0.1 MΩ		
	200 MΩ to 500 MΩ	1 MΩ		
1000 V (0 % to + 20 %)	0.1 MΩ to 200.0 MΩ	0.1 MΩ	1 mA @ 1 MΩ	± (1.5 % + 5)
	200 MΩ to 2000 MΩ	1 MΩ		
	2.0 GΩ to 10.0 GΩ	0.1 GΩ		± (10 % + 3)

Accuracy (Model 1503)

Output Voltage	Display Range	Resolution	Test Current	Accuracy ± (% of Rdg + Digits)
500 V (0 % to + 20 %)	0.1 MΩ to 20.00 MΩ	0.01 MΩ	1 mA @ 500 kΩ	± (2.0 % + 5)
	20.0 MΩ to 200.0 MΩ	0.1 MΩ		
	200 MΩ to 500 MΩ	1 MΩ		
1000 V (0 % to + 20 %)	0.1 MΩ to 200.0 MΩ	0.1 MΩ	1 mA @ 1 MΩ	± (2.0 % + 5)
	200 MΩ to 2000 MΩ	1 MΩ		

EN61557 Specifications

The following tables are a requirement for European labeling.

Measurement	Intrinsic Uncertainty	Operating Uncertainty ¹
Volts	± (2.0 % + 3)	30 %
Earth Bond Resistance	± (1.5 % + 3)	30 %
Insulation Resistance	Depends on test voltage and range. See Insulation Test specifications.	30 %

¹This specification comes from the standard and indicates the maximum amount allowable by the standard.

EN61557 influence variables and uncertainties

Earth Bond Resistance Influence Variable	Designation per EN61557	Uncertainty for Insulation Resistance	Uncertainty for Earth Bond Resistance
Supply Voltage	E2	5 %	5 %
Temperature	E3	5 %	5 %

¹Specification confidence level 99 %.

The following tables can be used to determine the maximum or minimum display values considering maximum instrument operating error per EN61557-1, 5.2.4.

Insulation resistance maximum and minimum display values

50 V		100 V		250 V		500 V		1000 V	
Limit Value	Minimum Display Value	Limit Value	Minimum Display Value	Limit Value	Minimum Display Value	Limit Value	Minimum Display Value	Limit Value	Minimum Display Value
0.05	0.07	0.05	0.07	0.05	0.07	0.05	0.07		
0.06	0.08	0.06	0.08	0.06	0.08	0.06	0.08		
0.07	0.09	0.07	0.09	0.07	0.09	0.07	0.09		
0.08	0.10	0.08	0.10	0.08	0.10	0.08	0.10		
0.09	0.12	0.09	0.12	0.09	0.12	0.09	0.12		
0.1	0.13	0.1	0.13	0.1	0.13	0.1	0.13	0.1	0.1
0.2	0.26	0.2	0.26	0.2	0.26	0.2	0.26	0.2	0.3
0.3	0.39	0.3	0.39	0.3	0.39	0.3	0.39	0.3	0.4
0.4	0.52	0.4	0.52	0.4	0.52	0.4	0.52	0.4	0.5
0.5	0.65	0.5	0.65	0.5	0.65	0.5	0.65	0.5	0.7
0.6	0.78	0.6	0.78	0.6	0.78	0.6	0.78	0.6	0.8
0.7	0.91	0.7	0.91	0.7	0.91	0.7	0.91	0.7	0.9
0.8	1.04	0.8	1.04	0.8	1.04	0.8	1.04	0.8	1.0
0.9	1.17	0.9	1.17	0.9	1.17	0.9	1.17	0.9	1.2
1.0	1.30	1.0	1.30	1.0	1.30	1.0	1.30	1.0	1.3
2.0	2.60	2.0	2.60	2.0	2.60	2.0	2.60	2.0	2.6
3.0	3.90	3.0	3.90	3.0	3.90	3.0	3.90	3.0	3.9
4.0	5.20	4.0	5.20	4.0	5.20	4.0	5.20	4.0	5.2
5.0	6.50	5.0	6.50	5.0	6.50	5.0	6.50	5.0	6.5
6.0	7.80	6.0	7.80	6.0	7.80	6.0	7.80	6.0	7.8

EN61557 Specifications cont.

Insulation resistance maximum and minimum display values cont.

50 V		100 V		250 V		500 V		1000 V	
Limit Value	Minimum Display Value	Limit Value	Minimum Display Value	Limit Value	Minimum Display Value	Limit Value	Minimum Display Value	Limit Value	Minimum Display Value
7.0	9.10	7.0	9.10	7.0	9.10	7.0	9.10	7.0	9.1
8.0	10.40	8.0	10.40	8.0	10.40	8.0	10.40	8.0	10.4
9.0	11.70	9.0	11.70	9.0	11.70	9.0	11.70	9.0	11.7
10.0	13.0	10.0	13.0	10.0	13.0	10.0	13.0	10.0	13.0
20.0	26.0	20.0	26.0	20.0	26.0	20.0	26.0	20.0	26.0
30.0	39.0	30.0	39.0	30.0	39.0	30.0	39.0	30.0	39.0
40.0	52.0	40.0	52.0	40.0	52.0	40.0	52.0	40.0	53.0
		50.0	65.0	50.0	65.0	50.0	65.0	50.0	65.0
		60.0	78.0	60.0	78.0	60.0	78.0	60.0	78.0
		70.0	91.0	70.0	91.0	70.0	91.0	70.0	91.0
		80.0	104.0	80.0	104.0	80.0	104.0	80.0	104.0
		90.0	117.0	90.0	117.0	90.0	117.0	90.0	117.0
				100.0	130.0	100.0	130.0	100.0	130.0
						200.0	260.0	200.0	260.0
						300.0	390.0	300.0	390.0
						400.0	520.0	400.0	520.0
								500.0	650.0
								600.0	780.0
								700.0	910.0
								800.0	1040.0
								900.0	1170.0
								1000.0	1300.0
								2000.0	2600.0

Earth bond resistance maximum display values

Limit Value	Maximum Display Value
0.4	0.28
0.5	0.35
0.6	0.42
0.7	0.49
0.8	0.56
0.9	0.63
1.0	0.7
2.0	1.4
3.0	2.1
4.0	2.8
5.0	3.5
6.0	4.2
7.0	4.9
8.0	5.6
9.0	6.3
10.0	7.0
20.0	14.0
30.0	21.0
40.0	28.0
50.0	35.0
60.0	42.0
70.0	49.0
80.0	56.0
90.0	63.0

Limit Value	Maximum Display Value
100.0	70.0
200.0	140.0
300.0	210.0
400.0	280.0
500.0	350.0
600.0	420.0
700.0	490.0
800.0	560.0
900.0	630.0
1000.0	700.0
2000.0	1400.0

1507/1503 General Specifications

Maximum voltage applied to any terminal:

600 V ac rms or dc

Storage temperature: -40 °C to 60 °C

(-40 °F to 140 °F)

Operating temperature: -20 °C to 55 °C

(-4 °F to 131 °F)

Temperature coefficient: 0.05 x (specified accuracy)
per °C for temperatures < 18 °C or > 28 °C
(< 64 °F or > 82 °F)

Relative humidity noncondensing:

0 % to 95 % @ 10 °C to 30 °C (50 °F to 86 °F)

0 % to 75 % @ 30 °C to 40 °C (86 °F to 104 °F)

0 % to 40 % @ 40 °C to 55 °C (104 °F to 131 °F)

Vibration: Random, 2 g, 5-500 Hz per

MIL-PRF-28800F, Class 2 instrument

Shock: 1 meter drop per IEC 61010-1 2nd Edition
(1 meter drop test, six sides, oak floor)

Electromagnetic compatibility: In an RF field of
3 V/M, accuracy = specified accuracy
(EN 61326-1:1997)

Safety: Complies with ANSI/ISA 82.02.01 (61010-1)
2004, CAN/CSA-C22.2 NO. 61010-1-04, and IEC/EN
61010-1 2nd Edition for measurement category IV
600 V (CAT IV)

Certifications: CSA per standard CSA/CAN C22.2
No. 61010-1-04; TUV per standard IEC/EN 61010-1
2nd Edition

Batteries: Four AA batteries (NEDA 15A or IEC LR6)

Battery life

Insulation test use: Tester can perform at least 1000
insulation tests with fresh alkaline batteries at room
temperature. These are standard tests of 1000 V into
1 MΩ with a duty cycle of 5 seconds on and 25 sec-
onds off.

Resistance measurements: Tester can perform at least
2500 earth bond resistance measurements with fresh
alkaline batteries at room temperature. These are
standard tests of 1 Ω with a duty cycle of 5 seconds
on and 25 seconds off.

Size: 5.0 cm H x 10.0 cm W x 20.3 cm L
(1.97 in H x 3.94 in W x 8.00 in L)

Weight: 550 g (1.2 lb)

IP rating: IP40

Altitude

Operating: 2000 m CAT IV 600 V,

3000 m CAT III 600 V

Non-operating (storage): 12,000 m

Over-range capability: 110 % of range

Included accessories: TL224 Test Leads, TP74 Test
Probes, clips PN 1958654 (red) and PN 1958646
(black), holster and remote probe

Ordering Information

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Included

Remote probe, test leads, test
probes, alligator clips, holster,
user documentation


Optional accessories

TPAK™ Magnetic Tool Hanger

C101 Hard Case

TLK225 SureGrip Master
Accessory Kit

